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Two Killed In 3-Car Collision

COOPERSVILLE — A three-car collision along I-96 at 48th Ave. in Polk township Tuesday at 1:25 p.m. claimed the lives of two men and boosted the Ottawa County traffic death toll to 39 for the year.

Pronounced dead at the scene were Kenneth Smith Cox, 65, of Ashland, Ky., and Michael Adelbert Gryzb, 63, of Spring Lake. Injured and admitted to Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids in "good" condition was Edith Vonk Collins, 50, of Ashland, Ky., a passenger in the Cox auto.

The trailer struck a third car driven by Frederick Edgar Dagen, 19, of Twin Lakes, eastbound on I-96. He was not reported injured.

Cox and Gryzb were pronounced dead at the scene by deputy medical examiner Dr. Martin Marvin.

Gryzb, a partner in the Supreme Machined Products Co. of Ferrysburg, is survived by his wife, a son and daughter; his father, Frank, of Robinson township and five sisters and a brother in Grand Haven and Robinson township. Services will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. from St. Mary's Catholic Church in Spring Lake.

Mess Hall, Kitchen Of YMCA Camp Ruined by Fire

PULLMAN — A mess hall and kitchen in a YMCA camp east of here was destroyed by fire Monday night with a loss set at \$40,000.

State Police at South Haven said the alarm at Camp Channing on Upper Scott Lake was received at 6:30 p.m. Monday. Troopers said the 120 by 30 foot frame structure was a total loss. Troopers said the building was being renovated and a heating system was being installed.

The mess hall was part of the camp complex at 53rd St. and 109th Ave. in Lee Township of Allegan County.

Firemen from the Lee and Casco Township fire departments answered the alarm. No injuries were reported. Troopers said the cause of the blaze was under investigation.

Laura Peters Is Engaged To James S. Boyd

Mrs. James A. Peters of Homewood, Ill. announces the engagement of her daughter, Laura Jean, to James Stuart Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart E. Boyd of Holland.

Miss Peters is a graduate of Hope College and is teaching at James Hart School in Homewood. Mr. Boyd is a graduate of Hope College and completed further study at Western Michigan University. He is associated with The American National Bank of Kalamazoo.

The wedding will take place in January and the couple will reside in Kalamazoo.

J.W. Jackson, 88, Dies in Florida

MELBOURNE, Fla. — Joseph W. Jackson, 88, of 731 Butler St., Saugatuck, who spent his winters here, died here Saturday.

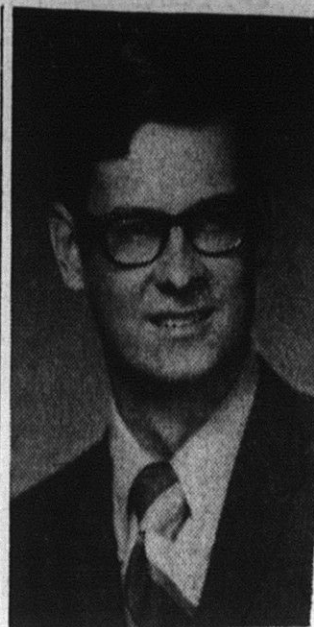
Born on a farm near New Richmond, he was a plumber and well driller. He was a member of First Congregational Church of Saugatuck and a member of Lodge 328, F. and A.M.

Surviving are his wife, Marion; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Harry Jackson of Saugatuck; five nephews, Edward and William Cremens of Chicago, Darwin Woodall of Holland, James and Robert of Cocoa, Fla. and two nieces, Mrs. Maurice Paris of Douglas Lakeshore and Mrs. Lloyd Vickery of Holland.

Youth, 19, Charged In Alleged Rape of Woman

Lee W. Burz Jr., 19, of 256 West 10th St., demanded examination to a charge of rape at his District Court arraignment Wednesday. Bond of \$3,000 was not posted. Burz demanded a court appointed attorney.

Police said Burz was charged in connection with the alleged rape of a 31-year-old Holland woman early Tuesday at the woman's residence. The name and address of the woman were not released by police nor were other details of the alleged offense.



Dr. F. Sheldon Wettack

Wettack Wins Grant For Energy Study

Dr. F. Sheldon Wettack, Professor of Chemistry at Hope College has been awarded two grants totaling \$28,000 to support his research program in molecular energy transfer.

The Petroleum Research Fund, administered by The American Chemical Society, has granted \$7,000 to assist Dr. Wettack and his research students in their studies of energy transfer in liquid solutions.

The Hope chemists have uncovered a unique example of energy transfer between molecules in the liquid phase which occurs over distances larger than molecular sizes. The Hope researchers expect that these observations will provide new information about energy transfer mechanisms, particularly those which occur in biological systems.

The PRF grant will enable Dr. Wettack and students Mary Millard of Ann Arbor, Patsy Bahrt of Wickliffe, Ohio, Daniel Dethmers of Glen Rock, N. J., and Robert Klaphor of Grand Haven to extend their work for the next two years.

The Research Corporation, a private foundation which supports research in the chemical sciences, has awarded a \$21,000 grant for studies on molecular energy transfer in the gas phase which are being carried out in Dr. Wettack's laboratory. This work is designed to learn the detailed nature of energy transfer which occurs when organic molecules collide in the gaseous phase.

The Hope researchers plan to learn how variations in molecular vibrations effect such collisional transfer. Energy transfer of this type plays an important role in contemporary problems such as photo-chemical smog, and the Hope studies form an integral part of chemists' attempts to understand these problems.

Working with Dr. Wettack on this project are Douglas Worsnop of Plymouth, and Kenneth Janda of Denver, Co. The grant from Research Corporation will provide support for their work and will allow Dr. Wettack to engage a postdoctoral student on the project for a two-year period beginning in September, 1973.

These new grants bring the total research support granted to Dr. Wettack to \$110,000 over the past five years. These funds have enabled the Hope chemist to assemble the experimental equipment necessary to measure processes which occur as quickly as one - one billionth of a second, and they have provided stipend support for 20 Hope students involved in research in Dr. Wettack's laboratory. In addition to grants from Research Corporation and the Petroleum Research Fund, Dr. Wettack has received support from the National Science Foundation and in 1970 he was named recipient of a Dreyfus Foundation Teacher - Scholar Award.

Kaywood Bond, 83, Dies in Kalamazoo

KALAMAZOO — Kaywood Bond, 83, of route 3, Fennville, died Sunday in Bronson Hospital here.

Born in Arkansas, he had lived in the Fennville area since 1939. His wife, Markie, died in 1969.

Surviving are three sons, Herbert of Fennville, Robert S. of Holland and Burley of Saugatuck; 11 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Elaine Howard's Art Work Is Displayed at Hospital

Holland Friends of Art presents the work of Elaine Howard in the Holland Hospital lobby for the month of December.

Mrs. Howard has her studio at 822 Roost Rd. Besides her role as wife of Robert Howard and as mother of three, she works at Chris Craft Corp. She has been painting for 11 years. Her art education includes a four year correspondence course with Art Instruction Schools of Minneapolis, Minn.

6 Injured Slightly In Collision Of Two Automobiles

Six persons suffered minor injuries in a two-car collision Sunday at 3:10 p.m. at Riley St. and 136th Ave. in Holland township.

Treated in Holland Hospital for lacerations and released was Nancy Brouwer, 33, a passenger in the car driven by her husband, Junior Harvey Brouwer, 41, of Grand Haven. Brouwer and two children, Robert, 9, and Barbara, 5, sought their own treatments.

The driver of the second car, Hank Vorenkamp, 27, of 142 Cypress Ave., and his passenger, son Tim, 8, also were to seek their treatment for bumps and bruises.

Deputies said the Vorenkamp auto was traveling east on Riley and pulled into the path of the Brouwer auto southbound on 136th Ave.

Cub Pack 3041 Holds First Meet

Pack 3041 held their first pack meeting Nov. 28 with Den 1 in charge of opening ceremonies.

Cubmaster Rog Jansen introduced the Den Mothers Mrs. James Reynierse, Den 1; Mrs. R. Jansen and Mrs. Roland Wolters, Den 2; Mrs. Gene De Jonge, Den 3 and Mrs. Don Lewis, Den 4. A plea was put out for a father to start a Webelos Den.

Committeeman Don Lewis was in charge of games with Team B winning the prize. Den 1 won the Cubby award, Den 4 put on an Indian dance with drums and costumes they had made and Den 2 held the closing ceremonies.

New boys awarded the Bobcat were Calvin Schepel, Mark Van Wieren, Scott McFarland, Joey Cullen, Tab De Jonge, James Moore, Eric Simpson, Scott Riemink, Brian Wehrmeyer, Brent Floyd, David Borman, Pat Lewis, Kenne Merriweather, and David Payne.

Curt Shusten was awarded a Wolf with a gold and silver arrow.

Hope Students Help at Center

Nine Hope College students are learning about young children at the Learning Center, 188 River Ave., as a part of their child development studies this fall.

The Learning Center's non-graded program is an ideal place for the Hope students to observe children's development. While they work with the pre-schoolers on an individual basis, they can see from 2 1/2 to 6 years old learning and working together.

Mary Ann Catron, certified teacher with a BFA degree and Patti Knoll, Learning Center director, plan a program of instruction for each Hope student as well as the individual child to advance their learning experience.

Hope students participating are Jerry Bobeldyk, Claire Campbell, Barb Gabard, Amy Spittler, Karen Grawol, Bill Boersma, Gayle Lee, Pam Fisher and Anne Marie Niedziela.

Jane Dickie, child development professor at Hope College, is cooperating with the Learning Center in placing the students.

Snowmobile, Car Crash, 2 Injured

Two riders on a snowmobile were injured Saturday in the collision with a car at 96th Ave. and Gordon St. at 12:09 p.m.

Treated in Zeeland Community Hospital and released were Paul Elenbaas, 13, of 1977 South Maple St., Zeeland, driver of the snowmobile, and his passenger, Steven Klamt, 14, of 627 East Central.

Ottawa county deputies said the snowmobile was attempting to cross 96th Ave. and pulled into the path of a car driven by Patricia Lynn Hulst, 19, of 9084 Adams St., Zeeland.

Elenbaas and Klamt were thrown from the snowmobile.

Man Held in Entry Of Service Station

HUDSONVILLE — James Brook, whose age and address were not available, faced arraignment today in connection with an alleged break in at a service station in Hudsonville Tuesday night.

Brook was apprehended after Ottawa County deputies and Hudsonville police tracked a subject in fresh snow about a mile to where Brook was taken into custody 1400 Port Sheldon St.

Deputies said Mel Meekhoff, the station owner, said he discovered a subject in the station at about 9 p.m. Tuesday and called deputies. A window on the west side of the building at 28th Ave. and Port Sheldon St. was found broken.

Fennville To Ballot On New School

FENNVILLE — School district voters will decide Friday whether to build a new high school and a swimming pool in separate bond issues. The total package would cost \$3 million.

Need for the new facilities was emphasized when the old junior high building was abandoned this fall because of unsafe conditions and the students were combined in the high school building on a split schedule with the high school students.

The proposed new high school, costing \$2,645,000, includes an auditorium with fixed seating for 400, a cafeteria, a gym with seating for about 1,700, offices, a library, shop and craft rooms and 37 teaching stations. In addition the bond issue would finance construction of a new athletic field.

The separate swimming pool issue for \$355,000 would construct an enclosed pool for school instruction and community use.

Hope Church Elects 3 Women To Consistory

Hope Reformed Church elected three women to its consistory at a historical congregational meeting Tuesday.

According to Dr. Glen O. Peterman, Hope is the first Reformed Church in the Holland Classis to take this step and also is probably one of the first churches west of the Alleghenies to do so.

Dr. Bernardine De Valois and Mrs. James O. Lamb were elected elders and Miss Audrey Navis, a deacon.

Others elected included Lawrence Geuder, elder and William E. Price and J. Norman Timmer, deacons.

Mrs. Gabriel Bos Succumbs at 82

Mrs. Gabriel (Maggie) Bos, 82, formerly of 97 East 23rd St., died early Tuesday in a local convalescent home.

Born in rural Zeeland, she lived there until her marriage when she and her husband, Dr. Gabriel Bos moved to Fennville to practice, moving to Holland five years later, where he practiced for 20 years, while she assisted in his office. He died in 1943. She was a member of Trinity Reformed Church and a former member of the Ladies Aid and the Sunday School class. She was also a member of the American Legion Auxiliary and the Medical Society Auxiliary.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Doris Thomsen of Palos Verdes Peninsula, Calif., Mrs. Gerald (Carol) Somers of Richmond and Mrs. Cornelius (Myrtle) Vander Kuy of Lapeer; four grandchildren; two brothers, Bernard and Gerald Poest, both of Zeeland; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Farrow of Beaverdam; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Hildreth Poest of Zeeland and several nieces and nephews.

Board of Appeals Denies 2 Petitions And Tables Two

The Board of Appeals met Thursday in Council chambers and denied two petitions and tabled two additional requests.

Denied was a request submitted by Lloyd G. Miles, 1218 Floral St. to construct an attached garage eight feet from the rear property line and four feet from the side property line. A rear yard of 25 feet and a side yard of seven feet is required.

Also denied was a petition offered by Marvin J. Lemmen, at 40 East 33rd St. He was denied permission to create an additional lot out of the above location and his home at 48 East 33rd St.

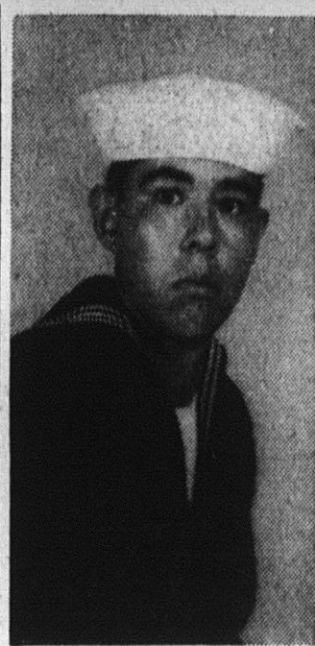
A variance sought by Robert L. Wold for Birchwood Manor, Inc., 493 West 32nd St., was tabled for 60 days for further study. He sought permission to construct a 56 bed addition. No provision for additional off-street parking was indicated.

Also tabled was a request submitted by Alfred Arendsen, 72 West 39th St., to construct a one family dwelling on a 68.9 foot wide lot instead of the 70 foot wide requirement.

James Mac Kechnie's Sister Dies in East

MIDDLETOWN, N.Y. — Mrs. J. W. (Pearle) Clark, 64, of Middletown, died here Monday following a short illness.

She is the sister of James Mac Kechnie of 135 West 34th St., Holland and visited Holland during Tulip Time last May. Other survivors include her husband, three sisters and another brother all on the East Coast.



IN NEW YORK — Juan Arispe III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Arispe, 135 Burke Ave., has completed training in Orlando, Fla., and is now stationed in New York. His address is FA Juan Arispe III, 386-9-2630, USS Charles S. Sperry, DD697, FPO, New York, N.Y., 09501.

Saugatuck Beats Martin In Opener

The Saugatuck Indians won the basketball game they had to Friday in the Holland Armory from Martin, 62-57.

"It was the most important game of the season to date," laughed a pleased Coach Wayne Fries.

Saugatuck made seven more field goals 30-23 but were able to only sink two of 12 free throws compared to Martin's 11 of 17 figure.

Denny Bale pulled down 16 of Saugatuck's 33 rebounds. Martin had 38 team caroms.

Bale, a senior center and junior Mike Baker each scored 12 points to back slick moving Dave Mocini's 24 counters. Tom Hildenbrand had 19 for the Clippers.

Saugatuck also won the jayvee contest, 47-36, as Joe Bekken and Don Beery had 14 and 11 for the Indians.

The Indians will host Byron Center in a non-league game Tuesday.

Kappa Nu Plans Christmas Party

The Kappa Nu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Mrs. Dale Hamberg. Plans were made for the Christmas party on Dec. 9 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamberg.

The newest member, Mrs. Marvin Israels, was welcomed.

A Christmas party is planned for the patients at Parkview Home on Dec. 19 at 2 p.m. Members decorated Christmas stockings for the event. Don Cranmer will be Santa.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Peffers. There will be a gift exchange and a cookie exchange.

Linda Patterson won the hostess gift.

Members attending were the Mesdames Don Baker, Lyle Overton, Brad Patterson, Eleanor Van Hekken, Peffers, David Cross, Hamberg, Israels, Juke Overway and Cranmer.

Passenger Injured In 2-Car Crash at Bridge

HUDSONVILLE — Lonnie Timmer, 16, of Hudsonville, suffered head injuries when the car in which he was riding collided with another auto on a one-lane bridge along 56th Ave. at Bauer Rd. in Blenden township Tuesday at 7:24 p.m. He was treated in Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids and released.

Ottawa County deputies said the youth was a passenger in a car driven by Marcelyn Venedall, 26, of 1959 48th Ave., northbound on 56th. The other car, southbound on 56th, was operated by Joseph Schut, 22, of 3642 Chicago Dr., Hudsonville. Both drivers applied their brakes but were unable to stop in time to avoid a collision, deputies said.

Passenger Injured In Collision of 2 Cars

Mary Jo Kliffman, 17, of 6092 138th Ave., suffered minor injuries when the car in which she was riding, driven by Lila Mae Webb, 19, of 253 East 14th St., and another car collided Friday at 10:55 p.m. along 22nd St. at a parking lot of Bohn Aluminum.

Police said the Webb auto was eastbound and attempting a right turn, into the parking lot when the second car struck the side of the Kliffman auto. The other driver was not identified.

Slides While Turning

A car driven by Paul S. Webb, 23, of Fennville, northbound on Michigan Ave. attempting a right turn onto 32nd St., slid into a car operated by Ruth A. Ter Haar, 42, of 370 Wildwood Dr., stopped eastbound on 32nd St. Friday at 11:59 a.m.

November Was Cooler And Drier

November was cooler and drier than usual with an average temperature of 37.7 degrees or 2.8 degrees below normal and 2.13 inches of precipitation or 1.26 inches below normal.

November had a total snowfall of 6 inches, falling mostly around Nov. 14 and 26, according to Weather Observer Lynn P. Wheaton. Official snowfall in October was 2.5 inches.

Maximum was 60 degrees on Nov. 6 and the minimum 18 on Nov. 16 and 17. The average maximum was 43.1 and the average minimum was 32.2.

Precipitation fell on 16 days. Greatest snowfall in a 24-hour period was 2.2 inches. There was snow or traces of snow on the ground 11 days.

Council Given Preview of New Police Complex

City Council and press media and their families were given a preview tour of the new police headquarters and District Court building Saturday afternoon in advance of public tours scheduled Dec. 16.

Police officers served as guides for the complex showing guests the modern communications center, the new jail, the areas for enlarged services, the detective bureau, the shooting range, the tunnel which connects the two buildings, and the court complex where refreshments were served in the basement.

Police Chief Charles Lindstrom welcomed the guests and assigned them to groups. Later, husbands and wives gathered for dinner at Point West where Lou Hallacy, chairman of the council committee for a new police station, briefly reviewed planning and work over a four-year period, the temporary period in Civic Center, the close cooperation with Ottawa county in planning a new court building and the cooperation with police department, architects and other groups.

Serving with Hallacy on the council committee were Robert Dykstra and Elmer Wissink. Serving on the Building Authority which arranged for the bonds to finance the police building were City Manager William L. Bopf, City Auditor John Fonger, City Attorney Gordon Cunningham, James Hallan and Harold Vande Bunte with D.W. Schipper serving as clerk.

Chief Lindstrom expressed appreciation for the modern complex and spoke of the high caliber of people in the department, their training and equipment making a fine professional operation. Mayor L.W. Lamb Jr. spoke for the people of Holland. The invocation was given by Det. Lt. Marty Hardenberg.

Board Hosts Christmas Party At Resthaven

The annual Christmas party for Resthaven residents, given by the board of trustees, was held at Resthaven Tuesday in Greengrove Chapel with the board president, John Plasman, in charge.

The Rev. Cecil Van Dalfsen of Calvary Christian Reformed Church offered prayer and read scripture. Floyd Heerspink led group singing of Christmas carols, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Gelmer Boven. Jane Peeks presented violin solos, accompanied by Beatrice Meier.

Ben Altena showed pictures of the Holy Land, with Mrs. Altena assisting and modeling an Oriental gown. The Rev. Harry Van Egmond gave the closing prayer.

Lunch was served, prepared by the kitchen staff headed by Minnie Scholten.

Following the social hour the board met briefly. The president reported that all the Resthaven rooms are occupied.

Andrew Brummel Succumbs at 67

GRAND RAPIDS — Andrew Brummel, 67, of Grand Rapids, died early Tuesday at Osteopathic Hospital here.

Surviving are his wife, Vera; four daughters, Mrs. Les (Bernice) Doornewerd of Holland, Mrs. Melvin (Florence) Van Dam and Mrs. Donald (Shirley) Ter Horst, both of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Donald (Marcia) Stuursma of Zeeland; a son, Andrew W. Brummel Jr. of Holland; 14 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two sisters; six brothers and three sisters-in-law.

