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550 Hear School Reorganization

About 550 persons attended a public hearing on reorganizing school districts in the Holland-Zeeland-West Ottawa area Tuesday night in West Ottawa High School, the last of a series of three meetings on school reorganization in Ottawa county.

Harmony marked the meeting which was presided by Randall Dekker of Zeeland, a member of the 18-member county reorganization committee, and while there was a preponderance of applause for favoring West Ottawa district, there also was considerable applause favoring changes recommended for the Holland district.

Most of the discussion concerned Harrington and Federal School districts which the county committee recommends be assigned to Holland district. Most of the high school students in the two districts currently are attending West Ottawa High School, and there was considerable sentiment that the two districts be assigned to West Ottawa.

Chairman Dekker assured the large audience that the committee would bear in mind expressions voiced at the public hearings and would be making final determination soon. The committee's report to the state committee is due Dec. 31.

The county committee has been at work since last February in its assignment to have all school districts classified kindergarten through 12th grade. The county currently has 24 school districts of which seven are K-12.

The committee is recommending that the county have eight K-12 districts, listing, Holland, West Ottawa, Grand Haven, Spring Lake, Coopersville, Jenison, Hudsonville and Zeeland. Other public hearings were held last Thursday in Hudsonville and Monday night in Spring Lake.

Dekker said the committee recommendations are not unanimous, but constitute a good majority. Decisions were made according to guidelines set up by state law, and the committee proposes a single election of the entire county, although if such an election fails to pass, individual elections will be held in the proposed districts.

Guidelines list quality of education, the desirability of retaining community centers or combinations of communities, continue neighborhood schools, consider boundaries such as lakes, rivers, expressways, and consider population density so that districts have at least 2,000 students and have fair ability to finance educational programs.

Besides these, comprehensive studies were made on present conditions and present and future needs.

Dale Mossburg, a member of the county committee, said a subcommittee studying assignment of Harrington and Federal districts split 2-2, after which the entire county committee studied the local situation and recommended the two be assigned to Holland district.

Asked whether Federal and Harrington students currently attending West Ottawa will be allowed to graduate there, Holland Supt. Don Ihrman said the Holland board was agreeable (if the law permits) to provide tuition to West Ottawa for such students already enrolled, if the districts became annexed to the Holland district.

As for transportation, if the two districts are annexed, Holland then will ask for a quarter-mile increase to provide a transportation program not only for Harrington and Federal students, but also for students in Holland Heights, Maplewood and others.

Charles Zalsman, who outlined the transportation millage possibility, said that if the special millage were approved, Holland might get state aid possibly up to 75 per cent for providing transportation for all students.

It was made clear that K-12 districting is not in any way related to political annexation.

In discussing a total county vote in which a majority vote could put the entire program into effect, Mossburg said this might be regarded as one bad part of the act in that there is a question of the one-man-one-vote federal concept. If, however, the county vote were defeated, then separate votes among districts would ensue.

It was also brought out that Federal and Harrington districts have 204 students attending West Ottawa. West Ottawa Supt. Lloyd Van Raalte said the sudden removal of the 204 students could remove nine teachers from the faculty, requiring financial adjustment. He could not state positively whether this would have an effect on curriculum or college entrances, since much would depend on subjects students elect.

Edwin Raphael said the basic issue was whether Harrington and West Ottawa districts were compatible, and he felt they were, but he said the method of county-wide voting places the two districts in an indefensible

position, and felt the committee should give more consideration to what the people want.

Others from Harrington district hastened to make known that many Harrington residents were pleased with the work of the county committee and definitely favored Holland, particularly in view of proximity and traffic.

One mentioned crossing five railroad spurs, a crowded bridge and countless stops in the seven-mile trip to West Ottawa, compared with three miles to Holland. Robert Sligh of Harrington pointed to an official poll of the district in which 96 favored West Ottawa and 84 Holland.

Charles Vande Water of the Federal district presented petitions asking the committee to assign Federal to West Ottawa. Mrs. L. Regnerus of Federal said M. Vande Water was not presenting a true picture of Federal district and that many favor the recommendation of the county committee. She mentioned that Federal several times had voted down political annexation to Holland but that it also had voted down school annexation to West Ottawa.

There were many expressions of personal views, the greater share of them favoring West Ottawa, one of them mentioning a superior hot lunch program offered there.

Clarence Maatman of Harrington summed up the situation fairly well when he said he regarded the redistricting with mixed emotions since he has one child attending Harrington school, another attending school in Holland and a third in West Ottawa.

But he added that the political annexation problems of years past may yet prove a blessing in disguise since out of them have come fine schools in Holland, West Ottawa and Hamilton.

He said he felt all people were happy with the three schools and believe the arrangement is better than one huge high school. But in the current problem he said there is a danger of becoming emotional, and he felt people should look ahead to see what would be best in the long run. He emphasized the need of considering safety in transporting children to school.

The meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m. At the beginning, Miss Jennie Kaufman, superintendent of the Ottawa Area Intermediate School District, explained the organization and function of the county committee.

Schools Will Close Friday For Holiday

Area schools will dismiss for the Christmas recess on Friday with the exception of the Seventh Day Adventist School and the New Groningen School.

Schools dismissing following the regular class schedule on Friday include Holland public, Holland Christian and West Ottawa schools as well as St. Francis de Sales and Harrington schools.

Federal school will dismiss for the holidays at 11:30 a.m. Friday. Zeeland public schools will dismiss at noon Friday and Zeeland Christian schools will dismiss at 2:45 p.m.

Classes at the Seventh Day Adventist School will close following the regular schedule on Dec. 21 and New Groningen closes Dec. 22 at 10:30 a.m.

Students at Western Theological Seminary will begin their recess on noon Friday while Hope College students will be excused at 2 p.m.

All classes will resume regular sessions on Jan. 3.

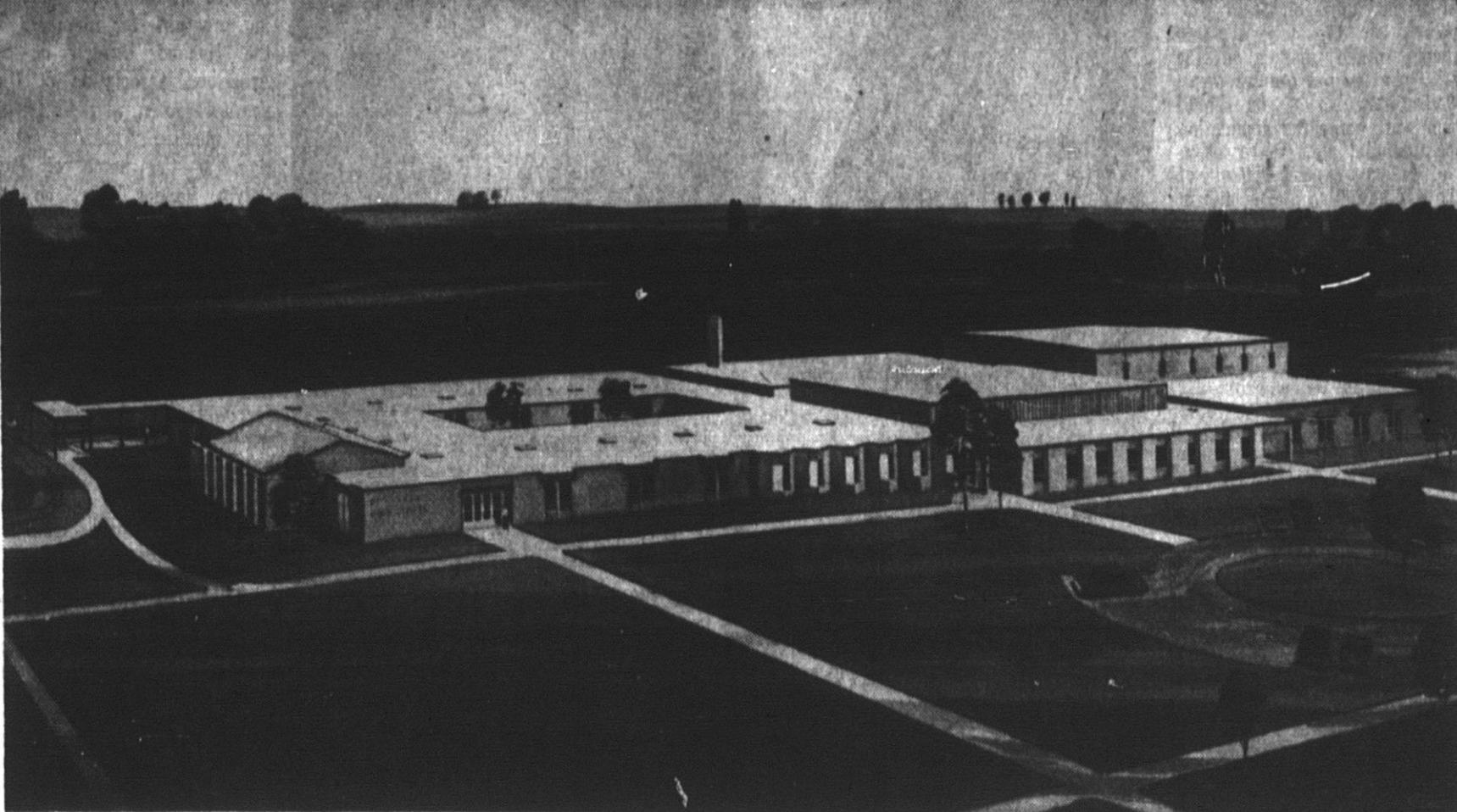
Everett Slenk, 48, Dies in Holland Hospital

Everett (Bob) Slenk, 48, of route 1, Holland, died this morning at Holland Hospital following an illness of five weeks. He was born in Laketown township and lived in this vicinity all of his life. He was a commercial fisherman, a veteran of World War II and a member of the VFW.

Surviving are two brothers, Henry of Saugatuck and Donald of Holland; four sisters, Mrs. Sena Kruthoff, Mrs. Earl Sena Kruthoff, Mrs. Earl Bouwens and Mrs. Julius Kemper all of Holland; several nieces and nephews.

School Window Broken

David Ross, custodian of Connell School, Crosswell St. and Hiawatha Dr., reported to Ottawa sheriff's deputies Monday that a small window and nine blocks of glass were broken at the school some time between Saturday afternoon and Monday morning. Deputies said stones were thrown through the window and blocks.



NEW CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL — Here is an architect's sketch of the proposed new Holland Christian High School to be constructed on a 40-acre site at 40th St. and Ottawa Ave. This building which covers 100,000 square feet of floor space fronts on Ottawa Ave. Buses could unload passengers at the covered walk area at left rear. The pitched roof area at left houses the library reading room. Academic classrooms surround the inner court at left. The administrative-counseling complex is near the center of the building. At right are the auditorium, gymnasium, cafeteria, business education rooms and music and fine arts area. The auditorium is designed to seat 800 and the gym 3,000 for a basketball game. The entire building is designed for 1,000 students.

\$1.4 Million Christian School Plans Approved

The Holland Christian School board, at its regular meeting Tuesday night, approved the detailed plans of the proposed new Holland Christian High School to be constructed on a 40-acre site on 40th St. and Ottawa Ave.

Hil Bourma, chairman of the planning committee, presented the committee report and said that the architects are now working on the detailed plans, following the decision of the School Society in October to proceed at an approximate cost of \$1,450,000.

The plans call for a building of over 100,000 square feet, facing Ottawa Ave. Bourma said that buses can enter from 40th St. to a covered sidewalk area. The pitched roof area at the south end of the building houses the library

reading room. Conference and work rooms are adjacent to a reading room.

Surrounding the inner court is the academic unit, accommodating the regular academic classes with science laboratories facing to the west. A special area will feature a life science lab - greenhouse, provided by funds from the present science classes. The administrative-counseling complex is located near the center of the building, featuring an irregular front-facing wall.

The northern wing of the building houses the auditorium, the gymnasium, cafeteria, business education rooms both the vocal and instrumental music area, and fine arts room. The auditorium will seat 800 while the gymnasium could seat about 3,000 for a basketball

contest.

While the main parking lot will be to the north of the building, special parking facilities are also planned in front, Bourma said. The building is designed to accommodate 1,000 students as developed at this stage, but it was pointed out that central service areas are large enough to allow the addition of classroom wings to the west if necessary.

Construction of the building is expected to be started this spring with occupancy slated for September of 1967. It was reported. Work on the improvement of 40th St. is now in progress. Bourma reported that the planning committee is completing final arrangements with city officials for installation of water, sewer and power services.

Human Relations Steering Committee Named Here

A six-member steering committee for a Human Relations Commission for Holland city was appointed by Mayor Nelson Bosman at a meeting of City Council Wednesday night.

Named were John F. Donnelly, chairman; Donald L. Ihrman, Mark Vander Ark, Dr. Miner Stegenga, Dr. Robert De Haan and Al Wassink. Council authorized City Manager Herb Holt to obtain a proposal from a parking consulting firm for a survey of downtown parking needs, following a communication from the Downtown Merchants division of the Chamber of Commerce for such a survey.

Speaking briefly for the merchants were Jack Dykstra and Stuart Boyd. It was the consensus that offstreet parking downtown is quite well developed except for the section west of River Ave. between Seventh and Ninth Sts. There also was an indication that assessment districts might be considered in future programs.

Three recommendations from the Traffic and Safety Commission were approved. One called for eliminating parking on both sides of Morton Pl. from Eighth St. north to the end. This is in the vicinity of Buss Machine Works which has developed its own offstreet parking.

The second eliminates parking on West 13th St. in the vicinity of Herrick Public Library which now has its own parking area. Parking is eliminated on the north side of 13th St. for 340 feet west of River, marking the west end of the parking lot, and on the south side for 110 feet west of River, terminating at an alley.

The third recommendation, a repeat of a former request, called for replacing yield signs at 12th St. and Maple Ave. with stop signs, with traffic stopping for Maple Ave. This passed 7 to 2 with John Van Eerden and Donald Oosterbaan dissenting. A substitute motion for four-way stops was defeated. Roy Hickman, chairman of the Safety Commission, explained some of the aspects.

City Manager Holt presented a communication from the International Association of Chiefs of Police, Inc., which is assisting in screening applicants for the office of police chief in Holland. The communications recommends a sal-

ary schedule of \$10,500 to \$13,500 in steps up to five years.

It was referred to the city's personnel officer, Jack Leenhouts.

Also approved was a proposal for aerial mapping of approximately 1,000 acres in the vicinity of the proposed airport in the southern part of the city. The work will be done by Abrams Aerial Survey Corp. of Lansing at a cost of \$3,740. The work was recommended by engineers Black and Veatch. This survey will determine obstacle heights within proposed glide paths. The vote was 8 to 1 with

A claim against the city from Mrs. Ruth Nonhof, 209 East Eighth St., was referred to the city's insurance carrier and city attorney.

A card was received from Mrs. William J. Brouwer and family thanking City Council for its expression of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

Oaths of office were filed for Ralph Bouwman and William R. Barlow as members of the city board of canvassers for four-year terms expiring Dec. 31, 1969.

Find Ice Balls Contaminated

Definite contamination has been found in the imported plastic ice balls widely sold here and all over the country.

Sam Stephenson, director of the Holland Department of Environmental Health, received orders from the Michigan Department of Health today to take all necessary steps to prohibit the sale and use of the balls.

Stephenson is asking local residents to destroy the balls or return them to suppliers. This also includes pink elephants. In any case, they should not remain in homes.

Dr. Albert E. Heustis, state health commissioner, said the water inside the plastic balls contains germs which could cause typhoid or cholera.

The ice balls, made in Hong Kong, are brightly colored reusable plastic balls filled with water. They are sold as non-melting ice cubes. Consumers freeze them and put them in drinks.

The Hong Kong imports are marketed under various names. The popular brands circulated locally were Ice Balls, Ice Kools and Pink Elephant Ice Cools. They are packaged 12 to 15 to the box and come in pastel blue, yellow, orange, white and green colors.

The balls have been known to crack, releasing water into the drink, and children have occasionally bitten into them.

The message to the local Department of Environmental Health stated that tests have shown isolated coliform organ-

Dutchmen Score First MIAA Victory

ADRIAN — Fighting off Adrian College's desperate closing minute surge, Hope College's basketball team gained a 94-90 opening MIAA victory here Wednesday night in Ridge gym.

It was a driving layup with 22 seconds to play by 6' Muskegon freshman Dave Utzinger, who prepped at Orchard View, that gave Hope its lead after the scrappy Bulldogs had tied the score 90-90 with 52 seconds to play.

Utzinger sprung loose from the Adrian defense and drove for the basket. Hope was working for the last shot and Utzinger actually fired earlier than Coach Russ De Vette had planned.

After the basket Adrian came down the floor, tried a shot and Hope's Roy Anker cleared with 10 seconds remaining. He called time out. On the in bounds play Floyd Erady was fouled.

Brady missed the free throw and seconds later the Bulldogs fouled again trying to get the ball and Capt. Clave Van Wieren sank a pair with five seconds left, to give the defending champions the four-point win.

The hectic finish was brought about by a determined band of Bulldogs, unbeaten in two previous starts. Although trailing by 13 points (75-62) at the second half 10-minute mark, Adrian just kept battling back.

Adrian turned in some fine shooting and managed to trim the lead. They trailed by nine with three minutes to play but in the next minute cut it to three, 87-84.

Mark Garrett, who led the losers with 28, and Ron Stevens, who had 19, both fouled out in the next half minute and Hope free throws (two by Brady and one by Van Wieren) kept Hope four-up, 90-86.

But Carl Walters fouled out with 1:30 to go and Adrian's Chuck Stille sank two shots. A stolen pass and Paul Martini's basket tied the score.

Utzinger, subbing for Walters, scored 30 seconds later. Utzinger turned in a fine performance, scoring eight points. He spelled both guards and it appears he will provide De Vette with needed bench help.

De Vette lauded Utzinger's play, noting his fine passing. Besides his baskets, he also made several assists. De Vette had given Utzinger spot work in the Valparaiso and Wheaton games.

Hope led 48-43 at half, rallying in the last two minutes after Adrian had tied the game, 34-34 and had pulled within two, 40-38. Walters, Don Kronmeyer, Brady and Anker scored successive baskets to quickly give the winners an eight-point bulge before Adrian cut the margin to five at half.

The game was tied four times in the first half and the 90-90 tie was the only second half tie. Early in the second half both teams had trouble hitting and two minutes elapsed before Brady sank two baskets in a few seconds to put Hope in front, 52-43.

Adrian made another challenge, coming within two, 56-54, but the winners retaliated and enjoyed a 64-58 lead with 13 minutes to play while the margin was 70-58 with 11 minutes left.

But after the 13-point spread at the 10-minute mark, Adrian outscored Hope, 10-3 (82-76) in the next six minutes. Adrian used a full court press after they scored either a basket or a free throw but De Vette didn't feel the press bothered Hope's play.

The Flying Dutchmen got many easy shots because of

the press, De Vette said, and he was pleased with the performance of his club as they hit 48 per cent on 37 baskets in 77 tries.

The Bulldogs hit several from outside and got some tips, also had 37 baskets but tried 95 shots for 39 per cent. Hope cashed in on 20 of 33 free throws and Adrian had 16 of 20.

De Vette had all his starters in double figures as Van Wieren led with 22 while Brady had 19, Kronmeyer, 15, Anker, 13 and Walters, 10. Van Wieren, Brady and Anker were strong on the boards, De Vette said.

Hope resumes play Dec. 28-30 in Schenectady, N.Y., in the Union College tourney against Union, MIT and De Pauw. De Vette said Hope practiced today and the Holland area team members will drill next week. Hope is 2-2 overall.

Hope (94)				
	FG	FT	PF	PT
Van Wieren, f...	8	6	3	22
Brady, f...	7	5	3	19
Anker, c...	6	1	4	13
Kronmeyer, g...	6	3	2	15
Walters, g...	4	2	5	10
Stille, g...	0	0	1	0
Potter, c...	2	3	1	7
Utzinger, g...	4	4	0	8

Totals

Adrian (90)				
	FG	FT	PF	PT
Garrett, f...	11	6	5	28
Stevens, f...	9	1	5	19
Frank, c...	1	0	0	2
Ingham, g...	9	1	3	19
Stille, g...	2	5	5	9
Martini, c...	5	2	2	12
Gunthorp, g...	0	0	3	0
Werbsch, f...	0	1	0	1

Totals

37	20	19	94
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Allegan Studies Reappraisal Of All Property

ALLEGAN — The Allegan County Board of Supervisors has instructed the Equalization Committee to obtain estimates from property appraising firms on their estimated costs for a complete reappraisal of all county real estate.

It is estimated the re-appraisal would cost between \$150,000 and \$180,000.

Arresting Woman Is Difficult Job

Beverly Fike, 22, of 414 Homestead Ave. was sentenced to seven days in the Ottawa County Jail and paid \$5 court costs in Judge Robert Horner's justice court Tuesday night for driving with a revoked operator's license.

Ottawa sheriff's deputies noticed her car traveling above the speed limit on Chicago Dr., and followed her into Holland. Mrs. Fike was finally apprehended near 12th St. and Maple Ave. after attempting to escape in her car. Deputies first stopped the car on Maple Ave. at 10th St. When they asked to see her driver's license she drove away.

The deputies then pulled in front of the car on Maple Ave. near 12th St., and Mrs. Fike backed away. She then sped forward barely missing a deputy and the patrol car. She was finally apprehended a short distance away.

Mrs. Fike fled from Judge Horner's office during her arraignment and was apprehended again by deputies after a block long chase on foot.

Two Drivers Ticketed

Holland police charged Enrique Calenechi, 19, of 21 East 13th St. with failing to yield the right of way and Kathleen Lambers, 32, of 714 Wildwood Dr. with driving without an operator's license on her person after the cars they were driving collided on River Ave. at 14th St. at 12:05 a.m. Saturday.

City Council Approves 6 Ordinances

Six ordinances, four of them zoning ordinance amendments, were approved by City Council at a regular meeting Wednesday night in City Hall.

One involved licensing for a Community Antenna Television System (CATV), calling for a \$250 annual fee, reasonable insurance and bonding requirements, certain operational requirements in that no interference may result and in no way create or maintain a nuisance.

Another ordinance redefined reckless driving and careless or negligent driving. Reckless driving is defined as "any person who drives any vehicle upon a highway or a frozen public lake, stream or pond, or other place open to the general public, including any area designated for the parking of motor vehicles within the city of Holland, in willful or wanton disregard for the safety of person or property."

The definition for careless driving is similar but omits wanton or reckless aspects. The ordinance was requested by Municipal Judge John Gallen to conform with a new state statute.

The zoning ordinances rezoned an area northeasterly of Vandenberg Mortors at the northeast corner of US-31 bypass and Washington Ave. from agricultural to C-2 highway commercial; a 10-foot strip at the southeast corner of 29th St. and Maple Ave. from residential to C-1 neighborhood commercial; a parcel at the southwest corner of 34th St. and Lincoln Ave. from residential to B-1 apartment; and presently zoned D-1 industrial area between Seventh and Eighth Sts. running from Lincoln to Fairbanks Ave. to C-2 highway commercial.

The latter was rezoned on petition of Norman Archer who plans to erect a modern motel with restaurant and heated pool under franchise from a national chain. Archer said the area was selected because of its proximity to the entrance to Windmill Island and expects construction will start Jan. 15.

All ordinances will be effective Jan. 5 except the CATV ordinance which will take effect Jan. 1.

Hearings were held earlier in the evening on the four zoning proposals with no opposition voiced.

In connection with the hearings, City Manager Herb Holt introduced Jack Aussicker, audio-visual director for public schools, who demonstrated an overhead projector, using transparencies of the zoning map.

This subject had come up at the last meeting of Council suggesting some type of visual aid for Council and the audiences. The demonstration flashed the picture on the north wall of council chambers, convenient for Council members and the press section, but requiring visitors to turn around.

A discussion at the close of the meeting centered about the use of an overhead projector or an opaque machine. Aussicker strongly recommended the overhead projector in view of its use without dimming light. He said transparencies could be made on the 3-M machine in the city clerk's office. The city manager was authorized to obtain quotations on equipment.