Joint services for Brummel and his mother, Mrs. Jennie Brummel will be held Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Zaagman Memorial Chapel, Grand Rapids with his burial in Garfield Park Cemetery. Mrs. Brummel will be buried in Kent City with committal services at 3:30 p.m. at the Chubbick cemetery.



Miss Wanda Yonker

Hamilton High's DAR Good Citizen Is Wanda Yonker

Wanda Yonker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Yonker, has been selected the DAR Good Citizen of Hamilton High School. She will receive her Good Citizen pin from the Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Miss Yonker was chosen by the faculty on the basis of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism. She is now eligible to compete in state competition.

In her junior year, Miss Yonker was selected to the National Honor Society. She is now a colorguard in the band and was a cheerleader in her sophomore and junior years. As a member of her church, she is active in Girls' League, Reformed Church Youth Fellowship and Teen Choir. At school she is in Campus Life, the Pep Club and is editor of the school paper.

By filling out a questionnaire, Miss Yonker will compete with other DAR winners in state competition. The state winners of the Michigan DAR will receive the state pin and \$100 savings bond from the national DAR plus \$50 bond from state DAR. The winner of the National DAR Good Citizen will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to the college of her choice and a sterling silver bowl engraved "National DAR Good Citizen 1973."

Artists Display Paintings At Zeeland Library

ZEELAND — Guest artists displaying their work in Zeeland Public Library during December are Harriet Laackman, a nurse employed at Zeeland Community Hospital, and her two sons Blair and Dale.

Blair Laackman, a graduate of Kendall School of Design with a degree in design for advertising, is presently employed by Davis Advertising in East Grand Rapids.

Dale Laackman, a graduate of Michigan State University with a degree in communication arts, will begin a masters class in television at the university in January.

Zeeland Library hours are noon to 5 p.m. Monday and Friday; noon to 8 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; closed Wednesday, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

Zeeland Gets Funds for Project

ZEELAND — City Council was notified Monday night that the federal share of the cost to make improvements to the sewage treatment facility has been increased by five per cent.

The state Department of Natural Resources said the federal grant was increased from 50 per cent to 55 per cent funding, allowing for an additional \$20,600 in funds. The project also received 25 per cent funding from the state.

The completion deadline for the project was extended to June 15, 1973 allowing an additional six months time because of delays in obtaining materials from manufacturers.

Zeeland residents will be getting a Christmas present from the city in the way of free parking the week of Dec. 18. Christmas decorated bags will cover the parking meters from Dec. 18 through Dec. 23.

Crash at Intersection

Cars operated by Junior G. Boerman, 33, of route 1, Holland, and Ralph C. Vander Lee, 40, of 736 Central Ave., collided Tuesday at 12:00 p.m. at 40th St. and Industrial Ave. Police said Boerman was northbound on Industrial while Vander Lee was westbound on 40th.

Furnace Belches Smoke

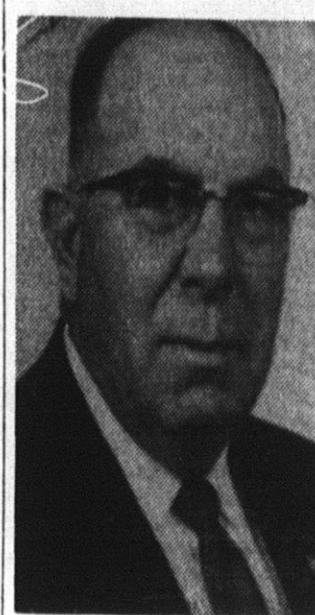
Holland Township firemen were called to Lakewood Floral & Gift, 158 West Lakewood Blvd. at 8:52 a.m. today where a furnace reportedly blew up sending black smoke into the building. There was no fire damage. No injuries were reported.

Ex-Sheriff Of Ottawa County Dies

William M. Boeve, 74, of 11142 136th Ave., who served as sheriff of Ottawa County for eight years from 1941 to 1949, died Saturday afternoon in Holland Hospital after an extended illness.

He was born in Fillmore and lived on the farm until his marriage. From 1932 to 1936 he worked as a deputy for the late Sheriff Ben Rosema.

A wrestler in his early years, Boeve often challenged the circus wrestlers and came out the



winner. Over six feet tall and weighing over 200 pounds, he was a strong believer in physical fitness and 'as sheriff he worked with weight dummies he had installed at the jail.

The M in his name stands for McKinley for President McKinley. He often told the story that his father wrote the name on a piece of paper when the baby was baptized, unknown to his wife.

In 1946 he organized the William Boeve and Sons Construction Co. in which he remained active and served as president. He was a member of First Reformed Church and a former president of the Adult Bible Class.

Surviving are the wife, Julia; four sons, G. Alvin and Harold, both of Holland; Lavern of Spring Lake and Edwin of Grand Haven; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lloyd (Geraldine) Boeve of Spring Lake; two stepsons, Norman and Leonard of Holland; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Larry (Irene) Baker of Wyoming and Mrs. Elaine Brink of Holland; 26 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

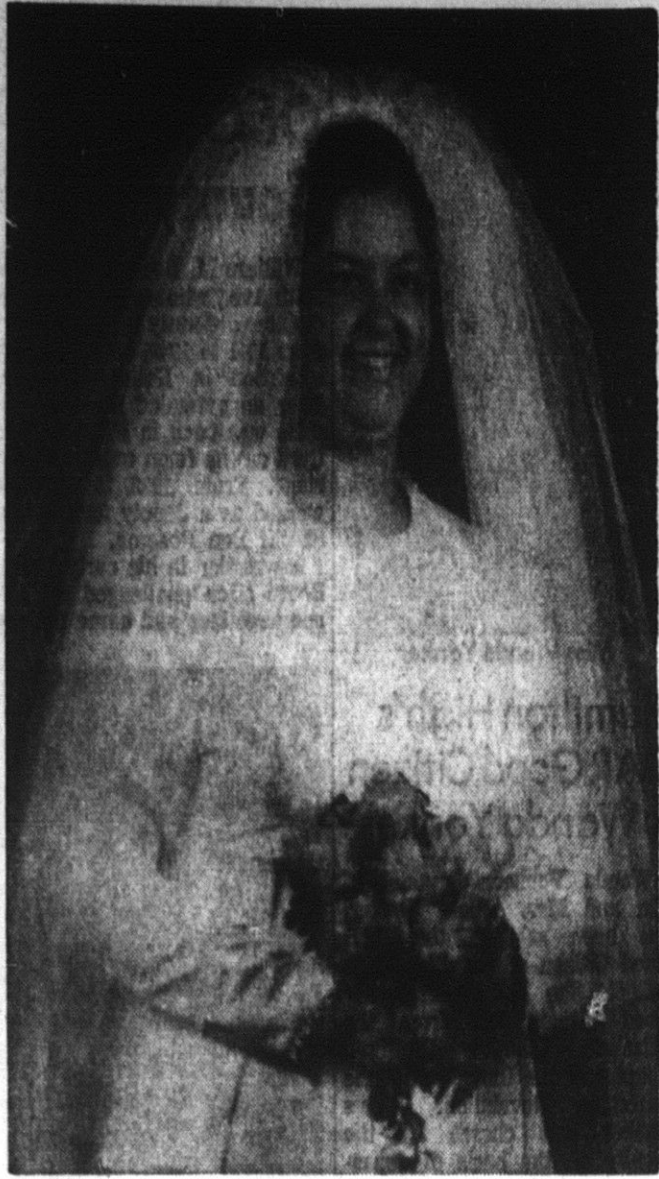
Other survivors are two brothers, Lester of Holland and Stanley of Dor; four sisters, Mrs. August (Henrietta) Kampen, Mrs. George (Priscilla) Bontekoe, Mrs. Ed (Julia) Boeriger and Mrs. Joe (Mabel) Drost, all of Holland; a brother-in-law, Henry Boeriger of Holland, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Richard Boeve of Holland.

Design Honors Go To West Ottawa's Middle School

West Ottawa school district's Middle School has been selected for national recognition by school administrators and architects.

The American Association of School Administrators and the American Institute

Mary Wiersma Is Wed To Robert Windemuller



Mrs. Robert Lee Windemuller

United in marriage Friday evening in Byron Center First Reformed Church were Miss Mary Ruth Wiersma and Robert Lee Windemuller. The Rev. Stuart Blauw officiated at the rites while Miss Adrianna Goudzwaard was organist and Mrs. Linda Edema was soloist.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wiersma, 2391 84th Ave., Byron Center and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Windemuller, 267 East 32nd St., Holland.

For attendants, the couple chose Miss Marlene Kay Wiersma, sister of the bride, as maid of honor; Miss Marcia Windemuller and Miss Susan Windemuller, the groom's sisters, as bridesmaids; Paul Windemuller, brother of the groom, as best man; and Glen Windemuller, Gerald Koop, Douglas Tubergen and John Windemuller as groomsmen and ushers.

The bride wore an A-line gown of sheer organza over satin peau with peardrop trim accenting the entire dress and detachable train. A matching headpiece held her fingertip veil and she carried a bouquet of white carnations and sweetheart roses.

The attendants wore empire gowns of coral crepe with flow-

er trim at the bodices. They had matching ribbons in their hair and carried long-stemmed sweetheart roses with baby's breath.

The reception was held in the church parlors where Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Koetje were master and mistress of ceremonies. Miss Harriet Schelling and Miss Janice Carpenter were at the punch bowl while Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wiersma and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tubergen were in the gift room. In charge of the guest book were Dennis Tubergen and Miss Robin Mulder.

Following a southern honeymoon the couple will live at 3368 Perry, Hudsonville.

The bride is employed in the Kent County Treasurer's office, Grand Rapids, while the groom is employed by Prince Manufacturing in Holland.

Slides Into Auto

A car driven by Steven Charles Cooley, 20, of Grand Rapids, southbound on Lincoln attempting a right turn onto 14th St., slid into a car operated by Ronald Mark Rewerts, 20, of Grand Rapids stopped eastbound on 14th St. Friday at 3:49 p.m.

Brussels is the capital of Belgium.

Dinner Fetes Resthaven Residents

More than 250 persons attended the Christmas dinner on Friday noon in Christ Memorial Reformed Church. This event was sponsored by Resthaven Guild with about 60 Resthaven residents as honored guests. The dinner was prepared and served by members of Women's Guilds for Christian Service of the Rose Park and Grace Reformed churches.

General chairmen were Mrs. Peter Vanden Oever and Mrs. Robert Timmer. Mrs. George Glupker arranged table centerpieces, large red candles and red tapers in hurricane glass holders with greens. A lighted Christmas tree was the dining room decoration.

Guild president, Mrs. Maude Dogger, presided and the Rev. Ronald Beyer gave the invocation. After dinner Rev. Beyer presented devotions and gave remarks. "A Song of Praise and Gratitude to God" was the theme chosen. He also spoke of the blessings of a Godly heritage as exemplified in the lives of the Resthaven residents and guests. He concluded by emphasizing the joy, good news and peace of the Christian season.

Mrs. Dogger was commended for her unselfish and untiring efforts in Guild work as Rev. Beyer pinned a corsage on her to express the appreciation of the Guild.

Mrs. Earl Vanden Bosch led and directed in the singing of hymns, choruses and Christmas carols, also in the singing of a psalm in the Holland language. Her accompanist was Mrs. Morris Buhner. Solos sung by Alvern Kapenga included "Peace Be Still," "God is There" and "Jesus Rock of Ages," accompanied by Mrs. Kapenga. A humorous skit entitled "The Modern Model Demonstration" was done by Gordon Top and Mrs. Gerald Immink.

Mrs. Dogger thanked all those who had assisted in the arrangements and program and she read a poem "The Rule of Life" and a prayer to close the afternoon program.

The Guild will not meet in December. The January meeting will be in the First United Methodist Church.

'Think Metric' Is Peter Kromann's Topic for ASWA

"Think Metric" was the subject of Peter Kromann's talk given at the regular dinner meeting of the Holland Chapter of the American Society of Women Accountants held Tuesday evening in the Festival Room of the Hotel Warm Front.

Mr. Kromann, a retired Holland business resident, was born and educated in Denmark where he became familiar with the metric system. "In order to master the system," he said, "you must 'Think Metric'! No matter how many mistakes you make, its use will pay dividends in the end."

The metric system of weights and measurements was worked out in France in the 19th century and was adopted by many nations, the United States excluded, under the "Treaty of the Meter." It is based on the meter (theoretically 1/10,000,000 of the distance from the equator to the pole) measured on the earth's surface. The volume unit is the liter (cube of 1/10 meter); the weight unit is the gram (theoretical weight of distilled water filling a cube with edges of 1/100 meter). Larger or smaller measures are related to these units by a decimal system.

"To change to the metric system in the United States," a study revealed that the cost will be between 10 and 40 billion dollars. "However," Kromann stated, "the gain would be between 10 to 20 billion dollars a year. This change would enable under-developed nations to purchase products from us. Again, another 34 billion dollars would be saved in educational costs because it is easier to learn the metric system and its use eliminates needless frustration."

"To date, the United States and six smaller nations are still using the old, encumbered, antiquated system," he said. "However, in Congress the Senate has voted to convert to the metric system. The House's vote is pending."

Mrs. Eva Neumann, president, presided at the business meeting. Miss Lois Kaasboek, program chairman, introduced the speaker and Miss Jean Volkers gave the invocation. Mrs. Peter Kromann and Ed Van Spyker were guests.

Hold Rites Monday For Local Woman's Father

BENZONIA — Funeral services were held Monday at the Bennett Funeral Home here for Royall L. Smith, 68, of Beulah, father of Mrs. James (Betty) Knoll of Holland. He died Friday in Paul Oliver Memorial Hospital, Frankfort, following an extended illness.

His other survivors include his wife; another daughter in Traverse City; four grandchildren and a great-grandchild.



FLUFFY BLANKET OF SNOW — Fresh, clean snow covered everything in Holland to a depth of three inches within two hours at noon today. The photo of a panel truck was taken on West Eighth St. near The Sentinel office shortly after noon Friday.

(Sentinel photo)

Maroons Play Best Game in Win

Holland Christian and Calvin Christian of Grandville tangled in a near heart-stopping basketball game in the Civic Center Friday night. Christian finally eked out a 61-59 decision over the Squires, in a game reminiscent of last year's overtime contest which was also won by the Maroons.

Coach Elmer Ribbens' charges turned in their best performance of the still young season, working the ball well, using excellent teamwork, and committing many less floor violations than in the first two games. Christian also controlled the backboards by a 41-27 margin, as Sid Bruinsma, who had an outstanding first half with 10 points and the same amount of rebounds, paced the Maroons on the boards by hauling down 14, while big Chuck Visser did most of his work in the second half with eight points and the majority of his 11 rebounds.

Special credit should also be given to Keith Brandens, who started in place of the injured Dave Tuls, and also to sophomore Del Petroelje, who several times relieved Brandens during the game. Both of them, along with Bruinsma, did a fine job in handling the pressure defense put on by the Squires.

Tuls is scheduled to undergo surgery on his knee at the earliest date possible. It is not known how long he will be out of the lineup.

Forwards Rick Klompemaker, Terry Grassmid and Jerry Terpstra also turned in fine games as the Maroons played good consistent ball throughout the four quarters.

Grassmid and Klompemaker divided the Maroons' first eight points between them as Christian jumped out to an 8-2 lead, before Calvin Christian, behind some outstanding shooting, managed a 16-16 tie at the quarter. The Squires hit 57 per cent in the period.

The second period saw the score tied seven times and neither team able to manage more than a two-point edge. Bruinsma scored half of his team's 16 points in the period, as Christian hit 53 per cent in the quarter and the Squires 50 per cent. Klompemaker scored with 34 seconds left to give the Maroons a 32-30 halftime margin.

Terpstra with two buckets apiece, gave the winners their biggest lead of the game, 44-35. The Squires, again hitting 53 per cent for the quarter, came right back and on a last-second basket by Rick De Witt took a 50-49 advantage into the final eight minutes of play.

Visser and Terpstra each canned a pair of two-pointers and the Maroons were ahead 57-52, only to see Calvin Christian knot the count with 1:05 left, at 59-59. Petroelje, showing good poise for a sophomore, put in the winning bucket with 38 seconds left.

With five seconds showing on the clock the Maroons missed a free throw with the Squires getting the rebound. They managed to get off a long shot at the buzzer, but did not connect, giving Christian their second win in three games this season.

Terpstra led all scorers with 19 points, Bruinsma added 14, Visser 12 and Klompemaker 10, while Tom Visser scored 14 and Jack Buist 13 for the Squires.

Christian's next game will be Friday, Dec. 8 when the Maroons will play host to Kalamazoo Hackett.

Three Inches Falls by 1 p.m.

Picturesque Snow Descends on City

Holland awoke Friday to a light powdering of snow and glazed streets, following two days of welcome sunshine, a most unusual condition for late November.

Friday was Dec. 1 and it was as if Mother Nature decided she had been charitable long enough, and ushered in the snow.

By 1 p.m. snow deposits on the ground amounted to 3 inches.

List Winners Of Martha Kollen Bridge Marathon

Final winners in the Martha Kollen Bridge Marathon, after five months of play, are Mrs. Paul F. Jones and Mrs. R.W. Leschchier with a score of 19,140.

Mrs. Leonard Dick and Mrs. Donald Kingsley with 17,330 were second and Mrs. James B. Brown and Mrs. Robert McFadden were third with 15,440.

Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Leschchier were also high for the month of November with 6,290 points.

A new marathon will start in January, to run through May, which is open to all women in the community. Those who enjoy bridge and would like to contribute to a worthy cause while playing, may call Mrs. D. J. Jencks or Mrs. G.E. Stephens before Dec. 14 for information about this project.

All proceeds from the marathon are used to buy equipment for Holland Hospital.

List 10 Babies In Two Hospitals

Ten weekend births are recorded in Holland and Zeeland Hospitals.

Born in Holland Hospital on Friday was a son, Chad Richard, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boss, route 3, Zeeland; born Saturday, a son, Brandon Jon, to Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Overweg, 1055 Lincoln Ave., Lot 41; a daughter, Sueann Beth, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Veldheer, 61, Vander Veen; a daughter, Holli Christine, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ponstein, 7795 Port Sheldon Rd., Zeeland.

A daughter, Sally Jo, was born in Holland Hospital Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Uitermark, 454 West 21st St.; a daughter, Michelle Ann, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Raterink, 3176 Jackson St., Hudsonville; a son born today to Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Martinez Jr., 35 East 17th St.

Zeeland Hospital births on Sunday included three boys. A son, Bradley Allen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gaca, route 2, Dor; a son, Christopher Eric, born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Van Farrow, 4358 Fillmore, Jenison; a son, Michael James, born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kerkstra, 1120 92nd St., Byron Center.

Holland Christian (61)				
	FG	FT	PF	PT
Klompemaker, f	5	0	0	10
Grassmid, f	1	2	0	4
Koetje, g	6	0	3	12
Bruinsma, g	7	0	0	14
Brandens, g	0	0	3	0
Terpstra, f	9	1	3	19
Petroelje, g	1	0	0	2
Totals	29	3	9	61

Calvin Christian (59)				
	FG	FT	PF	PT
Visser, f	7	0	3	14
Buist, f	6	1	0	13
Feyen, c	2	0	2	4
Koetje, g	3	1	2	7
Ponstine, g	4	0	0	8
Johnson, f	3	1	1	7
Jurgens, c	1	0	0	2
De Witte, g	1	0	0	2
Scott, g	1	0	3	2
Totals	28	3	11	59

Holland often has more than 100 inches of snow a season, but last season the total was only 92.1 inches.

And winter arrives officially at 1:13 p.m. Dec. 21. That's three weeks off.

The Fennville-Allendale basketball game was postponed because of the snow.

Two Men Named In Warrants For Unarmed Robbery

Warrants charging unarmed robbery have been authorized against two Holland men in connection with an alleged assault and robbery early Wednesday on Edward Stevens of 256 West 12th St., South Haven state police said Friday.

Named in the warrants authorized by the Allegan County prosecutor's office today were Willis Dale Van Huis, 39, of Holland and Detroit, and a companion whom troopers said was still at large. Van Huis was held on a drunk driving charge and was to face the robbery charge later.

Troopers said the alleged offense occurred in Allegan County near West 32nd St. and 64th St. in the Macatawa Park area.

Stevens told police he met two men in a Holland bar and went for a ride to Saugatuck. On the way back he was assaulted and robbed of \$25 and let out of the car along 32nd St. He went to a private home in the area from where Holland Police were called shortly after 4 a.m. Wednesday.

Van Huis was arrested a short time later on the drunk driving charge, police said.

Mrs. Vander Kooi Funeral Rites Held

ZEELAND — Funeral services were held Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. at the Bentheim Reformed Church for Mrs. Ronald (Sharon Essink) Vander Kooi, 24, of route 1, Hamilton, who died Saturday in Holland Hospital following a lingering illness.

Mrs. Vander Kooi was a 1966 graduate of Hamilton High and a graduate of the Butterworth Hospital School of Nursing in Grand Rapids in 1969. She was employed at Holland Hospital as a registered nurse for 2½ years.

Surviving in addition to her husband are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Essink of route 1, Hamilton; two sisters, Yvonne and Arla, both at home; two brothers, Clifford of route 1, Hamilton and Wayne at home and her grandmother, Mrs. Obie Van Dam of Oakland.

Hospital Notes

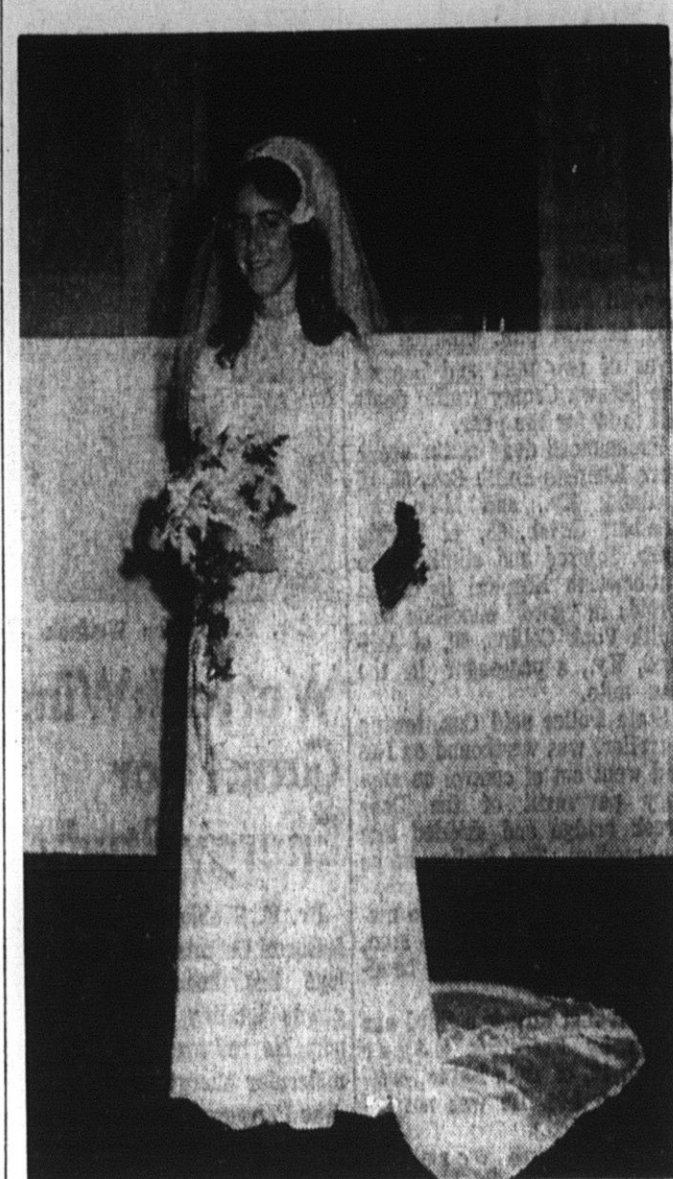
Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Peter De Vries, Eva Borgman, Woodrow Ridgeway, Kenneth Bredeweg and Ruth Den Herder.

Discharged Friday were Henry Willis Boss, Delores Nevills, Darla Dykstra and baby, Frances Van Voorst, Jerry Vanden Berg, Ruth Van Norden, Joseph Underwood, Shirley Dams, Gillan infant; Ruth Reimink, Hattie Bakker, Frances Houtman, Lois Gaiowski, Nancy Berry and baby, Jesse Vander Borgh and Susan Hatley.

Admitted Saturday were Bernard A. Bosman, Evelyn Tornoville, Lois Ann Green, Kate Hop, Kristi Kiekinvelt and Pabla Martinez.

Discharged Saturday were Betty Mills, Earl Zadow, Delbert Bos, Ronald Driesenga, Lisa Mersman, Barbara Carroll, Harry Ankeny, Shirlee P. Bouwens, Ruth Elzinga, Allen Wightman, Kenneth Ossewaard, Terry Dopp, William Spoolstra, Roxie Dyke, Donald Kline, Sheryl Hardin and Jennie Veldhuis.

Miss Kimberly De Jonge Is Bride of Kurt Smith



Mrs. Kurt E. Smith

(Kleinjans photo)

Wedding vows were exchanged Friday by Miss Kimberly Jo De Jonge and Kurt E. Smith in Second Reformed Church, Zeeland, before the Rev. John Noordstrom. Music for the evening rites were provided by Mrs. John VanderBy, organist, and Mrs. Albarnard Kamps, soloist.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. William K. Mattison of Cadillac and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith Jr., 314 North Colonial St., Zeeland.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of soft white satin featuring an empire waist and long sleeves and trimmed in self-ruffle and venise lace with a matching detachable train. A matching Juliet cap secured her elbow-length illusion veil and she carried a colonial bouquet of white daisy pompons and yellow sweetheart roses accented with baby's breath. She was given in marriage by her brother, Jack De Jonge.

Mrs. Bruce Hassevoort was matron of honor and wore a floor-length gown of green velvet with white and green floral lace trimming the bodice and cuffs. She carried a candleholder with yellow, green and white carnations and pompons.

Similarly attired were the bridesmaids, Miss Vicki De Jonge, sister of the bride, and

Miss Cindy Smith, sister of the groom. Mrs. Jack De Jonge was the bride's personal attendant.

Bruce Hassevoort was the groom's best man while his brother, Craig Smith and Richard Boerman were ushers. Another brother of the groom, Dean Smith, was ringbearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith presided as master and mistress of ceremonies at the reception in the church Fellowship Hall. Miss Regina Roster and Randy Scholten were punch bowl attendants while Miss Lisa Lokenberg and Mrs. Jerry Bruizeman were gift room attendants.

Following a northern Michigan wedding trip, the couple will live at 523 Butternut Dr.

The bride is presently attending evening college at Davenport College and employed at XLO Micromatic. The groom is employed with Van Gelderen Builders.

The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at Van Raalle's Restaurant in Zeeland.

Showers were given by Miss Vicki De Jonge and Mrs. Jack De Jonge; Mrs. Paul Barkel and Mrs. Kenneth Vander Zwaag; Miss Beatrice Smith, Mrs. Clyde Bolt, and Mrs. Harold Branderhorst; and Mrs. Fred Beemman.

'Funny Girl' Successful Production at Zeeland

By Michael Anthony

Nobody rained on Fanny Brice's parade as "Funny Girl" opened Thursday night at Zeeland High.

Lili Taylor was exceptional in her portrayal of Fanny Brice, the Ziegfeld Follies star. She dominated the stage with her fast delivery of comic lines. Not only was Lili Taylor poised in her acting, but her singing was good. She handled such numbers as "People," "Don't Rain on my Parade," and "Sadie, Sadie, Married Lady" quite well.

The rest of the cast did a fine job in complimenting Lili Taylor's performance. Jeff Machiele played the role of Nick Arnerstein, Fanny's lover; Bev Vanden Bosch was Fanny's mother; and Chris Van Hoeven was Eddie Ryan, Fanny's close friend.

The scenery was simple and effective. Shifting to the different sections of the stage, the scene changes were executed quickly. Costuming was well done and typified the era shortly before and after World War I.

The entire company — the cast, the production crews, and the musical accompanists — performed a light, fast moving

production filled with humor and music. And when Lili Taylor as Fanny Brice sings "I'm the Greatest Star," she is not kidding.

Homes of Two Ministers Rifled During Church

The homes of two ministers were burglarized Sunday night while the families were in church.

Police said between \$40 and \$50 was reported missing from the home of the Rev. Tenis Van Kooten, 14 East 14th St. while two silver dollars were missing from the home of the Rev. Fred Van Houten, 77 East 29th St.

Officers said thieves entered the Van Kooten house by forcing open a window to a rear bathroom. Entry to the Van Houten home was through a side porch door. Both houses had been ransacked.

The Rev. Van Kooten is pastor of the 14th St. Christian Reformed Church with the Rev. Van Houten is pastor of the Ninth Street Christian Reformed Church.



Mrs. Jack Allen Ziel

(Kleinhekel photo)

Leisure Acres Is Setting For Ziel-Schepel Rites

Wedding vows of Miss Marla Jo Schepel and Jack Allen Ziel were solemnized Saturday evening at Leisure Acres. The Rev. Marvin Potter performed the rites while Dennis Schepel was guitarist and Sue Stevenson was soloist.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schepel, 1695 South Shore Dr., and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Perin, route 2, Hamilton.

The bride wore a floor-length empire gown of white ribbon lace having long sleeves with lace ruffle and buttons down the front and a detachable train of the same lace. A camelot headpiece held her train-length veil and she carried a nosegay of white roses and baby's breath.

Miss Linda Meyer, maid of honor, wore a red velvet empire gown with white satin tie

and cuffs and a matching headpiece with elbow-length veil. She carried a nosegay of red roses and baby's breath.

Linda Haverdink was the bride's personal attendant.

William Veldhoff was the groom's best man while Kevin Schepel and Roger Ziel were ushers.

A reception followed at Leisure Acres with Dennis Schepel and Marlene Konyonenbelt at punch bowl and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Vander Kolk in the gift room.

The newlyweds will make their home at 7½ East 23rd St. The bride is a hairdresser at Margret's of Holland and the groom is a student at State Technological Institute in Plainwell and employed by Hart and Cooley.

HATS OFF!

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A great effort by the workers and cooperation by residents has enabled Holland's United Fund Campaign to exceed its goal for 1972. We tip our hat to the generous people who have donated their time and money to make this year's campaign such a great success.

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Joanne Cook Is Bride Of Douglas Windemuller



Mrs. Douglas Windemuller

United in marriage Saturday noon in Bethany Christian Reformed Church were Miss Joanne Patricia Cook and Douglas Windemuller. The Rev. Harvey Baas officiated while Mrs. George Brink was organist and Rick Van Hey was soloist. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cook, 516 Lawrence St., Zeeland, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Windemuller, 15790 Greenly St., Holland.

The bride was attired in a white satin empire gown trimmed with blue velvet ribbon on a white lace bodice and lace cuffs. Her long train veil was attached to a light blue velvet headpiece. She carried an orchid surrounded by blue and lavender carnations.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Steven Cook, and the bridesmaid, Susan Windemuller, were attired in gowns with navy blue velvet bodices and light blue crepe skirts with matching headpieces and carried three long-stemmed carnations tied with navy velvet ribbon. Similarly attired was the flower-girl, Sheryl Cook, who carried a basket of carnations. Mary Walters was the bride's personal attendant.

John Mattias was the groom's best man while Ken Lawrence was groomsman. Ushers were Brian Cook and Ken Westebroek and ringbearer was Billy Ver Hey.

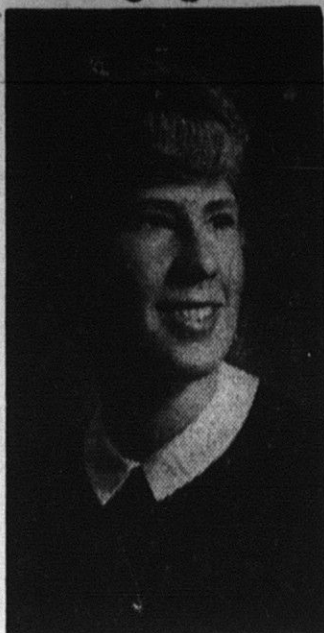
The Blue Room of the Hotel Warm Friend was the setting for the reception. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhoda presided as master and mistress of ceremonies while Diane Cook and Diane Windemuller attended the punch bowl. Rick Smith and Kathy Peters were in the gift room and Debbie Windemuller and Jack Dykstra were at the guest book.

Following a northern wedding trip, the couple will reside at 751 Riley St.

The bride is employed by Prince Mfg. and the groom by Lear Siegler, Inc.

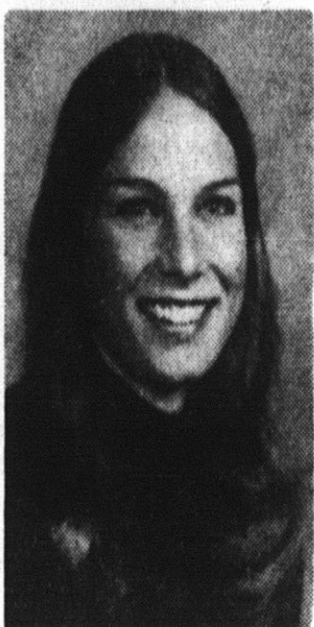
A rehearsal dinner was given by the groom's parents at Jay's Restaurant.

Engaged



Miss Linda Mae Hemmeke

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hemmeke, 803 Pine Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Mae, to Robert Jay Dozeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Dozeman, route 3.

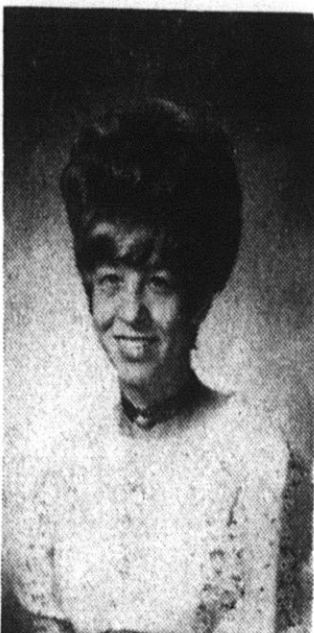


Miss Nancy Ann Roberts

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Roberts, 274 North Division, announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Ann, to Dan C. Bauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland L. Bauer, 897 Ottawa Beach Rd.

Miss Roberts is a first grade teacher at Lowell and Mr. Bauer is associated with the Robertshaw Corp.

A winter wedding is being planned.



Miss Linda Lee Phelps

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Melhorn, 12900 James St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Lee Phelps, to Clark Harman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Harman Sr. of Breezy Point Dr., Allegan.

A March 3 wedding is being planned.

Maplewood Has Guild Meeting

The Maplewood Reformed Church Guild for Christian Service met Tuesday evening in the Fellowship Lounge. Mrs. Lambert Haveman, president, opened with an appropriate thought and welcomed members and guests.

The Meeting was opened with the singing of Christmas carols. The Shepherd's Story was the topic of Mrs. Arthur Worthy's devotions.

Special music for the evening was Laurie Van Dam of Muskegon who sang "O Holy Night" and "Oh, Come Let Us Adore Him," accompanied by Mrs. Charles Stark.

Mrs. Paul Colenbrander conducted the installation of the new officers. Mrs. Harold Franken presented Mrs. Haveman with a gift in appreciation of her work.

Mrs. Arnold Brink of Burton Heights presented a book report on "The Song of the Angels" by Henry Kendall Both. She accompanied appropriate music of that day by way of records.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Jerald Nyhuis, Mrs. John Lam, Frieda Folkert, Mrs. Robert Van Voorst, Mrs. John Haveman, Mrs. Justin Johnson, Mrs. Charles Ter Horst and Mrs. Ronald Dreyer.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Wednesday were William Meyer, Ann Brummel, Kathy Vanden Brink, George Steffens, Gerrit Groenewoud, Matthew Alm-gren, Charles Baker, Nancy Mc Vickar, Jean Browning, Grace Ter Horst and Floyd Sperry.

Discharged Wednesday were Frances Overweg and baby, Betty Raak, Karlene S. Stack and baby, Elaine Veldheer and

More Cold Forecast for Tonight

Mercury Dips to -7 Here Early Today

The mercury dipped to -7 early today as Holland was caught in the throes of a cold wave that swept across the midwest to the east coast, dipping down as far as the Carolinas.

Another inch of snow fell overnight for a depth of 2½ inches on the ground. It was -6 at 6 a.m. but by 11 a.m. the temperature had risen to 12.

The outlook for tonight is still very cold with temperatures zero to 10 above, but Friday is expected to be warmer with some snow likely and temperatures in the 22-31 range.

Temperatures hit sub-zero over much of the midwest and many areas had five inches of

new snow.

Hardest hit area in Michigan was along the I-75 freeway where dozens of auto accidents occurred including one seven-vehicle pileup in zero visibility.

Sault Ste. Marie had strong northwesterly winds with peak gusts of 51 miles per hour. Grand Rapids, Battle Creek, Lansing and Jackson all had -2 readings. Coldest spot in the state was -5 at Marquette and coldest spot in the nation was Glasgow, Mont., with -28. Key West, Fla., had a balmy 76 degrees.

Other low readings in Holland this year were -16 Jan. 16 and -12 Feb. 10.

Women Employees Of Parke-Davis Hold Yule Party

Nearly 60 women attended the annual Parke-Davis Girls Christmas party held at the Holiday Inn Monday evening.

After dinner, the group was entertained by Randy Johnson who played his guitar and sang several folk songs, including one of his own compositions.

Mrs. Wilma De Graaf then read three selections from a Yankee Dutch book. She made the stories even more humorous by adding a touch of her Dutch accent.

Prizes were presented throughout the evening and went to Bertie Dykema, Gerlie Ritsma, Nicki Compagner, Alice Vander Wolde, Edna Nash, Julia Caauwe, Dawn Dornan, Lois Van Bragt, Helen Delsi, Eleanor Pathuis, Ella Zone, Joyce Menken, E. J. Snodgrass, Jenny Wilson, Doris Faber, Jean McCormick, Jenny Oisten, Evelyn Palmer, Bernie Michielson, Wilma De Graaf, Gene De Vries, Jo Bosman and Gloria Hardy.

The evening ended with Lorraine Strong and Jean Overkamp leading the singing of Christmas carols while the group exchanged Christmas gifts.

Zutphen

Ladies Aid met Wednesday with 19 present. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Tena Zwiers and Mrs. Lucille Van Noord.

Congregational meeting was held Dec. 4. Nominated for elders were Ted Woltjer, Henry Visser, Maime Van Noord and Herbert Heyboer. Deacons nominees were: Roger Vander Kolk, Clarence Krauze, Don Hoppen and Fred Ensink. Van Noord and Heyboer were elected elders and Vander Kolk and Hoppen, deacons.

Communion will be held Dec. 10 morning and evening.

The Rev. John Breuker led the service Sunday morning.

Ed De Groot attended church again Sunday after his car accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Heyboer and family moved to their new house recently, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Heyboer moved into their former house.

List Two Baby Girls In Holland, Zeeland

A daughter, Brandi Michelle, was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kleinheksel, 131½ West 19th St., in Holland Hospital.

In Zeeland Hospital on Wednesday it was a daughter, Cherie Lynn, born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weatherwax, 1544 Center St., Zeeland.

Backs Into Auto

A car driven by Anne Gail Tardiff, 36, of 1580 Perry St., stopped westbound along 24th St. 100 feet west of Michigan Ave. Wednesday at 11:03 a.m. was struck by a car operated by Faith Marie Bruijschart, 27, of 2480 142nd Ave. which backed into the front of the Tardiff auto.

babies, Gloria F. Vander Zwaag and baby, Carolyn Sue Keuning and baby, Bernard Kammeraad, Jimmie Ferrell, Ardale Schrotenboer and baby, William Gross, Kathleen Kuiper and baby, Beth Dreyer and Rebecca Riemink.

10 Men Arrested On Marijuana

Nine young men identified as Hope college students were among ten persons arrested by Holland police Wednesday night in raids that followed a four-month investigation into alleged drug abuses. All were arraigned in District Court where they demanded examination and bonds were set at \$2,000 each.

The ten were arrested on warrants charging sale or conspiracy to sell a controlled substance, marijuana. Police said a quantity of marijuana was recovered.

The arrests were made at various locations in the city, including some on the Hope college campus.

Charged with sale of marijuana were John Stoup, 20, of Huntington Woods, Mich.; Dave Eischens, 19, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Bruce Darwin, 22, 335 Lincoln Ave.; John Dykema, 22, Norton Shores, Mich.; Michael Kalik, 18, Farmington, Mich.; Peter Brown, 20, of New Jersey; William Jones, 19, Lakewood, N. Y., and Kenneth Merte, 18, of Ann Arbor.

Charged with conspiracy to deliver was James Peace, 20, of Glenview, Ill., while Stephen Sheets, 19, of Pottstown, Pa., was charged with possession with intent to deliver.

All but Peace were listed as Hope college students. Examinations for the ten were scheduled Dec. 12.

Man Caught In Farm Machinery More Than Hour

William J. Meyer, 37, of 471 East Eighth St., his arm caught for more than one hour in farm machinery, was listed in "good" condition today in Holland Hospital with left arm injuries.

Ottawa County deputies said Meyer was working on his father's farm in Holland Township when he got his arm caught in the manure spreader near the power take-off.

Meyer's jacket and shirt were ripped off by the machine and he was pinned in the machine for more than an hour before a neighbor discovered him.

Parts of the machine had to be cut free by cutting torches to release Meyer. He was taken to Holland Hospital where he was admitted with exposure and arm injuries.