Tables from last meeting were bids on recreational buildings for Kollen Park, tennis courts, Maplewood playground and Riverview Park. Council referred plans for the Riverview Park building back to the architect to enlarge the facility and approved the other three bids. Low bids were entered by Stephenson Construction for the shelter at Maplewood, \$11,788, and by Vander Hulst and Branderhorst for the shelter at the tennis courts, \$16,987, and Kollen Park, \$19,820.

Letters from the Michigan Department of Public Health and the Michigan State Dental Association commended City Council for its action in approving fluoridation of the city's water supply Dec. 1.

Petitions for water service in Grandview Ave. from Eighth St. to Harvard Dr., and sanitary sewer service in Bertsch Dr. from Azalea Ave. to 24th St. were referred to the city manager for study.

On recommendation of the city manager, Council accepted the overall bid of Employers Mutuals of Wausau on automotive fleet, general liability, workmen's compensation and umbrella excess insurance, subject to approval of actual policies by the Insurance Audit and Inspection Co. The net bid listed \$48,718.84. There were two comprehensive bids and two automotive bids.

Council chambers were decorated for Christmas with poinsettias from the Park department. Mayor Nelson Bosman wished all Councilmen and residents of the community season's greetings.

Builders Plan Local Chapter

Decision to organize a local chapter of the National Association of Home Builders was made at a meeting of local home builders and others in building trades Tuesday night at a meeting in City Hall attended by about 140 persons.

James Klomprens was named chairman and Russell Lamar treasurer in organizing the new chapter. Another meeting is planned in January.

The meeting was called primarily to discuss the new state licensing act which goes into effect April 1, 1966. This act requires a builder doing jobs of \$200 or more to be licensed. It also requires home builders to be bonded for \$10,000 a year and subcontractors such as plumbers to be bonded for \$2,000 a year. The program is to be administered by a new state's commission.

Don Lieveise who heads the local insurance association explained the bonding part of the law. The licensing section was explained by Gordon Herrema, Charles Wiersma and Don Cederlund, officers of the Grand Rapids chapter of the National Association of Home Builders.

State Rep. James Farnsworth of Plainwell explained the law which the legislature passed and expected there would be some revisions before April 1. He said the bonding section was added in committee.

He favored formation of a local chapter in that such an organization could work more closely with legislators and make their desires known. In general, there is a fear locally that many small builders will be put out of business.

Peoples' Bank Employees Are Entertained

The annual Christmas party of the employees of the Peoples State Bank was held Tuesday evening at Jack's Garden Room.

Dinner was served to 52 of 61 employees. Christmas gifts were presented to George Tinholt, retiring chairman of the board and to Clarence Jalving, retiring president.

Gifts were also presented to two other employees who are soon to retire, Mrs. Peter Kaasboek and Isaac Kleis. Mrs. Kaasboek, now working in the installment loan department, has been an employee since 1918, at which time there were five employees. She worked some part of each year during these 47 years.

Mr. Kleis began at the bank 19 1/2 years ago as custodian. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ronald Van Dyke and Mrs. Elaine Dorn.

The group viewed the panoramic pictures presented by Mr. and Mrs. George Bush from Muskegon.

Effective Jan. 1, Clarence Klaasen assumes the position of chairman of the board and Lavern C. Dalman assumes the position of president and cashier.

Tryouts Are Set For Musical

Tryouts for Holland Community Theatre's production of the musical comedy "Take Me Along" will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday at the theatre workshop, 177 1/2 East 19th St.

"Take Me Along," a Broadway hit of 1959, is based on Eugene O'Neill's only comedy. "Ah, Wilderness," with music and lyrics by Robert Merrill.

Many singers, actors, dancers, non-singers and crew members are needed for the production which will be presented under the direction of Mrs. Robert Greenwood Feb. 22-26.

Tryouts are open to everyone. No previous experience is necessary. The cast includes nine men, seven women, three young men, two young women, one boy, and extra men and women for the chorus. Special arrangements will be made for interested persons who are unable to attend the regular scheduled tryouts by contacting the director, Mrs. Greenwood.

Persons may bring their own music. "Take Me Along" vocal scores will be available. Rehearsals will begin Jan. 3, 1966.

Piepers Entertain Staff at Yule Party

Mr. and Mrs. Harris G. Pieper entertained the staff of the Pieper Realty Co. with a Christmas party at their home, 114 West 18th St. Saturday evening.

Following punch and hors d'oeuvres a roast beef dinner was served.

Mr. Pieper explained briefly some of the past history of the organization and reviewed the success of the company by comparative analysis of the 1965 business.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Komejan, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Por, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nyland and Mr. and Mrs. Pieper.

Ottawa County 4-H News

By Willis S. Boss
Extension 4-H Youth Agent
High school seniors who wish to attend Michigan State University in the fall of 1966 should make application for admission on the regular form. Under item No. 8 you should sign your name; for application for financial aid. Under item No. 14 you should list all of the 4-H activities and events in which you have participated. This will assure you of being considered for a 4-H scholarship when your application reaches the desk of the admission officer.

Once again we will be distributing calendars the last week in December. They are made available through business establishments in Ottawa County.

At least four members will be present at the 4-H Junior Livestock Show on March 8. This is co-sponsored by Zeeland, Hamilton and the surrounding areas and will feature swine and beef.

We have been visiting the school conservation clubs and the projects have been evaluated. Following is a list of the winners at the Nunica school: Mr. Susterick's room — Karen Werly and Marie Brown, county honor winners; Mike Baldus and Pat Hellman, room honor winners.

Mr. Madsen's room — Judy Muller and Mark Kulikamp, county winners; Wendy Main and John Kary, room winners.

Mrs. Leech's room — Pat Werly, Marion Crummett and Jackie Rakasky, county winners; Dawn Randall, Dale Brooks and Cynthia Lambregtse, room winners.

Mrs. Jubb's room — Colleen Mellist, Denise Randall and Barry Willis, county winners; Jackie Rollenbergen and Laura Crouse, room winners.

At the Jenison Junior High School the county winners in grade 8-1 were Gary Boersen, John Cayner and Gloria Riemersma; in 8-2 they were Cheryl Gorter, Sharon Metzger and Pam Roberts; in 8-3 they were Carl Scott and Gail Thompson; in 7-1 they were Sandra Van Duine, Peter Van Strien and Bill Waalkes; in 7-2 they were James Bly, Gail Culbertson and Tracy Killingbeck; in 7-3 they were Sheryl Kole, Diane Hoezee and Paula Helmers.

At the Maplewood School in Jenison winners were selected as follows: Mr. Hosteter's room — Susan De Pre, Brenda Pauwe and Neil Kalee, county winners; Tom Sherman, Pam Anderson and Dan Oosting, room winners.

Mr. York's room — Sheri De Young, Steven Hayes and Mike Doornbos, county winners; Nancy Smith, Greg Oosterink and Sherry Snider, room winners.

Mrs. Sherman's room — Daniel Mensink, Sherry Rondeau, April Pauwe and Michael Hathaway, county winners; Rachel Boss, Loretta Vander Molen, room winners.

Miss Wing's room — Laurie Shafer, Mike Curths and Dennis Doornbos, county winners; Jill Siler, Kristy Lick and Mike Hamlin, room winners.

Miss Alward's room — Cynthia Eldred, Debra Armstrong and Bob Waalkes, county winners; Dennis Van Wormer, Gregory Matteson and Sallie Husyer, room winners.

At the Sandy Hill School in Jenison the winners were as follows: Mrs. Sheridan's room — Elaine Dood, Bruce Zylstra and Bernice Green, county winners; Mary Dozeman, Calvin Kik, John Huyser and Jim Weemhof, room winners.

Miss Rozeboom's room — Mike Reed, Kirk McClellan and Sharon Vreeland, county winners; Debbie Hoezee, Larry Van Duine and Terry Noorman, room winners.

Mrs. Holkeboer's room — John Kamp, Linda Blake and John Kuipers, county winners; Michelle Straatsma, room winner.

Miss Payne's room — Elissa Koopman, county winner; Glenn Buscher, Gary Goudzwaard and Ruth Lowin, room winners.

Mr. Glavich's room — Ray Simmons, Douglas Vander Molen and Steven Zylstra, county winners; Debbie Mullenburg, Greg Smith, and Bill Church, room winners.

Mrs. Vander Kolk's room — Keith Mast, Dennis Owen and Diane Covey, county winners; Davie Wiest, Marlene Redder, Jim Masselin, Vicki Kamp and David Wiersma, room winners.

At the Bauerwood School in Jenison winners were selected as follows: Mr. Renkema's room — Cindy Hoffman, Debra Briggs and Kathy Martin, county winners; John Van Tubergen, Jolene Start, Barry Cain and Nancy Wolters, room winners.

Mr. Fawley's room — Mark Van Strien, Kip Carle and Dale Van Hoven, county winners; John Buchtrup, Lois Oppenhuizen and Sharon Williams, room winners.

Mrs. Goldbold's room — Kathy Bennett, Gary J. Qualls and Nolan Cummings, county winners; Douglas Yelacki, Bill Terpstra, Ardell Vlastuin and Jan Boldenmiller, room winners.

A list of winners from the Central Elementary School, West Ottawa and from the Bursley and Allendale Schools will be included later.



NEW LIBRARIAN — Roger Walcott of Grand Rapids, who will take over as director of Herrick Public Library April 1, is shown here with Mrs. Hazel Hayes who is retiring on that date after more than 12 years as local director. The two are shown here in the children's reading room of Herrick Library. Walcott, currently library director

for Grand Rapids Junior College, says he likes library work on all levels but is a bit partial to the children's department because "Here we find our most enthusiastic library patrons and these youngsters develop habits for a lifetime of good reading."

(Sentinel photo)

New Librarian Appointed Here

The appointment of Roger Walcott, director of library services at Junior College in Grand Rapids, as director of Herrick Public Library, was announced Saturday by the Library Board.

Walcott will succeed Mrs. Hazel Hayes who faces mandatory retirement April 1, 1966.

Walcott's appointment as director will be effective April 1, but he will start work at the library around Feb. 1.

Mrs. Hayes, who came to Holland as librarian in the fall of 1953 from Clinton, Ind., expects to continue in library work in some capacity but not in Herrick Library.

It was during her stay in Holland that Herrick Public Library was built as a gift to the community from Mr. and Mrs. Ray Herrick of Tecumseh, Mich., former Holland residents. The library was dedicated May 7, 1960.

The new library director is no stranger to Herrick Public Library. For the past year, he has been coming to Holland nearly every Saturday to help catalogue new stacks of books, and more recently has been working "out front" meeting many local library patrons.

While serving as Fennendale librarian from 1952 to 1960, Walcott helped to get a new library for the city which lies in the metropolitan Detroit area.

"I thought I would remain in Fennendale the rest of my life," Walcott said, "but an offer from Grand Rapids Junior College in 1960 to return to my old alma mater and my home town of Grand Rapids was too good to resist," he said.

A native of Grand Rapids, Walcott graduated from Union High School and then from Junior College. He was in the air force from 1943 to 1946, and then graduated from the University of Michigan in 1947 with a degree in history.

He obtained a degree in library science in 1948 and then a master's degree in 1955. He worked in Flint briefly and then served as high school librarian and public librarian in Ionia for three years.

In 1947 he married the former Marjorie De Young of Grand Rapids. They have three children, Nancy, 17, Tom, 14, and Pamela, 11. The family will move to Holland next summer.

Members of the Library Board are Mrs. Preston Luidens, president; Donald J. Thomas, Dr. Kenneth Welser, Henry Bratt and Mrs. Henry Steffens.

Radio Minister Is Dead at 74

GRAND RAPIDS — Dr. Martin R. De Haan, whose radio program "The Radio Bible Class" has been carried throughout the country for 27 years, died here Monday at the age of 74.

A former physician turned minister, Dr. De Haan was injured in an auto accident in July and never fully regained his health.

After a brief medical career, Dr. Haan turned to the ministry and was graduated from Western Theological Seminary in Holland in 1925. After serving as pastor of Calvary Reformed Church in Grand Rapids, he organized the Undenominational Church on Michigan Ave. in Grand Rapids.

In 1938 he began his radio show heard weekly on more than 600 stations in the United States, Canada and foreign countries.

Richard Bazan Services Held

Funeral services were held Monday in Pilgrim Home Cemetery for Richard Bazan, 86, of Grand Rapids, a former Holland resident, who died Friday, Dec. 10 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Page of Grand Rapids.

He is survived by his wife, Jennie, six sons, Cornelius, George, Bernard and Raymond of Grand Rapids; Harold of Byron Center and James of Dorris; five daughters, Mrs. William Nyenhuis of Hudsonville; Mrs. Phares Courtney of Lake Odesa; Mrs. Alfred Brandson of Ionia; Mrs. Page and Mrs. Arthur Newman of Grand Rapids.

Other survivors include 28 grandchildren, 40 great grandchildren, one brother, Bert, and two sisters Mrs. Bert Dykgraaf and Mrs. C. R. Aussicker of Holland.

He obtained a degree in library science in 1948 and then a master's degree in 1955. He worked in Flint briefly and then served as high school librarian and public librarian in Ionia for three years.

Erutha Rebekah Lodge Has Meet

The memorial staff of the Erutha Rebekah Lodge draped the charter Friday evening in memory of Mrs. Cora Nicol who had been a member of the local lodge for over 30 years.

Noble Grand Mrs. Goldia Fox conducted the business meeting at which time officers for 1966 were elected. Mrs. Elmer De Boer was named Noble Grand.

Mrs. Cameron Cranmer, Vice Grand; Mrs. Ted Dykema, recording secretary, and Mrs. Walter Van Vulpem, financial secretary.

Also elected were Mrs. James Crowle, treasurer, and Mrs. Jack Shaffer, trustee.

Mrs. William Orr received her commission as lodge deputy from Mrs. Lala Albrecht, of Greenville, Michigan Assembly Lodge President. Mrs. Orr outlined her duties as explained by Mrs. Albrecht at a meeting of vice grands and lodge deputies of Districts 29 and 30 held at the lodge hall on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Albrecht also discussed the need for a medical center at the Odd Fellow - Rebekah Home at Jackson and that financial assistance from all lodges was being solicited.

Mrs. Van Vulpem reported on the district Christmas party held at Pullman Dec. 8 and also attended by Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Roberts, Mrs. Crowle and Mrs. John Serier. Mrs. Crowle and Mrs. Van Vulpem, past presidents of the district, were honored.

The sunshine committee announced plans to deliver Christmas gifts to shut-in members. The annual lodge Christmas dinner party will be held Friday at the lodge hall. Featured will be punch bowl at 6:15 and dinner at 6:30, followed by a gift exchange and card party. Members are to supply their own table service.

Miss Vernice Olmsland received the gift of the evening. Installation of officers will be held January 28 open to the public.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served by Mrs. Orr and her committee.

South Blendon

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Veldman from Grandville were Sunday evening visitors with her sister, Mrs. Hazel Kunzi.

Mrs. Ethel Johnson attended the Sunday evening worship service with her sister, Mrs. Ruth Holstege.

Several families from here attended the Christmas concert Sunday night at the Hudsonville Public School. This musical included the choir, glee club and band.

Students attending Hudsonville Junior High School who are on the honor roll for the second marking period are: seventh grade, Jane Brink, Delores Vander Wal, Jana Huf, Sandra Meyard, Diane Boerman, Carol Cheyne and Karl Wolters; eighth grade, Faith Vrugink.

At the annual congregational meeting held Thursday the following men were elected to the office of elder: Harvey Brink, Howard Vander Kuyf and Henry Vander Wal; deacon: Robert Blum, Ward De Went and Junior Avink. It also was voted to accept the recommendation of the extension committee of the classis Zeeland and give the Fellowship Reformed Church a gift of \$20,000.

This Saturday morning will be the last week of Christmas program practice. The program will be given Christmas morning at 9:30.

Mrs. Harvey Ter Haar, a teacher in the Bauer School, was the soloist at the Sunday evening service. Rev. Harvey's sermon subject was "Our Relationship to the Devil" and in the morning "God's Promise of a Savior in the Wilderness."

Greeters at the church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cheyne and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Buskool.

The Mary Martha Circle held their Christmas meeting and party Tuesday evening in the church basement.

The interior of the church is being completely redecorated including the basement.

Mrs. J. De Boer Succumbs at 89

LAMONT — Mrs. Jennie De Boer, 89, formerly of South State St., Zeeland, died Wednesday morning at the Glenwood Nursing Home in Lamont.

Prior to going there about five months ago she had been staying in Holland. She was a member of the North Street Christian Reformed Church of Zeeland and was the widow of George De Boer who died 22 years ago.

Surviving are a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ben De Boer of Holland; five grandchildren; nine great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

2 Women Injured In 3-Car Crash

ZEELAND — Two women were injured in a three-car accident on M-21 at State St. at 11:20 a.m. Sunday.

Mrs. Johanna Sneller, 82, of 47 1/2 East Main Ave., Zeeland, is in fair condition at Zeeland Hospital today with a fractured collar bone and lacerations of the head. Delores A. Triabassi, 22, of Grand Rapids was treated at the hospital for cuts on the scalp and abrasions of the knees and released.

Zeeland police said Mrs. Sneller was riding in a car driven by John W. Broekhuis, 50, of 244 Woodward Ave., Zeeland, when Broekhuis pulled in front of a car driven by Delores A. Triabassi. The impact of the collision spun the Broekhuis car into a third auto driven by Kenneth J. Boes, 40, of 10435 Chicago Dr., Zeeland.

George Yonker Succumbs at 79

George Yonker, 79, of Benheim, died at Holland Hospital early Saturday following a three weeks illness.

He was a member of Benheim Reformed Church. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Durward Young of Grandville, Mrs. Elmer Hayne of East Saugatuck and Mrs. Gene Small of Loyalton, Calif.; one son, George, of Flagstaff, Ariz.; seven grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two brothers, Judd and John Yonker, both of Benheim.

Christmas Coffee Held At Waukazoo Elementary

An informal Christmas coffee was held Tuesday evening at the Waukazoo Elementary School.

Invited guests included Supt. Lloyd Van Raalte, principal Herbert Vander Ploeg and the classroom teachers, Mrs. Judith Schneider, Mrs. Karen Crocoll, Mrs. Dena Compain, Nelson Dykema, Mrs. Emeline Elenbaas, Mrs. May Nyhoff and Mrs. Marilyn McFall.

Music teachers invited were Miss Leslie Clark, strings; Cal Langejans, band, and Mrs. Doris Kleinheksel, vocal.

Special guests also included the custodian, George De Feyter, the bus drivers and the cooks who serve the school children as well as the executive board members of the Waukazoo PTA.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. June Reimink, head teacher, and Mrs. Betty Peffer, school secretary.

Three Cars Collide

Robert J. Molengraff, 18, of route 1, Zeeland, was ticketed by Ottawa sheriff's deputies for failing to maintain an assured clear distance following a three-car collision on River Ave. at Douglas Ave. at 6:50 a.m. today.

Deputies said the Molengraff car struck the rear of an auto driven by Floyd Maat, 42, of 28 East 32nd St., forcing the Maat car into a third car driven by Michael J. Kiner, 27, of 58 West Washington Ave., Zeeland.

'Moods of Christmas' Theme of AAUW Meet

Mrs. Jerome Counihan will present an interpretative reading program for members of the Holland Branch of the American Association of University Women, at their Christmas meeting Thursday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Calvin Vander Werf, on the Hope College campus.

The program of prose and poetry is entitled "The Moods of Christmas" and includes readings from Shakespeare, Charles Dickens, modern poets and the Bible. Miss Barbara Lampen, also an AAUW member, will play background music to accompany some of the readings.

Mrs. Counihan, a resident of Holland for nine years, has been active in the Woman's Literary Club and is a past president of the Holland Branch of the AAUW. She is a native of Minneapolis, Minn., and a graduate of the University of Minnesota where she majored in Speech and Theater. She is a member of the honorary and professional speech sorority, Zeta Phi Eta.

Mrs. Counihan also did graduate work at Columbia University. Her experience includes radio and theater work in Minneapolis High School teaching of speech and dramatics, and educational theater work in Tokyo, Japan, during the Occupation. She helped to organize the Army Educational Program's theater for Allied Personnel. In addition, she played one summer of stock in Chevy Chase, Md.

Mrs. Reed is chairman of the social committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Bernard Brunsting, Mrs. William Hakken, Mrs. Preston Luidens and Mrs. William Hillegonds.

Residents Earn MSU Degrees

EAST LANSING — Six Holland residents and three others from surrounding Holland area have completed requirements for degrees were awarded at Michigan State University's fall quarter commencement exercises today at 3 p.m. in the Michigan State University Auditorium.

William M. De Roo of 567 Central Ave. has earned his PhD in guidance and personnel while masters degrees have been earned by Mary Bosch, 196 West 10th St., speech, and Jack E. Damson, 145 West 23rd St., sociology.

Earning bachelor degrees are Judy K. Baker, 280 West 23rd St., completing the educational intern program; Robert Peagle, 24 East 34th St., biology; Scotts Dr., mathematics.

Others earning degrees are Sharon M. Ensfield, route 1, Fennville, BS, nursing; Marcia D. Brandt, 8055 48th St., Hudsonville, MA, elementary education; Eudell G. Vis, 147th Ave., route 3, Zeeland, BS, agricultural engineering.

Glenn M. Green Dies in Hospital

Glenn M. Green, 70, of 468 West 20th St., died Tuesday morning at Holland Hospital where he had been a patient for the past two weeks.

Mr. Green was born in Scottville, Mich., and had lived in Holland for the past 45 years. He worked at Chris Craft for seven years and retired five years ago. He was a member of St. Francis de Sales Church.

Surviving are his wife, Lol, two sons, Paul Green of Traverse City and Leo Green of Holland; 13 grandchildren; one brother, George Green of Holland.

George Oetman Succumbs at 77

HAMILTON — George Oetman, 77, route 2, Hamilton, died at the Belvedere Convalescent Home Wednesday following a lingering illness.

Surviving are the wife, Josephine; three children, Mrs. Lester (Sarah) Hulst of Holland, Gerrit Oetman of Allegan and Mrs. Marvin (Joella) Lemen of Hamilton; eight grandchildren; one brother, Richard Oetman of Martin; five sisters, Mrs. Peter Rigerink of Hamilton, Mrs. Henry Lanning of Grand Rapids, Mrs. George Hall of Flint, Mrs. Arend Ten Hoof of Moline and Mrs. Clarence Ter Beek of Byron Center; five sisters-in-law, Mrs. James Oetman, Mrs. Justin Oetman, Mrs. Arthur Oetman, Mrs. Clarence Oetman, Mrs. Walter Quinlan; two brothers-in-law, Herman Ryzenaga and Robert Washburn; several nieces and nephews.

Deputies Cite Driver

Jean A. Klop, 22, of 989 Post Ave. received a summons from Ottawa sheriff's deputies for failing to maintain an assured clear distance after the car she was driving struck the rear of a car driven by Fred S. Bertsch, Jr., 45, of 148 Crestwood Dr. at Oakwood Ave. and Ottawa Beach Rd. at 7:45 a.m. Tuesday.

Funeral Rites For Zeeland Soldier Set

ZEELAND — Funeral services for Sp/4 George A. Overweg, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Overweg of 396 North Michigan Ave., Zeeland, were held Monday at 2 p.m. in First Reformed Church with the Rev. A. J. Newhouse officiating. Burial was in Zeeland cemetery.

Sp/4 Overweg was killed in action in Viet Nam last Saturday while on a sweep and clear operation when a North Vietnamese detonated.

He was a member of the 2nd Battalion, 1st Infantry Division. He had been in Viet Nam since Oct. 15.

Yule Concert Set Thursday At Hamilton

HAMILTON — The music department of the Hamilton Community Schools will present its annual Christmas concert Thursday in the high school gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. There will be no admission charge. The band will be under the direction of George Smart and Miss Karen Wennell will direct the choir. Following the concert, the Hamilton Boosters will serve punch and cookies in the cafeteria.

The Senior Choir will open the concert with "Alleluia, Christ is Born." Their first section will include "Carol of the Russian Children" and "We'll Dress the House." They will close their first group with a Russian song, "The Sleigh."

The Junior High Band will play as part of their program, "The Twelve Days of Christmas" and "Jingle Bells Fantasy."