Hoop and Shoot Contest Slated In Civic Center

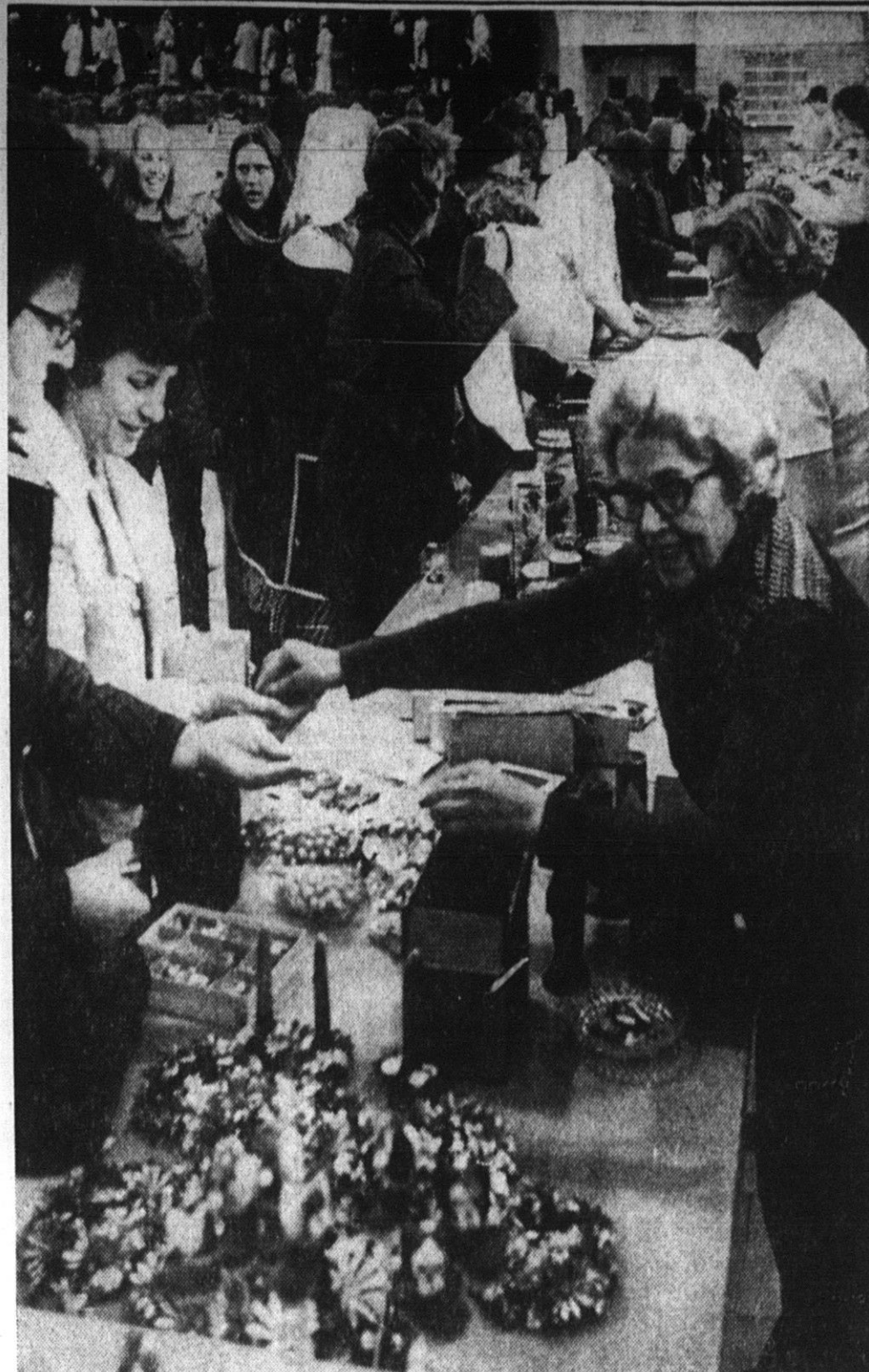
The first annual Elks Club Hoop and Shoot will be held in the Civic Center Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m., according to Mike Lawson, director.

All area boys aged eight through 13 are eligible to compete in the contest.

The boys will be shooting 25 free throws with the winners in three age groups receiving trophies.

A state competition for area winners is planned during February at a Detroit Piston home game.

Registration for the competition will begin Saturday at 1 p.m.



ATTEND HOLIDAY WORKSHOP — Hundreds of Holland area women attended the all-day workshop in Civic Center today sponsored by the Holland Garden Club. Shown here is the activity at one of the tables where arrangements were displayed. The entire floor of the Civic was busy with

materials, greens, candles, ribbons and everything women want and need to make their holiday decorations. Shown here at the right is Mrs. J.D. Jencks of the Garden Club telling a prospective customer about the materials.

(Sentinel photo)



25 YEARS OF SERVICE — Howard Miller (center), president of the Howard Miller Clock Co. of Zeeland, presented watches to James Schout (left) and Harvey Clem-

ents (right) for 25 years of service to the company. Presentation was made at the annual Christmas Appreciation dinner Tuesday night in Zeeland Christian School.

(De Vries Studio photo)

Clock Company Has Christmas Party in School

ZEELAND — A total of 220 employees including retirees and guests attended the annual Christmas Appreciation dinner of the Howard Miller Clock Co. of Zeeland Tuesday night in Zeeland Christian School.

President Miller reviewed progress of the past year and reviewed goals and objectives of the new year. He presented watches to Harvey Crements and James Schout for 25 years of continuous services. Henry Smith who retired this month also was honored.

Highlight of the evening was a program of musical comedy by Charles Gregory, a professional comedian. Andy Slager served as master of ceremonies.

Greeters were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Schutte, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Becksfort, Russ Wolbers and Ruth Kruitthof. Serving at the punch bowl were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Northouse, Ed Wolters and Debby Bykerk.

On the banquet committee were Rick Vander Jagt, Dorothy Lampen, Wanda Prins, Clara Mae Brown, Jack Nort-

house and David Osterhaven, chairman.

Couple Receives Degrees From Indiana University

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. David Rotman, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rotman, 54 Scotts Dr., have been awarded graduate degrees from Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind.

Mrs. Rotman earned a Master of Science from the School of Education. She teaches second grade in Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. Rotman earned a Master of Arts in Mathematics from Graduate School. He attended on a National Fellowship Grant and teaches in senior high in Elkhart Memorial High School. Mr. Rotman is a former Sentinel carrier and a graduate of West Ottawa High School.

Money Said Missing

Holland police said \$110 in change and currency was missing from a cash box at the Good Samaritan Center, 20 West 15th St., Friday or Saturday and reported Wednesday.

The ancient Egyptians commonly shaved except when in mourning.

Worthless Checks Cashed in Holland

Holland police said worthless checks written against a Jackson trucking firm have been cashed at several locations in Holland the past few weeks.

Police said two of the checks dated Nov. 24 and valued at more than \$100 each have been returned marked "account closed." Police said as many as eight other checks could have been cashed in Holland.

The payroll checks were against the "Giant Trucking Co., 606 Blackstone, Jackson, Mich."

Good Samaritan Center Hosts Christmas Luncheon

The women of the homemaking class at the Good Samaritan Center held a Christmas luncheon at the Center on Monday.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Gilbert Van Wylen who talked with the women about the joys, frustrations and responsibilities of being a mother.

Mrs. James Joldersma led in devotions and Mrs. Augustin Chamezo sang Christmas carols in Spanish. Chairman of the day's activities was Mrs. Renze Hoeksema.

North Holland

Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Zwaag are the parents of Ryan Jon born Saturday, Dec. 2, at Holland Hospital. The Vander Zwaags live at 12445 New Holland Street.

Mrs. Leon Jordan had major surgery at Zeeland Community Hospital last week. She continues to be a patient there.

Mrs. Paul Andrews returned to her home from Holland Hospital Monday. She was a patient there for over two weeks after being injured in an automobile accident.

Bernard Bosman was taken to Holland Hospital Saturday. He had planned to undergo surgery Tuesday, but surgery has been delayed. He has had several blood transfusions.

The R.C.Y.F. young people held an appreciation dinner for their parents and others who helped with their booth at the Ottawa County Fair this summer. The supper was held Saturday night at the church with a Dutch motif. The girls who served were dressed in Dutch costumes. The menu consisted of tomaat sap, Kaakjes met kaas, erwten soep, so y en broodjes, ham broodjes, fruit slatje, and appel gebak. Mark Miersma read Psalm 23 in the Dutch language. A program was held following the dinner.

A gift was presented to the sponsors of the group last year.

Dr. Alfred Pennings, missionary from Arabia, will speak at the Sunday morning worship service and also during the Sunday School hour.

The Rev. Harvey Hoekstra who did not speak at a previous date scheduled will speak at the Sunday evening service on Dec. 31.

The R.C.Y.F. group is sponsoring a program at the church Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Featured will be "The Connections" a well-known YFC group.

The school Christmas program will be held on Thursday, Dec. 21.

Work is progressing well on the new educational unit at the local church. Plans are to have it completed by the end of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brouwer were notified last week of the death of their niece's husband, Jack Mapley, 45, in Pontiac. Funeral services were held Friday.

Vriesland

Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Ozinga and children Connie, John and William had their church membership transferred from Faith Reformed in Zeeland to Vriesland Reformed Church. They live on Riley Street here.

Wade Slaght, Chuck Kamps,

Zeeland First Guild Holds Christmas Meet

The Guild for Christian Service of First Reformed Church, Zeeland, held its Christmas meeting, Tuesday.

Following Bible study, Mrs. Lawrence Smith welcomed those attending and conducted the business meeting. Mrs. William De Witt led in devotions, reading the Christmas Story.

The program "The Birthday of a King" was presented by the Melody Six and concluded by the reading of a Christmas poem by Mrs. Dennis Wyngarden.

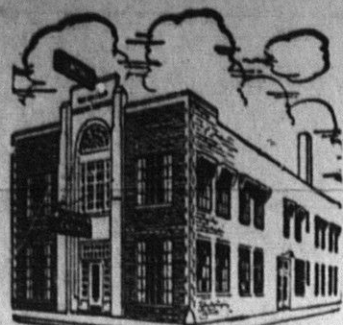
Lunch was served from a Christmas buffet with Mrs. Ronald Geschwendt and Mrs. Jacob Prins pouring. The committee included Mrs. James Gorter, Mrs. Mitchell Zuverink, Mrs. De Witt, Mrs. John Zwylghuizen, Mrs. Arie Van Dyke and Mrs. Jerene Meeuwse.

Mrs. Gertrude Hamelink Feted on 80th Birthday

Mrs. Gertrude Hamelink was honored on her 80th birthday with a dinner and party at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bernard Poppema.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brown, Miss Clara May Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Hamelink and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Poppema.

Mrs. Hamelink is now residing at Sylvan Dell Nursing Home in Grand Haven.



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A COMMON COMPLAINT

Reports seem to indicate that there are many people who constantly complained of never getting done each day all the work they'd like to do. The psychologist, the late Wendell Johnson, perhaps best remembered for his best-seller book "People in Quandaries" avers that in our culture there are millions of such people.

Without in any sense wanting to write a paean in praise of indolence, perhaps this type of person might be brought to a sense of reality and might profit from what Johnson has to say of and to such people.

He writes: "Why should they want to? What is it they are going to do when they get all their work done? What are they going to do when they have their desks all cleared? When they have their time all scheduled, their habits all formed, their beliefs all settled, their papers neatly filed—then what?"

It is no doubt well on the one hand for us to plan the work of every day as well as one's life's work. But on the other hand, it is always well to avoid being strait-jacketed into rigidity and to fail to make allowance for flexibility in the planned routine when circumstances warrant, as they often do.



Mrs. Henry Wells Sprouse Jr.

Arla Kae Ziers Becomes Bride Of Henry W. Sprouse

Miss Arla Kae Ziers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ziers of Hudsonville, became the bride of Henry Wells Sprouse Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Sprouse Sr. of Channelview, Texas, on Nov. 5.

They spoke their vows at Faith Presbyterian Reformed Church, Agana, Guam, amid a tropical setting. The Rev. Henry Dykema performed the ceremony.

The couple's attendants were Miss Carol Schaver and Gerrit Schuring.

The new Mrs. Sprouse is a graduate of Calvin College and attended graduate courses at Augustana College, Sioux Falls, S. Dak. She has taught at Hope Haven School for the Handicapped, Rock Valley, Iowa; Inarajan Elementary School, Inarajan, Guam, and is presently teaching at the Wetengel Elementary School, Dedo, Guam.

Mr. Sprouse is presently on active duty with the U. S. Navy and assigned to Attack Squadron 215 aboard the aircraft carrier USS Oriskany. He is a petty officer, third class, avionics electronics technician and a graduate of many Navy electronics schools. He is a Vietnam combat veteran, having flown many combat missions and earned his air crew wings, air medal and a meritorious citation in combat. Mr. Sprouse has also flown weather reconnaissance with VQ-1 and electronic warfare with VQ-1 stationed on Guam. He is presently a member of a nuclear weapons team.

Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, Dec. 10
A Nation Against God
Jeremiah 5:21-25, 29-31
By C. P. Dame

Some individuals are against God which is tragic, but it is more tragic when a whole nation is against Him. Jeremiah, the prophet, preached for years trying to turn a nation to God but he failed. It is the task of Christian people to influence our nation and to seek to win it for God.

I. Spiritual blindness causes waywardness. The lesson text is a part of the message which Jeremiah gave when the godly Josiah ruled. The address begins at 3:6 and ends at the close of chapter 6. The people had been influenced by the outward revival but the people, although they worshiped in the Temple, did not live consecrated lives. The prophet compared the nation to an adulterous wife who gave herself to other men. The nation was in a covenant relationship with God but instead of serving and worshipping Him they turned to idols. The prophet accused the nation of spiritual adultery.

The conduct of the people showed that they were foolish and without understanding. God had given them good laws which if kept would bring blessings, but they rejected them and fell for the easy ways of idolatry. If people know the good way and reject it, they will suffer for it. The Jews of Jeremiah's day had eyes but they did not see and ears but they did not hear—they had the faculties to recognize what was important but they did not use them. Already Israel, the neighboring nation, had been carried into captivity due to its sin and Judah, the nation to which Jeremiah preached, was headed for the same destiny. The nation knew, but did not do.

II. God deserves to be honored. In Old Testament times fearing God was stressed. In the past, much was said about having a holy awe in the heart for God. The word "fear" is misunderstood by some—it really means to have regard for God because of His majesty and greatness. Jeremiah calls attention to God's power in nature. The sea obeys God but the nation rebelled against Him who gives the rain and a harvest which they thought were controlled by Baal. God gave them harvests when they obeyed Him but withheld blessings when they sinned.

III. A holy God punishes sin. "Shall I not visit for these things?" God did not like to punish His people but He had to do it because a transgression of the law is a personal affront to His holiness. Israel had already been punished; Judah's turn was coming. This is a moral universe and this means that we cannot do as we please. In Jeremiah's day the people on the whole were idolatrous. The religious leaders failed grievously. The prophets prophesied falsely and the priests too failed; both leaders were concerned about themselves and not about the people, and they, the people, liked it that way.

What about the modern church? Does the church want to hear about cross-bearing and repentance or about an easy-going religion? Godliness is a blessing to the nation. It is one of the tasks of the church to promote godliness which fosters righteousness and truth.

Showers Fete Kathy Potter

Miss Kathy Potter was guest of honor at a bridal shower Thursday evening given by her aunt, Mrs. Roger Potter, in her home in Grandville. The shower was done in an Hawaiian atmosphere. Hawaiian music was played and each guest was given a lei. Hawaiian food was also served.

Attending were the Mesdames Kenneth Potter, William Potter, Tom Walma, Con Boeve, Al De Vries, Steven Walma, Keith Potter and the Misses Sherlene and Sheryl Walma, Gwen Judy, Janice, Kim and Kristi Potter and Cindy Boeve.

Miss Potter will become the bride of Brian Boeve on Dec. 22.

A luncheon on Nov. 11 in the Festival Room of the Hotel Warm Friend was also given in her honor with 24 guests present. It was hosted by Miss Potter's grandmother, Mrs. Phillip Longstreet, and her aunt, Mrs. Harvey Sakkers. They were assisted by Mrs. Keith Potter and Kim Potter.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Tuesday were Marie Bradham, Betty Raak, Delwyn Kelis, Dan Kline, Jesse Merriweather, Newel Givens, Floyd Durham, Tamara Kindig, Alvin Fugleth and Donald Maxwell.

Discharged Tuesday were Dorothy Barkel, Phyllis Laninga, George Le Poire, Joseph Hallacy, Tommy Arens, Mary Lopez, Woodrow Ridgeway, Brian Vliem, Grace Helder, Sally Ponstein and baby, Conrada Gracia, Belen Morin, Abigail Quintero, Philip Vanitil and Marlene Smith and baby.



HOPE COLLEGE CHRISTMAS VESPERS — Dimnent Memorial Chapel was filled with overflow crowds three times Sunday for the 31st annual Christmas vespers presented by musical organizations of Hope College. This picture shows the College Chorus and Orchestra with Carroll

Lehman directing. Chairmen were Dr. Anthony Kooiker and Roger Rietberg and the Rev. William Hillegonds was presiding minister. Participating were the College Chorus, the Chapel Choir, Women's and Men's Choirs, the brass ensemble and orchestra. (Hope College photo)

Engaged



Miss Lavonne Kay Gruppen

The engagement of Miss Lavonne Kay Gruppen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Gruppen, 2466 Sierra Dr., Zeeland, to Howard J. Blacquiere, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blacquiere, 29 East Main St., Zeeland, is announced.

Miss Gruppen attended Ferris State College and is employed at Bolks Accounting Service. Mr. Blacquiere was graduated from Ferris State College and is employed at John Thomas Batts.

A June 7 wedding is being planned.

List 5 New Babies In Three Hospitals

Included in today's hospital births are two in Holland, two in Zeeland and one in Douglas.

Holland Hospital births Tuesday were a daughter, Tricia Renee, born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Haist, 531 West 20th St.; a son, Kirk Michael, born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Assink, 13275 Tyler St.

In Zeeland Hospital on Tuesday it was a daughter, Rachel Lynn, born to Mr. and Mrs. James Korf, 2620 Wyoming Ave., Wyoming; a son, Chad William, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thurkettle, 10100 68th Ave., Allendale.

A daughter, Stephanie Michelle, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanders, 262 North Shore Dr., South Haven, on Monday in Community Hospital, Douglas.

Study Examines Traffic Problems

By Michael Anthony

Aware of the necessity of the automobile, yet conscious of the problems created by the automobile, the city of Holland has undertaken a study to examine the present and future traffic trends in Holland. The study titled "A Comprehensive Street Plan" is only in the preliminary draft.

The members of the study group are Terry Hoffmeyer, assistant to the City Manager; Dale Wyngarden, Planning Commission; Gordon Heidenga, City Engineer's office; Ken Gebben, Police Department; and Dick Brandt, Fire Chief. The group worked under the premise "that through sound planning, the adverse effect of vehicular movement can be, if not abated, at least minimized."

The first consideration of the study group was the impact of the new highway, Interstate 196. More important for Holland than the mere volumes of traffic are the patterns that will form from the new interchange with the highway. The report indicates that most Holland bound traffic will exit at M-40, and none at the southwest interconnection where no provision is made for turning north on US-31 from southbound I-196.

The impact of increased traffic on M-40 and East 16th St. makes it necessary to consider what courses of action can be taken. The study group proposes the following for East 16th St.: 1) "an effort should be made to maintain a two-lane rural highway with no parking and carefully controlled access through planned residential developments," and 2) right-of-way "should be sought through voluntary dedication and if future road expansion becomes necessary, consideration should be given to a residentially enhancing landscaped boulevard."

In regard to the future of M-40 the study group concurs with the Master Plan of the Michigan State Highway Department which "projects a re-routing of M-40 along Waverly Rd. and an interconnection of this route and US-31 in the vicinity of 24th St."

Although I-196 may effect the inbound and outbound traffic of the city, no change is expected

in the internal traffic of the city as a result of the new highway.

For almost a century the city of Holland used the checker-board or gridiron system for its street patterns. During the city's early period of growth this pattern was important. The system provided for a systematic numbering of houses and streets, allowed for easy identification of properties, and gave the community a sense of order.

However, following World War II a "radical change" was instituted in the area. The change was in the southwest corner of town and called for the curving of some streets and the dead-ending of some others. The area is presently referred to as the Wildwood Subdivision.

This transformation in street design lends itself to the topographical features of the neighborhood, slows down traffic passing through the residential area, and makes for "a more aesthetically pleasing residential environment." The group recommends that the future developers be encouraged to design streets in a similar fashion.

The program for existing streets is based on the premise that "keeping the inner city viable means coping with cars and trucks." No change in the existing streets seems likely "except in the event of massive renewal project."

Since the system of existing streets will probably not be altered "the key to protecting existing residential areas lies first in providing a well developed and maintained network of arterial streets." Arterial streets are intended to move large volumes of traffic from one area to another with ease. By keeping a workable system of arterial streets, residential areas would remain relatively free of heavy volumes of traffic.

The study group calls for a few specific proposals to improve residential areas and eliminate dangerous intersections. The report suggests that the intersection at State, 32nd, and Lincoln Sts. be closed and State St. traffic re-routed.

Another component of the group's plan would protect community institutions. The closing of streets in the Hope College area would be beneficial to the college community and another example cited by the group is at the Washington school, where 11th St. separates the school from its playground.

This comprehensive street plan would also provide for alternative places for bicycles and pedestrians. Within the central portion of the city a network of sidewalks connects most blocks and in other areas with little traffic there is no necessity of sidewalks. Where the need for sidewalks is essential is along the major streets of the city. To benefit the community the group feels "that the installation of walks and trails be unified into a community wide system."

"Trucking is inextricably interwoven into the economic health and well-being of the Holland area." The study indicates that there are three broad courses of action.

The first would be to eliminate all designated truck routes and work on the assumption that the trucks would seek out the fastest means available to reach their destination. The second alternative is to allow trucks on all the arterial streets. The thought behind this plan is that most of the businesses are located along the major arterial routes. The third plan calls for specified truck routes only. This plan would allow the city to designate which streets were suited for truck usage.

Clear cut and simple as these plans may appear, each has its faults. The study group feels that the first plan to eliminate all routes would open up the city to trucking everywhere and they question the merit of such a plan. At the same time to limit trucks to specific routes would imply that some of the arterial streets are not suited for truck usage. The recommendation of the study group is that "truck routes coincide with the major arterial street designations" with deviation allowed only when necessary.

Many functions are commonly shared by all streets within the community street system. Among these functions are providing "access to approximately 10,000 real estate parcels," providing "easement for both underground and overhead utility services," allowing "for easy and positive identification and location of structures," providing "a spatial separation" between land areas and "creation of an aesthetically pleasing environment."

The streets of Holland are diverse. Some streets are designed for high volumes of traffic, others serve primarily to provide access to residences. The nature of the streets in Holland is important. By defining what classification the street is one may determine what sort

Panthers Beat Lakers For 1st Win of Season

The West Ottawa swimming team chalked up its first victory of the season, dunking the Spring Lake Lakers, 52-43 Tuesday evening in the West Ottawa Natatorium.

The Panthers opened the meet in second spot and slowly inched their way toward the Lakers, taking the lead for the first time with only one event remaining in the competition.

Lacking depth this season, the young Panther squad stroked for eight first places, but failed to score many seconds and thirds.

Two dual winners for the Panthers aided the point cause, as Fred Nelis ran away with honors in the 200-yard freestyle, and returned for first in the 100-yard freestyle.

Steve Zavadi, copped the other dual victory, registering first places in the 50-yard freestyle and the butterfly. Zavadi and Nelis combined with Dave Beckman and Ken Hamstra to post first place in the winning event of the meet, the 400-yard freestyle relay, with a time of 3:43.2.

Sophomore diver Mat Johnson maneuvered off the boards with first place with 188.75 points.

Snatching first places in the specialty strokes, Scott Kamps churned for top honors in the backstroke, while Jon Van Als-

burg posted first in the breaststroke.

Coach Henry Reest's Panthers, now 1-1 in dual meet competition, will travel to Jenison Thursday for a 7 p.m. meet.

Results in order of finish:
200-yard medley relay—Spring Lake (Matthewson, Kossuth, O. Kane, Balkema). Time 1:53.4.
200-yard freestyle—F. Nelis (WO), Veneklasen (SL), Mohrhardt (SL). Time 2:00.6.

200-yard individual medley—O. Kane (SL), Harring (SL), K. Nelis (WO). Time 2:27.7.

50-yard freestyle—Zavadi (WO), Chittenden (SL), Balkema (SL). Time :24.0.

Diving—Johnson (WO), Ernst (SL), Wiley (WO). Points 188.75.

100-yard butterfly—Zavadi (WO), O. Kane (SL), Muusse (SL). Time 1:05.0.

100-yard freestyle—F. Nelis (WO), D. Beckman (WO), Chittenden (SL). Time :53.4.

400-yard freestyle—Veneklasen (SL), Mohrhardt (SL), K. Nelis (WO). Time 4:29.9.

100-yard backstroke—Kamps (WO), Matthewson (SL), Boone (WO). Time 1:05.1.

100-yard breaststroke—Van Allsburg (WO), T. Beckman (WO), Kossuth (SL). Time 1:10.8.

400-yard freestyle relay—West Ottawa (Zavadi, F. Nelis, D. Beckman, Hamstra). Time 3:43.2.

Holland Loses 1st Swim Meet to Bears, 54-40

The Holland High swimming team absorbed its first defeat of the season, sinking 54-40 at the hands of the St. Joseph Bears Tuesday evening in the Holland Community Pool.

The Dutch opened the meet in first place, but slowly lost ground, as the Bears tied the score after three events, and pulled ahead just before the diving competition.

Swimming on the first place medley relay team, John Vande Bunte, Peter Boven, Steve Van Wylen and Jack Beukema clocked a 1:52.1.

Distance man Dave Ter Haar snatched a decisive victory in the 400-yard freestyle while sprinting for first place in the 100-yard freestyle, John Vande Bunte recorded a :52.2.

Double teaming the Bears in the backstroke, Tim Houting and Bruce Wyckoff combined for the one-two punch with times of 1:03.9 and 1:07.5 respectively.

According to Coach Tom Bos the weak spot in the Dutch lineup is the lack of divers as they are forced to forfeit all points in that competition so far this season.

The Dutch are now 2-1 in dual meet competition and will travel to Grand Haven to face the

Buccaneers Tuesday, Dec. 12 at 7 p.m.

Results in order of finish:
200-yard medley relay: Holland (Vande Bunte, Boven, Van Wylen, Beukema). St. Joseph (Miller, Kinney, Zimmerman, Boerma). Time 1:52.1.

200-yard freestyle: Stieb (SJ), Ter Haar (H) Houting (H), Ter Haar (H). Time 1:57.5.

200-yard individual medley: Barlow (SJ), Van Wylen (H), Zimmerman (SJ). Time 2:11.4.

50-yard freestyle: Grootenhorst (SJ), Beukema (H), Beedon (H). Time :23.9.

Diving: Andrews (SJ), Humbert (SJ). Points 151.25.

100-yard backstroke: Houting (SJ), Van Wylen (H), Boerma (SJ). Time :57.5.

100-yard freestyle: Vande Bunte (H), Gary (SJ), Stieb (SJ). Time :52.2.

400-yard freestyle: Ter Haar (H), Kimmerly (SJ), Derks (H). Time 4:18.4.

(H), Wyckoff (H), Miller (SJ). Time 1:03.9.

100-yard breaststroke: Kinney (SJ), Boerma (SJ), Boven (H). Time 1:10.9.

400-yard freestyle relay: St. Joseph (Grootenhorst, Stieb, Gary, Barlow), Holland (Beedon, Houting, Wyckoff, Ter Haar). Time 3:36.7.

Mrs. J.A. Spoor Dies at Age 57

PONTIAC — Mrs. John A. (Geraldine H.) Spoor, 57, of Union Lake, a former Zeeland resident, died Sunday in Pontiac General Hospital following a long illness.

She is survived by her husband; two children, Mary of Pontiac and John O. at home; two sisters, Mabel Lanning of Denver, Colo., Viola Achterhof and a brother, Howard Lanning, both of Zeeland.

Birchwood 'Nite Owls' Hold Yule Luncheon

The Birchwood Manor Nursing Home "Nite Owls" had a Christmas luncheon at the Fintal Restaurant in Grand Rapids Friday.

Attending were the Mesdames Pearl Appleborn, Linda Behrens, Shirley Buscher, Helen Drnek, Judy Finck, Phyllis Glass, Hazel Hansen, Nancy La Chance, Lydia Prins, Vera Pullen, Donna Snoek, Bonnie Vanden Berg and Ginger Vandermolen. Unable to attend were Sandy Andrews, Linda Evenhouse and Cora Vanden Brink.

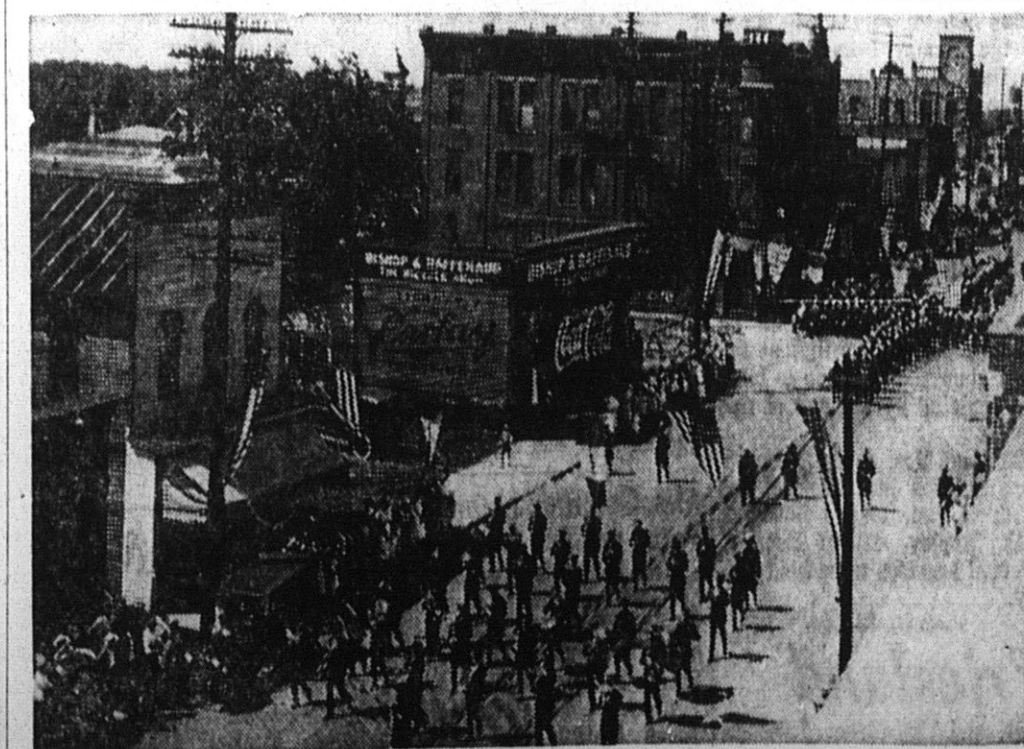
Following the luncheon, punch was served at the home of Mrs. Judy Finck, 3316 Butternut Dr. A gift exchange was also held.



SANTA CLAUS AT WORKSHOP—Debbie Drnek, 2½ years old, of 785 Columbia Ave., tells Santa Claus what she would like for Christmas during a visit to his workshop Tuesday night at 32 East Eighth St. next to Peoples State Bank. Santa Claus will be

on hand every night from 6 to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Dec. 23. His appearance is sponsored by downtown merchants. He arrived here riding on a fire truck Nov. 28.

(Sentinel photo)



OLDTIME PARADE IN HOLLAND — This parade scene is believed to be part of a huge Masonic parade in Holland during the early 1920's when the Masonic Temple (now the Temple Building) was dedicated in the post office block. Masonic orders

from all over the state converged on Holland and staged one of the longest parades in the history of the city. Note the old Buick parked at the curb on River Ave. This picture came from Henry Ver Hulst, 245 West 18th St.

Dutch Register 2nd Swim Win

The Holland High swimming team posted its second victory of the season, dunking the Godwin Wolverines, 69-25 Thursday evening in the Holland Community Pool.

Coached by Tom Bos, the Dutch opened the meet in first place in the medley relay, with Bruce Wyckoff, Peter Boven, Jim Beedon, and Jack Beukema churning for a 1:54.6.

Distance man Dave Ter Haar was once again a double winner for the Dutch as he snatched top honors in the 200 - yard freestyle and 400 - yard freestyle.

Stand - out Steve Van Wylen chipped away at his butterfly record to set the team record of :57.4 for first place, and put on an equally thrilling performance in the individual medley as he established a new team record of 2:11.9 for first place, with John Vande Bunte collecting second place awards.

In the sprint competition, Beukema recorded first place in the 50-yard freestyle and added second place points in the 100 - yard freestyle, behind teammate Vande Bunte in first in the 100.

Teaming up for first and second place points in the backstroke competition, Dan Houting and Wyckoff displayed a show of team rivalry in a close race with Houting landing on top with a 1:04.0 clocking.

In the final event of the meet, the Dutch were not to go out

quietly, as the freestyle relay team composed of Ter Haar, Houting, Van Wylen, and Vande Bunte eased away from the Wolverines to notch a 3:39.6 first place.

Results in order of finish: 200 - yard medley relay: Holland (Wyckoff, Boven, Beedon, Beukema), Godwin (Van Dyke, Avink, Swanson, Jenny). Time 1:54.6.

200 - yard freestyle: Ter Haar (H), Popma (G), Houting (H). Time 1:58.3.

200 - yard individual medley: Van Wylen (H), Vande Bunte (H), Swanson (G). Time 2:11.9 (team record).

50 - yard freestyle: Beukema (H), Beedon (H), Strobridge (G). Time :24.6.

Diving: Everitt (G), Robinson (G). Points 194.70.

100 - yard butterfly: Van Wylen (H), Beedon (H), Swanson (G). Time :57.4 (team record).

100 - yard freestyle: Vande Bunte (H), Beukema (H), Strobridge (G). Time :32.1.

400 - yard freestyle: Ter Haar (H), Popma (G), Derks (H). Time 4:16.5.

100 - yard backstroke: Houting (H), Wyckoff (H), Van Dyke (G). Time 1:04.0.

100 - yard breaststroke: Avink (G), Boven (H), O'Toole (G). Time 1:11.4.

400 - yard freestyle relay: Holland (Ter Haar, Houting, Van Wylen, Vande Bunte), Godwin (Strobridge, Jenny, Sealy, Popma). Time 3:39.6.



AT ROD AND CUSTOM SHOW — Paul De Jongh of Holland, and his friend Sue Baker put the finishing touches on Paul's car display at the Rod and Custom Car Show at McCormick place Friday in Chicago. Paul's wild car is called Roamer 1969 Meyers Tow'd.

(UPI telephoto)

Maroon Swimmers Drop Meet, 55-40

Grand Rapids Christian trimmed Holland Christian in a swimming meet Thursday in the Holland Community Pool, 55-40.

The loss was the second of the young season without any wins for Coach Jack Bannink's Maroons.

Bruce Los of the Maroons did establish a new school record in finishing third in the 400-yard freestyle with a 5:02.6 clocking.

Eric Cammenga won first place in diving while Dave Rozema was first in the 100-yard butterfly and Dave Visser, first in the 100-yard breaststroke.

Results in order of finish: Medley relay Grand Rapids Christian. Time 2:11.1.

200-yard freestyle—Oppen-

gen (GR), Los (H), Haveman (H). Time 2:14.5.

200 intermediate — Biersen (GR), Jensens (GR), Hoeksema (H). Time 2:38.1.

50-yard freestyle — Steenwyk (GR), De Vries (H), Spykerman (H). Time 25.1.

Diving—Cammenga (H), Lont (GR), Hoekstra (GR). Points 177.20.

100-yard butterfly — Rozema (H), Homkes (H), Bolvut (GR). Time 1:09.

400-yard freestyle — Oppenhuizen (GR), Jensens (GR), Los (H). Time 5:01.5.

100-yard backstroke — Elve (GR), Gates (GR), Bosman (H). Time 1:09.2.

100-yard breaststroke—Visser (H), Erickson (H), Noorman (GR). Time 7:17.9.

400 freestyle relay—GR Christian. Time 3:57.5.

Fluorescents Are Displayed in Slide Show at Meeting

The Nov. 29 meeting of the Tulip City Gem and Mineral Club was held at Van Raalte School with about 75 people attending.

Chet Smith, president, presided at the business meeting. The secretary's report was read. Proposed changes to the club constitution, by-law revision, were discussed.

Mrs. Al Vanderbush narrated the slide program created by A.V. Mullaly of Garden City. The Mid-West Federation Convention at Ishpeming this past summer had as one of its features almost continuous showings of this slide film feature.

Mr. Mullaly displays the 100-slide program on a dull black background, showing the specimens without and then with the ultraviolet light. Under normal lighting, the human eye examines objects of reflected light. In the case of fluorescence, there is practically no visible light from the ultraviolet source, thus the object that fluoresces is the source of light and color and does not reflect the light.

There are numerous other practical areas of use, such as police work, the medical field, invisible markings, the philatelist hobby, detection of forgeries and alterations in stamps, money and paintings, advertising, theatre, chemistry and prospecting for minerals such as scheelite.

Mrs. Vanderbush, a retired teacher, often visits the local schools with her rock collections and explains gems and minerals. The fluorescents are one of her favorites.

Al Nuttle displayed his museum quality fluorescents under black light. Many of Nuttle's specimens are no longer available. The reds, greens, purples and golds are most brilliant in most collections. Franklin, N.J., has proved to be a good collecting spot.

The Dec. 27 meeting will include slides from the group's field trips. Bob Sherwood, field trip chairman, asked members to contact him concerning slides they would like included in the program.

Prizes were won by Claude Lamoreaux, Grover Laach, Jake Visser and Mrs. Leach.

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. John Vande Wege, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Meara and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lake.

Hope Wins Opener As 6 Score 10 or More Points

Balanced scoring returned to the Hope College basketball team Saturday night in the season opener in the Civic Center, as the Flying Dutchmen burned Lake Forest to the tune of 96-60.

All five starters and one reserve hit in double figures for Coach Russ DeVette's cagers, as they looked exceptionally sharp in their 1972-73 debut.

"I had to be pleased with all the scoring," said DeVette. "But it's actually hard to say how good we are because it was our first game and you also have to consider who we were playing."

He continued, "I do know we will be meeting a much stronger team in Concordia Tuesday night. They have one youngster 6'8".

Lee Brandsma, a talented 6'2" senior guard from North Holland, Ill., led the Dutchmen in scoring with 20 points. He hit a torrid nine of 11 field goal tries for 18 of his markers.

Brian Vriesman, the leading scorer on the jayvees last year followed Brandsma with 14 counters while Jack Klunder added 11 and Mike Riksen and Tom Wolters 10 each. Tom Van Wieren came off the bench to throw in 10 points also.

Guard Tom Broda paced the Foresters with 16 markers while forwards Ed Cockran and Darryl Cross had 14 and 12 respectively.

The Dutchmen sank 45 fielders in 86 attempts for a blistering 52 per cent clip while the Foresters were good on 24 of 61 for 39 per cent.

Hope dominated the backboards, as they took off 63 rebounds to only 30 for the losers. Wolters led the way with 15.

Lake Forest which was badly burned in its opener just Friday by Albion College, 87-42 surprised Hope by putting up quite a battle throughout most of the first half.

With the visitors on top, 23-22, Van Wieren swished a long fielder, Vriesman added two buckets, Gord Vander Slice one and Wolters, one, as the Dutchmen went from a one-point deficit to a commanding 32-23 margin.

Hope only led at the intermission, 44-37 but it was only a matter of time before they were going to blow the Foresters right out of the Civic Center in the second half.

The Foresters scored the first basket of the second half but Hope added three quick ones before the losers countered with one and the Dutchmen flew in for six more while holding their opponent scoreless during this time to move from a slim 44-39 lead to a 62-41 advantage.

After that surge it was never in doubt, as the fine home opening night crowd had several things to cheer about.

Hope will travel to Concordia for a rare Tuesday night contest in stop No. 2 of its schedule.

Hope (96)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Vriesman, f	7	0	3	14
Riksen, f	5	0	4	10
Wolters, c	5	0	1	10
Brandsma, g	9	2	3	20
Klunder, g	5	1	0	11
Van Pernis, f	4	0	0	8
Harmelink, g	0	3	0	3
Hakken, c	0	0	1	0
Edema, f	1	0	0	2
Van Wieren, g	5	0	1	10
Vander Slice, c	4	0	1	8
Totals	45	6	14	96

Lake Forest	FG	FT	PF	TP
Cochron, f	7	0	2	14
Cross, f	4	4	3	12
Kovacevich, c	3	0	2	6
Chen, g	2	0	2	4
Broda, g	5	6	2	16
Harding, f	0	2	0	2
Misztal, f	1	0	1	2
Graf, g	1	0	1	2
Johnson, g	1	0	1	2
Galanopoulos, c	0	0	1	0
Totals	24	12	15	60

Thea Jongekrijg Becomes Bride Of Lloyd Scholten

Miss Thea Jongekrijg and Lloyd Scholten were united in marriage Thursday evening in Graafschap Christian Reformed Church. The Rev. Bernard Den Ouden performed the ceremony while Mrs. Nancy Bosscher was organist.