The Junior Choir, consisting of 23 7th and 8th graders, will be singing an early 1600 song "A Child is Born," to open their part of the program. Their group will also include "The Birthday of a King," "Go Where I Send Thee" and "The Christmas Song."

The Senior Band will open with "The Overture to the Messiah" arranged by Callet, followed by "Christmas Music for Winds" and other selected music.

The last section of the concert by the Senior Choir will be a group of familiar secular Christmas songs. The choir will be on the stage for this section with a fireplace and some Christmas decorations which they have designed and built.

Some of the songs to be included will be "Caroling, Caroling," "Silver Bells" and "Here We Come A-Wassailing." Accompanists for the Senior Choir are Linda Hoffman, Anita Kollen, and Marcia Wolters.

Harrington Has Yule Program

Harrington School Christmas program "Twas the Night Before Christmas" was given Monday night by children from the kindergarten through the seventh grade. It was under the direction of Mrs. Ray Eaton and Mrs. Frank Bos with Mrs. Roger Beverwyk as pianist.

Characters who staged the play were the mother and narrator, Charlotte Mishoe; girl, Tammy Bos; boy, Louis Boven and Santa Claus, James Harbison.

Miss Ten Have's kindergarten class sang "Here We Go 'Round the Christmas Tree" with soloists Patti Flieman, Don Mishoe, Robin Stegenga, Jeff Wheaton, Beverly Dekker and Greg Berghorst.

The fourth grade class of Mrs. Gibbons sang "Christmas Lullaby," second grade, Mrs. Hardie, Mrs. Van Beek, "Rudolph, the Red - Nosed Reindeer," third grade, Mrs. Overway, "Up on the Housetop," first grade, Mrs. Marcus, Mrs. Steenblik, "Happy Santa Song."

Mrs. Weener's fifth graders sang "Jolly Old St. Nicholas," sixth grade, Mr. Luurtsema, "Hey, Hey, Ho," seventh grade, Mr. Mouw, "White Christmas."

The audience joined the children in singing the closing song, "We Wish You a Merry Christmas." Refreshments were served after the program in the school gym.

Judy Kamer Honored On Her 10th Birthday

Mrs. Harry Kamer, 1105 136th Ave., entertained with a birthday party Saturday afternoon for her daughter, Judy on the occasion of her 10th birthday anniversary.

Attending were



REBOUND TUMBLING — Susie Beebe, Holland High junior, warms up on the trampoline prior to the Holland-Grand Haven girls gymnastics meet Tuesday night in the E.E. Fell Junior High gym. The meet was the opener for Holland and the junior and senior high girls lost a 49-26 decision. (Sentinel photo)

Holland Girl Gymnasts Lose to Grand Haven

Holland's junior and senior high girl gymnasts opened the season Tuesday night with a 49-26 loss to Grand Haven in the E. E. Fell East Junior High gym.

The next meet for the Holland team will be Jan. 6 at Muskegon Orchard View. Judy Schutt and Daria Paulucci scored the Holland first places.

Mrs. Charles Williams, junior high girls physical education instructor, coaches the Holland team. A total of 16 Holland girls participated.

Horse: (senior) — Vickie Swiftney (GH), Laurie Ann Wallek (GH), Shirley McNeal (GH).

Horse: (junior) — Nancy Crimmins (GH), Linda Baldus (GH) and Barb Winchester (H).

Free floor exercise: (senior)

—Shirley McNeal (GH), Laurie Ann Wallek (GH), Linda Tobias (H).

Free floor exercise: (junior) Mary Crimmins (GH), Claudia Unruh (H), Linda Baldus (GH).

Beam: (senior)—Judy Schutt (H), Laurie Ann Wallek (GH), Shirley McNeal (GH).

Beam: (junior)—Mary Crimmins (GH), Jonda Baldus (GH), Carol Myrick (H).

Tumbling (senior) — Daria Paulucci (H), Shirley McNeal (GH), Laurie Ann Wallek (GH).

Tumbling (junior) — Mary Crimmins (GH), Carla Baldus (GH), Sandy Steketee (H).

Trampoline (senior) — Shirley McNeal (GH), Linda Tobias (H), Laurie Ann Wallek (GH).

Trampoline (junior) — Mary Crimmins (GH), Sue Etterbeek (H), Carol Myrick (H).

West Ottawa Plans Donkey Basketball Game

A donkey basketball game between the West Ottawa school faculty and the West Ottawa Boosters will be held Saturday, Jan. 29 in the West Ottawa High gym. It was decided Tuesday night at a meeting of the West Ottawa Athletic Boosters Club.

Proceeds from the game will be used for the rest room-concession stand facility planned at the West Ottawa football field.

The club also decided to sponsor a basketball game Monday, Feb. 7 in the West Ottawa gym between the West Ottawa coaches and the Harlem Magicians.

Funeral Held in Iowa For Former Resident

ORANGE CITY, Iowa — Funerals services were held Tuesday in Orange City for Ed Van Tubergen, 69, former Holland, Mich., resident, who died Saturday at his home following a heart attack.

Surviving besides the wife and five children, are a sister, Mrs. Gerrit Menken of Hamilton, Mich., a brother, Albert Van Tubergen of Saugatuck, a brother-in-law, Robert Van Dyke of Holland, and a sister-in-law, Ella Van Tubergen of Holland.

Holland Man Found Guilty Of Disorderly Conduct

Willie Martin, 21, of 111 East Ninth St. was found guilty in Municipal Court Monday afternoon on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Martin will return for sentencing Dec. 20. Bond of \$100 has not been furnished.

Martin was charged with annoying some girls in the area of Hope College recently.

Driver Gets Summons

Nelva L. Johnson, 27, of 86 East 33rd St., was ticketed by Holland police for failing to maintain an assured clear distance after the car she was driving struck the rear of a car operated by Theodore Jones, 23, of route 2 on River Ave. north of 10th St. at 2:15 p.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Johnson's daughter, Nelva, 4, a passenger in her mother's car, was treated by a doctor for minor injuries following the crash.

Power Cut Off North of Holland

An area north of Holland was left without power for about an hour Sunday night when lightning struck a transformer on Howard Ave. east of North River Ave., according to Guy E. Bell, superintendent of public utilities.

The area involved in the power failure was bounded by North River Ave., the junction of Butternut Dr. and 136th Ave., the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad tracks and the Black River.

The power went out about 8:15 p.m., and was restored when BPW workers replaced fuses on the transformer.

Woman Slightly Hurt In 3-Vehicle Crash

WEST OLIVE—Thea Harlow, 52, West Olive, received minor injuries in a crash involving three vehicles on M-45 less than a mile east of US-31 in Grand Haven Township at 5:50 p.m. while a passenger in a car driven by Douglas Harlow, 48, West Olive.

State police said other vehicles were driven by David La France, 20, Grand Haven, and David Ireland, 19, route 1, West Olive. The La France car had stopped on the traveled portion of the road, and Ireland, driving a service vehicle, was trying to push it off the road. The west-bound Harlow car struck the Ireland vehicle in the right rear and sideswiped the La France car.

Ireland was charged with improper parking and Harlow for violating the basic speed law.

Holiday Squares Plan Christmas Party, Dance

The Holiday Squares will sponsor a Christmas party and square dance on Saturday, at the Holland Fish and Game Club, Paw Paw Dr. and M-21. Dance time begins at 8 p.m.

There will be a white elephant gift exchange so members and guests are asked to bring two gifts per couple.

Jay Bruschat is the caller for the evening and many features are planned as well as the usual fun of square dancing. Guests are welcome and spectators are encouraged to observe.

Christian Has Tickets on Sale For Doubleheader

Tickets for the Holland Christian-Grand Rapids Central Christian basketball game to be played Dec. 28 in the new Calvin College Fieldhouse at Knollcrest, are now on sale in the high school office, Athletic Director Clare Pott said today.

The game will be played as part of a doubleheader which pits Hudsonville Unity Christian against East Grand Rapids Christian in the first game scheduled for 7 p.m. The second contest, featuring the Ma-rooms, is slated for 8:30 p.m. Tickets are good for both games with all seats reserved, Pott said.

In the afternoon at the Central Christian gymnasium, the reserve squads of the four schools will also take part in a doubleheader with Unity meeting East Christian in the opener at 1:15 p.m. There will be no admission charge for the afternoon doubleheader, Pott said.

Swingeroos Hold Saturday Party

Nine squares of enthusiastic dancers and their guests filled the Waukazoo School gym Saturday evening as George Peterson, guest caller from Ionia, presented a fast-paced, challenging program of pattern and singing calls.

Many Michigan cities were represented in the guest book as the guests appeared from their own local clubs. Signing in were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kolean from West Olive, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sarno, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wildt from Covert; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Shoemaker from Jenison, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Smith from Lake Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Welton from Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sebestyen from Coloma and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Elzinga from Holland.

The serving table was centered by a gold-gilt pinecone Christmas tree with red satin bulbs. White candles completed the Christmas setting. Serving on the lunch committee were Mr. and Mrs. Al Straasburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Zelenka and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon De Waard.

The Swingeroo Club meets every second and fourth Saturday of each month. The next dance, however, will be held Jan. 8 with Lloyd Hopwood from Fruitport as the guest caller.

Guests are welcome to dance with the Swingeroo Club and spectators are encouraged to observe free of charge.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Tuesday were Harold Bosch, route 3; Arthur Miles Sr., 1661 Perry St.; Richard Burden, 262 West 11th St.; Henry Lugers, 149 West 16th St.; Mrs. Kate Lugers, 490 West 19th St.; Mrs. Albert Bird, 3860 65th St.; Rev. C. Floyd Wright, 190 Union St.; Douglas, Louis Ramaker, route 3; Scott Weibert, 17298 North St.; Brenda Louise Martin, 1111 136th Ave.; Mrs. Stephen Bergsma, 638 West 30th St.; Robert Van Houten Jr., 50 East 16th St.

Discharged Tuesday were Mrs. James Dekker, 353 West Central Ave.; Zeeland; Rhonda Westerfield, route 1, East Saugatuck; Richard Strabbing, 647 Church; Mrs. Edward Kowalek and baby, 1310 South Shore Dr.; Mary Hofmeyer, 216 West 12th St.; Dean Moeckel, 258 West 16th St.; Joe Knoll, route 1; Mrs. Paul Douma and baby, route 1, Hamilton.

Christmas Party Held At Bruce Ming Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ming opened their home to employees of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company for a Christmas party on Tuesday evening.

Life size carolers, pine cone wreaths and a Christmas card lane composed the decorations carrying out the holiday theme. A buffet dinner was served from a table decorated with pine cones, candles and Christmas greens.

After dinner, games were played with winners receiving miniature stockings. C. J. Marcus and Ned Bergsma showed slides of previous Christmas parties.

Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Bergsma, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Marcus, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Driesenga, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hartgerink, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Beckfort, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bos, Jerry Huizenga and Ann Barry and Jo-Ellen Ming.

Robinson Township Woman Dies at 62

GRAND HAVEN—Mrs. Clyde Sands, 62, of 12571 Lincoln Ave., Robinson Township, died Thursday in her home following a year's illness.

Surviving are the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Gordon Vander Wal of Robinson Township, and Mrs. Phillip Wilson of Rock Spring, Wyo.; 10 grandchildren, three great grandchildren, and a step daughter, Mrs. Ruth Westra of Grand Haven.

Engaged



Miss Lois Ruth Bultema

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bultema of South Holland, Ill., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lois Ruth, to Laverne Breuker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breuker of Zeeland.



Margaret Van Den Berge

Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Van Den Berge of Borculo announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Ann, to David Dewey Boelkins, son of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Boelkins of Grand Rapids.

Miss Van Den Berge attended Laval University in Quebec City and is doing graduate work in French at Michigan State University. Mr. Boelkins is in the graduate school of social work at the University of Michigan.

The wedding date has been set for Jan. 6.



Miss Viola Mae Joostberns

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Joostberns of Hamilton announce the engagement of their daughter, Viola Mae, to Gary O. Ihle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ihle of Saugatuck.



Miss Trudi Bondstra

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bondstra of South Holland, Ill., announce the engagement of their daughter, Trudi, to Don Timmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Timmer of 224 West Lawrence, Zeeland.

Miss Bondstra resides at 1248 Dunham, SE, Grand Rapids, and attends Calvin College. Mr. Timmer attends Davenport College.

An April wedding is being planned.

IXL Machine and Dunn Record B League Wins

IXL Machine squeaked by Elzinga-Volkers, 58-56 and W.E. Dunn defeated Trinity Reformed Church, 43-33 Tuesday night in B recreation basketball league basketball games in the West Junior High gym.

Ken Bauman had 14 for IXL and Johnson had 17 for the losers. Terpstra had 17 for Dunn and Paul Wassenaar made 15 for Trinity.

In a C League game, First Reformed Church won over Superior Tile, 32-26. Van Grouw had eight for the winners and Meyers had seven for the losers.

Girls' League Gives Program At Resthaven

The Girls' League for Service of Rose Park Reformed Church presented a Christmas program at Resthaven on Monday. Barb Daniels, president, greeted the residents and announced the program which included group singing of "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming," scripture reading by Diane Weatherwax and Lynnae Riemersma; prayer by Bette Boeskoel.

Other numbers were a flute duet "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen," by Barb Daniels and Colleen King; hymn story by Linda Dittmar; piano medley of Christmas songs by Merry Kay Westerhof; clarinet solo by Ellen Dunklee; hymn story by Wanda Simonsen; hymn story by Sandy Meengs.

Rita King, accompanied by Margaret Daniels, played a violin solo, "Concertino in D Major." The group sang "Ukrainian Bell Carol." "Silent Night" was played as a cello solo by Margaret Daniels accompanied by Barb Daniels. Barbara Dorn gave a hymn story.

The group singing of "Good Christian Men, Rejoice," concluded the program.

Overisel

The Ladies Aid of the Christian Reformed Church held their Christmas meeting last week Thursday evening to which all the associate members and husbands were invited. Mrs. John Steenwyk presided. Mrs. Albert Zoet was accompanist.

Scripture was read by Mrs. Jerold Veen and prayer was offered by Mrs. Sandra Wolters.

A reading was given by Mrs. Henry Russcher. Two numbers "Hide Me" and "Jesus Master, Whose I Am" was sung by a double quartet composed of Mrs. Joe Boers, Mrs. Richard Wolters, Mrs. Sander Wolters, Mrs. William Dykhuis, Tony Blauwkamp, Gerrit Lampen, Richard Wolters and Merton Lankheet. They were accompanied by Mrs. Albert Zoet. Mr. Voetberg from the Wedgewood Area's Home for boys of Grand Rapids spoke and showed slides. Ed Nyhof offered the closing prayer. A potluck lunch was served.

The junior Christian Endeavor of the Reformed Church held a question box in their meeting last week Wednesday evening. The panel members were Mrs. Donald Koopman, Lester Kleinhessel, Randy Kleinhessel and Connie Barkel with George Haverdink as moderator. Janet Koopman was the song leader and devotions were by Dale Vanden Beldt. A Christmas pageant "The Song From Heaven" was presented for the program by team 4 in the intermediate group.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper was observed in the Christian Reformed Church Sunday. The Rev. John M. Dykstra was in charge of the services. His sermon subjects were "God's Marvelous Love Manifested Toward the Believer" and "The Apostle Paul's Public Testimony Concerning His God."

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zoet and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Broekhuis are scheduled to attend the service at the Horseshoe Mission Chapel next Sunday.

The consistory made the following trio: The Rev. Henry C. De Mols, the Rev. Norman Norman Meyers and the Rev. Siebert Kramer. Congregational meeting will be held on Dec. 20.

The Thanksgiving Day offering amounted to \$2,338.50.

The Rev. Neal J. Mol chose as his sermon subject Sunday morning "Ready for Christmas." The senior choir sang "Brightest and Best." In the evening his sermon theme was "Asleep in Jesus." The intermediate choir sang "What Child Is This?" The senior youth fellowship sponsored an advent hymn sing after the evening service. Vaughn Folkert presided, offered the opening prayer and led the hymn sing. An organ and piano duo by Belle Kleinhessel and Barbara Kollen opened the program. They were also accompanist for the sing.

Several young people read portions of scripture between the musical part. They were Sandra Kookler, Ronald Harmsen, Marilyn Hemmeke, Lynda Klynstra, Carl Folkert, Jane Darbee, Rodney Rigterink, Dale Kleinhessel, Ruth Kleinhessel.

The special musical numbers were a solo by Norman Mol, a trombone trio consisting of Kenneth Mol, Calvin Becksvort and Terry Nyhuis and a vocal trio consisting of Norman Mol, Kenneth Mol and Kenneth Nienhuis.

Word was received by the Rev. Mol family that Mrs. Mol's father in Iowa died. He was 88 years. The family left for Iowa Monday morning and funeral services were held on Tuesday.

Car, Truck Collide

John Mokma, 47, of 184 East Seventh St. received a ticket for failing to yield the right of way after the car he was driving and a truck operated by Henry Slager, 65, of 607 Midway Ave. collided on West 12th St. at Kollen Park Dr. at 3:01 p.m. Thursday.

Wed in Grand Rapids



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jay Lugten

Fifth Reformed Church of Grand Rapids was the scene of an evening ceremony on Dec. 3 which united Miss Carol Sue Sevensma of Wyoming, Mich. and Thomas Jay Lugten of Hamilton. The Rev. Raymond Rewerts officiated at the ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart B. Sevensma of Wrenwood St. SW, Wyoming, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lugten of Hamilton.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a floor-length gown of tiered tulle which featured an applique of lace down the front, a chapel train, a scoop neckline, and long bridal sleeves. A crown headpiece of crystals secured her fingertip illusion veil. Her bridal bouquet was a cascade of white gladioli with red and white variegated carnations on a white ribbon.

Miss Marilyn Sevensma, attending her sister as maid of honor, wore a floor-length gown of red velvet with a bell skirt accented by a back bow. She wore a matching pillbox headpiece with a circle veil and carried a cascade of red poinsettias with holly on a white muff.

Pine Creek Church Group Has Yule Meet

The Fellowship Circle of the Pine Creek Christian Reformed Church held their Christmas meeting at Jack's Restaurant Thursday evening.

Warren Bonzelaar, president, led in opening prayer. Following the dinner, Christmas carols were sung. Mrs. Sid Lankheet was accompanist. Games were played and prizes were won by Mrs. David Beckfort and Alvin Timmer. Old-time pictures of those present were also shown.

On the planning committee were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garvelink and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Lankheet.

Couples attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ron Bareman, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Barveld, Mr. and Mrs. David Beckfort, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bonzelaar, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Czerkies, Mr. and Mrs. Bern De Vries, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garvelink, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Lankheet, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mosterd, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhoda, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sluiter, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Timmer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tubergen Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vander Hulst, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wassink, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wassink and Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Wassink.

Mrs. Conrad Benes, 61, Succumbs in Detroit

DETROIT — Mrs. Conrad Benes, 61, 15487 Robbins Rd., Grand Haven, died Saturday evening in the Henry Ford Hospital following a brief illness. The former Ingrid Carlson Slack, she was married to Mr. Benes in 1961. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Grand Haven, and the OES in Cadillac.

Surviving besides the husband are one son, Harry Slack, and one sister, Marie Van Dyke, both of Cadillac; four grandchildren; her stepfather and two stepbrothers.

Marriage Licenses

Rodney Gene De Vore, 20, and Sharon Lee Hughes, 17, of Holland; Larry J. Boss, 30, and Sally Carden, 26, Jenison; Albert E. Teller, 41, and Joanna Greenwood, 31, Holland; Raymond H. Mc Cue, 59, Toledo, Ohio, and Charlotte Plafkin, 54, Marne; George Lewis, 20, Grand Rapids, and Carol Horton, 18, West Olive; Charles Yonkman, 72, Muskegon, and Helen Pelag, 69, Holland.

Speech Contest Winners Named

Hope freshmen Judy Dirkse, Daniel Georges and Jeff Sease were the winners of the William J. Meengs speech contest Friday at Hope College.

Prize checks were awarded to three winners after the six minute final speeches were judged by five members of the Hope faculty, Stuart Wilson, Rev. William Hillegonda, Dr. Arthur Jentz, Dr. David Clark and Rev. Lambert Ponstein.

William J. Meengs, a Holland businessman, has for over 15 years provided the funds required to finance the contest. The competition is primarily for freshmen and is held semi-annually.

Cost-Share Applications Must Be in by Dec. 31

GRAND HAVEN — Final date for farmers to file applications for cost-sharing under the 1964 ACP for carrying out conservation practices in Michigan is Dec. 31, according to Mr. Batson, chairman of the Ottawa County Agricultural Stabilization and conservation committee.

Federal cost-sharing will be made only upon application submitted to the Ottawa County ASCS Office located in room 238, Post Office Building, Grand Haven, on or before Dec. 31.

Cost-sharing under the 1964 program in Ottawa County was made in the amount of \$80,072 to 467 farmers for assisting them in carrying out soil, water and woodland conservation practices. This represents about 50 per cent of the total cost of carrying out these conservation practices. In addition, farmers contributed their own labor, equipment and funds.

International Debate Set Here in February

Hope College will host an International Debate on Campus, Tuesday, Feb. 22, 1966.

The debaters will come from the combined British Universities debate team and will be making a tour of the United States debating with representative American colleges and universities. The tour is arranged by the Committee on International Discussion and Debate of the Speech Association of America of New York City.

Topic and arrangements for the debate will be announced later. Arrangements will be made under the direction of M. Harold Mikie, Hope College Debate coach.

Young Calvinist Delegate Board Holds Meeting

As participants in the Summer Workshop in Missions (SWIM) program, the Holland Young Calvinist League will send eight young people for mission work to Salt Lake City, Utah, it was announced at the league delegate board meeting Tuesday night in the Harderwyk Christian Reformed Church.

The league will provide about 30 young people for the SWIM program next summer with others going to Mason City, Iowa, Minneapolis, Minnesota, and to South Bend and Gary, Ind. Peter Vander Wal told how the project had mushroomed from one field in its inception a few years ago to 60 fields last year and 70 fields this coming summer.

The board unanimously passed a motion to again support the broadcast of the "Back-to-God Hour" over radio station HOXO in Panama.

The East Saugatuck and Bethany Young People's Societies were placed in charge of the league's spring banquet. It was also announced that plans for a mother-daughter banquet in February are progressing.

Chuck Bos reported that plans for the league's basketball league are progressing satisfactorily, although more teams must be immediately signed up if the project is to be a success. Bos and Brian Waterway are in charge of the basketball program.

Nominations for the offices of president, treasurer, and assistant corresponding and assistant recording secretaries, were made. These will be voted on at a meeting of all the league members on Jan. 13.

Lucy Sosa and Carlos Fernandez and their leader, Arthur Lubbers of the Spanish Christian Reformed youth group were guests at the meeting.

The Rev. Richard Venema was in charge of the meeting. Dan Vander Ark led opening devotions, and Peter Vander Wal closed with prayer.

Vriesland

Mr. and Mrs. William Timmer visited Jake Zylstra and Mrs. Klomp at the Parkview Rest Home in Zeeland on Friday afternoon.

John Van Regenmorter who lives in the Holland Home on East Fulton St. in Grand Rapids in room 138 hopes to celebrate his 90th birthday on Dec. 20. He formerly lived in Vriesland with Martin Wyngarden family.

Miss Sandra Petroelje returned to her home last week after being confined to the Zeeland Hospital. She is recuperating at home.

Mrs. William Timmer, Mrs. Gerrit Boss, Mrs. Martin Wyngarden, Mrs. Henry Roelofs, Mrs. Carl Schermer, Mrs. Jacob De Witt, Mrs. Henry Boss, Mrs. Jacob Morren, Mrs. George Van Zoeren and Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden were present at the home of Mrs. Allen Aardsma for the regular meeting of the Mission and Aid Society last week Wednesday afternoon. Lunch was served.

The Sunday School children are practicing for the Christmas program on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Beverly Timmer is home from Huntsville, Ala. for a week's vacation.

The Rev. Allen Aardsma's sermon topics for Sunday were "The Mighty God" and "The Everlasting Father." The senior choir sang "Speak My Lord" and "There Is Glory in My Soul" at the evening service.

Ivan Timmer had devotions for Junior C. E. on Sunday afternoon. Their topic was "God's Big Clock" and was brought by several junior boys and girls. Mary Meengs was pianist.

The King's Daughters held their Christmas party Monday at the home of Mrs. John Wolfert.

Sewing guild held its Christmas potluck dinner at 12 noon today. The Willing Workers will have their Christmas party at 8 p.m. tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. John Broersma from Jenison attended church here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brummel and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Morren visited the Haven of Rest Rescue Mission in Grand Rapids on Monday evening.

Man Bound Over On Assault Count

Audencio Urtado, 21, of 198 West 14th St. was bound over to Ottawa Circuit Court for preliminary examination in Municipal Court Tuesday afternoon on a charge of felonious assault.

He will appear in Circuit Court Jan. 10. Bond of \$1,000 was continued.

Charges of aiding and abetting felonious assault against Segundo Garcez, 32, of 286 1/2 West 14th St. were dismissed on motion from the prosecutor.

The two men had been charged following an altercation at River Ave. and 10th St. Oct. 30. Urtado allegedly struck Glen Nyland of 708 Goldenrod Ave. with a nail studded board. Nyland was hospitalized with laceration of the face and scalp and a fractured elbow.



Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, Dec. 19

Jeremiah

Jeremiah 31:15-17; 33:14-16

By C. P. Dame

The lesson text for the Christmas lesson is taken from the Old Testament. This is somewhat unusual but can be helpful for it teaches us that in the Old Testament times people looked forward to the coming of Christ while we look back upon that important event.

I. The prophets spoke of the coming of Jesus. Jeremiah lived from 640 to 587 B. C. and ministered from 626 to 580 B. C., a critical time in Judah's history. God called him to the prophetic office. This fact sustained him all through his hard ministry and kept him loyal to God and made it possible for him to say, "Thus saith the Lord." These words are not heard often enough today. Today God speaks to us through His Word.

"A voice was heard in Ramah, lamentation, and bitter weeping; Rachel weeping for her children." Rachel was the beloved wife of Jacob, the mother of Joseph and Benjamin. She is portrayed as weeping over the people who had been exiled by the Assyrians when Samaria fell in 721 B. C. The Assyrians had the policy of stamping out the nationalism of their captured people by scattering them in small groups. This was done with the ten tribes and that is why they lost their identity. The ten lost tribes were the descendants of Rachel. The prophet spoke of hope — note the words, "And there is hope in time end." The old Israel failed, but there would be a new Israel — the Christian Church.

II. God makes and keeps His promises. In the Old Testament there are many references to Jesus, the statement, "the Branch of righteousness" is but one. Through Jeremiah, God promised that a ruler would come whose reign would be marked by judgment and righteousness. Christ is the ruler. His kingdom is spiritual and eternal. The kingdom is here now, some day it will be supreme and then righteousness will prevail upon this rebellious world.

III. God's covenant will stand. A covenant is an agreement between two parties. The word "covenant" appears as many as 110 times in the Old Testament. In Hebrew, in the New Testament, Jesus is called, "The Mediator of a New Covenant."

At the institution of the Lord's Supper, Jesus as He passed the cup of wine said, "This is the cup of the New Covenant in my blood."

God made a covenant with Abraham, renewed it with Isaac and Jacob and finally through Moses made it with the whole nation of Israel. God promised to be Israel's God and Israel promised to be God's people. Israel broke the covenant by turning to idolatry. The new covenant is a renewal of the old.

The old tendeth to legalism. It was apt to consist of conforming to some rules and regulations — the new stresses an inner change which expresses itself in a loving obedience and service. God is pleased when we serve Him with a loving enthusiasm.

Scouts Hold Roundtable

The December Roundtable for Chippewa District scouts was held Tuesday in New Groningen school with transportation the theme for cub-scouters and hobby shows for the adult scouts.

Commissioner Louis Brunner was in charge. Members of Troop 43 conducted the opening ceremonies with Fred Bertsch, Jr., Steve Dumond, Keith Kleis and Al Yeomans assisting Scoutmaster Don Moore. The troop is sponsored by the North Shore Community Club.

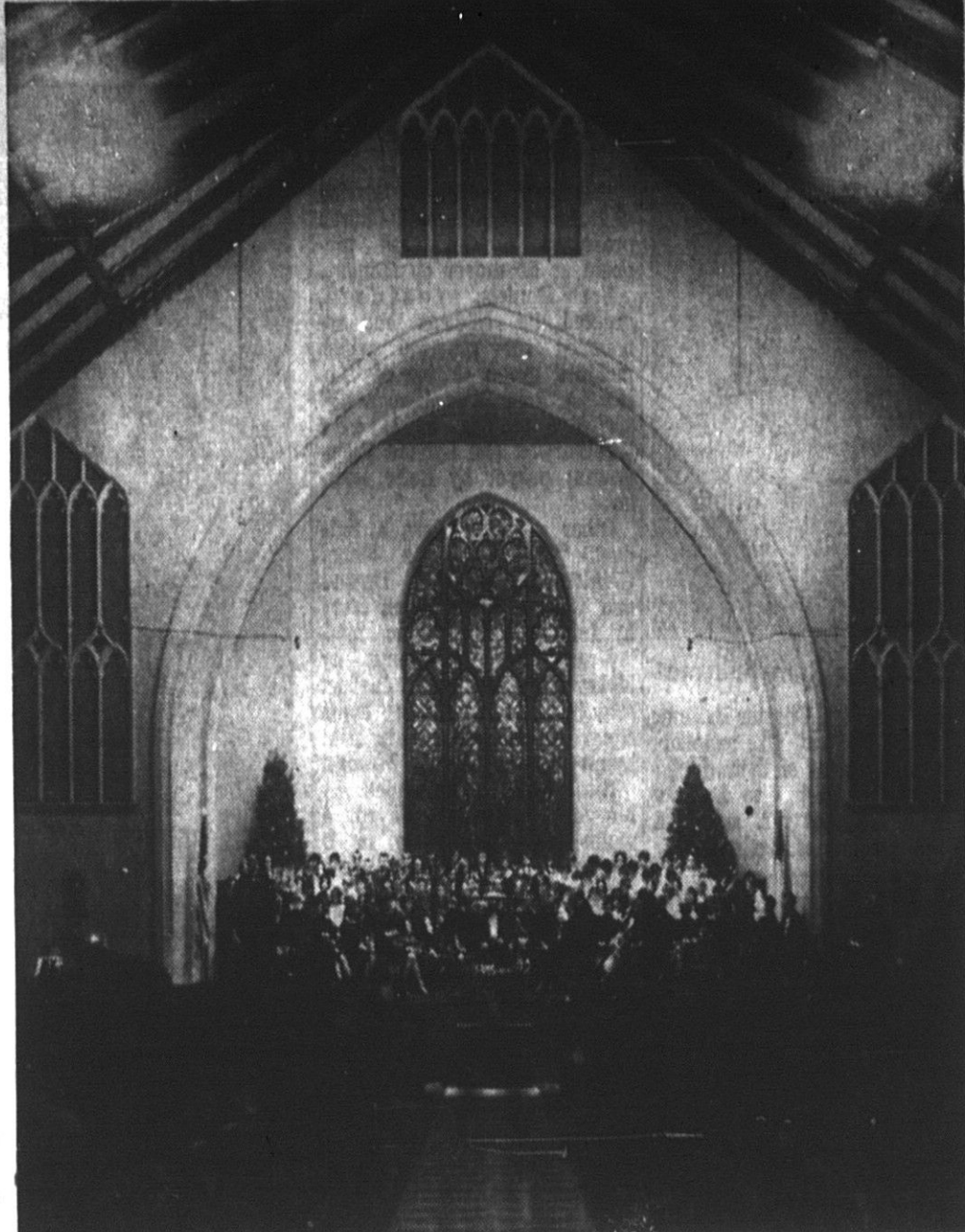
Pack 3049 of Lakewood School conducted the cub-scouters' program. Cubmaster Bob Serne was assisted by den mothers Nelvia Mae Bouwman and Patricia Serne, cubs Joey Ketchum, Mark Bouwman, Rick Collins and David Serne and committeeman Wayne Rozema.

A training film for the den mothers was shown and a program of advancement, openings and closings was demonstrated by Pack 3049.

The scout program was handled by Dave Johnson of Troop 8 of St. Francis de Sales Church of Holland. District executive Dick Smith discussed the Klondike Derby, scheduled Jan. 8, 1966 and the pow wow held in Rockford, Dec. 4, along with camping activities.

Russ Evans of the Grand Valley Council gave information on the Boy Scout magazine. Lunch was served by Will Taylor's Pack 3020.

The Jan. 4 roundtable will be held at the North Holland School with Pack 3159 as hosts. Troop 151 of Christ Memorial Reformed Church, Dr. Clark Weersing, Scoutmaster, will be in charge of the opening and closing ceremonies.



ORATORIO WELL-ATTENDED — The Hope College music department presented its 1965 performance of Handel's "Messiah" to a responsive audience of 1,500 in Diment Memorial Chapel Tuesday night. Effective use of greens, candles and stained glass windows proved

pleasing to the eye as the music was pleasing to the audience. Dr. Robert Cavanaugh directed the production. James Tallis was at the organ. Dr. Anthony Kooiker at the harpsichord and Dr. Morrette Rider directed the chorus. (Holland Photography photo)

'Messiah' Performance At Hope Highly Effective

Diment Memorial Chapel was adorned in evergreens, blue candle light and illuminated stained glass portrayals of the Virgin Mary and the Christ Child as an audience of 1500 heard the 1965 performance of George Frederic Handel's "Messiah" Tuesday night.

Under the direction of Dr. Robert W. Cavanaugh, the performance was highly controlled and effectively presented. The Hope College Messiah Chorus and Orchestra displayed precision and sensitivity throughout. Soprano soloist, Joyce Morrison of Holland, was outstanding in the brilliant aria "Rejoice Greatly."

Mrs. Margaret Sherman of Muskegon handled skillfully the tender aria "He Shall Feed His Flock" and was particularly effective in "He Was Despised."

Richard Knoll, tenor from Bloomington, Ind., was excellent in the recitative "Comfort Ye" as well as in "Every Valley Shall Be Exalted," a florid aria warm with the fresh breath of the vernal season.

Bass soloist, K. Charles Graves of Chicago was consistently effective in his arias and recitatives "Why Do the Nations" and "Thus Said The Lord."

Beaverdam

The Adult Bible Class met Wednesday evening. The speaker was Dr. R. De Haan of Holland. The Ladies trio consisting of Mrs. Norm Hop, Mrs. Harv Brower and Mrs. Al Bowman sang two numbers. Jerry Storms was elected President. Dale Hop, vice president; Mrs. Berrit Berens, secretary and Mrs. L. De Vries, assistant secretary and treasurer. Refreshments were served by the committee.

Elected vice president at the Ladies Aid meeting was Mrs. Harold Bohl, secretary, Mrs. Nelson Dekker, Mrs. Willard Driesenga was put on the work committee with Mrs. Stan Posma.

The Ladies Aid held their Christmas party on Thursday afternoon in the chapel. Mrs. Chris De Jonge and Mrs. Willard Driesenga were on the decorating committee. Mrs. Christine Oppenhuizen and Mrs. Koe-ma Palmbois were refreshment secretaries. Names were revealed in the gifts and new names were drawn. Games were played the remainder of the afternoon.

Those elected to serve in the Consistory at the congregational meeting on Tuesday were Elders: John Bussis and Maurice Huyser. Deacons: Glenn De Vries and Cliff Huyser. A call was given to Arthur L. Scheid of Seventh Reformed church in Grand Rapids.

The special music Sunday evening in the Reformed church was given by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tilton of Holland.

Mrs. Harry Bowman spent a few days in Holland with Mr. and Mrs. Art Slag last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Huyser of Jenison spent an evening with Mrs. Peter Huyser last week.

Mrs. John Hirdes, Mrs. Dave Vereeke, Mrs. Jane Barense, Mrs. Alfred Bowman, Mrs. Harry Bowman and Mrs. Gerben Kuyers attended a bridal shower honoring Miss Betty Hirdes last Monday evening in the C.L.A. Hall in Grand Rapids.

church. The mission Guild party will be held Thursday night in the chapel at 7:30 p.m. All are to bring a dollar gift to exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Smallen announce the birth of a son, Dean Edward, born Sunday in Butterworth Hospital, Grand Rapids. Mrs. Smallen is the former Thelma Bohl. This is a fifth generation baby in the Bohl family. The great-grandmother is Mrs. John Bohl who is 91 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Berens of Layton, N.J. announce the birth of a son on Dec. 7. He has been named Wade Jeffery. Mrs. Berens is the former Vicki La Mar of Castle Park and Mr. Berens the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Berens.

A son was born Friday in Zeeland Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Stan Brower.

The winter Retreat for the young people of the Christian Reformed church will be held Dec. 29, 30. Jerry Postema is in charge of the Retreat registrations.

On Thursday, Dec. 16, the delegate board meeting of Zeeland YC League will meet in Hillcrest church in Hudsonville at 8 p.m.

The children's Christmas program will be given on Tuesday, Dec. 21 at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dekker, Mrs. John Posma, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Berens and Carla were Friday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Steenwyk.

On Thursday evening the Girls' League met at the home of Jane Berens for a surprise bridal shower in honor of one of their members, Miss Betty Hirdes. Those present were Mrs. John Hirdes, Mrs. Harold Hehn, Mrs. Leslie Bekins, the sponsors, and Arloa De Boer, Mrs. Judy Hungerink Holstege, Wanda Palmbois, Pamela Palmbois, Phyllis Formosa, Barbara Bos, Carol Storms, Sharon De Jonge, Cheryl Berens and Arlene Vereeke. Games were played and duplicate prizes awarded. The bride to be received many lovely gifts. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Gerrit Berens assisted by Mrs. Herman Berens.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Berens spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Marckenstein of Belmont.

Zeeland

"God's Word for a New Age" was the sermon topic of the Rev. Raymond Beckering, at the morning service in Second Reformed Church.

The anthems were: "Lo, Now a Rose" and "O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus."

His evening sermon topic was — "The Light That Will Not Fail" and the anthems were: "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and "All My Heart This Night Rejoices."

Next Sunday morning, Rev. Beckering will preach, by classical appointment, at the new Fellowship Reformed Church of Hudsonville.

Ed Seely will conduct the morning worship service in Second Church.

A Christmas service is being planned for next Sunday evening. In addition to appropriate Bible readings, all the choirs, together with instrumentalists, will participate. The church is having an open house for the choirs and their guests following this service.

A Christmas day worship service will be held at 9:30 a.m. A special offering will be received for use by the Presbyterian Church of the U. S., to assist that fellowship in the repair of church buildings damaged severely by the recent hurricane Betsy. The offering will be sent through Church World Service.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered on Dec. 26.

The Rev. Adrian Newhouse, pastor of First Reformed Church chose for his Sunday morning subject: "Don't Neglect the Word." The choir sang, "The Birthday of a King." His evening topic was: "God Will Provide." The Girls' Intermediate choir sang "O Come, O Come Immanuel," "Lo How a Rose ere Blooming," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "O Come All Ye Children," "O Wondrous Night," and "Christmas Bells Are Ringing."

Allen T. Bennett, a member of the Holland Gideon Camp, spoke briefly about the work of the Gideons, at the morning service.

On Thursday afternoon the Ladies Aid of First Church will hold their Christmas party in Fellowship Hall.

At the annual congregational meeting of First Church the following were elected to serve a three year term as elders: Ralph Alderda, Hugh De Pree, Alvie Millard and Cyrus Vande Luyster. The following were elected to a three year term as deacons: Ivan Barense, Donald De Pree, Lester Kamps and Earl Teege. If no lawful objection is received these men will be ordained and installed into their respective offices on Jan. 2, 1966.

The Rev. John M. Hains, pastor of the Faith Reformed Church, used for his Sunday sermon topics "Faces Around the Cradle" and "The Man Who Has Seen God."

At the morning worship service at First Baptist Church, the pastor, the Rev. Douglas Gray, preached on the subjects "Wait — Just a Minute" and "The Backslider."

The morning subject at First Christian Reformed Church, the Rev. Harry Arnold, pastor, was "Holy Communion." "A Living Sacrifice" was his evening topic.

The Rev. Arthur Hoogstraete, pastor of Third Christian Reformed Church, spoke on the subjects "The Love of God" and "Gifts From Afar."

The topics at Bethel Christian Reformed Church, where the Rev. Menko Ouwinger serves as pastor, were "Communion Service" and "Post Communion."

At the morning service in the Haven Christian Reformed Church, the Rev. James De Vries, pastor, chose for his sermon topic "Thy Will Be Done." His evening subject was "Christ's Service of Love."

The Rev. Ellsworth Rubie, pastor of the Free Methodist Church preached on the topics "The Incarnation of Christ" and "The Joy of the Angels at the Incarnation."

The annual Christmas Concert by the Zeeland Public School Music Department was held Sunday afternoon in the Junior High gymnasium.

The program for the concert included the invocation by the Rev. A. Newhouse, of First Reformed Church.

The Junior Band played "Have yourself a Merry Little Christmas," "Rum Ditty Rum," and Yuletide Sketches.

The Senior Chorus sang several numbers, including "Hungarian Folk Song," "From Far and Wide" and selections from the "Sound of Music."

The Senior Band played "Pharos March," "The Sentry Boy," "Greensleeves," "A Merry Christmas Overture," and "Joy to the World."

The Junior Band and the Senior Chorus is directed by Dan Ritsema and the Senior Band is directed by Robert Brower.

Pvt. David L. Staal, son of Mrs. Ada Staal, 441 Lawrence, Zeeland, completed a five week finance procedure course at the Army Finance School, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., Nov. 15.

During the course Staal received instruction in Army Finance procedures for use in the field and the garrison. He was trained in the use of records and in Army finance filing systems. Staal entered the Army last

Police Give Ticket — Albert J. Brookhouse, 47, of 238 East Ninth St. was ticketed by Holland police for failing to yield the right of way after the car he was driving struck a car operated by Grace J. Allen, 26, of 169 East 27th St. at 22nd St. and Pine Ave. at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday.

June and completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

The 22-year-old soldier was graduated from Zeeland High School in 1962 and attended Grand Rapids Junior College. Before entering the army, he was employed by Herman Miller Inc.

Ganges

Ten members of the Ganges Garden Club and their four guests enjoyed a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Marshall Simonds last Friday afternoon.

Following the 1 p.m. luncheon the meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. H. Kirk Burd. The officers for 1966 were elected: president, Mrs. J. Serene Chase; vice president, Mrs. Bertha Plummer; secretary, Mrs. Charles Green; treasurer, Mrs. H. Kirk Burd; hospital chairman, Mrs. Kenneth Parent; sunshine chairman, Mrs. Marshall Simonds.

The program committee appointed were Mrs. Bertha Plummer, Mrs. Bessie Ensfield and Mrs. Kenneth Parent.

Mrs. Bessie Ensfield presented the program and her theme was, "Legends of Christmas." She closed her program with a guessing game in keeping with the program topic. Mrs. Charles Green was awarded the prize.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charles Green on Friday, Jan. 28, with dinner at 12:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wightman and Mr. and Mrs. William Adkins attended the horticulture show held in the Pantlind Hotel in Grand Rapids the past week.

Mrs. Martin Meldrum returned home the weekend from Holland Hospital where she had been a patient for a few weeks with a heart condition.

Mrs. Asa Hutchins of South Lyons who had been visiting relatives and friends in this area for two weeks had the misfortune to fall when getting out of the car in Fennville and broke her leg below the hip. She was taken to Community Hospital, Douglas and on Friday was moved by ambulance to St. Mary's Hospital at Livonia, Room 534-1. She made the trip satisfactorily and the bone was set on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hutchins and daughter, Mrs. C. L. Dekke, and children who visited her from Phoenix, Ariz., spent Friday with relatives in Detroit and West Branch Robert Hutchins, Libertyville, Ill., came Friday evening and on Saturday returned home accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Dekke, and children who will visit there a few days before returning to their home in Arizona.

Mrs. Charles Flora of Kalamazoo and her nephew, David Nye, of WMU, Kalamazoo, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Crane entertained Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crane and family and Trevor Nichols at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mordon and family of Birmingham spent the weekend at their cottage on the old County Park road.

Mrs. Glen Maeder, Mrs. Alva Hoover, Mrs. Walter Wightman, Mrs. William Van Hartsvelt and Mrs. J. Serene Chase spent Thursday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton E. Parrish spent Thursday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Simpson of Bay City spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Billings. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Billings and Mr. and Mrs. Simpson will attend the graduation of Douglas Billings at WMU, Kalamazoo.

Charles Warner of Attica, Ind., spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Leona Keller, and sisters, Mrs. Hilbert Hillman and Mrs. Herman Stremmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stremmer attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, Maynard Van Nul on Wednesday at Dykstra Funeral Home in Grand Rapids. Mr. Van Nul passed away in a Grand Rapids hospital Sunday evening, Dec. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rouwhorst and family, who have been living in the home owned by Mrs. Nellie Vinkemulder for the past months, have moved into their newly built home in North Holland.

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The Home Extension Club held their Christmas party at the town hall Tuesday evening. Games were played, directed by Mrs. Richard Diemer and Mrs. Martin Koetsier. Among the prize winners were Mrs. Lester Veldheer, Mrs. Hubert Stanton, Mrs. Hattie Boers and Mrs. Myron Veldheer. Refreshments, in keeping with the Christmas motif, were served by Mrs. Bill Brady, Mrs. Hienie Van Kampen and Mrs. Myron Veldheer.

Volleyballs

Lynne Vande Bunte of Holland is attending the University of North Wales under a three-year Marshall scholarship, but she managed to celebrate an American Thanksgiving Day with some other American students there.

She asked her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Russell Vande Bunte, for an American flag and President Johnson's Thanksgiving Day proclamation and then the Americans there held a service on the holiday.

Lynne, a graduate of Hope College, is majoring in psychology. Her scholarship has two more years to go.

City Clerk D.W. Schipper has put into operation a new election program which has the effect of speeding up the vote. Instead of running all over the city in late afternoon to distribute absentee voter ballots, he has them counted in a separate location with its own election board.

The system was used for the first time in the Dec. 7 school election. The city treasurer's office was designated. The absentee votes appeared, in effect, as the 15th precinct in the city.

Michigan law provides for such an arrangement. Generally, no absentee ballots may be opened until the polls are closed, and then they must be transferred to the voting machines. In the new arrangement, counting may start in late afternoon.

The speedup was remarkable. The first precinct to report was 4-1 in Montello Park school headed by Clare Walker. He called at 8:04 p.m. By 8:15 p.m. about half of the city's regular precincts had reported. Absent voter ballots totaled 49.

Incidentally, of the 4,673 votes cast in the special school election, only 89 were nonproperty voters.

This figure does not indicate the ratio of property and non-property voters in Holland only the results of a single election.

Of the four propositions facing voters, the first two propositions involving bond issues were limited to property owners and their spouses.

Having trouble finding the right gift for a bedridden person for Christmas?

Mrs. W. C. Kools, longtime member of the board of directors of the Holland Hospital suggested the possibility that a bedridden patient might find a bath or personal service by a nurse more welcome than any number of gifts. Persons interested in such a service may obtain information by calling the visiting nurse, Mrs. William De Neff.

Other services to bedridden patients might also be considered. A good shampoo and hair-do by a hairdresser could be a real morale builder.

One of the oldtime stories of Holland which drew a round of laughter was told by Judge Cornelius Vander Meulen at a recent meeting of the Century Club. The judge, who is quite a story teller, was reviewing the early history of this cultural organization, and his search of the Holland City News listed the cast of a pageant entitled "A Dream of Fair Women" presented April 2, 1898.

In the cast were Minnie Bell as Helen of Troy, Leila McBride as Iphigenia, Mrs. C. J. Dregman as Cleopatra, Nella Phanstiel as Jephtha's daughter, Mrs. W. Gallagher (Kittie Doseburg) as Fair Rosamude, Mrs. G. A. Kanthers as Queen Elizabeth, Mrs. M. J. Cook as Joan of Arc, and Mrs. George Hummer as Queen Elaine.

C. J. McLean was the narrator. The meeting closed with songs by the Century Club quartet composed of Gertrude Alcott, soprano; Nella Phanstiel, alto; Dr. B. J. De Vries, tenor, and Prof. J. B. Nykerk, bass.