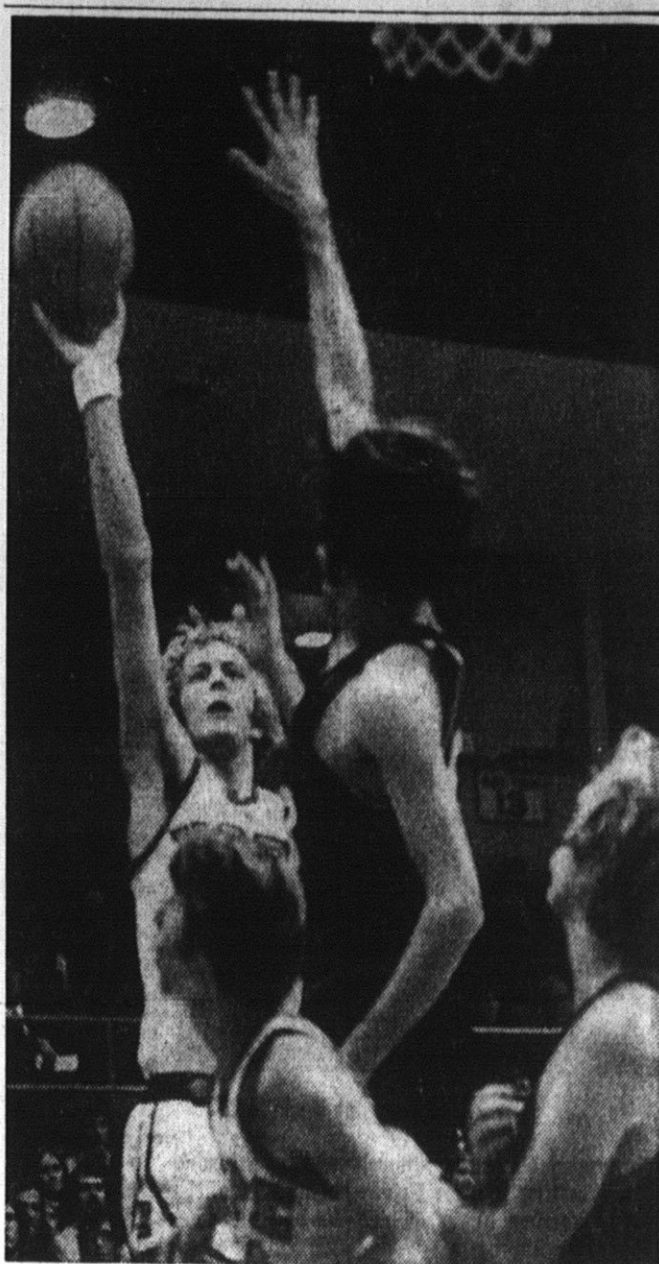
Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jongekrijg, 58-98 New Holland St., Hudsonville, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scholten, 4343 61st St., Holland.

The bride was attired in a gown of ivory organza over bridal satin with lace and pearl trim and featuring a high waist, fitted lace bodice, full circle skirt and sleeves and slight train. A headpiece of lace petals held her chapel train veil of ivory illusion.

Mrs. Carl Van Rhee was her sister's matron of honor and wore an empire gown of orange crepe with ivory lace trim. Attired in a similar yellow gown was the bridesmaid, Miss Elaine Scholten, sister of the groom.

Kenneth Scholten attended his brother as best man while Mark Jongekrijg, the bride's brother, was groomsmen.

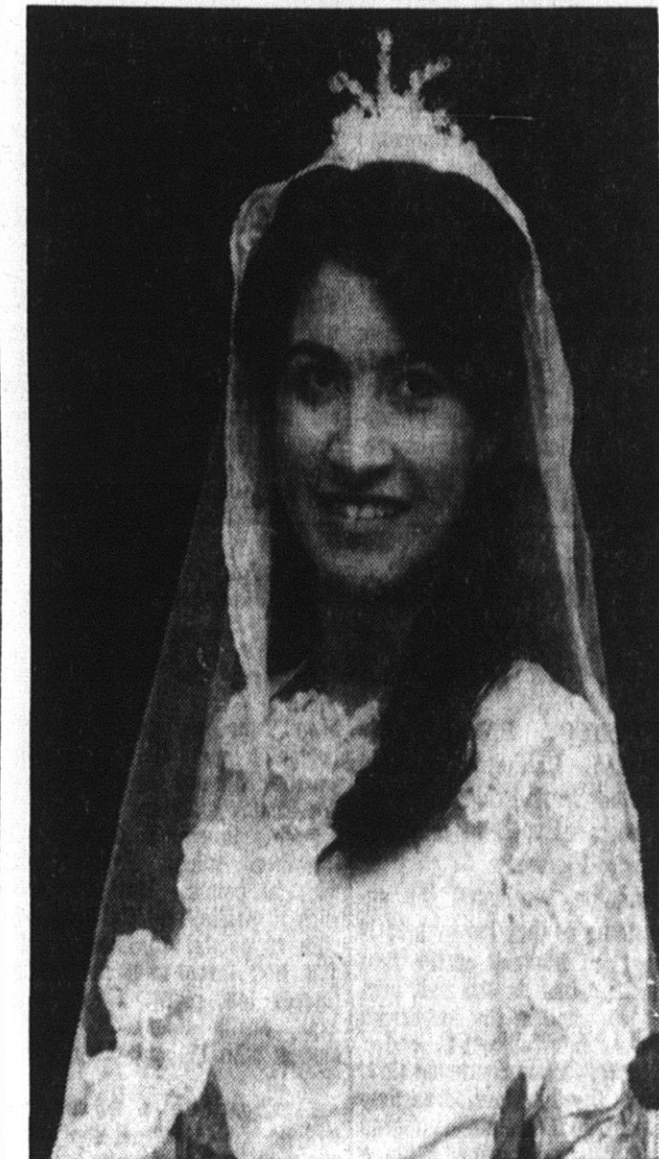
The couple greeted guests at a reception in the church parlors where Mr. and Mrs. David Holme presided as master and



VRIESMAN PUMPS — Brian Vriesman, the leading scorer on Hope College's junior varsity basketball team last year, pumps in one of his seven field goals Saturday night in the Flying Dutchmen 96-60 season opening win over Lake Forest. Dave Harmelink of Hope is pictured under the basket.

(Sentinel photo)

Miss Estelita Saucedo Is Bride of Charles Rantz



Mrs. Charles Raymond Rantz

(Ross photo)

Miss Estelita Saucedo and Charles Raymond Rantz were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at the Holland Assembly of God with the Rev. A.O. Marialke officiating. Mrs. Marialke was organist.

The bride is the daughter of Marie Saucedo of Holland and Felipe Saucedo of Shelbyville. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calvin Rantz of Plainwell.

For the occasion, the bride chose a white gown of cascading ruffles of scalloped chantilly that swept to a cathedral train. The gown featured a neckline adorned with tiny pearls and long lace sleeves. Her lace mantilla fell from a Spanish diadem and she carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations with pink sweetheart roses.

The matron of honor, Mrs. mistress of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sneller were at the punch bowl while Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vugteveen were in the gift room.

The newlyweds will make their home at 4341 61st St.

Other board members include Mrs. Lawrence Souder, vice president; Mrs. Elliot Tanis, secretary; Richard Schmidt, treasurer; Mrs. Dennis DeWitt, equipment; Mrs. Thomas Ambrose, publicity; Mrs. William Rocker, registration, and David VandeVusse, member-at-large.

The school is in its second year of operation and an additional afternoon 4-year-old class has been added this fall.

Hit From Behind

A car operated by Patricia Wittenbach, 23, of Centreville, Mich., stopped on northbound Central Ave. for a left turn at 12th St. was struck from behind by a car driven by Paul Van Kolken, 36, of 807 Central Ave., Friday at 4:14 p.m.

Grand Haven Township Raid

Bonter Arraigned On Drug Charges

GRAND HAVEN—Jon Bonter, 37, of Grand Haven township, one of three persons arrested Wednesday in connection with a raid on his property where guns, a still and marijuana were alleged to have been found, was arraigned Thursday in Holland District Court on five counts.

Bonter, his wife, Nina, 35, an elementary teacher in the West Ottawa school system, and James Gustin, 45, of Grand Rapids, were taken into custody by Ottawa County sheriff's deputies and agents for the U.S. Treasury Department.

All were arraigned before a federal magistrate in Grand Rapids Thursday on charges of making and fermenting mash and were released on personal recognizance after demanding examination.

Bonter and Gustin then were

taken to Holland for arraignment in District Court.

Bonter demanded examination to three counts of sale of a controlled drug and one count each of possession of marijuana and receiving and concealing stolen property. He was held at the Ottawa County jail in lieu of \$25,000 total bond. No hearing date was set.

Gustin pleaded guilty to two counts of frequenting a place where an illegal occupation was being conducted. He was to return Dec. 20 for sentencing. Gustin was freed on personal recognizance.

Deputies said 80 pounds of marijuana, 45 weapons, a quantity of moonshine, a still and three slot machines were confiscated.

The arrests ended a lengthy investigation by deputies and treasury agents.

Holland, Douglas List Seven Babies Born

Holland Hospital and Community Hospital, Douglas, reported seven babies born.

Born Thursday in Holland Hospital was a daughter, Alicia Jo, to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Schrotenboer, 5021 133rd Ave., Hamilton.

Born Friday in Holland were a son, Curtis Jay, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, 1169 136th Ave., and a daughter, Beth Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Van Ommen, 1044 Legion Park Dr.

Born Saturday, a son, Ryan Jon, to Mr. and Mrs. John Van der Zwaag, 1244 New Holland St.; a daughter, Elizabeth Katherine, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuiper, 1251 East 22nd St., and a son, Calvin John, to Mr. and Mrs. John Kuening, 127 West 20th St.

A son, Alfred Wayne, was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Howard, Pullman in Community Hospital, Douglas.

Melvin Vugteveen Dies at Age 63

WEST OLIVE—Melvin (Mike) Vugteveen, 63, 10157 Winans St., died early Friday at his home following a lingering illness.

He was the owner of Vugteveen and Sons Block Co. of West Olive and was a former elder in the Rusk Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving are his wife, Nellie; four sons, Eugene at home, Ken of North Blendon, Dennis and Dwight, both of West Olive; seven grandchildren: three brothers, Joe of Grand Rapids, John of Rusk and Harry of Allendale; five sisters, Mrs. Menno Vander Kooi of Zeeland, Mrs. Bert Lemmen of Allendale, Mrs. Charles Rogers of Coopersville, Mrs. Albert Dry of Holland and Mrs. Marvin Diekema of Grandville; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Vugteveen of Grand Rapids and several nieces and nephews.

Three Cars Crash

A car operated by Gary Gene Ellens, 17, of route 2, Hamilton, northbound on Ottawa Ave., was struck by a car operated by Rose Marie Brouwer, 16, of 381 Riley St., coming from a driveway 300 feet south of 35th St. Friday at 3:33 p.m. The impact sent the Ellens car into a parked car registered to Marian Jane Visser of 308 West 18th St.

Four Injured In Three-Car Crash

Four persons were injured in a three-car collision Friday at 8:22 p.m. at Douglas Ave. and Post Ave. One person was admitted to Holland Hospital for observation.

Ottawa County deputies said a car driven by Earl Zadow, 41, of Eaton Rapids, was westbound on Douglas and observed a car driven by Kathy Allen, 17, of 381 Douglas coming from a driveway and entering a center lane.

Deputies said Zadow swerved to avoid the Allen car, crossed the centerline and struck an oncoming car driven by George Jaunese, 29, of 2251 Auburn Rd. Zadow was admitted to the hospital with lacerations of the face. A passenger, Betty Degeus, 38, of 2040 Lakeway Dr., sustained a broken collar bone while Gilbert Barker, 36, also of Eaton Rapids, suffered facial lacerations. Jaunese sustained lacerations of the head.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Thursday were Susan Hatley, Philip Vanitl, Donald Kline, Ester Mier, Carl Ebel, Kenneth Ossewaard Marjorie Prins, Jean McLean, Deloris Burden, Tiemen De Wind, Edgar Pinnoneault, Johanna Van Iwaarden, Patricia Boeve and Sheryl Hardin.

Discharged Thursday were Ruth De Weerd, Ira Briggs, Karyl Mulder, Maria Garza and baby, Mulder baby, Jason Wisniewski, Earle Vander Kolk,

Lloyd De Boer, Ruth Smith, Lavina Vannette, Ernest Tunstall, Jennifer Vander Broek and baby, Richard Carrillo, Sam Dykstra, Nancy Day, Ida Brower, Janet Overway, Lois Jaarda and twins, and Nancy Marcus and baby.

Mrs. VanderMolen Succumbs at 26

GRAND RAPIDS — Mrs. Richard E. (Ione Fae) VanderMolen, 26, of 5676 Lawndale Ave., Hudsonville, died Sunday in Blodgett Memorial Hospital following a 10-month illness, due to a heart ailment.

She was a member of Fellowship Reformed Church, Hudsonville, superintendent of the Sunday school junior department, catechism teacher and choir member and a graduate of Hudsonville High.

Surviving in addition to her husband are a son, Ronald Edward; a daughter, Susan Rae, both at home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sprik of Green Lake (route 1, Caledonia) and a brother, Douglas A. Sprik of Hamilton.

Two Cars Collide

Cars driven by Debra Lynn Kragt, 17, of 457 Breckard Court and Calvin Le Roy Tardiff Jr., 17, of 778 North Shore Dr., collided Sunday at 4 p.m. at 16th St. and College Ave. Police said the Kragt auto was westbound on 16th while the Tardiff auto was southbound on College attempting a right turn onto 16th St.

8 Permits Are Issued For Week

A total of eight applications for building permits totaling \$6,175 were filed last week in City Hall with City Building Inspector Jack Langfelt.

They follow:

Arthur Philippus, 250 West 14th St., wire fence, \$40, self, contractor.

Darrel Shank, 146 West 18th St., replace two windows and change existing openings, \$175, self, contractor.

Prince's Restaurant, 174 River Ave., remodel front and install mansard roof, \$1,800, self, contractor.

Mrs. Elmer Kamphuis, 256 West 36th St., carport, \$960, self, contractor.

Arthur Groenhof, 603 Azalea, panel one bedroom and built-in desk, \$300, Jay Lankheet, contractor.

Paul Smith, 96 East 33rd St., aluminum siding and eaves, \$1,700, Alcor, contractor.

Faustine Quintero, 280 West 14th St., new kitchen cupboards and lower ceilings in kitchen, dinette and living room, \$400, self, contractor.

Ed Neuman, 975 Washington, erect projecting sign and remove existing ground sign, \$800, City Sign, contractor.

Mrs. L. Nyland Succumbs at 72

Mrs. Lawrence (Harriet) Nyland, 72, of 1681 Wolverine (Virginia Park) died early Monday in Holland Hospital following a lingering illness.

Born in Byron Center, she moved to the Holland area following her marriage. She was a member of Trinity Reformed Church and a former member of the church's Ladies Guild.

Surviving in addition to her husband are a son, Lloyd of Macatawa; two daughters, Mrs. William (Cecelia) Shafer of Jenison and Mrs. Phillip (Donna) Hill of Holland; six grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. C. (Henrietta) Topp of Holland and Mrs. Gilbert Parks of Lansing and a brother-in-law, John Roosten of Byron Center.

Couple Exchanges Vows In Friday Evening Rites



Mrs. Douglas Becksford

Maplewood Reformed Church was the setting for the Friday evening wedding rites which united Miss Janice Kay Sale and Douglas Becksford. The Rev. Paul Colenbrander performed the ceremony while the organist, Mrs. Don Lam, accompanied the soloist, John Slenk.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Sale, 120 East 33rd St., and the groom is the son of Mrs. Herman Becksford, 167 East 32nd St., and the late Mr. Becksford.

For attendants the couple chose the bride's sister, Mrs. Linda Laarman, as matron of honor, Mrs. Dona Weener and another sister of the bride, Miss Mary Sale, as bridesmaids, the groom's brother, Don Becksford and another brother of the groom, Dennis Becksford, as ushers. Tim Sale and Dewayne Becksford, brothers of the couple ushered mothers and grandmothers.

The bride wore an ivory gown of imported rayon peau de soie having an empire bodice of cluny lace and ivory satin insertion. The lantern sleeves repeated the lace and insertion trim as did the A-line skirt

which extended to a sweep chapel train. A matching camelot headpiece held a train veil of illusion. She carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations, soft pink sweetheart roses and hot pink ribbon loops accented with clusters of baby's breath.

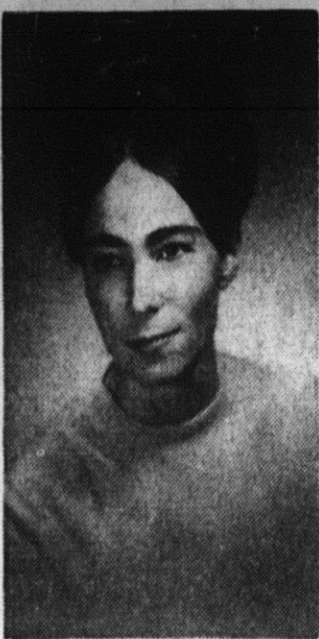
The attendants wore pink chiffon gowns with yokes and full bishop sleeves of pinched pleated chiffon having ruby velvet vests with floral trim. Each carried hot pink and soft pink carnations and pompon mums arranged in a colonial style with accents of baby's breath. They had matching flowers in their hair.

A reception for the couple was held in the church Fellowship Hall with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sale presiding as master and mistress of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. Rich Hoving were at the punch bowl while Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hulst were in the gift room.

Following a honeymoon in Florida, the newlyweds will make their home at 116½ West 32nd St.

The bride is a licensed practical nurse employed by Holland Hospital and the groom is employed by Genzink Steel Supply and Welding Co.

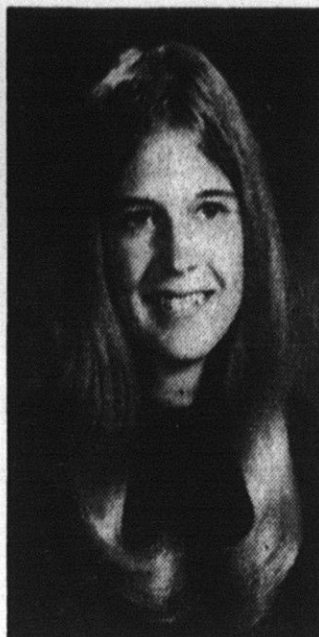
Engaged



Miss Susan Bosman

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bosman, 5 East 12th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan, to Bruce Formsa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Formsa, of Zeeland.

A May wedding is being planned.



Miss Luann Vanden Bosch

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Vanden Bosch, 21 West Lawrence Ave., Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Luann, to David L. Kempema, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kempema, 5724 Elm Ave., Hudsonville.

A late summer wedding is being planned.

Mrs. Graves Tells Questers About Christmas Cards

The Christine Van Raalte Chapter of Questers met Monday at the home of Mrs. Harry Frissel. A short business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Maurice Rypstra, vice president, in the absence of Mrs. Peter Visser who is a patient in a Grand Rapids hospital.

The guest speaker, Mrs. Howard Graves, was introduced by Mrs. Jane Lampen. Mrs. Graves showed her large collection of early Christmas post cards and modern greeting cards.

Mrs. Graves received from a friend in Australia a reproduction of the first card which was originated in 1843 in England by Sir Henry Cole. Mr. Cole asked John Calcott Horsley, an artist, to design a yule greeting which Cole could send to his friends. Horsley's drawing was lithographed in black and white, then colored by hand.

About 1,000 copies of the card, showing a group of festively clothed people, were produced and Sir Henry sent several hundred to his friends and reserved the rest for a collectors item. In about 1870, yule cards were introduced to America by Marcus Ward & Co. of London.

At the turn of the century, Ellen H. Clapsadle became famous for her colorful greeting cards which were signed by the artist.

Kate Greenaway cards were the vogue in the 1860s. Lewis Prang of Boston produced the first American greeting cards, including the first religious cards, and each year ran a contest for the best ideas for Christmas greeting cards. By 1870 companies were put out of business by the "Post Card Craze" that lasted about 15 years. The Lewis Prang era included fringed edged cards, embossed cards and silk embroidered cards.

Old Santa Claus cards are quite valuable, Mrs. Graves stated. Today's collectors have a large variety to choose from and the Tasha Tudor, illustrator of children's books, produces many charming cards. Mrs. Graves displayed an antique type of a girl portraying a madonna in a setting of blue flowering thistles.

Mrs. Graves started collecting cards as a child of 6 when her grandmother gave her an album of cards she had kept over the years. Today the collection is also enjoyed by her two daughters and the collection numbers about 100,000 cards of every description, nationality and holiday, plus Lincoln and Washington cards. The four albums Mrs. Graves displayed contained about 1,300 antique Christmas cards.

The most prized are from President and Mrs. Nixon who put Mrs. Graves on their annual card list for a reason unknown to Mrs. Graves. Mrs. Graves is seeking books, articles and other information to further her survey of cards.