Laff for the day: Some Daffynitions: Charge account: What you use to buy today what you can't afford tomorrow while you're still paying for yesterday.

Sponsor: The company that makes the impossible television programs possible.

Ford Foundation: A large body of money surrounded by people who want some.

Adolescence: The age when children start bringing up their parents.

Zutphen

The Rev. Peter Spoelstra led the service on Sunday. The Lords Supper was also held.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brumel visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kamer on Thursday.

Mrs. Gladys Timmer, Wanda Randy and Cindy, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kamer on Sunday.

On Friday the Kamers visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Overway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sosnma visited Mr. and Mrs. John Loeks recently.

Woman Slightly Injured

Marilyn J. Thorpe, 29, of 788 136th Ave., was referred to a doctor for treatment of minor injuries after the car she was driving and an auto operated by Chester Weener, 56, of 6 East 30th St. collided on Pine Ave. at Michigan Ave. at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, according to Holland police.

Rusk

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gebben and children of Grand Rapids attended worship services here on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gezina Klinger and daughter of Zeeland attended the Sunday afternoon worship services here and also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holstege and family.

Mrs. John Kuyers and Mrs. Stanley Harsevoort have recently called on the sick and shut-ins of the congregation as delegates from the Ladies Aid.

Sunday the Holy Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was celebrated. The Rev. Holleman's sermon topics were: "A Safe Refuge," and "The Believer's High Price."

Phyllis Vugtveen led devotions at the Young Peoples Society Sunday evening.

Mrs. Melvin Vugtveen returned home this past week from Butterworth Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Zienstra and Karl have as their guests Mrs. Zienstra's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Le Febvre who arrived this past week from Manhattan, Mont.

William Zienstra who had his foot cut a couple weeks ago was again able to attend services on Sunday.

The past two Saturdays the children's catechism classes have been practicing for the Christmas program which will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 23, at 8 p.m. in the Rusk Church.

Men's Society met Thursday evening, Session 7 from the Oct. Federation Messenger was studied.

Township Issues 25 Permits

Twenty-five building permits totaling \$220,900 were issued in Holland township during November by Zoning Administrator Raymond Van Den Brink.

The permits included nine houses totaling \$146,000, a two-family house for \$16,000 and miscellaneous other permits including a service station for \$42,000.

Applications follow:

Julius Vork, lot 1, Lakewood Manor, house and garage, \$13,000; self, contractor.

John Kortman, lot 68, Pine-wood Manor subdivision, house and garage, \$13,500; self, contractor.

Paul Van Dort, lot 8, Palomar subdivision, house and garage, \$18,000; Harvey Knoper, contractor.

Louis Schaap, lot 51, Pinewood Manor subdivision, house and garage, \$15,000; Dave Klaasen, contractor.

De Leeuw Lumber Co., lot 5, Presidential Estates, house and garage, \$13,500; Tony Woodwyke, contractor.

Bernard Nyhof, two houses on lot 9 and lot 10, Shadybrook subdivision, \$14,000 each, self, contractor.

Grace Reformed Church, parsonage on lot 59 Bel Air subdivision, \$29,000; Bill Boersma, contractor.

Eugene Dozeman, Adams St. house and garage, \$16,000; Marvin Lemmen, contractor.

Wayne Harrington, two-family house on lots 8 and 9, Vans subdivision, \$16,000; self, contractor.

Robert Timmer, 70 Oak Valley Dr., garage, \$1,250; self, contractor.

Kenneth Wiley, move garage onto property at 447 North Division Ave., \$650; self, contractor.

Mrs. R. W. Sager, 3806 136th Ave., carport, \$500; John Derks, contractor.

Ted Aalderink, 672 East 11th St., remodeling, \$850; Alcor Inc., contractor.

Henry Van Nul, 378 North 120th Ave., utility building, \$300; self, contractor.

Marvin Lanning, 9915 Perry St., remodeling, \$850; Alcor Inc., contractor.

Gerrit De Ruiter, 1225 136th Ave., remodeling, \$1,300; Alcor Inc., contractor.

Marinus De Kraker, 385 Fifth Ave., remodeling, \$1,200; Heritage Homecrafters, contractor.

Don Boeve, 9747 Ottagon St., remodeling, \$1,000; Don Rietman, contractor.

Benjamin Bosman, 100 Vander Veen Ave., remodeling, \$1,000; Brower Awnings Sales, contractor.

John Van Wieren, 497 136th Ave., remodeling, \$300; self, contractor.

Thomas Reimink Jr., 610 Lakewood Blvd., remodeling, \$3,500; Peter Vander Leek, contractor.

Bert Schuitema, 10416 Paw Paw Dr., remodeling, \$150; self, contractor.

Phillips Petroleum Co., 831-839 East Eighth St., service station, \$42,000; Richard J. Epp, agent.

Smith Douglass Co., James St., addition to office, \$3,900; A. R. De Weerd and Son, contractor.

Naber Brothers, Mason St., corn crib, \$800; self, contractor.

14 High School Math Students Qualify in Test

Garner Wierenga of the Holland High School math department today announced that the school has 14 semifinalists in the Michigan Mathematics Prize competition. These boys are in the top 4 per cent of the nearly 26,000 Michigan mathematics students who took the test.

Those qualifying for another test slated Tuesday for the 1,170 who have survived the semifinals are Dan Colenbrander, Don Cook, Harry Derks, William McNitt, Michael Onk, David Overway, Jeffrey Padnos, Tom Page, Thomas Prins, Paul Steketee, James Stroop, James Van Ark, Dennis Van Liere and John Wheaton.

The competition is sponsored by 22 Michigan college's and universities and several industries.

Charles Eckhoff, 89, Dies in Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN—Charles Eckhoff, 89, of 16684 130th Ave., Nunica, died Saturday night in Grand Haven Municipal Hospital following a three month illness. He was taken to the hospital Friday.

Surviving besides the wife, the former Mabel Gustafson, are a sister, Mrs. Sam Rymer, and a brother Archie, both of Spring Lake.

Special Meeting Called

GRAND HAVEN—Chairman Richard L. Cook of the Ottawa County Board of Supervisors today called for a special meeting of the board for Dec. 17 at 1:30 p.m. The only business of the meeting will be to complete fiscal adjustments and transfers for the year 1965.

Volleys

Those silvery willow branches that sway gently in the winter fantasyland at the Christmas show in the Art Center at Holland High School weren't easy to come by. People who have weeping willows in their yards have been keeping them carefully trimmed and don't appreciate any further trimming in off-seasons.

Art students searched far and wide, and then fate intervened. A weeping willow was blown down in Douglas last Sunday.

A friend called Jean Vischer, the art instructor. The Christmas show got its boughs.

The show is open during the day from 8 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. Another open house is scheduled Thursday from 7 to 10 p.m. The show comes down Friday.

Avery Baker had some adventures serving as Santa Claus during halftime of the Thanksgiving Day Lions game in Detroit. In his Santa Claus regalia, he took to the field on a dog-sled on wheels pulled by nine huskies owned by Cecil Houghton of Grand Rapids.

The dogs were so lively and the wind so brisk that it was difficult to maintain a standing position. Avery's hat blew off early and countless youngsters watching television may have been disillusioned by Santa's dark locks.

Santa Claus tossed out 115 small footballs into the stands. The dogsled was about 15 yards from the stands and Avery managed to throw the footballs 10 or 15 rows. That's just about a 35-yard pass.

Like the 55,000 fans, Avery and his youngsters, Bill, Dave, Jim and Susan, plus Dave Holt, had hotdogs for dinner on Thanksgiving Day.

They really had dinner later in the day.

It's always nice to hear nice things about Holland Hospital, and this letter from Raymond H. Hertz of Santa Maria, Calif., was particularly welcome.

Hertz and his wife, Frieda, had arrived in Holland Sept. 12 for an extended vacation but Mrs. Hertz was taken ill Sept. 15 with a cerebral hemorrhage and was a patient in the hospital until Oct. 13 when she was flown back to California.

Mr. Hertz wrote: "I believe the citizens of Holland should be very proud of their fine hospital and its staff and give it all the support it so well deserves. Even though my wife is still hospitalized in a fine hospital here in California, she has often expressed a wish she was still in Holland where all the nurses and volunteers were more friendly and gave much more personal service in a more cheerful way."

It's newcomer time again in Holland. During November, City Hostess Hulda Bequette welcomed eight new families to the local area.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Christenson and four children of Sault Ste. Marie are living at 79 Lynden Rd. Mr. Christenson is assistant manager at Penney's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean D. Moekel and four children of Traverse City are living at 258 West 16th St. Mr. Moekel is a salesman for Jewel Tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Kneisly of Atlanta, Ga., have purchased a home at 908 East Dr. Mr. Kneisly is sales manager for Northern Fibre. Their children are grown.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Webb of Baltimore, Md., have purchased a home at 229 West 12th St. Mr. Webb is technical sales representative for Holland-Suco. The Webbs have eight children.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Swartz of Huntington, W. Va., have purchased a home at 908 East 10th St. Mr. Swartz is with Holland-Suco. There are three children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Haltenhof and seven children of St. Ignace are living at 189 South Division. Mr. Haltenhof is general manager for Elzinga and Volkens.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter E. Massey of Detroit are living in a duplex at 47 West 32nd St. Mr. Massey is with General Electric. There are no children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gumbz of Chicago are living at 856 South Shore Dr. Mr. Gumbz is with Camfield in Zeeland. Their children are grown.

Get busy at addressing those Christmas cards and preparing Christmas parcels for mailing and use the zip code.

The Rev. Marion G. Gosse, a native of Iowa and a graduate of Hope College who has served as Reformed church minister for nearly 50 years, has just published his 14th book titled "The Lure of the Horizon," a collection of poems of aspiration and vision.

The poems are designed to be reminders of essential qualities that cannot be measured by mathematics, physics or chemistry, but are refreshment and encouragement for the inner man.

The author currently resides on Long Island. At his request, the book he sent to the Sentinel will go to



OPTI-MRS. CLUB AID — Donald Vander Kooi, executive director of Family Service and Michigan Children's Aid office in Holland, accepts a dictating machine and adding machine from the Opti-Mrs. Club of Holland, represented by Mrs. Ray Gemmen, club president (center), and Mrs. Edwin Raphael, past president. Besides the two machines, the club also de-

corated and furnished the agency's family room at headquarters at 680 Washington Ave. Club funds came mainly from a service project in typing vehicle license applications. The agency offers services to unmarried parents, children in need of temporary foster care, adoption and family counseling. It is a member agency of United Fund. (Sentinel photo)

Herrick Public Library

Laffs for the day: Christmas is a season of anticipation, preparation, acceleration, relation and prostration. Just heard of one smart guy who made sure his presents won't be opened before Christmas. He wrapped 'em in cellophane.

Christmas neckties, too, should be seen and not heard. Poems are made by guys like me, but only a woman can trim a tree.

Christmas isn't the only time men appreciate a well filled stocking.

A friend is a speaking acquaintance who listens. An agreeable person is one who agrees with you.

Senior Citizens At St. Francis Have Yule Meet

The Senior Citizens of St. Francis de Sales Church held their annual Christmas party Sunday afternoon.

The cafeteria was decorated with a Christmas tree by Mr. and Mrs. Chris Staal and the refreshment and gift tables by Mrs. Helen Sanger and Mrs. Genevieve Atwood.

Edward Krumm was in charge of the program. Monsignor J. A. Molecki gave a short talk on the "late" years of life, why they are referred to as the "golden" years and how they can be most enjoyed.

The group was honored by being entertained by two different musical groups. The Diamonds and the Legends played and sang a variety of songs and arrangements.

Under the direction of Sister Mary Scheila, The Mercy Corp. a group of girls that visit the sick and shut-ins of the parish, led the group in singing Christmas carols.

Refreshments were made and furnished by the members of the group and served by Mrs. Lenore Sutton and Mrs. Lawrence Smith.

The next meeting will be held on Jan. 16.

Mrs. Clara Pieper Succumbs at 67

Mrs. Clara Pieper, 67, of 28 West 12th St., wife of Nicholas Pieper, died Sunday afternoon at Holland Hospital where she had been a patient for the past four days.

Mrs. Pieper was born in Zeeland and had lived in this area all of her life.

She was a graduate of Butterworth Hospital School of Nursing in 1920. She was a member of First Reformed Church, the Hospital Auxiliary, and the Michigan Nurses Association.

Surviving besides her husband are a daughter, Mrs. Earl (Ruth) Newell of Holland; two granddaughters, Vicki Lynn and Diane Dawn Newell; two sisters, Mrs. Arnold (Dora) Jackson of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Ernest (Minnie) Shoults of Holland; four sisters-in-law, Mrs. A. Van Dyke of Flint, Mrs. S. Holkeboer and Mrs. E. Holkeboer, both of Holland and Mrs. Henry Holkeboer of Grand Rapids; several nieces and nephews.

Circuit Court Judgment Granted Local Resident

GRAND HAVEN — Ottawa Circuit Court Wednesday awarded judgement of \$750 to Lester Pugh from Edward Clark Jr. of Holland as the result of an auto accident Dec. 21, 1964, in Holland.

In another court action, the City of Holland filed suit seeking \$255.56 from Franklin Kolk of Brighton for damages incurred when his car struck a utility pole in Holland May 8, 1964.

Mrs. C. Becker Selected Queen at Candy Cane Ball

Mrs. Clarence Becker was named Queen of the Candy Cane Charity Ball Saturday night in the Civic Center. "Snow Ball," the annual dance sponsored by Junior Welfare League, was attended by an estimated 650 persons.

Mrs. Becker, who was presented with an engraved silver dish during the intermission, is a charter member of the League, a past president, and an active supporter of all its projects.

Guests danced continuously to the ballroom music of John Carrington's nine-piece orchestra from Grand Rapids; and to the lively, entertaining music of the Galaxies from Holland. Spritely elves were set in scenes around the dance floor, the main attraction being a large snowbank descending

from the stage on which elves were sledding and skiing. In the center of the auditorium, an authentic sleigh was decorated with lights and beautifully wrapped packages.

Suspended overhead was a garland of evergreen boughs lighted with miniature red lights. The clever decorations set the mood for the holiday atmosphere that was present during the evening.

Mrs. Robert King and Mrs. John Van Dam, co-chairmen, were assisted by the entire League membership to make the Ball a highlight of the season.

Profits from the dance will be used by Junior League to continue their program of aiding the children of Holland through their contributions and services.

The group met on Dec. 7 and sang Christmas Carols and wrapped our parents' gifts. We also discussed the Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Wybenga. Carla Knight brought the treat Joan Klaasen, scribe.

The KoKi Camp Fire group of West Olive held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Bakker on Dec. 6. We finished our mothers Christmas gifts. We received our certificates for selling candy. Kareen Garbrecht, scribe.

On Dec. 6, the Shieta Camp Fire group met at the home of Mrs. Donley and made candy wreaths for shut-ins. We then took a trip to the High School to see the Art Show. Susan Cunningham treated. Judy McCormick, scribe.

The 5th grade Camp Fire girls of Holland Heights school met at the school on Dec. 2. Toni Bosman furnished the treat of candy. We discussed a few things and then made invitations to the White Gift Carol Sing. Kathy Brower, scribe.

The Wawingats Camp Fire group elected new officers on Dec. 1. They are: President, Duana Bouwman, vice-president, Debbie Ringwood; secretary-treasurer, Vicki Morris; scribe, Roxanne Witteveen. The officers will hold office for two months. Eunice Van Doornik treated.

Members of the Jaycee Auxiliary enjoyed a potluck dinner meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Ryzanca Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Nyboer was appointed chairman of project "Appreciation," which is designed to show the Jaycees the appreciation that the Auxiliary has for the many worthwhile projects they sponsor.

Mrs. Webb Dalman, chairman of the Gold Key Ball, announced the Sheffield's, a local band, will be donating the music for the ball.

After the business meeting the members had their annual Christmas gift exchange and completed plans for the children's Christmas party.

Members present were Mesdames James Channess, Roger MacLeod, Webb Dalman, James DeVoe, Keith Ditch, Jack Westrate, James Essenburg, Carl Nyboer, Bruce Williams, Arlyn Lanting, Richard Smith, John McCall, Robert Ryzanca, William Keizer, Lee Shake, Robert Tubergen and Roger Johnson.

Driver Gets Ticket

Gusswell B. King, 52, of route 1 received a ticket from Holland police for failing to yield the right of way after the car he was driving was struck by a car operated by Gladys J. Smith, 23, of 17½ West 14th St. at Washington Ave. and 32nd St. at 6:00 p.m. Friday.

Bette Baker Married to W. Perrault

GRAND HAVEN—Miss Bette Sue Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Baker of Grand Haven and William Perrault, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Perrault of Holland were married Friday, Dec. 3, in the St. John's Lutheran Church in Grand Haven.

The Rev. Cecil Klages officiated at the single ring ceremony. Edward Klomp was the soloist singing "The Lord's Prayer" accompanied by Rudolph Sund, organist.

The couple was attended by the bride's twin sister, Miss Bonnie Baker, as maid of honor and another sister, Miss Nancy Baker, and Miss Tana Botbyl, as bridesmaids.

Richard Perrault attended his brother as best man and Ronald Thias and Charles Large, all of Holland, were ushers.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gowning in a satin brocade dress with long sleeves, a pearl trimmed scoop neckline and a back waist bow which held the chapel train. She wore a pearl crown from which fell an elbow-length veil. She carried a colonial bouquet of white roses and white carnations.

Her attendants wore empire gowns featuring gold embroidered satin bodices and crepe skirts and had wrist corsages of gold and white carnations.

Serving as master and mistress of ceremonies were Mr. and Mrs. Phil De Jong of Grand Rapids. A reception for 225 guests was held in the American Legion Club in Grand Haven with Miss Jill Faber, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Quigley, Miss Patricia Brown, Mrs. Paul Lachmann and Mrs. Dennis Vugleveen assisting.

The newlyweds are making their home at 302 N. De Spelder in Grand Haven. The bride is employed at Crescent Beauty Shop in Grand Haven and the groom is a welder in Holland.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Anthony Rutgers, 120 Spruce, William Van Dyke, 247 West 14th St.; Sandra Kay Morgan, River View Trailer Park, Hamilton; Mrs. Jennie Ten Have, 321 West 13th St.; Debra Bourman, route 1; Mrs. Clarence Nies, 20 East 23rd St.; Donald De Gloorper, route 1, Zeeland; Edgar Smith, 203 West 17th St.; Walter Bolles, 316 West 28th St.; Larry Tucker, route 5; Mrs. James Sutherland, 305 Fourth Ave.

Discharged Friday were Carl Wolters, route 2, Hamilton; Mrs. Erwin Vander Poppen, 4030 138th Ave.; William Sleeper, 15847 152nd Ave., Spring Lake; Larry Johnson, route 1; Bernard Jansen, 196 West 19th St.; Gerrit Brinks, East Saugatuck; Mrs. Raymon Gaytan, 7 West 76th St.; Mrs. Paul Steigenga and baby, 396 Arthur Ave.

Also discharged Friday were Billie Joe Mosley, 420 West 16th St.; Mrs. William Vander Kalen, 344 West 32nd St.; Mrs. John Kanera, route 1; Drew Appleford, 677 Saunders; Mrs. Ernest Stegink, 81 West 17th St.; Erma Kortering, 130 East 24th St.; Justin Hulst, 475 State St.; Vern Smith, route 2.

Admitted Saturday were Michael Tibbitts, 2469 William Ave.; Mrs. Fields Youmans, 1990 Ottawa Beach Rd.; Stanley Frank Skorski, 788½ Columbia Ave.; Sheryl Mulder, 200 East 38th St.; Alfred Taalquist, 2813 Fifth St. Muskegon Heights; Mrs. Bert Sewell, route 2, Fennville; Mrs. Aurelia Colon, 185 East Fifth St.; Stanley Van Oterloo, 410 West 28th St.; Robin Arens, route 2, West Olive.

Discharged Saturday were Dawn De Koster, 896 College Ave.; Mrs. Philip Stegenga and baby, route 4; Mrs. George Faber and baby, 1055 Lincoln Ave.; Mrs. Mark McCarthy, 14236 James St.; Anthony Rutgers, 120 Spruce Ave.; Richard Teervoort, 270 West 21st St.; Glen Drenten, route 2, Hamilton; Harry Bae, 1055 Lincoln Ave.; Mrs. Alfred Herrera and baby, Saugatuck; Patricia Prisco, 47 High St., Metuchen, N.J.

Admitted Sunday were Meinrad Bade, 371 Waukazoo Dr.; Mrs. Dennis Bueno, 220 Harrison, Zeeland; Mrs. Edward Ryzenza, route 5; Mrs. Harry Van Day, route 5, Allegan; Mrs. Charles Zimonich, route 2; West Olive; Mrs. Dick Rietman, route 5; Kimberly Vander Bie, 54 Lyndon Rd.; Mrs. Vermaine Mogck, route 2; Mrs. Leonard Jones, route 3, Fennville; Lloyd Earnest Snyder, 624 100th St. Byron Center; Mrs. Harvard Vanden Bosch, 244 West 20th St.; Henry Bouwman, 954 North Baywood Dr.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Russel Nuismar, 249 East 15th St.; Bernard Dokter, 277 Columbia Ave.; Mrs. Robert Bos and baby, 607 Harrington; Gerald Depuydt, 877 Van Raale Ave.; Mrs. Thomas Donegan and baby, 277 Cambridge; Joe Fendt, 4778 Butternut Dr.; Charles Kleis, 757 Butternut Dr.; Mrs. Jose Marquez and baby, Fennville; Zondra Nyland, 705 Ganderod Ave.; Mrs. Domingo Ramirez, 544 East Eighth St.; Mrs. Fields Youmans, 1890 Ottawa Beach Rd.; Mrs. Robert Zuverink and baby, 145 South Division; Michael Wolrding, route 4; Sheryl Mulder, 300 East 30th St.

Engaged



Mary Lou Wehrmeyer

Mrs. Fenna Wehrmeyer of 402 Fourth Ave. announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Lou, to Richard J. Hilbink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hilbink of 628 West 22nd St.

A June wedding is being planned.

Area Students To Get Degrees At Western

KALAMAZOO — Several students from Holland and surrounding area will be among the 850 students who will receive bachelor's degrees from Western Michigan University in commencement services on Saturday at 3 p.m. in Read Field House, Kalamazoo.

Graduates from Holland are Douglas A. Hartgerink, 77 West Ninth St., B.S. with a secondary teaching certificate; Judith A. Grant Meijer, 66 East 21st St., B.A. with elementary teaching certificate; Elisabeth A. Wightman, 213 West 10th St., B.S. with elementary teaching certificate; Dianne L. Van Kampen, P.O. Box 227, B.S. with elementary teaching certificate and Barbara A. Woltman, 302 Arthur Ave., B.A. with elementary teaching certificate.

Gale E. Newell of Hamilton, will receive a masters degree in Business Administration; Beverly R. David, Vernon G. McCormick Jr., and Irene B. Vogt of Allegan will receive B.A. bachelor of Business Administration and M.A. degree, respectively; Richard I. Hutchins, and Theodore R. Shields of Fennville will be awarded B.S. degrees with secondary teachers' certificates while Ardith J. Raak and Douglas M. Billings, also of Allegan, will receive B.S. with elementary teaching certificate and the bachelor of Business Administration, respectively.

Elementary teaching certificates with the B.S. degree will also be awarded to Frances E. Spoor of Allendale and to Joseph D. Hayes of Dor.

Hope Awarded Scholarship Grant of \$750

Hope College has been awarded a scholarship grant of up to \$750 by the Alvin M. Bentley Foundation of Owosso for the academic year 1966-67, according to Foundation Secretary Norman L. DesJardins.

The scholarship is among 72 first year grants, totaling \$48,000, being awarded to Michigan colleges and universities by the foundation.

Any student graduating in June of 1966 from a Michigan high school is eligible for consideration for a Bentley Foundation scholarship. The college scholarship committees award the Bentley Foundation Grants to graduating seniors who have demonstrated scholastic ability and financial need. The foundation was set up by Mr. and Mrs. Alvin M. Bentley of Owosso to receive and administer funds for science, education and charitable projects.

Mrs. Grace E. De Lille Of Grand Haven Dies

GRAND HAVEN—Mrs. Grace E. De Lille, 62, of 2001½ Franklin St., Grand Haven, died Thursday in Hackley Hospital in Muskegon after a three-month illness. She was born in Sturgeon Bay, Wis., and had lived in Grand Haven about 40 years.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Kholoff of Madison, Wis.; a son, Perry of Grand Haven; two sisters, two brothers and two grandchildren.

Grand Haven Woman Dies

GRAND HAVEN—Mrs. Clarence P. Markoff, 70, of 520 Washington St., was found dead in her home at 10:30 a.m. Thursday. Her body was found on the bedroom floor by a half-brother, William Sleutel, Grand Haven township, who had gone to the Markoff apartment after being unable to get a telephone call through.

Mrs. Markoff, the former Elizabeth Kooiman, was born in Grand Haven, and moved to Grand Rapids following her marriage in 1920. Her husband died in 1947 and she returned to Grand Haven four years ago. She was a member of Mayflower Congregational Church of Grand Rapids and of the Free Bed Guild of Grand Haven.

Surviving are a son, Paul of Grand Rapids; a daughter, Mrs. Arthur Kooiman of Yucaip, Calif.; a halfbrother and half-sister, William and Allegra Sleutel of Grand Haven, and six grandchildren. A sister, Mrs. Harry Clements, died last July in Florida.

Mike Brouwer Honored On His 10th Birthday

HUDSONVILLE — Mrs. Lloyd Brouwer of 2395 Edison Dr., Hudsonville, entertained with a birthday party last Saturday afternoon for her son, Mike, on the occasion of his 10th birthday anniversary.

Attending were boys of Mike's third grade class at Park Elementary School including Doug Berndt, Randy Bohl, Ronald Hiemstra, Laverne Kruiss, Steve Pribble, John Shupe, Jeff Slussen and Todd Yonker.

Also present were Gary and Bobby Ensing of Zeeland and Dale Schut of Hudsonville and Tim and Ron Brouwer, Mike's brothers.

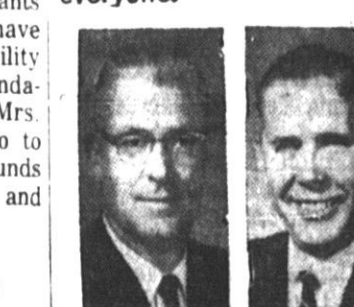
Games were played with prizes awarded to Gary Ensing, Todd Yonker and Dale Schut. Lunch was served by Mrs. Brouwer assisted by Mrs. Eugene Ensing of Zeeland.

Ticketed After Crash

Ottawa sheriff's deputies ticketed Richard J. Por, 50, of 153 North Division Ave., for failing to maintain an assured clear distance after the car he was driving struck the rear of a car operated by Jerry Swain, 19, of 346 College Ave., on Douglas Ave. east of Post Ave., at 12:15 p.m. Sunday.



That magic time is here again... and our wish is that you and your loved ones may enjoy the happiest holidays ever. If your plans include some driving, remember that the spirit of good will applies on the highways too. Help make it a safe and happy season for everyone.





Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. McGee

Wed in Saugatuck

The marriage of Miss Barbara Thake and Donald D. McGee was solemnized Saturday Nov. 13, at 7 p.m. in a double ring ceremony at the First Congregational Church of Saugatuck.

The Rev. Robert Hanna officiated at the ceremony which united the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thake of route 1, East Saugatuck and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don McGee of route 2, Fennville.

A floral setting of pink and white carnations and candelabra was used.

As the bridal party approached the altar traditional music was played by Mrs. May Winnie, organist. Mrs. Barbara Fox sang "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, wore a floor-length gown of chantilly lace over taffeta featuring a large lace bow at the back of the waistline. Her shoulder-length veil of tulle was secured by a

lace petal headpiece edged with pearls. An arrangement of pink and white carnations formed the bridal bouquet.

The bride selected Mrs. Donald Balson, her sister, as matron of honor and Miss Mary Schaeffer and Mrs. Roger Huyser as bridesmaids. Miss Debra Diepenhorst was flower girl.

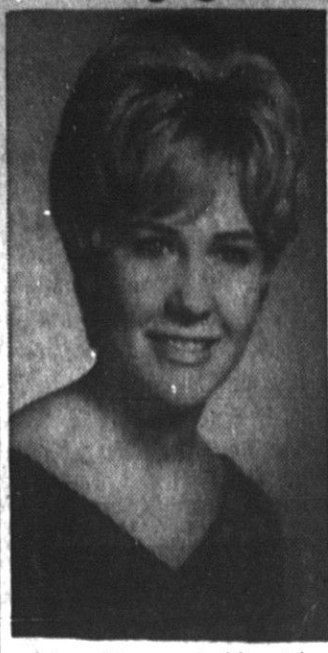
Gowns of the attendants were ballerina length, fashioned of ice pink taffeta featuring chantilly lace and chiffon at the bodices. Each carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations with pink streamers.

Attending the groom were James Elder, best man; Ernest Rininger, William McGee and Robert McGee, ushers.

A reception for about 150 guests followed the ceremony. For a northern wedding trip the bride changed into a grey knit suit with black and white accessories.

The groom is employed at General Electric in Holland. The newlyweds are residing at 1190 Lakeview Dr., Holland.

Engagements Announced



Miss Nancy J. Harvish

The engagement of Nancy J. Harvish to Dennis O. McMahon has been announced by Miss Harvish's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Harvish of route 3, Fennville. Mr. McMahon's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Owen McMahon of 361 Willard, Algonac.

Miss Harvish is a graduate of Western Michigan University. Mr. McMahon is currently attending Western and is affiliated with the Delta Sigma Phi social fraternity.

A January wedding is being planned.



Miss Joan Kay Haworth

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrard W. Haworth, 50 West 27th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan Kay Haworth, to Louis Ray Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Abbott of La Porte, Ind.

Miss Haworth attended Albion College for two years and is now a senior at Western Michigan University. Mr. Abbott is a junior at Western.



Miss Sally Lynn Selby

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Selby of 465 Lakeshore Dr., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sally Lynn, to Clifford G. Halmrast of 78 East Ninth St.

Mr. Halmrast is the son of Clifford E. Halmrast of La Crosse, Wis.



Miss Rosemary Oosting

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oosting, 115 East 19th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Rosemary, to Loren Boerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John De Witt, 264 Hope Ave.

Miss Oosting is a senior student at Blodgett Memorial Hospital School of Nursing and Mr. Boerman is employed by a local contractor.

A September wedding is being planned.



Miss Carol Dulyea

The engagement of Miss Carol Dulyea, daughter of Mrs. Charles Dulyea, 198 West Ninth St., and the late Charles Dulyea, to Alvin Sluis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sluis, route 1, East Saugatuck, was announced at a party held in the couple's honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sluis in East Saugatuck last Saturday.

Those attending the engagement party were the parents of the couple and Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Speet, Mr. and Mrs. G. Vining, Mr. and Mrs. K. Sluis, Mr. and Mrs. L. Dietz, Mr. and Mrs. W. Westenbroek, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. H. Siebink, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lohman, and Miss Marian Holtgreve.

Miss Dulyea is a secretary at Parke, Davis & Company. Mr. Sluis is an operating engineer employed by Kelly Contract Dewatering presently working in South Haven.

An early fall wedding is being planned.

Three Cars Collide

Doey Riddell, 34, of Pullman received a summons from Holland police for failing to maintain an assured clear distance after the car he was driving struck the rear of cars driven by Lawrence Hofmeyer, 48, of route 1 and Leonard Buursma, 47, of 278 160th Ave. in front of 150 East Eighth St. at 9:35 p.m. Friday. Police said the car Riddell was driving

the Buursma car into the Hofmeyer auto.

Wed in Home Ceremony



Mr. and Mrs. Larry D. De Witt

Miss Linda May Riddell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Riddell of route 1, Fennville, and Larry D. De Witt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dorman De Witt of route 5, Holland, were married on Nov. 19 at the home of the groom's brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dale De Witt at 254 East 11th St.

The single ring ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock by the Rev. Arthur R. Pyke. Decorations included candelabra, palms and a bouquet of flowers.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of crystal taffeta with a chantilly lace bodice and bouffant skirt trimmed in lace which fell to a chapel train. Her elbow-length veil of imported illusion was held by a pearl and crystal crown.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Dale De Witt. A yellow lace dress with lace shawl was worn by the bride attendant.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the De Witt home with the immediate families attending.

Presbyterian Church Women Have Luncheon

The Women's Association of First Presbyterian Church held their annual Christmas luncheon Wednesday in the form of a progressive luncheon.

Members met at the home of Mrs. Jack Bonham for the first course and were then divided into two groups for the main course which was served at the homes of Mrs. Albert Joorfetz and Mrs. Richard Raymond.

The program was held in the church social room with Mrs. Kenneth Hill opening the session with devotions. A trio composed of Mrs. William Burd, Mrs. Alfred Kane and Mrs. Paul Van Faasen sang a Christmas selection. They were accompanied by Miss Pat Raymond.

New officers were installed by Mrs. Burd. They are president, Mrs. Norman Riek; secretary, Mrs. Marvin Van Den Heuvel; treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Kramer; Circle 1 leader, Mrs. William Kemperman; Circle 2, Mrs. Elizabeth Bristol; Circle 3, Mrs. William Robertson; program chairman, Mrs. Jack Bonham; world service chairmen, Mrs. Walter Jacobs and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts; fellowship chairman, Mrs. James Smith; new member on the nominating committee, Mrs. William Jackson.

Dessert and coffee provided by the executive board were served following the program. Mrs. Burd and Mrs. Alfred Kane poured at an attractively decorated table.

Mrs. William Vandenberg Jr. arranged the decorations using the simplicity of bark wood and greens centered with a red cross. The theme was repeated at each of the participating homes.

Driver Escapes Injury

William M. Sibley, 52, of 6774 144th Ave. escaped injury when he lost control of the car he was driving and it rolled over in a ditch on 144th Ave. at Port Sheldon Rd. at 9:35 p.m. Friday, according to Ottawa sheriff's deputies.

Holland Driver In US-31 Crash

GRAND HAVEN — A Holland driver was involved in a two-car accident at 6:55 p.m. Friday on US-31 about a mile north of Pontaluno Rd. in Norton township, Muskegon county. It was one of three accidents within minutes in that area.

Richard Sinsabaugh, 35, of 283 Fallenside Lane, Waukegon, was headed south on US-31 when his car was struck from behind by a car driven by Allen Miller, 44, Grand Haven. State police charged Miller with failure to stop within an assured clear distance ahead.

Two minutes later, two cars collided a short distance south of this crash. Drivers were Gregory Degaynor, 23, Grand Rapids, and Frank Barrigar, 45, Grand Haven, and both were headed south. State police said another minor accident had occurred at this site but all cars were well off the roadway.

Barrigar told state police he pulled into the left lane at the same time Degaynor shifted lanes. No ticket was issued. Barrigar and other occupants of his car were haken and were to seek their own treatment.

Zeeland

The Gilbert D. Karsten Unit No. 33, American Legion Auxiliary, had a Christmas party and potluck supper on Monday evening in the dugout of the City Hall.

Mrs. N. J. Danhot presided over a short business meeting following the supper. A letter of thanks was read from Commander Wixom of the Michigan Veterans' Facility for the Unit's contribution to their Christmas fund, whereby the disabled veterans who are housed there will be given gifts and treats during the holiday season.

Mrs. Sam Baar of the rehabilitation committee reported that used clothing had been taken to the facility, as well as the gifts to be used in the Auxiliary Gift Shop there.

In cooperation with the National American Legion commander and the national auxiliary president, the unit decided to order 1,000 flags and cards, which are being used in the American Legion's "Operation Show Your Colors" program. The purpose of "Operation Show Your Colors" is to encourage all citizens to wear our nation's colors as evidence of their support of our military forces in Viet Nam—and in opposition to the ill-advised actions of a small minority of anti-Viet Nam demonstrators and draft card burners.

The symbol of "Operation Show Your Colors" is a small metal American flag, which is worn in the lapel.

Plans were made for several members from Zeeland to attend a meeting of the 5th District This will be held in Grandville on Dec. 21. Members also had a social time and exchange of Christmas gifts.

The Zeeland Board of Education adopted a policy Tuesday night that will develop a "new and expanded curriculum" in the public school.

In their meeting, the Board stated that "it is necessary to expand and improve our entire Bible teaching program through an objective approach, which will increase the students' knowledge about the Bible and better prepare him for the role he may take in devotions at home and in religious institutions of our community."

The Board also pointed out that the Supreme Court decision does not discourage the schools from teaching about the Bible. Justice Clark recently stated, "It certainly may be said that the Bible is worthy of study for its literary and historic qualities."

The implementation of the expanded Bible study policy was laid out by a committee of the school board which consisted of five members and falls into four distinct categories, some of which will become effective immediately.

The results of the congregational meeting at First Christian Reformed Church, held Nov. 22, are as follows: Elected Elders were Bert H. Brouwer, Martin Hietje, Cornelius Karsten and Walter Vander Veer. Elected deacons were George Kalman, Howard Redder, J. J. Scholten and Donald Wierda.

Zeeland Police Chief Larry Veldheer was elected president of the Western Michigan Law Enforcement Association at their meeting Tuesday night.

The area over which Veldheer will have jurisdiction goes as far north as Ludington and as far east as Ionia. The association works to keep local policemen informed with law changes and in special training programs. Veldheer served as vice-president of the association for the past year.

Three members of the Zeeland Police department attended the meeting which was held in Lowell. Speaker for the evening was the Kent County probate judge, Wallace Waalkes, who spoke on youthful offenders and how they contrast with the adult offenders of the law.

In January, the new officers will meet in Zeeland to make plans for the association's activities for the new year.

70 Permits For Building Issued Here

Seventy building permits for a total of \$294,641 in construction were issued during November by City Building Inspector Gordon Streur.

Included in the total were permits for two new single-family housekeeping units for a total of \$45,058.

Thirteen permits totaling \$101,205 were issued for new nonresidential buildings. These included a new bank, \$66,200; a credit union, \$20,000; a car wash, \$8,350; five garages or carports, \$6,825; and five fences, \$830.

Fifty-three permits totaling \$147,378 were issued for alterations and repairs. They were: six garages, \$1,165; five industrial, \$8,100; hotel remodeling, \$100,000; 41 residential, \$38,113.

Two permits were issued for demolition of houses.

Nine applications for building permits for a total of \$202,400 in construction were filed this week. They follow:

Slick-Craft Corp., 500 East 32nd St., new warehouse, \$183,000; Lamar and Sandy, contractor.

Bauman and Freers, 24 East Ninth St., remodel building, \$13,000; self, contractor.

Mrs. Chester Kramer, 602 Crescent Dr., porch addition, \$1,600; Ken Beelen, contractor.

Joe Klinge, 106 East 24th St., remove partition, lower ceiling, \$400; Bill Boersma, contractor.

William Beebe, 600 Lawndale Ct., panel and install cabinets in basement, \$400; Clarence De Waard, contractor.

Dunn Manufacturing Co., 862 Lincoln Ave., demolish house, Don Brink Construction, contractor.

Jack Nykamp, 99 Cypress Ave., build fireplace, panel and plaster ceiling, \$2,400; Cornie Overweg, contractor.

Donald Vanden Berg, 271 West 13th St., remodel kitchen, \$800; Glen Slenk, contractor.

Eugene Osterhaven, 997 Morningside Dr., horse barn \$800; Hilbink and Kempker, contractor.

Local Woman Will Direct 'Take Me Along'

Mrs. Robert Greenwood, familiar to Holland Community Theatre patrons and Red Barn patrons, has been selected to direct the Community Theatre's forthcoming musical production, "Take Me Along," based on the play "Ah Wilderness" by Eugene O'Neill. The musical will be presented Feb. 22 through 26.

Mrs. Greenwood's first stage appearance was in the light opera "Briar Rose" at the age of 16 in which she sang the title role. She has also appeared in many school productions and community productions since that time. She was active in the original Holland Attic Players and directed several plays for the Beechwood Drama Club.

Holland Community Theatre audiences will remember her appearances in such plays as: Rumpelstiltskin, Gaslight, Harvey, Solid Gold Cadillac, Pajama Game, and Finian's Rainbow; and in Critic's Choice, Tunnel of Love, Guys and Dolls, Sound of Music, My Fair Lady, Molly Brown, and Camelot at the Red Barn.

She has directed Teahouse of the August Moon, Bus Stop, and the musical South Pacific for the Holland Community Theatre.

Mrs. Greenwood is an active worker in the theatre group behind the scenes as well, having worked on the makeup crews for numerous productions, and is also a member of the direction and music committee, the play reading committee, and the season and patron ticket committee of the Community Theatre.

Tryouts for "Take Me Along" will be held Thursday and Friday, Dec. 16 and 17, from 7:30 to 10 p.m. at the Theatre Workshop, 177½ East 19th St. Mrs. Greenwood has vocal scores and scripts for the production available for reading.

Mrs. Trickle, 75, Dies at Hospital

Mrs. Reka Trickle, 75, of 458 West 19th St., Holland, died Thursday evening at the Holland Hospital following a long illness. She formerly resided in the Cedar Springs area.

Surviving are the husband, John; five daughters, Mrs. Raymond Mac Langa of Rockford, Mrs. Charles Merveau of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Raymond Hunter of Cedar Springs, Mrs. Clare Green of Kent City and Mrs. Roy Whit, of Sparta; five sons, Albert Waffle of Grand Rapids, Charley Velt Kamp of Newaygo, Dick and John Velt Kamp of Cedar Springs and S/Sgt. Alvin Velt Kamp of Atlanta, Ga., two stepsons, Samuel Trickle in Korea and William Velt Kamp of Kent City; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Kruijthoff of Kent City and Mrs. Sena Hilbrand of Grand; three brothers, Herman Shoemaker of Holland, Henry Shoemaker of Saugatuck and John Shoemaker of Rockford; 32 grandchildren and 81 great-grandchildren.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

Calvin VanWieren & wf. to John VanWieren & wf. Pt. Lot 26, Essenburg's Sub., Twp. Holland.

Big Dutch Fleet Credit Union to Tina Housenga Lot 16 & Pt. Lot 15, Block 1, South Prospect Park Add., City of Holland.

Gertrude Mulder to Harry Alderink & wf. Lot 20, Block 5, Prospect Park Add., City of Holland.

Architectural Builders, Inc. to Baptiste Cavignola & wf. Lot 21, Lamplight Estates, Twp. Georgetown.

Bernard Kunnen & wf. to Carl Gregory & wf. Lot 25, Weststrate Plat No. 1, Twp. Georgetown.

Simon Broersma & wf. to Glenn Huizenga NW¼SW¼ 15-14, Twp. Zeeland.

Eugene Vande Vusse & wf. to Willard Koning & wf. E½NE¼ 4-5-15, Twp. Holland.

Essenburg Real Estate Co. to Ivan DeJonge & wf. Lot 184 Rose Park Sub. No. 2, Twp. Holland.

Ivan DeJonge & wf. to Howard Easterbrook & wf. Lot 184 Rose Park Sub., Twp. Holland.

Glenn Huizenga & wf. to John Broekhuis NW¼SW¼ 15-14, Twp. Zeeland.

Jennie Karel to Clarence Van Wieren & wf. Pt. Lot 5, Block A, City of Holland.

Edith Brooks to James Meyer & wf. Pt. Lots 83 & 84, Block 7, Central Park, City of Holland.

Cotrustees, Est. Jacob Hobeck, Dec. to James Meyer & wf. Pt. Lots 83 & 84, Block 7, Central Park, City of Holland.

James Meyer & wf. to Donald McGee, Jr. Pt. Lots 83, 84, Block 7, Central Park, City of Holland.

Chris DeWitt & etal to Harold Den Uyl & wf. Pt. lot 6, Block A, City of Holland.

Gerrit Groenewoud & wf. to Harold Den Uyl & wf. Lots 163, 164 & pt. Lot 165, South West Heights Add., City of Holland.

Zeeland Community Hospital to Sybrand Schipper & wf. Pt. Lot 123 Roosenraad's Supervisor's Plat No. 1, City of Zeeland.

Garrett Huizenga & wf. to William Boudens & wf. Lot 11, Whispering Pines Subd., Twp. Zeeland.

Louis Schaap & wf. to John VandeLuyster Lot 78 Pinewood Manor Subd., Twp. Holland.

Warner DeLeeuw Jr. & wf. to Leonard Reinink & wf. Lot 13, Brieve's Subd., Twp. Holland.

Sybrand Schipper to Sybrand Schipper & wf. Lot 122 Roosenraad's Supervisor's Plat No. 1, City of Zeeland.

Mark E. Northouse & wf. to Hazel Northouse Pt. SW¼ 15-6-13, Twp. Georgetown.

Albert Severson & wf. to Eugene A. VandeVusse & wf. Lot 7, Dogger's Subd., City of Holland.

Raymond Voltema & wf. to

Forest Grove

Thursday evening the annual Christmas meeting of the Guild for Service was held. Hostesses were Mrs. M. Van Noord, Mrs. G. Walters and Mrs. D. Yntema.

Surgery for Debbie Timmerman was postponed because Debbie has contracted chickenpox. She has returned home from Butterworth Hospital.

The Christmas Cantata given by the senior choir directed by John Wagonmaker will be given Dec. 19 at 7:15 p.m.

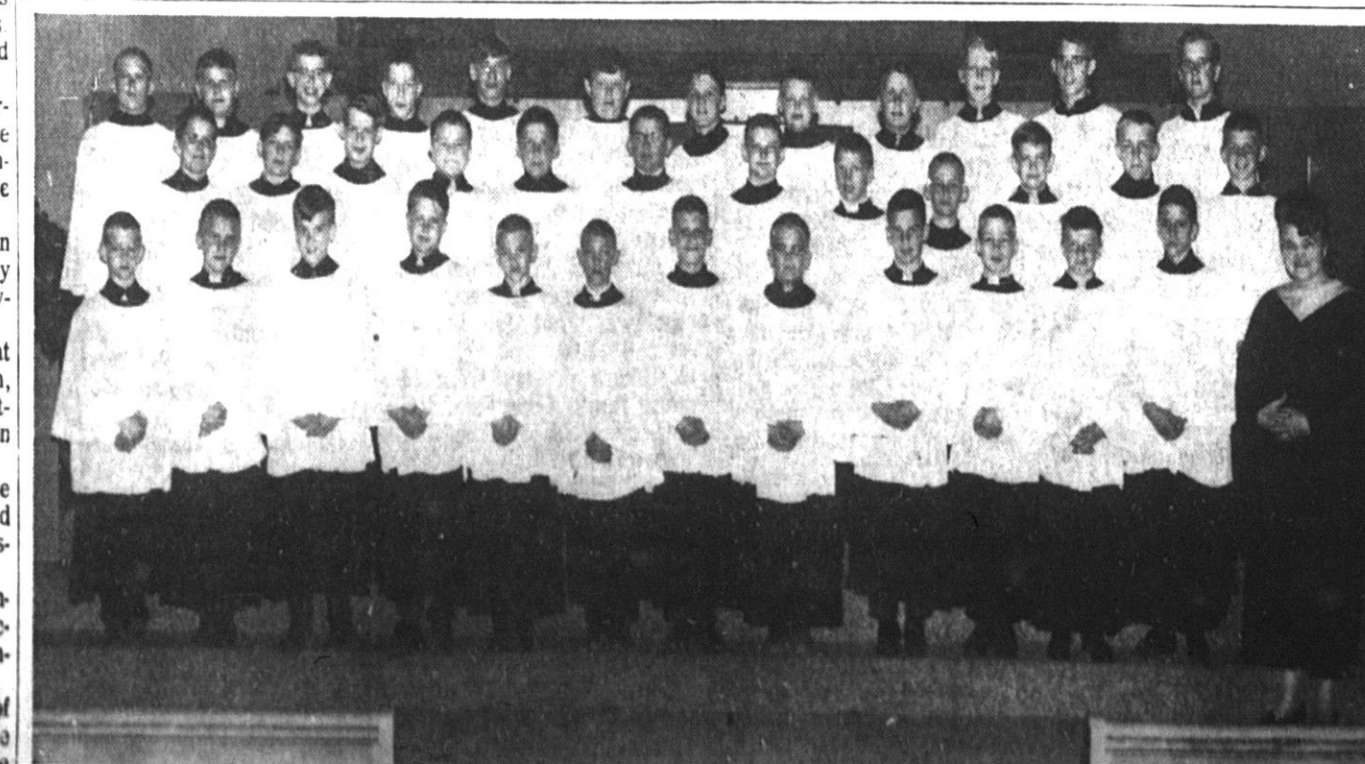
Mrs. William Berghorst spent the weekend with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cotts, attending both church services on Sunday, Dec. 5.