Hostesses for the evening



CONTINUOUS SERVICE—These Shoppers Fair employees have worked at the store for five years, since its first year of operation, beginning in February 1967. They are: First Row (left to right) Roger Kuite, Ron Riemersma, Frank Jaehnig, John Karsten, Steve

Roberts and Juan Silva; Second Row (left to right) Liz Roberts, Gladys Van Der Meulen, Winnie Vincent, Ela Carus, Margaret Disselkoen, Gert De Visser, Theresa Van Slooten, Joanne Kamps, Lillian Dunklee and Ruth Southworth. (Sentinel photo)

Holland High Drops Home Opener to Muskegon, 64-43

What started out to be an exciting game didn't turn out that way in the end for Holland High's basketball team Friday night in the Fieldhouse, as they dropped their home opener to Muskegon 64-43.

The Dutch of Coach Don Pierma were only down by two points at the end of the first period, 16-14, but could only hit on three of their 12 shots in the second quarter, as the Big Reds pulled away to a commanding 37-22 halftime margin.

Muskegon registered 16 markers in the third stanza and 12 in the final period for its 64 total points while the Dutch had 11 and 10 totals in that order in the second half.

"We played very well in the first half," said Coach Pierma. "We can't hang our heads, we just got to work harder now." The loss was Holland's second straight of the young season while the Big Reds won their first game after a heart-breaking 64-62 defeat to Grand Rapids Union in their first outing. Tim Boeve started the Dutch

off on the right foot by laying in a basket after a fine pass from Paul Van Oostenburg to put the Dutch on top 2-0.

Another Boeve bucket and free throw gave Holland a 5-2 advantage but two free throws by Larry Knox and a basket by Paul Peterman put the visitors ahead, 6-5.

Tim Van Tongeren gave the Dutch their last lead of the evening at 7-6 by sinking a long jumper with 3:38 left in the first quarter.

The Dutch were tied at 2-2, 8-8, 10-10 and 14-14 in the opening stanza.

Muskegon dominated the game after that as center Eric Morris was taking down every rebound in sight and leading the charge down the floor to set up many baskets.

Morris finished as the games high rebounder with 13. He also blocked many Holland shots.

Holland hit on only 14 of 58 shots from the field for an icy 24 per cent average while the Big Reds were good on 27 of 62 attempts for 43 per cent.

Boeve and Jed De Boer tied for high scoring honors for the Dutch with 10 points apiece while Knox and Peterman had 12 and Morris 10 for the winners.

Muskegon's reserves rallied to nudge the Dutch, 52-48 in the pre-lim contest. Dave Panici and Aron Morris collected 17 and 16 points re-

spectively for the Big Reds. Ken Bauman led the Dutch with 17 counters while Chuck Modders and Joe Serrano helped out with 12 and 10. Greg Holcombe and Modders had 15 and 10 rebounds.

The Dutch will host another tough cookies in Niles Tuesday, as their scheduled seems to get tougher instead of easier which they would like at this time of the year.

Holland (43)	FG	FT	PF	TP
De Boer, f	4	2	3	10
Boeve, f	3	4	0	10
Isaacs, c	0	1	0	1
Van Tongeren, g	1	2	2	4
Van Oostenburg, g	0	2	4	2
Wood, g	1	1	2	3
Wolbrink, f	1	1	2	3
Kail, f	1	0	0	2
Haiker, c	0	0	1	0
Emmert, f	3	0	2	6
Shashaguay, g	0	2	0	2

Totals	14	15	16	43
Muskegon (64)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Peterman, f	5	2	4	12
Nelson, f	2	0	3	4
Morris, c	5	0	2	10
Knox, g	4	4	1	12
Ray, g	0	0	2	0
Alkema, f	1	3	2	5
Allen, f	1	0	3	2
Flowers, g	1	0	2	2
Gilbert, g	1	0	0	2
Randall, f	0	0	1	0
Taylor, f	3	1	0	7
Watts, g	2	0	0	4
Wedlow, g	2	0	1	4

Hope Selected For 2 NSF Institutes

Hope College has again been selected by the National Science Foundation to host summer institutes for high school teachers of advanced placement chemistry and mathematics.

The NSF chemistry institute, under the direction of Dr. Eugene C. Jekel, will be held at Hope for the 10th year while the NSF mathematics institute, under the direction of Dr. Jay E. Folkert, will be held for the 10th year also. Each institute will have 40 participants.

Exact dates of the institutes will be announced at a later date. Preview institutes have run from late June to mid-August.

The NSF summer institutes are designed to assist secondary level teachers to improve their effectiveness of instruction. Institutes will be held at 178 colleges and universities for 8,400 high school teachers from throughout the country.

Hope is one of only two non-public Michigan colleges or universities to receive an institute.

Local Youth Bound To Circuit Court

GRAND HAVEN — Jose Daniel Mares, 18, of 132 East 15th St., Holland, accused in the Oct. 28 beating death of Jesse (Tex) Smith, 80, was bound over to Ottawa County Circuit Court for a December 11 appearance.

Mares was in District Court today for a hearing on a charge of murder in the death of Smith whose body was found Oct. 30 in a drainage ditch along Ottogan St. just inside the Allegan County line east of Holland. Mares was continued held without bond.

A second youth charged in Smith's death, Domingo Ramirez Jr., 20, 1457 Ottawa Beach Rd., is awaiting a hearing on a charge of kidnapping. He was held in lieu of \$25,000 bond.

Deputies said the alleged offense was believed to have occurred in Zeeland township.

Mans-Prins Nuptial Vows Spoken Friday Evening



Mrs. Curtis Michial Mans

Miss Jean Rae Prins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Prins, route 2, Hamilton, became the bride of Curtis Michial Mans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Mans, 265 Cambridge Ave., on Friday.

The Rev. John Leugs officiated at the evening ceremony in East Saugatuck Christian Reformed Church with Ken Bos as organist and Herm Kolk as soloist.

The bridal gown, designed by the groom's mother, was of white crepe with lace at the empire waist and having bishop sleeves accented with lace at the elbows. A detachable train edged with lace fell from the empire waist. A Juliet cap with matching lace secured the long bridal illusion veil. The bride carried a colonial bouquet of white sweetheart roses and lavender baby's breath.

Mrs. Judy Haverdink attended as matron of honor while Kathy Hulst, Joan Lappenga and Jane Prins were bridesmaids. They wore deep purple floor length gowns featuring smocked bo-

dices and long sleeves with white cummerbund belts. Each carried a white basket of white, pink and lavender flowers, purple status and starflowers.

The groom was attended by Glen Brink as best man and Dave Haverdink, John Lappenga and Wes Koops as groomsmen. The guests were seated by Jay Prins and Chris Mans while Kurt Mans was program attendant.

The newlyweds greeted guests at a reception in the Fellowship Hall of the church where Mr. and Mrs. Merle Prins were master and mistress of ceremonies. Jim Lampen and Donna Brink presided at the punch bowl while Mr. and Mrs. David Prins, Cal Prins and Faith De Leeuw, were in charge of the gift room.

The couple will reside in East Saugatuck following a southern wedding trip.

The bride is employed at Holland Hospital, Medical Records Department, while the groom is employed with Mans Fertilizer Service.

Holiday Season Opens With Camp Fire Event

The Civic Center was filled Sunday afternoon with the spirit of giving as approximately 1,000 Blue Birds, Camp Fire Girls, Joan Lappenga and Jane Prins, plus a capacity crowd of parents, grandparents and friends sitting in the balcony ushered in the Christmas season at the 21st annual White Gift Carol Sing.

The girls dressed in red, white and blue Camp Fire uniforms processed down the aisles led by ushers Sue Wiersma, Bonnie Alexander and Cathy Carr. They sang Christmas Carols and presented gifts wrapped in white to Horizon Girls Gretchen Vander Broek, Fran Puente, Mary La Barge, Rachel Puente, Patty Bos, Tammy Douma and Lynda Allen, who, in turn, put them under the Christmas tree at stage front.

Mrs. Don Sundin was organist and carol singing was led by Tracy Driesenga, Cherie Schutt,

Tammy Polinsky, Sandy Parsons and Vicki Volkers. An inspiring program was presented by girls in all levels of the program under the leadership of Mrs. Don Hillebrands, who also gave a meaningful selection "No Room."

Jean Teen Cabinet president Barb Miller presented the tree of treats and Horizon president Mary DeWitt, presented the mitten tree.

The Blue Birds and Camp Fire Girls made the ornaments which decorated the main tree. The Salvation Army, St. Francis de Sales and the City Mission will fill boxes for the needy from the gifts presented at the service.

Highlight of the program was the surprise presentation of a dozen roses to Mrs. William Venhuizen, executive director, who will be retiring in June after 16 years of service in the Camp Fire program as field director and currently executive director.

A Camp Fire folk choir directed by Mrs. Ron Beyer of Montello Park School led the girls in singing "We Wish You a Merry Christmas" as they recessed from the auditorium.

Mrs. Hillebrands and Mrs. Tom Carey were co-chairmen for the event assisted by several board members. Lynn Bowmaster and Tricia Duffy were Horizon balcony ushers.

Christian Middle School Featured In Yule Program

The Music Department of the Holland Christian Schools will present their Christmas Concert Tuesday evening, featuring the Christian Middle School Choirs and Orchestra. The concert begins at 7:45 p.m. in the Christian High Auditorium.

Highlights of the program are such traditional Christmas hymns as "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "The First Noel" plus an international variety of choir and orchestra pieces including the Scottish folk song, "On Christmas Eve," a Swiss carol, "Rouse Ye, Shepherds," a Bohemian tune, "Let Our Gladness Know No End," and an instrumental, "Themes and Variations" by J.P. Sweelinck.

The choral director is Linda Weeda; instrumental director, John R. Swieringa Jr.; organist, Lynda Wesseldyke, with recordings by Ralph Schierbeek.

Hawks Rip Comstock Park In O-K Blue Game, 70-55

COMSTOCK PARK — The Hamilton Hawkeyes defeated Comstock Park Friday night by the score of 70-55 in a league basketball game.

Hamilton dominated the entire game as they led by a 15-12 margin at the end of the first quarter. Then as the half ended they went in the locker room with a comfortable 41-25 lead.

The Hawkeyes continued their lead in the third period as they scraped up 19 points compared to Comstock's eight. With a comfortable lead, they went into the final period new Coach Wayne Tanis put in the second string, as the Hawkeyes cruised to the win.

Hamilton proved to be a well rounded team as its leading scorer, Warren Berens was sidelined with an ankle injury.

Arson Suspected In Trash Fires At Montgomery Ward

Holland firemen said they suspected arson in recent fires in trash containers outside the Montgomery Ward store at 16th St. and River Ave.

Holland firemen were called to the store at 8:50 a.m. Monday where rubbish was burning. Minor damage was reported to the building.

At least two other rubbish fires have been reported in recent weeks at the store and firemen said arson was suspected in a fire this spring to a door of the Prudential building across 16th St.

Four Divorces Granted in Court

GRAND HAVEN — The following divorces have been granted in Ottawa Circuit Court: Jimmy Smith from Nora Smith with custody of one child to the mother.

Sharon Den Uyl from Rayne Den Uyl with custody of four children to the mother.

Rosemary Louise Barman from Robert Barman with custody of six children to the mother.

Sue Ann Betten from Calvin J. Betten with custody of one child to the mother.

HAMILTON (70)

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Brink, f	6	8	2	20
Becksford, f	2	1	2	5
Slotman, c	7	4	0	18
Boerigter, f	4	0	3	8
Lubbers, g	5	3	2	13
Ellens, g	1	2	2	4
Yoak, g	0	1	1	0
Prins, g	1	0	1	2

Totals 26 18 12 70

COMSTOCK PARK (55)

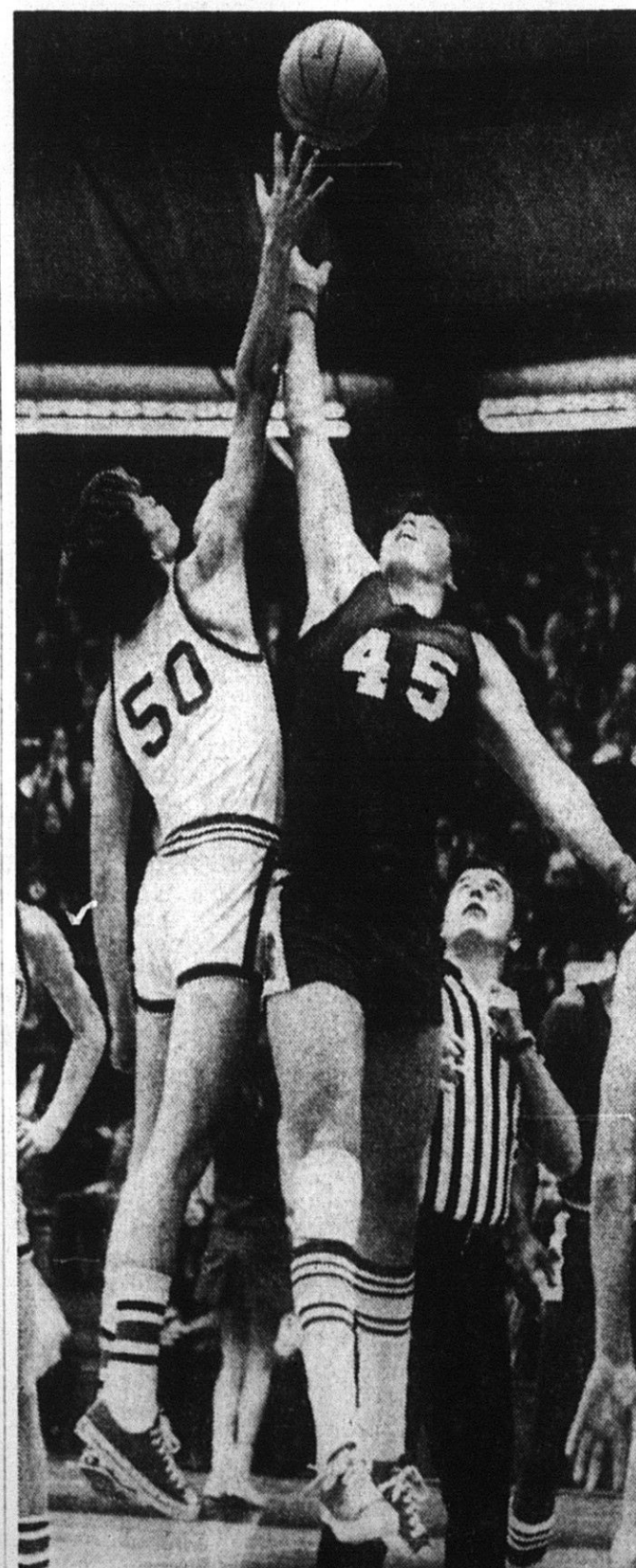
	FG	FT	PF	TP
Smith, f	11	3	3	25
Dewey, f	5	2	4	12
Beril, c	5	1	4	11
Gould, g	0	0	2	0
Lynch, g	0	0	2	0
Smither, g	2	3	3	7

Totals 23 9 18 55

Bicyclist Injured In Jamestown Collision

JAMESTOWN—Michael Banfell, 12, of 684 Riley St., Jamestown township, suffered back injuries when the bicycle he was riding and a car collided Saturday at 10:58 a.m. along Riley St. in front of his house. Michael was taken to Osteopathic hospital in Grand Rapids for treatment.

Ottawa County deputies said the youth was riding his bicycle eastbound along the west bound lane and the car, operated westbound by Lester De Jong, 40, of Grand Rapids, came over a rise in the road and collided headon with the bicycle. De Jong was not reported injured.



CALL OF NIGHT — It seemed like every time the basketball officials blew their whistle Friday night during the Holland-Muskegon game, it ended up being a jump ball. Andy Emmert (50) of Holland gets the tip from Muskegon's Jeff Alkema (45) during second period action in the Holland Fieldhouse. Alkema's Big Reds did win the game, 64-43 to spoil Holland's home opener.

(Sentinel photo)



SCRIPTURAL RHYTHM—Reverently and gracefully illustrating the passages from Scripture are the Holland Rhythmic Choir shown here as they danced for members of the Woman's Literary Club Tuesday afternoon for the annual pre-Christmas program. Posing here clockwise from

the left foreground are Miss Barbara Watt, Mrs. James Brooks, Mrs. Robert DeBruyn Jr., Mrs. Robert Cecil, Mrs. John Creviere (kneeling), Mrs. L.W. Lamb Jr., Mrs. William Hillegonds, Mrs. Robert Cavanaugh and Mrs. Ralph Blocksma. (Sentinel photo)

Nativity Story Told in Dance . . .

The beautiful Christmas story in Scriptures, all too often forgotten in the worldly celebration of the Savior's birth, was delicately and reverently performed Tuesday afternoon for members of the Woman's Literary Club and their guests.

Narrating the selected passages from Isaiah through Revelations was Mrs. George Steininger with background music enhancing the narration.

Performing with all the grace

of a professional dance group was the Holland Rhythmic Choir in their purple robes using their expressive hands to illuminate the passages of Scripture which told the story of Christ's birth as most appropriate for this season of Advent.

The choir entered the auditorium carrying lighted candles to the sage and placed them in candelabra as part of the setting. Appearing in the presen-

tation were Mrs. Robert De Bruyn Jr., the leader and organizer of the group, Mrs. L. W. Lamb Jr., who served as the presenter, Mrs. Ralph Blocksma, Mrs. James Brooks Sr., Mrs. Robert Cavanaugh, Mrs. Robert Cecil, Mrs. John Creviere, Mrs. William Hillegonds and Miss Barbara Watt.

Mrs. Thomas De Pree gave brief opening thoughts on Christmas and Mrs. John Schut-

ten announced the program.

A gala holiday tea with arrangements of red and white carnations and greens at the tea tables greeted the guests in the tearoom following the program. Pouring were Mrs. L. Salisbury, Mrs. Martin Van Hekken and Mrs. Russell Burton.

The club now takes a holiday recess until after the first of the year.

Library Staff Holds Annual Yule Party

About 50 persons attended the annual Christmas party of the staff of Herick Public Library and guests Saturday night at Point West.

For the program, Dr. and Mrs. Sang Lee showed slides of their homeland, Korea. Former employees who attended were Mrs. Marvin De Vries, Miss Dora Schermer, Henry Smeenge and Mrs. Janet M. Van Alsburg.

The committee on arrangements consisted of Maxine Robert, Roger Walcott, Inn Sook Lee, Eleanor Lopez and Karen Ver Wey.

West Ottawa Scores Win In Opener

KENTWOOD—The Panthers of West Ottawa under the direction of new Coach Jerry Kissman started the basketball season with a great win over the defending O-K Red Division champions, East Kentwood by a thrilling 51-50 score Friday night.

It was a sweet win for Kissman in his first game as the new boss because the Panthers failed to win a ball game last year.

After trailing in the game for three periods, the Panthers put it all together in the third quarter. They could do no wrong in this final period as the whole team looked super.

It's been a long time since the Falcons have lost a game on their home floor but on this Friday night the Panthers were not to be denied. The defense was splendid as they had the Falcons flustered in this final period, and West Ottawa had to do it without the services of their fine center, Steve Hartman who fouled out with 4:54 to go.

Tim Glupker moved into the center spot from forward, and move he did after Hartman fouled out. Although Glupker scored only seven points he was just all over the boards.

The Panthers were pressed hard by the speedy Falcons most of the night but broke the press well. West Ottawa did turn the ball over 24 times but mostly in the first half and Coach Kissman got them settled down when the heat was really on.

The Panthers went into the final period trailing East Kentwood 46-39. But the Falcons got cold here and West Ottawa kept its cool, jabbing away at Kentwood's lead, and with 3:20 to go in the game, Con Zimmerman tied the score at 48-48. It was then that the Panthers went into a stall but lost the ball on a jump situation. With less than a minute to go, the Falcons Brent Benson made Kentwood's first field goal in the period which tied the score at 50-50. Kelly Vanderploeg had put West Ottawa ahead on two free throws prior to this.

The big point came with only seven seconds remaining as Joe Gaskill stepped up to the charity line. Gaskill canned the first one giving the Panthers the game as time ran out on the Falcons. Zimmerman led all scorers with 17 points followed by Hartman at 13. Greg Ford, the speedy guard who quarterbacked the Falcons, had 16 points for the losers.

It was needless to say a really sweet victory for coach Kissman who was a star basketball player in both high school and college. This was the first time the Panthers tasted victory since the 1970 season.

Kissman was really proud of all his players and thought they were exceptionally good on defense. The Panthers shot 50 per cent while Kentwood hit 46. Turnovers were about even with West Ottawa having 24 to Kentwood's 19. This was Kentwood's second game of the season and their first defeat.

Kissman added, "It was because of a team effort that we won. Even the guys coming off the bench played well for us." It was the game of the week on an area tv station and the Panthers will receive a trophy for winning.

West Ottawa's reserves lost to the Falcons, 61-41.

Mark Visser was high point man for the losers with 18 points while Dan Scheerhorn had 10.

The Panthers will host Jensen next Friday in their home opener.