On Dec. 28 a welcome home reception is planned for Mr. and Mrs. Ben De Vries, retired missionaries to India.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kleinsteker attended funeral services of their aunt, Mrs. Ed Tanis, on Thursday afternoon.

The executive committee of the Guild for Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Marie Renkema on last Thursday.

Those attending were Mrs. Maebel Roelofs, Mrs. Mary Smalagan, Mrs. Jacob Prins, Mrs. Gladys Cotts, Mrs. Yvonne Van Noord, Mrs. June Patmos and Mrs. Iris Myaard.



APPEARING HERE SUNDAY — "A Festival of Lessons and Carols" was the theme for the Sunday night program to be presented by the Singing Boys of Holland Christian High School in First Reformed Church. Shown first row (left to right) are Paul Buscher, Jeff Kruijthoff, Charles Ribbens, Timothy Branderhorst, Michael Grissen, Jack Wesseldyke, Mark Genzink, Philip Obbink, David La Grand, Daniel Leep, Larry Maat, Daniel Plasmann, Miss Albertha Bratt, second row: Thomas Brander-

horst, Mark Bulthuis, John De Ruiter, Robert Scholten, Thomas Swierenga, Ronald Scholten, David Keen, Thomas Habers, Craig Bosman, Steven Lemson, Raymond Van Heuvelen, Philip Tuls, third row: John Bareman, Dennis Vander Ploeg, Daniel Mouw, Kenneth Bos, Warren Dyke, Edwin Mulder, Roy Evenhouse, Kirk Vander Ploeg, Thomas Tuls, Joel Zwier, William Voss, Marc Kruijthoff.

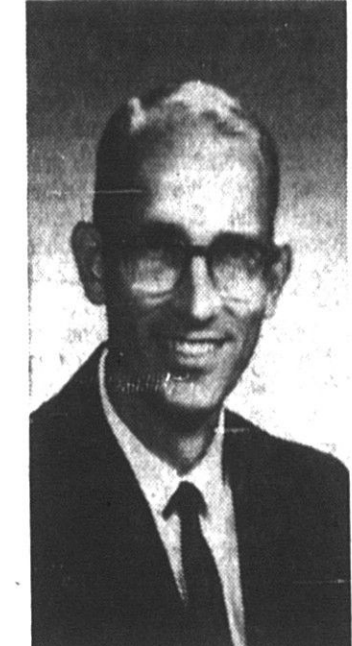
Views From The Campus

(Dr. Elliot Tanis is assistant professor of mathematics. He joined the Hope faculty this fall, following two years of teaching at the University of Nebraska. He received his A.B. from Central College in 1956, and his A.M. and Ph.D. degrees from the State University of Iowa in 1960 and 1963, where he also held a teaching position and was one of the University's lecturers. He is married and has one son. Editor's note)

By Dr. Elliot Tanis

It was 9:00 a.m. on Nov. 20, 1965, and Hope was ready to begin a contest with Harvard University, Michigan State University, Oberlin College, and about 200 other colleges and universities spread across the United States and Canada.

This was not a contest where



Dr. Elliot Tanis

spectators sit on the sidelines cheering. The team was competing with only one spectator present. Four Hope students sat quietly in the reading room of the Physics-Mathematics building and diligently worked problems in mathematics. The contest was the twenty-sixth annual William Lowell Putnam Mathematical Competition.

Mr. Putnam, a member of the Harvard class of 1882, wrote an article for the December 1921 issue of the Harvard Graduate's Magazine in which he described the merits of an intellectual intercollegiate competition. He believed that opportunity should be given to a student to win honor for his college by competing in regular college studies. Usually a student only has a chance of personal reward. Mr. Putnam was interested in team effort similar to that in athletic competition. To give substance to this idea, Mrs. Putnam established a \$125,000 trust in her will, written in 1927.

The first experiment as a result of this fund was a competition in the field of English between Harvard and Yale in 1928. The second experiment was a mathematical competition in 1933 between Harvard and West Point juniors. It was only after the death of Mrs. Putnam in 1935 that the examination assumed its present form under the administration of the Mathematical Association of America.

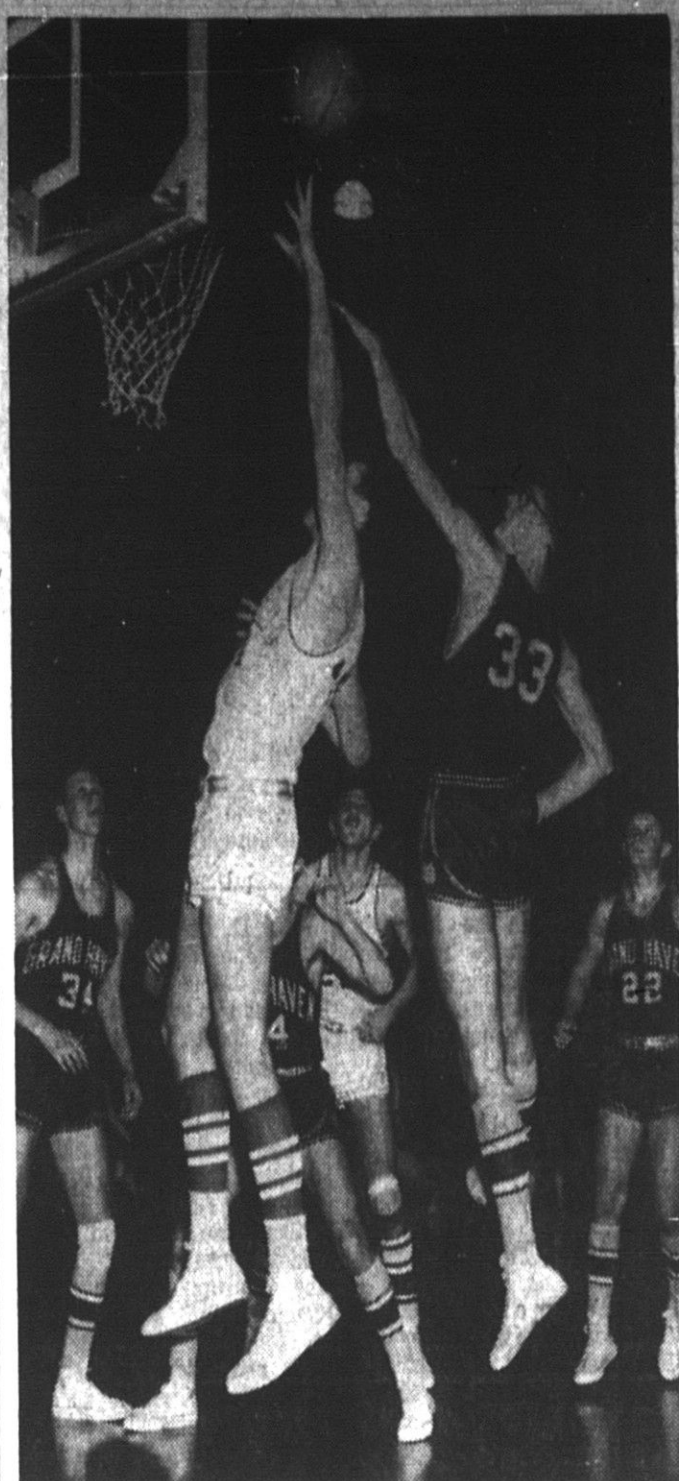
The contest is on both a team and an individual basis. Thus a school may enter one three-man team and as many additional individuals as desire to compete. It is also possible for a school to enter only one or two individuals if there are not enough interested students for a team.

The examination consists of two parts, each of which contains six questions. Three hours is allowed for working each part. The questions are constructed to test originality as well as technical competence. For example, one question on the exam this year was the following: "As a party, assume that no boy converses with every girl but each girl talks with at least one boy. Prove that there are two couples g and b which converse where as b does not talk with g nor does g talk with b."

To give you some idea of the difficulty of the past exams, on six of the last sixteen competitions at least ten per cent of the scores were zero. Grading on the basis of ten points per problem, in each of the last two competitions, 50 per cent of the scores were below 14! In fact, last year 90 per cent of the scores were below 28.

You perhaps wonder how it is possible to prepare a team for such a contest. We have copies of examinations used during the past few years, so we had the students work on these problems. Mr. Jonathan Skinner and I then met weekly with the students to discuss their solutions and our solutions when they were having difficulty.

At 5 p.m., November 20, the four students completed their work. They had all worked diligently the full six hours. The exams were graded Dec. 3 and 4 so we should soon learn the outcome of the day's labors. No matter what scores are earned on the exam, the contestant will have derived great benefit from additional training in problem solving and from this exercise in mental gymnastics.



BIG BOYS BATTLE — Mike Lawson (44), Holland's 6'10" center, and Dave Boyink (33), Grand Haven's 6'6" center, bat at the basketball in action Friday night in the Holland High fieldhouse. Watching the action are Bob Brock (34), Dan Herremann (24) and Jul Shepherd (22). Larry Pete is the other Holland player. Lawson and Boyink each made 25 points as Holland set a school scoring record with a 117-68 win over Grand Haven. (Sentinel photo)

Grand Haven Falls; Dutch Set Record

Not content to sit on laurels attained a week ago on a foreign court, Holland High's basketball team returned home Friday night and set a school record in smashing Grand Haven, 117-68 before 1,600 fans in the Holland High fieldhouse.

Last Friday night the Dutch had run up 113 points in wall-ping Godwin to break a school record. But all this victory served to do was add incentive to the Dutch who were determined to break the mark.

It was Grand Haven who had succumbed in the tourney last March to the Holland onslaught. The 103 points was the previous season's record. It also served as a fieldhouse mark until the Bucs returned Friday.

Coach Don Piersma had his club use a full court zone press right from the opening jump and the Lucs, who aren't gifted with much basketball talent this season, never recovered.

Often times Holland was able to intercept the first or the second in bounds pass and go up for the score. Bob Brolin and Dan Colenbrander were best at the thefts and quickly had the losers flustered.

Brolin, 6'6" and Colenbrander, 6'11", turned in fine games. In addition to the steals, they were soaring on the boards and providing 6'10" Mike Lawson with help. Brolin had nine rebounds while Colenbrander had six and Lawson seven. Holland won the game rebounding honors, 49-34.

The Dutch racked up 37 points in the first quarter. Leading 16-7 midway in the period, the press really worked for the next minute-and-a-half and the Dutch had eight straight points to lead, 26-7.

Brolin sank five baskets in six tries in the first quarter while Lawson, Colenbrander and Larry Pete each had three baskets. Steve Millard, who sparled with his passing and assists, added two baskets.

The first period score was 37-15 and Piersma inserted his second unit. They scored another 24 points and punished the half-time score to 61-31. The Dutch hit 16 of 24 in the first quarter and nine of 16 in the second.

Piersma let the regulars play again in the third period and it was Colenbrander who led the assault, hitting six baskets in 11 tries. Lawson made five of seven and Brolin added four baskets. The Dutch hit 15 of 29 in the period.

Holland's lead reached 94-51 at the quarter's close. Lawson added seven more points before he left with 6:28 to play, contributing 25 in the game. Brolin had 20 and Colenbrander, 19.

Lawson's layup at 6:40 was the 100th point while John Thomas' jumper at 2:47 gave Holland 115. Thomas also scored the final basket in the closing seconds. The winners had 10 of 18 in the last quarter. The third unit played most of the time.

The Dutch hit 58 per cent of their shots on 50 baskets in 87 tries. Grand Haven, led by 6'6" Dave Boyink's 23 points, had 23 baskets in 60 tries. They had periods of 5-11; 6-16; 7-16 and 5-17. At the free throw line, Holland was 17 of 27 and the Bucs, 22 of 32.

Piersma was pleased with the performance, indicating the

Dutch for the first time "seemed to play as a team." "It was a good team effort, good fast break and the reserves did a good job," he said. "They (first unit) love to press and pass," he added.

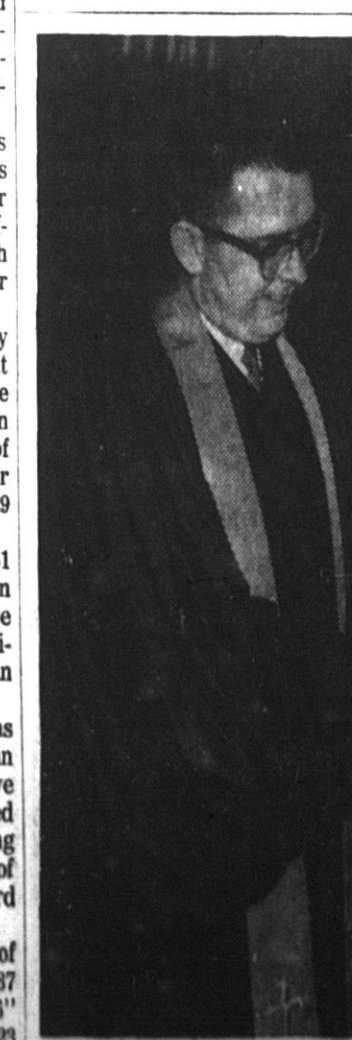
It was Holland's second straight Valley Coast Conference win and its first in as many starts in the LMAC. The Dutch host Traverse City next Friday night in an LMAC game. Holland is 2-1 and Grand Haven is 0-2.

Holland (117)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Brolin, f	9	2	2	20
Colenbrander, f	9	1	1	19
Lawson, c	11	3	3	25
S. Millard, g	2	2	2	6
Pete, g	3	2	5	8
Schwartz, c	2	0	2	4
Brondyke, f	2	4	0	8
Jones, f	0	2	0	2
Fortney, g	3	0	4	6
A. Millard, g	2	0	1	4
Jacobus, f	3	0	1	6
Thomas, g	3	0	1	6
Colton, g	0	0	1	0
Zophy, c	1	0	1	2
Venhuizen, f	0	0	1	0
Totals	50	17	24	117

Grand Haven (68)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Palmer, f	1	0	2	2
Brock, f	0	2	2	2
Boyink, c	10	5	3	25
Shepherd, g	1	2	4	4
Doane, g	1	1	4	3
Hereman, f	2	5	2	9
Westhof, g	1	4	1	6
Warner, f	4	1	4	9
McBryant, f	3	0	6	6
Nietring, f	0	2	1	2
Henderson, g	0	0	1	0
Viening, f	0	0	1	0
Totals	23	22	23	68

Two Rob Food Market

GRAND RAPIDS (UPI)—Two bandits armed with shotguns held up the Madison Avenue Food Market Friday night and escaped with \$300, police reported. Chaffield Young, the market operator, said they told him it was a holdup and to give them the money "And I did."



GOD AND COUNTRY AWARD — Alan Martiny (second from left) is shown receiving the God and Country Award, one of the highest awards in Scouting, at the morning service in Hope Reformed Church last Sunday. Pinned on the award is the Rev. John Walchenbach, associate pastor at Hope Church. At right are Alan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Martiny of 160

Tigers Score 63-50 Win Over Maroons

Allegan's basketball squad hit 18 consecutive free throws in the last quarter in the Civic Center Friday night to cop a hard-fought defensive battle from the Holland Christian eagles, 63-50 before 2,100 fans.

Until the phenomenal foul shooting exhibition began, Coach George Van Wagoner's Tigers were trying to protect a 41-40 margin — an advantage received on a backward flip of a long lob pass by forward Jim Pritchett as the horn sounded to end the third period.

Spearheading the last period barrage were guards Tink Wilcox who hit 10 straight and Van Edgerton the other eight. The only free throw missed in the stanza was the last one by Pritchett.

Typical of the Allegan-Christian games, it was a tight defensive contest. The winners had all kinds of trouble with Holland's zone defense and Christian with the Tigers' tight switching man to man. Both clubs used presses all night long and succeeded in forcing errors. Christian didn't have much trouble with the press after the first quarter as sophomore sub Lloyd Dozeman almost single-handedly beat the defense with some clever ball handling.

Van Wagoner paid tribute to the tough Maroon zone as he chose to go into ball control tactics with only the one point lead and eight minutes to play. The move paid off as Christian was forced into a man to man defense and had to foul to get the ball against the classy ball handling of the Tigers.

Up until the hectic final quarter for the Maroons, the losers looked tough, and if it were not for a couple of costly errors, the Maroons could have dictated the style of play. At one stage in the third period, Christian led by seven and later by a 37-31 count with three minutes left. Then a couple of bad passes and a pair of missed shots permitted the winners to gain the lead and the tempo.

The big Allegan front line of 6'5" Pritchett, 6'7" Don Anderson and 6'2" Jim Cook gave the Maroons trouble on the boards, although Christian's Jack Berghoeft, Ken Vander Kamp and Steve Bushouse were not outclassed in this department.

Shooting from the field was even for both clubs with Christian hitting 18-53 for a 33 per cent average and Allegan 16-48 attempts, for the same per cent. The Tigers with their control tactics tried just three shots in the last period and connected for two.

The contest was a nip and tuck affair for most of the first period with the score knotted on four occasions. Forced to shoot from outside, the Tigers picked up most of their points on good rebounding to take a 19-13 first quarter margin.

After the winners had upped the bulge to 22-14, Coach Art Tuls' club made its move. Led by Vander Kamp and Berghoeft, Christian whittled the count to two points on a couple of occasions and by halftime, aided by two steals off from the press, trailed 27-26.

Allegan shot 31-43 from the charity stripe for a 72 per cent mark, while the locals hit 60 per cent on 14 out of 20 attempts. Berghoeft led the Maroons with 14 points, while Wilcox paced Allegan with 21 points, hitting on 13 out of 14 free throws.

Christian with a 2-2 record travels to Ludington next Friday. Allegan is now 4-1.

Holland Chr. (50)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Berghoeft, f	5	4	3	14
Vander Kamp, f	4	1	3	9
Bushouse, c	1	2	4	4
Lappenga, g	2	1	5	5
L. Hulst, g	2	3	5	7
Dozeman, g	4	1	3	9
Nykamp, f	0	0	3	0
D. Hulst, f	0	0	1	0

Terpstra, g	0	2	0	2
Totals	18	14	27	50
Allegan (63)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Pritchett, f	4	0	1	8
Cook, f	2	1	1	5
Anderson, c	4	5	4	13
Wilcox, g	4	13	2	21
Edgerton, g	1	12	4	14
Hunter, g	1	0	2	2
Totals	16	31	14	63

Trinity Women's Guild Holds Christmas Coffee

Officers of the Trinity Women's Guild entertained circle chairmen, committee members and new officers at a Christmas coffee Thursday evening in the church lounge.

About 40 women attended. The buffet table was centered with a yule centerpiece consisting of white, red and green candles surrounded by a holly wreath. Mrs. Gordon Van Oostenburg and Mrs. Wilbur Daniels poured.

Hostesses were the Mesdames Paul Vander Hill, Robert Oosterbaan, Myron Van Ark, Roger Kleis, William Vande Water, Jack Van Hoff, Gerald Emmick, Gerald Dannenberg, Daniels, Van Oostenburg and Miss Lucie Kooyers.

North Holland

Dr. Henry Ten Clay, dean of men at Western Theological Seminary was the guest minister at the local church on Sunday. In the morning he spoke on "God's Word in Christ" and in the evening he spoke on "Showing the Life of Christ."

Randy Hop was in charge of devotions and Calvin Jager presented the topic at the Junior C.E.

At the South Olive Christian Reformed Church, the Rev. Donald Van Gent spoke on "Respecting Authority" at the morning worship and at the evening services he spoke on "Drawing Near."

Herman Bartels is in a very weak condition and unable to get around. Verne Smith has returned to his home from the Holland Hospital.

Glen Vander Zwaag has left for service. Bernard Vander Zwaag is completing his basic training at Fort Benning, Ga., and plans to be home for the holidays. Marlan Nienhuis has reenlisted and plans to attend officers training school. Paul Koetsier is stationed in Saigon, South Viet Nam.

Mothers and daughter Christmas banquet was held at the South Olive Christian Reformed Church on Monday evening. The theme for the evening was "Hands." Scripture and prayer was given by Florence Kuite. Welcome to the mothers by Marcia Vork and the response by Mrs. Marvin Vork. After the dinner hour Christmas carols were enjoyed by the group. A skit was presented by Miss Susan Kort and Karen Nienhuis. Introduction was by Miss Ellen Nienhuis. Others taking part in the program were Shariene Veneberg, Claudia Vanneke, Jone Bosch, Sharon Nienhuis, Marlene Raak, Vivilyn Kamphuis, Ellen Nienhuis and Marcia Mulder.

A family Christmas party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Vork on Wednesday evening. Guests were brothers and sisters of Mrs. Vork. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Blauwkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Grosman, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blauwkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Blauwkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Blauwkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Blauwkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Blauwkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Essenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Blauwkamp and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Glass. Games were played and a two course lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Vork.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Houting and family plan to attend a Christmas tree party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leor Graham in Grand Rapids on Saturday.

Miss Judy Veldheer was entertained at a family birthday party on Thursday evening.



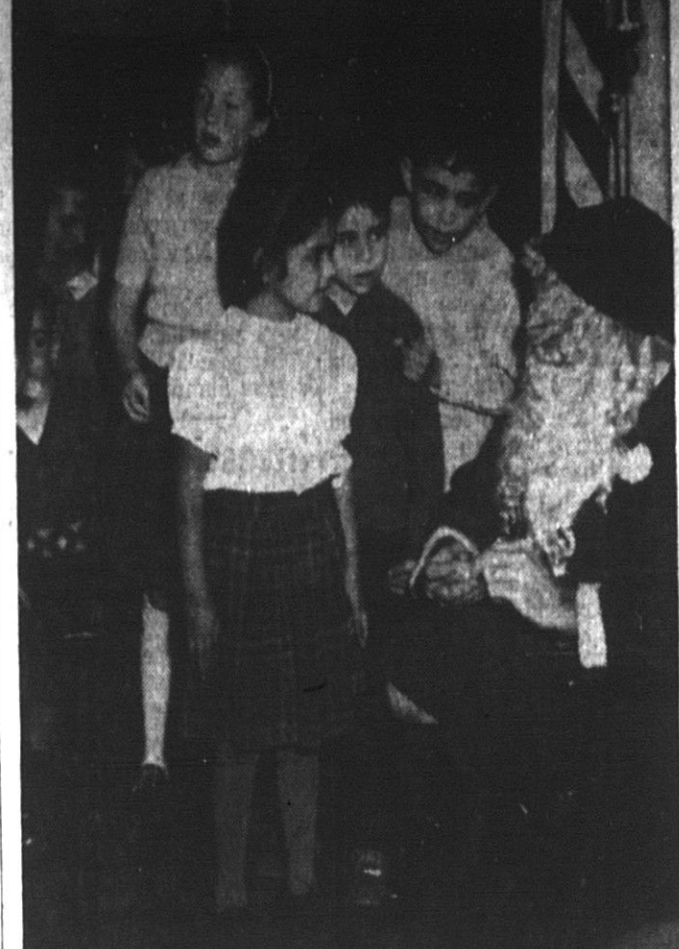
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The slate of candidates was presented by Mrs. L. J. Van Slooten, chairman of the steering committee.

After the business meeting the school children presented a program of music under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Burkholder, music teacher.

Refreshments were served. Mrs. Don Wolters was chairman and Mrs. Carol Kintner and Mrs. Theron Stone presided at the coffee table.



VISIT SANTA — Some of the more than 100 children from the Holland area file past for a visit with Santa Claus at a Christmas party sponsored by the Holland Jaycees and Jaycee Auxiliary at the Salvation Army Citadel Thursday night. Santa passed out a gift and a stocking full of candy to each of the youngsters. The children also took part in games, and enjoyed refreshments. Larry England was chairman of the event for the Jaycees, and Mrs. Jack Westrate was Jaycee Auxiliary chairman for the event. (Sentinel photo)

VFW Auxiliary Has Christmas Party, Exchange

The annual Christmas party with a gift exchange followed the regular meeting of the VFW Auxiliary held Thursday evening in VFW Post Home.

During the business meeting three new members were initiated and one re-initiated. Mrs. William Zielow, hospital chairman, announced that men's and women's clothing worth \$281.25 had been given to the Michigan Veterans Facility and 4½ dozen cookies and four pounds of candy made by auxiliary members had been donated to the Facility. National Home chairman, Mrs. Eskill Cornelissen, announced that Christmas gifts had been sent to three Holland children who are living at the Home.

In other business it was announced that the Post and Auxiliary will sponsor a Christmas party on Dec. 18 for children of post and auxiliary members and underprivileged children. The party will be held at the Post Home beginning at 1:30 p.m.

The next Eighth District meeting is scheduled for Feb. 26 in Portage and the next meeting of the local auxiliary will be held Jan. 13. Lunch was served by Mrs. Paul Dalman and committee.

Shower Honors Miss Geurink

SOUTH BLENDON — Miss Phyllis Geurink was guest of honor at a neighborhood miscellaneous bridal shower Tuesday evening held at the Floyd Tubergen home on Port Sheldon Rd. Hostesses were Mrs. Tubergen and Mrs. Marian Vrugink.

Games were played with duplicate prizes awarded to Mrs. Arnold Hoezee, Mrs. Marvin Geurink and Miss Janice Kloosterman.

A two-course buffet lunch was served from a candlelight dining room table. Gifts were placed under a pink and green umbrella on the open stairway.

Guests present were the Mesdames Gordon Petroelje, Dick Olsen, Renzo Vrugink, Wilbur Van Meter, Gordon Wabeke, Lloyd Verecke, Kenneth Wabeke, Arnold Haverman, James De Jonge, Harold Heihn, Herman G. Vrugink, Wilis Nyhuis, Arnold Hoezee, Martin Vande Guchte.

Also present were the Mesdames Berwin Vrugink, Robert Elzinga, Stanley Vrugink, Larry Hoezee, Irvin Diekema, Wesley Ganzvoort, Melvin Scholten, Cornelius Rynsbarger, Marvin Geurink, Allyn Kroll and the Misses Helen Vrugink, Debra Tubergen, Faith Vrugink and Janice Kloosterman.

Others invited were the Mesdames Jerry Vrugink, Clarence Van Steenvoort, Gertrude Driesenga, William Kuijper, A. Mac Kay, Arthur Marling, Herman H. Vrugink, David Jeurink, Alois Huf, John Bouman and J. Boerema.

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J. Brinkman, Former Mail Carrier, Dies

John Brinkman, 89, of 544 Graafschap Rd., died Friday at his home following an extended illness.

Mr. Brinkman has been a Holland resident all of his life. He was a rural mail carrier for 35 years, retiring 24 years ago. He also helped organize the Michigan Rural Carriers Association, and was a past president. He was a member of First Reformed Church and served on its consistory as deacon and elder for many years. He also was a member of the Men's Bible class and also taught a Sunday School class for several years.

Surviving are his wife Etta; one daughter, Miss Henrietta Brinkman and a son, Paul Brinkman, both at home; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Krone-meyer of Holland and Mrs. Nettie Koeman of Central Park.

Unity Lodge New Officers Are Installed

Officers of Unity Lodge were installed at the meeting held Wednesday evening.

Past Masters acting as installing officers included Alfred L. Heath, grand installing master; Richard Martin, grand installing chaplain; Frank H. Harmsen, grand installing secretary and Charles Vander Ven, grand installing marshal.

Officers installed were worshipful master, Fred Bendixen; senior warden, W. Clare Walker; junior warden, William Du Mond; treasurer, Willis De Cook; secretary, Norman D. Simpson; senior deacon, Oliver Yonker; junior deacon, Bruce W. Ter Haar; senior steward, Raymond J. Kleis; junior steward, James D. Robbins; chaplain, Richard Martin; marshal, Henry F. Smith; tyler, George W. Straight.

During the installation ceremony, Mrs. Janet Jilison played appropriate music on the piano.

A short program was interspersed between various parts of the ceremony, composed of trombone solo, violin solo, trombone and cornet duet numbers by David, Kenneth and Dennis Yonker, accompanied on the piano by Miss Yvonne Nykamp. James W. Anyas was presented a past master's apron for his efforts during his term as worshipful master, and the incoming worshipful master was presented with a Masonic pin, handed down to each incoming master to his successors.

Guests were present from Grand Rapids, Chicago and Wisconsin.

A luncheon was served by Mrs. Dorothy Bendixen and her committee.

Bible Classes Elect Officers

The Ladies Adult Bible Class of the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed Church held its annual business meeting Thursday evening, in the Fellowship Room of the church. Miss Nellie Lam, president, presided and conducted devotions.

The following new officers were elected: Mrs. Kate Timmer, vice president; Mrs. Andrew G. Lampen, treasurer; Miss Elizabeth Wentzel, assistant secretary.

Miss Beth Breuker played two piano solos, "The Overture from the Messiah" and "The Lost Chord" during the social hour. George Boersma from Grand Rapids showed colored slides of his trip through the Holy Land last spring.

Lunch was served by the social committee, Mrs. Timmer, Mrs. Alida Holkeboer, Mrs. George Dreyer, and Miss Dora Schermer. The nominating committee was composed of Mrs. Andrew Knoll, Mrs. Anna Hamburg, and Mrs. William Sloot. Mrs. Henry Vander Meyden and Miss Elizabeth Wentzel served on the program committee. The teachers and the president were remembered by a gift for their work during the year.

The Men's Bible Class also met at this time and elected the following officers for the coming year: President, William Sloot; vice president, Peter Alberda; vice secretary, John Nonhof; treasurer, Gerald Bonzeelaar, and assistant secretary, Alfred Stenberg.

Albert Larsen Dies In Nursing Home

GRAND HAVEN — Albert Olof Larsen, 83, who formerly resided at 527 Fulton St., Grand Haven, died Thursday night at the Sylvan Dell Nursing Home in Grand Haven after a long illness.

He was born in Norway and came to Grand Haven in 1902 from Chicago. He retired from Eagle-Ottawa Leather Co. in 1952. His wife, the former Alida Reenders, died in 1958.

Surviving are two sons, Walter of Grand Haven and Marvin of Grand Haven township; three sisters, Mrs. Hilmer Mortenson of Grand Haven; Mrs. Hattie Murmann of Arlington Heights, Ill.; and Mrs. Inga Van Meter of San Diego, Calif.; and five grandchildren.

Board Gives Top Priority To Schools

Top priority will be given for construction of schools following successful passage of all four propositions in a special school election Dec. 7, it was decided by the Board of Education at its monthly meeting Monday night in the high school library.

Architects will complete plans for two units at a time, according to a recommendation of the buildings and grounds committee. Preference, for reasons of safety, will be given to completing Van Raalte and Longfellow schools first, although, if possible, plans for a new Maplewood elementary school will be worked in at the same time. Plans for an indoor swimming pool will be completed later.

A \$1 million bond issue for the three elementary schools, a \$500,000 bond issue for a swimming pool, a quarter mill for three years for pool operations, and consolidation of existing indebtedness in the district, were all approved at the election. A report of the board of canvassers which canvassed the vote Dec. 8 was presented. The report revealed no changes from published results last week.

Board President James O. Lamb publicly thanked all responsible citizens in the district for the favorable vote, stating the vote reflected confidence in the school system as well as fine cooperation with the Inter-School Council. He also thanked all organizations and individuals for efforts in promoting the vote and in disseminating the information.

Supt. Donald L. Ihrman read a communication from the Holland MEA district requesting it be designated as the official body for purposes of negotiations. On Ihrman's recommendation, the board approved the request, pointing out that this is what the board has been doing in the past.

The board approved contracts for two teachers. Beginning with the second semester, Mrs. Katherine Nederveld of Holland will teach first grade in Longfellow school. She attended Winona State College and received an A. B. degree from Hope College. She has had one year's experience.

Beginning with the new school year 1966-67, Albert H. Meehan who will be graduated from Hope College in 1966 will teach unified studies in Junior High School.

The personnel committee headed by William Gargano reported the need for additional instrumental instructors, and the board approved the request for a teacher to direct the seventh grade band and assist with other activities, to be employed at the earliest possible time.

The committee also was given permission to employ a fourth professional staff member for the instrumental music department, starting with the 1966-67 school year. This will put the department back to the pre-austerity level.

Supt. Ihrman called attention to the fine vespers service presented Sunday by school groups, and the Christmas show in the art center which will have open house Thursday from 7 to 10 p.m.

Charles Vanden Berg, elementary principal, commented that the modern math course for elementary teachers currently in process is one of the most valuable courses designed to aid teachers. Ihrman said that modern math is now taught in all grades in all elementary schools, and has met with good acceptance.

He said there are some difficulties on the junior high level but these are being ironed out. He added that nearly all teachers have been taking special courses in modern math and some have taken several such courses. Meetings in Jefferson and Lincoln schools next month are designed to explain the new math program to parents.

Member Harvey Buter called attention to the 14 high school students who emerged as semifinalists out of 26,000 in the state in the Michigan Mathematics Prize Competition.

Lamb presided at the meeting which lasted a half hour. All members were present with the exception of Albert Schaafsma. Mrs. Harriet Heneveld gave the invocation.

Canned Goods to Admit Skating Party Patrons

Canned goods instead of admission fees will be collected at the door of the Paramount Roll-arade on Lakewood Boulevard on Thursday from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.

Jack Kluitenberg, manager, invites everyone to enjoy free skating and at the same time to donate canned goods to be used for Christmas baskets to be distributed by the City Mission. The only charge will be for skate rental.

Peter Jacobusse, superintendent of the City Mission, said that many Christmas baskets are distributed by the staff here every year. All of the merchandise is donated through the efforts of businesses, church groups and individuals.

Iron Curtain Tour Offered At Vienna Summer School

Dr. Paul Fried, director of international education at Hope College, today announced that new features of the nationally known Hope Vienna Summer School will be a part of the Vienna program of study and tours next summer.

In place of the Northern and Southern European tours, Dr. Fried has planned to direct an eastern and western European phase of the program.

Eastern study tour participants will be able to spend two weeks behind the iron curtain where visits to Prague, Warsaw, Krakow, Budapest and Zagreb will be possible. Concerts, operas, meetings with foreign students, briefings on foreign policy and international relations, industrial plant and university visits, all are among the planned activities.

The western study tour will feature visits to churches, museums, and historical landmarks in Strasbourg, Colmar, Zurich, Florence, and Rome. Both the western and eastern study groups will meet in Yugoslavia prior to the beginning of class and research study in Vienna.

Departure for England is set for June 7, when students will board the transatlantic liner the Cabo San Vicente.

Upon arrival in England, the group will travel to Berlin for a five-day visit as guests of the city. The heart of the program is the six weeks spent at Vienna, where courses are available in the fields of art, history, music, literature and German. If an interest is shown by a sufficient number of students in any other course, such as architecture, that course may be offered.

Related field trips are a part of each course which supplements classroom instruction. During the mid-term break, students may choose a trip to Italy, Salzburg, Prague or Budapest.

Students reside with Austrian families in Viennese apartments during the six-week Vienna Summer School program, and the close contact of the students with the family offers the maximum opportunity for the two cultures to meet and understand each other.

A period of free time will again offer the students the opportunity to spend three weeks

in Europe at the close of the Vienna program. The return flight to New York will depart Sept. 9.

Scholarships are available to Hope students who wish to participate in the Hope College Vienna Summer School.

Investigate Entry Of Two Cottages

Ottawa sheriff's deputies are investigating illegal entry and malicious destruction at two cottages on Lakeshore Dr. north of Holland.

The adjoining cottages in the area of 4700 Lakeshore Dr. owned by T. F. Monahan of Arcola, Ill., and Dr. Vernon Boersma, of 97 East 30th St. were entered some time during the weekend.

Deputies said a large group apparently made themselves at home at the Boersma cottage. All the rooms in the cottage were used, and food and beverages were spilled on the floor. The furnace at the Boersma cottage was lit, and the supply of fuel oil was used up.

There was little damage, and apparently nothing was taken at the Monahan cottage.

Entry was gained by breaking in or forcing open doors at the cottages.

The entries were discovered by a caretaker of the Monahan cottage Monday afternoon.

Neighbors Entertained At Christmas Party

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Van Lente of 922 Oakdale Ct. entertained at a Christmas party for their neighbors Saturday evening.

Games were played with prizes going to Jack Hartman and Mrs. Don Kammeraad. A gift exchange followed with ring toss determining the order of presenting the gifts.

Harvey Johnson barbecued chicken as part of the luncheon. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Kammeraad, Mr. and Mrs. Al Nienhuis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harmsen, Mr. and Mrs. Julius De Haan, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bielby, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Meeuwse.

Service Awards Given At Annual Heinz Dinner

More than 450 employees and guests were in attendance at the annual Christmas dinner and entertainment given by the H. J. Heinz Co. at the Civic Center Monday night.

Organ music was played by Lee De Pree during the dinner hour.

Serving as toastmaster was Jack Russell and the invocation was given by David A. White. Special guests of the company in attendance were the following retired employees with more than 10 years of service with the company: Albert Arendsen, Margaret Barman, Ralph Bouwman, Jr., Albert Daining, John DeKoster, Joe Drnek, Rudolph Eriksen, John Genzing, Philip Heyboer, Helene Hilarides, Jacob Hoffman.

Also Herman Jacobs, Edwin A. John, Henry Johnson, Anna Kiekover, John Lemmen, Charles B. McCormick, Earl McCormick, Joe Meyering, Herman Minnema, Abraham Palmbo, John H. Prins, Leo Roberts, Grace Rozema, Francis St. John, Martha Smith, Herbert Stanaway, Dora Van Putten, George Vork, Willard Walker Sr., Alice Windemuller.

A total of 68 faithful service awards were presented by W. C. Cobb, manager of the local factory. Those receiving awards this year are: five years — Tommy Ash, Esperanza Bazar, Morris Barnhill, Nellie Barnhill, Maria Beltran, Melchor Beltran, Nellie Bradford, Leona Bronson, Mary Carden, Maria Carranza, Ethel Caw-

thon, Joyce Eaton, Hazel Essink, Jesus Garcia, Brynne Hensley, George Hoeve, Harlene Jackson, Herbert Johnson, Ethel King, Robert King, Maria Lopez, Rita Lopez, Robert Morales, Patsy Otting, Socorro Reyes, Paul Ross, Bertha Saiz, Avis Sawyer, Louis Slotman, Irene Spencer, Beatrice Torres, Grace Van Heest, Roger Veldhof, Betty Woodwyk.

Ten year pins were awarded to Clifford Ganes, Chanch Giliam, Luella Gushen, Lonnie Harbison, Leonard Hurley, Eugene Jackson, Bobbie King, Gerry Klynstra, Mary Martinez, Gene Overbeek, Theresa Prindiville, Albert Ramaker, Everett Rutledge, Manuel Saucedo, Gerrit TerHorst, Lena Tooker, Merlin Valteau, Robert Van Kampen, Julius Warczak, Earl Walker, Clarence Ward, Arthur Woodwyk.

Fifteen year awards went to William Boes, Gerrit Geers, Thomas Mullis, Ecaracion Rios, Bonee Sosa, Fanny Vischi, 20 years — George Deters, Philip N. Frank, Anne Hoobler, Bessie Keel, 30 years — Keith Conklin, 40 years — John Cook.

Entertainment was provided by the Spartans, state champion comedy barbershop quartet, and Russell D. Allgaier, 12-year-old pianist.

Committee members in charge of the program were Carlisle Eady, Anna Arends, Harlene Jackson, Howard Brumm, Jesse Diaz, Deanna Miller, Beverly Riksen and G. E. Stephens.



MAIL LETTERS TO SANTA — Post office employee John Ten Cate holds open the Santa Claus mail box in the lobby of the Holland post office while his three sons prepare to mail their letters to jolly St. Nick. Ten Cate's sons are (left to right)

Trinity College Choir to Sing Here on Friday

The Trinity Christian College Choir of Palos Heights, Ill., will present a "Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols for Christmas Eve" Friday at 8 p.m. at Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church.

The choir of 39 voices under the direction of Dr. Howard Slenk, director of music at Trinity, will appear here as part of its pre-Christmas tour. The full festival will be presented at churches in Holland, Fremont and Hudsonville and in addition abbreviated concerts will be sung for the student bodies at Christian High Schools in Kalamazoo, Holland, Hudsonville and Muskegon.

The Festival is patterned after the service sung in King's College Chapel, Cambridge, England, annually on Christmas Eve for about 45 years. Dr. Edwin Roels, professor of Bible at Trinity, will be the reader for the "Nine Lessons."

Both Drs. Slenk and Roels are natives of Holland. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Slenk, 22 East 15th St. and Mr. and Mrs. John Roels, 143 West 20th St., respectively.

Hymns and carols to be sung include "Once in Royal David's City," "Up! Good Christian Folk and Listen," "Sussex Carol," "Remember, O Thou Man," "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen," "Come, All Ye Faithful," "In the Bleak Mid-Winter" and "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," "Come, All Ye Faithful," "In the Bleak Mid-Winter" and "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

Injuries Are Fatal To Mrs. Sneller

ZEELAND — Mrs. Johanna Sneller, 82, of 47½ East Main Ave., Zeeland, formerly of Oakland, died Tuesday at Zeeland Community Hospital as the result of injuries received Sunday in a three car accident at 11:20 a.m. on M-21 at State St.

Mrs. Sneller was a passenger in a car driven by John W. Broekhuis, of 244 Woodward Ave., Zeeland.

She was a member of the Oakland Christian Reformed Church and of the Dorcas Ladies Aid Society of the North Street Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Stanley (Anna) Boeskoof of Oakland, Mrs. Henry (Jennie) Van Lente and Mrs. Bernard (Bertha) Hulst both of Holland; Mrs. Stanley (Gertrude) Louwma of Drenthe; 16 grandchildren; one brother, Thomas Van Dam, of Drenthe; one sister, Mrs. Clara Berens of Bentheim.

Burnips

The Burnips School P.T.A. met on Tuesday evening at the school. Mrs. Clare Sebrigt, vice-president, was in charge of the meeting. After the business meeting a social time with games, refreshments and a gift exchange was held. The next meeting will be held on Jan. 4, in the school.

The Hamilton High School students who live in the Burnips area, had a half day vacation last Tuesday when parent-teacher conferences were being held at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Friedberg and family of Burnips had relatives from Harrison, Mich., as their guests for the weekend.

The children of the Burnips School will begin their vacations on the afternoon of Dec. 23.

Brother of Holland Resident Succumbs

MC BAIN — Ed Fredricks, 90, died Tuesday at a nursing home in Mc Bain.

He was the brother of Mrs. G. J. Lubbers, 359 West 20th St., Holland. Several cousins living in the Holland area also survive.



PORTRAIT OF CHRISTMAS — All the pupils in Washington School participated in a program "A Christmas Recipe" given at the PTA Christmas tea Tuesday in the school gym. Children from the kindergarten through the sixth grade sang songs and

told the Christmas story as the scene in the picture frame at the right changed. Shown here in one scene was Craig Van Hekken as Joseph and Sally Westrate as Mary.

(Sentinel photo)

Ottawa County Farm News

By Richard Machiele
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Agriculture

This past week I received a Digest of the Food and Agricultural Act of 1965. To give all the ramifications of each of the items in the act would be impossible in this column. However, under Title I, which deals with milk, I would like to just point out these provisions:

1. Establishment of Class I (fluid milk) base for each producer in a Federal order market. Such bases would be determined on marketings in a recent representative period.
2. Producers would receive the higher "fluid milk price" on the base and a lower price on the remainder.
3. The provisions would become effective in each order area only if approved by producers voting individually in a referendum.
4. A producer would retain his share of the higher priced sales, even if he reduced his production to his Class I base.
5. Transfer of Class I bases among producers would be permitted.
6. New producers and hardship cases would share in the expanded growth of Class I markets.
7. Provisions of this title would be effective through Dec. 31.

I also received from the Michigan Department of Health a copy of Act 289 of the Public Acts of 1965, which is an Act to license and regulate agricultural labor camps.

This Act spells out the responsibilities of farmers who have agricultural labor camps which verbatim says this: "Agricultural labor camp means a tract of land and all tents, vehicles, buildings or other structures pertaining therein, and part of which is established, occupied or used as living quarters for five or more migratory workers engaged in agricultural activities, including related food processing."

We want our readers to be aware that this legislation is compulsory if you qualify under the above provisions. Copies are available from the Michigan Department of Health, the Division of Engineering, 3500 North Logan, Lansing, Mich., and application must be made 30 days prior to the occupancy of the camp.

Michigan farmers spend over \$50 million a year on fertilizer. Although the crop growing season is over, many farmers find spreading of fertilizer and lime in the winter is an aid to their farming program.

Ottawa County land which is not too hilly should be considered for lime and fertilizer coverage now.

Several reasons are to be considered. First, lime needs several months to break down and incorporate with the soil particles. If a legume crop is planned for summer planting, now can be an excellent time to spread lime if the land has little slope and run-off is not a problem.

Fertilizer manufacturers need to keep plants operating year around and storage becomes a problem in fall and winter months. Farmers are able to get special discounts on the purchase of fertilizer at this time. It is also possible to find bulk fertilizer distributors who are eager for work to keep trucks busy.

Only land which is reasonably level should have fertilizer spread in bulk at this time. Farmers should also remember that most crops, particularly corn, beans and sugar beets, need some band seeding of a part of the fertilizer near the seed at planting time next spring.

One way to beat the spring rush is to apply some of the fertilizer and lime in the early winter, even after the ground is frozen.

Don Heari, Muskegon County Extension Agricultural Agent, tells me that he has a pig feeder in his county who is very much interested in locating a good source of quality

feeder pigs in the immediate area. He is in the market for about 100 to 125 pigs per week. If you are interested contact Don Heari, County Building, Muskegon, Mich.

Guild Holds Holiday Meet, Installation

The Women's Guild for Christian Service of the Third Reformed Church held its Christmas meeting on Monday evening.

The theme, "Light of the World" featured European exchange students from Germany, Sweden and Finland, telling how Christmas is celebrated in their countries.

Those taking part were Bengt Janzon and Gunner Olsson, Sweden; Marita Haje, Germany, and Lena Oksala from Finland. Dennis Van Lente of Holland was an exchange student to Finland and showed slides he had taken in that country as well as some of Leningrad, Russia. Mrs. A. Dalmann presented the program.

The Maxam Circle were hostesses. Greeters were Mrs. Stanley Boven and Mrs. Russell Klaasen. The decorations, featuring a Swedish candelabra presented to Mrs. G. Bolhuis by a former exchange student in her home, were arranged by

Yule Program Given at PTA

A "Christmas Recipe" was the theme of the program for the Washington School PTA Christmas tea Tuesday in the school gym. All the pupils in the school took part in singing and telling the Christmas story.

Mrs. J. Leenhouts' fifth grade sang "Here We Come A-Caroling," the Special Education room, Mrs. Ella Bloemgren, teacher, "O Come All Ye Faithful."

Miss F. Schwenk's second and third grade sang "Oh Come Little Children." The kindergarten, Miss Florence Olert, teacher, played and sang "A Christmas Tune." Mrs. George Brown's second grade sang "The First Christmas Night." The third grade, Mrs. Bennett's group, told about Christmas in other lands and sang "I Heard the Bells." Mrs. R. Welch and Miss C. Van Anrooy's classes presented "Santa Rides Again." Miss Leonora Zonnebelt's fourth grade sang, "Deck the Hall."

D. Johnson's fifth and sixth grades sang "Oh Tannenbaum" in German. The sixth grade under Miss W. Haberland sang an old folk carol, "Winds Through the Olive Trees."

All the scenes were depicted in a large picture frame as the groups told the stories and sang.

Car Hits Guard Rail

A car driven by Gerald E. Beckering, 18, of Grand Rapids, ran off the road into a guard rail at a curve on M-40 west of 48th St. at 2:10 a.m. Sunday. Beckering told police that he swerved to miss another car in the middle of the road.

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