West Ottawa (51)				
FG	FT	PF	TP	
Zimmerman	7	3	2	17
Glupker	2	3	1	7
Hartman	5	3	5	13
Vanderploeg	1	2	1	4
Miersma	2	1	1	5
Gaskill	1	2	3	3
Visser	1	0	0	2

East Kentwood (50)				
FG	FT	PF	TP	
Benson	4	2	5	10
Wright	0	0	0	0
Bultema	5	3	3	13
Ford	8	0	1	16
Reed	4	0	1	8
Anderson	0	0	1	0
Haak	1	1	2	3

Totals 22 6 12 50

Saugatuck Upsets Top O-K Club

Byron Center is rated one of the top O-K Blue Division basketball teams but Coach Wayne Fries' Saugatuck Indians showed Tuesday night in the Holland Armory they had a fine team too by upsetting the Bulldogs, 91-84.

It was a funny type of game, as the losers held 10 and nine points leads during parts of the contest while Saugatuck was on top by 13 points with only three minutes to play but had enough to hang on for the win.

"Denny Bale and Dennis Johnson were outstanding for us," said Coach Fries.

Bale led all scorers with 30 points and was tops in rebounds with 14 while Johnson came off the bench to chip in 15 markers with 13 of them coming in the second half.

Dave Bekken and Mike Bakker helped the high flying Indians with 17 and 16 points respectively. Jim Klunder scored 29 points for Byron Center.

Saugatuck netted 31 of 63 attempts from the field for 49 per cent while the Bulldogs canned 33 of 65 for 51 per cent.

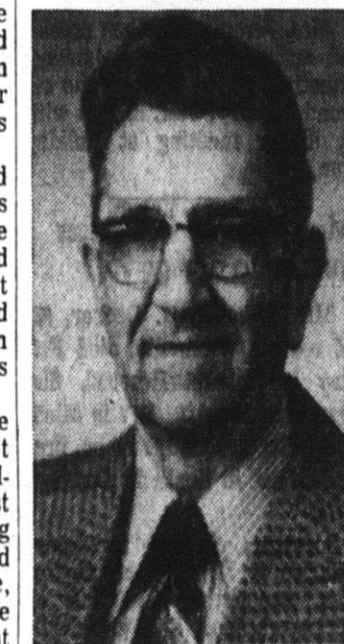
Byron Center did win the reserve contest, 49-44 and also the Freshmen tilt, 40-30.

The Indians, now 2-0 for the season will travel to Covert Friday.

Two Given Promotions By Heinz

The H. J. Heinz Co. in Holland has promoted Willis Van Vuren and John D. Schwerdt to new positions in the plant.

Van Vuren, a Holland native and manager of quality control since 1957, was named manager



Willis Van Vuren

of production. He has worked at Heinz since 1934 and he and his wife, Jean, live at 275 West 24th St. They have a married son in the Navy and a married daughter in Zeeland.

Schwerdt, a native of St. Joseph, is a 1958 graduate of Michigan State University and



John D. Schwerdt

joined Heinz in 1969. He was named to succeed Van Vuren as quality control manager. Schwerdt, his wife, Mary, and four daughters, live in the Hamilton area.

The promotions were announced by Edward Schierbeek, manager of the Holland Heinz plant.

Borculo

The children of the Sunday School classes are practicing for the Christmas program which will be presented after the Christmas morning service on Dec. 25.

The Pipe Rest Circle Christmas Bazaar was held on Tuesday Dec. 5 at Volink's Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Grassmid announced the birth of a son on Sunday, Nov. 26.

Charles Rosema celebrated his 88th birthday on Dec. 5.

2 Retired Teachers From Holland Attend Workshop

Adelaide and Geraldine Dykhuizen attended a workshop for the leaders of the organization supporting the Retirement Coordinating Council at the Olds Plaza in Lansing on Tuesday, Nov. 28. Geraldine Dykhuizen is the president of the Ottawa County Branch of the Michigan Retired Teachers.

Marie Van Der Kooi Is Wed to Steven Grassmid



Mrs. Steven Len Grassmid

United in marriage Tuesday evening in Ottawa Reformed Church were Miss Marie Gail Van Der Kooi and Steven Len Grassmid. The Rev. Arnold Van Beek performed the rites while Carla Van Norden was organist and Mrs. James Grassmid was soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Harriet Van Der Kooi, route 2, 112th Ave., Luce St., West Olive, and the late James J. Van Der Kooi. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Grassmid, 96th Ave., Zeeland.

Attending the couple were Mrs. Norlon Feenstra, the bride's sister, as matron of honor, Miss Lavonne Grassmid, the groom's sister, as bridesmaid, Robert Grassmid, the groom's brother, as best man, James Grassmid, another brother of the groom, as groomsmen, and Marvin Van Der Kooi, brother of the bride, and Larry Grassmid, brother of the groom, as ushers.

The bride wore a gown of satin having a high Victorian neckline and lantern sleeves with the yoke trimmed with Venice lace. A matching came-

lot cap held a train veil of illusion trimmed with lace. She carried a bouquet of white sweetheart roses and white carnations.

The attendants wore navy blue velvet dresses with the yokes trimmed with white lace and having long sleeves and stand-up collars. They had navy ribbons and flowers in their hair and carried nosegays of multi-colored flowers in blue.

The reception was held in the church with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Grassmid presiding as master and mistress of ceremonies. Roxanne Van Der Kooi and Mary Van Der Kooi, nieces of the bride were at the guest book while Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boetsma, Miss Sandy Volink and Roger Kleinjans assisted in the gift room. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pugh attended the punch bowl. Mari Jo Wyngarden was the bride's personal attendant.

Following a Florida honeymoon, the couple will reside at 7929 120th Ave.

The bride is employed at Petite Beauty Salon in Grand Haven and the groom is self-employed at the Borculo Garage, Inc.

Career Worlds Set Here April 24, 25

Jack Stewart, president of A.B.I., Inc. of Holland, has been appointed as general chairman of Career Worlds, to be staged in the Civic Center on April 24 and 25, it was announced today by the Holland Chamber of Commerce.

Assisting Stewart in coordinating the program will be Vern Schipper of Sunday School Guide in the capacity of vice chairman, physical arrangements. Ronald Wetherbee of West Ottawa Schools will serve as vice chairman, schools.

Both vice chairmen will serve on the steering committee; both have had previous experience with the Career Worlds program.

Designed to introduce high school students to the opportunities in the worlds of work, three main objectives were listed for the program: (1) to expose students to new fields of work that may challenge their talents and satisfy their desires; (2) to provide 11th and 12th grade students with contact with men who may be their employers in one, two or three years; (3) to guide the student to further exploration of career/job opportunities.

Under the direction of school counselors, 11th grade students will be scheduled for visits to Career Worlds during the day-time on both days. The general public and 12th grade students from the several area high schools will be invited to the exhibits on the evening of the 24th.

Emphasized in this year's program are those career and job opportunities into which a student can enter immediately after high school or with one or two years of additional training. Exhibits and the personnel who talk with students will be divided into four major categories covering hundred of work fields. They are:

World of Medicine, with emphasis on paramedical opportunities; World of Education and Services, featuring schools which offer preparatory training of from several weeks to two years, law enforcement, public employees and armed forces;

World of Transportation and Communications, which plans to include such areas as auto mechanics, truck lines, aviation, telephone, newspaper, and radio.

Worlds of Trades and Business coordinating the most diversified areas, will include build-

ing construction, printing, and graphics, banking, drafting, data processing, retail, industry, etc.

Each of the "Worlds" will be headed by a chairman who will be responsible for organizing work - oriented exhibits and personnel to be present to talk with students.

Rusk

Mr. and Mrs. Berwin De Roo and family recently moved from Baldwin St. to West Washington St. in Zeeland, where they purchased a home.

Preparatory service was held Sunday morning. The Lord's Supper will be next Sunday.

Congregational meeting was held last Monday evening. Elders elected were Willard Leep, and John Schrotenboer, and deacons are Raymond Overweg and Henry Vander Wal. Nelson Overweg was elected as member of the cemetery committee.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in the Rusk Church for Melvin (Mike) Vugteveen who died last Friday.

The Rusk Christmas program is scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 21.

The Ladies Aid was scheduled to meet Tuesday afternoon. Hostesses were Mrs. Joe Grassmid and Mrs. Stanley Harsevoort.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meekhof from the Bauer Christian Reformed Church were welcomed into the membership in the Rusk Church. The Meekhofs have built a new home on 92nd Ave., where they now live.

Three Hospitals List One Baby Each Monday

Three hospitals each reported one baby added to their rosters on Monday.

In Holland Hospital it was a son, Richard Jon, born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Van Bragt, 77 West 27th St.

Zeeland hospital reported the birth of a daughter, Tracy Lynn, born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vredeveeld, 374 North State St., Zeeland.

A daughter, Heather Louise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hoople, 118th Ave., Fennville, in Community Hospital, Douglas.

Rembrandt is celebrated for his painting of "The Night Watch."

Concordia, Free Throws Top Hope

Dutchmen Suffer 1st Loss on Road

CONCORDIA, Ill. — Concordia's Wayne Hesse, a 6'3" freshman from St. Louis, Mo. led four Cougars in double figures Tuesday night as Concordia of Illinois beat Hope College, 79-71.

It was the first basketball defeat in two games for the Flying Dutchmen while Concordia is now 2-1 for the year.

Hesse tallied 25 points for the Cougars while 6'6" Craig Mueller and 6'4" Phil Friederichs helped out with 16 and 14 in that order. Lee Brandsma of Hope led all scorers with 27 counters but Gord VanderSlice was the only other Dutchmen to hit double figures with 10.

Foul shots told the story of the game as both teams notched 29 field goals. However, Concordia converted 21 of 28 free throw attempts while Hope made 13 of 18.

Hope held the lead until 14:13 was showing on the scoreboard in the first half and the winners erupted after that to take a six-point cushion at the half, 39-33.

The biggest Hope lead was three points which came early in the game while Concordia once led by 11 points.

Hope did come within striking distance in the second half, as they cut the Cougars lead to 56-52.

Brandsma, who netted nine of 11 shots from the field in Hope's opener, sank eight of 22 against the Cougars. He was dead in the charity lane though with nine of 10 figures.

Concordia edged the Dutchmen in rebounds, 52-51 as Mueller led the way with 24. Tom Wolters had 13 for Hope.

Hope will host Trinity Christian Saturday in Civic Center.

Hope (79)				
FG	FT	PF	TP	
Riksen	2	0	0	4
Vriesman	3	0	2	6
Wolters	4	1	1	9
Brandsma	8	9	3	25
Klunder	3	3	3	9
Hakken	0	0	1	0
Harmelink	3	0	2	6
Edema	0	0	1	0
Vander Slice	5	0	3	10
Van Pernis	1	0	3	2

Totals 29 13 15 71

Concordia (79)				
FG	FT	PF	TP	
Heese	9	7	4	25
Mueller	6	4	3	16
Friederichs	7	0	1	14
Piel	1	0	3	2
Platt	2	8	3	12
Glascock	1	0	1	2
Goede	0	0	2	0
Kraemer	3	2	0	8

Totals 29 21 17 79

Russell Wolbrink Succumbs at 70

ALLEDALE — Russell Wolbrink, 70, of 110-5 68th Ave., died Tuesday at his home

following an apparent heart attack. He was a member of the Lions Club, the Allendale Telephone Board, was former owner of a grocery store in Allendale for 35 years, a former Justice of the Peace and Township Board member, and a consistory member of Allendale Reformed Church.

Surviving are his wife, Margorie; two daughters, Mrs. Charles William (Edith) McMullin of Allendale and Mrs. Robert (Marilyn) Koop of Holland; seven grandchildren; three brothers, Francis of Grand Rapids, Justin of Allendale and Arthur of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sisters, Mrs. David (Dorothy) Schonwald and Mrs. John (Mary) Praasterink, both of Grand Rapids.

Man Loses Finger Tips In Industrial Accident

John Hilbink, 61, of 2469 152nd St., lost some finger tips of both hands in a work mishap shortly before noon Tuesday at Hart & Cooley Manufacturing Co. He was taken to Holland Hospital where he was to undergo surgery.

A company spokesman said Hilbink, who completes 35 years with the company next month, was working on a press adjusting a die when the press was activated and his fingers were caught.

Panthers Win Opener For New Coach

West Ottawa won its season opening wrestling match for new Coach Karl Nadolsky here Tuesday night by trimming Hamilton, 28-21.

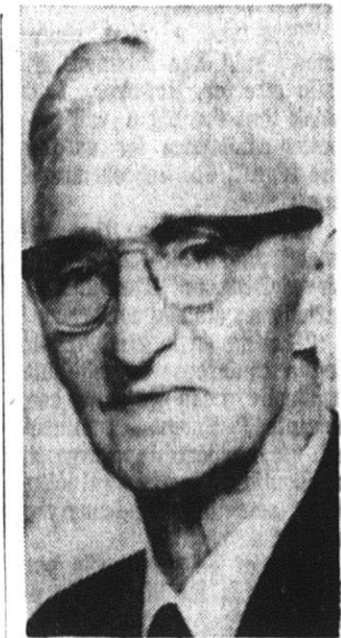
The results are as follows: 98 pounds: Bill Conray (WO) pinned Scott Shuck.

105 pounds: Ed Sasamoto (WO) dec. Curtis Pieper, 4-0. 112 pounds: Bill Monhollen (WO) dec. Tom Lubbers, 4-0. 119 pounds: Dave Verhoeven (H) dec. Bill Lalley, 6-0.

126 pounds: Gary Gaskill (WO) dec. John Dewys, 2-0. 132 pounds: Charlie Silva (WO) dec. Brian Bartels, 7-3. 138 pounds: Bruce Kruithoff (WO) dec. Lee Vanden Belt, 14-0.

145 pounds: Tom De Vree (WO) pinned John Wilson. 155 pounds: Bruce Peters (H) pinned Steve Sanger.

167 pounds: Randy Haverdink (H) dec. John Renkema, 11-10. 185 pounds: Al Engelsman (H) pinned Rick Brand. Heavyweight: Rick Klingenberg (H) dec. Ed Silva, 1-0. West Ottawa will travel to Kentwood Thursday.



Joe Van Kampen

90th Birthday Is Observed

Joe Van Kampen, who lives with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry De Ridder of 13057 Quincy St., was 90 years old Tuesday.

Born in Holland on Dec. 5, 1882, he is a life-long resident of the area and member of Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church.

He is still active, taking a daily walk and attending church every Sunday.

Fire Damages Car

Damage was estimated at \$200 in a fire of the electrical system of a 1970 model car in the General Electric company parking lot along East 16th St. at 7:10 a.m. Friday. The car was owned by Joyce Felt of Grand Haven. Holland firemen responded to the alarm.

Niles' Zone Defense Cools Off Holland in 2nd Half

A disastrous second half spelled defeat for Holland's basketball team Tuesday evening in the Fieldhouse before a small crowd as Niles registered a 63-45 victory.

The Dutch played inspired ball in the first two periods, as they were down by only four points, 28-24 at the intermission and surprised the Vikings by scoring 12 points and holding them to the same number in the first stanza.

Niles went to a zone defense in the second half and the Dutch couldn't find the lid to the basket, as they only hit on four of 12 shots in the third quarter and five of 18 in the final eight minutes.

The winners were hot from the field, as they connected on eight of 19 tries and seven of nine during Holland's dry spell to wrap up their second win of the season without a loss.

Holland finished the game with 18 buckets out of 56 attempts for a cool 32 per cent average while the Vikings canned 29 of 64 shots for 45 per cent.

"It was our best game by far," said Coach Don Piersma of Holland in the quiet locker-room after the contest. "All the guys played tremendous defense against their shuffle offense while Paul Van Oosten-

burg did a fine job on offense." "Niles' zone beat us in the second half," he continued. "We did a good job against their man-to-man defense but just couldn't hit against their zone."

Tim Van Tongeren gave Holland a quick 2-0 margin by netting a long jumper and the Dutch went ahead 4-2 on a fielder by Ros Israels, 6-4 on a basket by Van Oostenburg and 10-8 on two free throws by Jed De Boer with 1:23 left in the first quarter. As it turned out, it was the last time that Holland enjoyed the lead, although they were tied at 10-10, 12-12 and 16-16.

The Vikings went through the entire first half without netting a free throw. In fact, they had only one shot during that time at the lane, as Holland's defense was doing an excellent job.

With 6'7" junior center Dave Barnes dominating the boards in the third period, the Vikings quickly shot into a commanding 36-27 advantage.

Like Holland, the Vikings were a green team but they just had too much fire power for the Dutch in the long run, even though they were running sink their first charity toss until the final quarter.

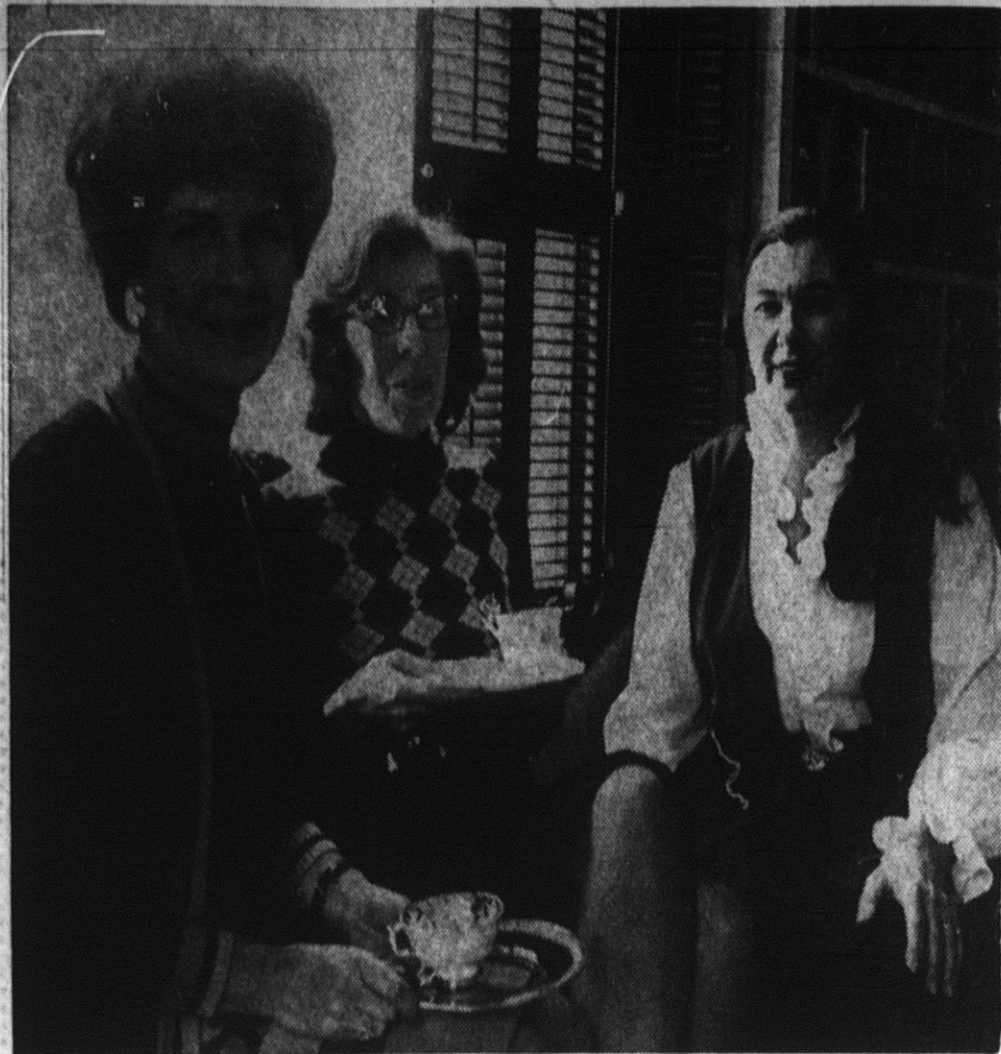
Barnes paced both teams in scoring with 20 counters while

another junior, Bill Weaver, who scored 19 points against the Dutch last year, added 17 this time around. Van Oostenburg and De Boer led Holland with 12 each.

The Dutch had 15 turnovers which is their low of the young season while Niles had 20.

Women Voters at Tea...

Engaged



TEA HONORS GUEST — Mrs. L.W. Lamb Jr., (right) opened her home at 268 Maple Ave., Monday afternoon to the Holland Area League of Women Voters. Honored at the Christmas tea which followed the

meeting was Mrs. Marvin Tomber, center, state president of the Michigan League of Women Voters. At the left is Mrs. John Donnelly, who was recently appointed to the State Finance Committee.

(Sentinel photo)

Holland Area League of Women Voters were guests of Mrs. L. W. Lamb Jr., in her home on Maple Ave. Monday.

Mrs. Marvin Tomber, State President of the Michigan League of Women Voters was guest of honor at the Christmas tea preceding the meeting.

Mrs. Lamb's home was beautifully decorated with Christmas wreaths, Christmas trees and nativity scenes. At the lovely tea table Mrs. Adrian Van Putten and Mrs. W. F. Young poured.

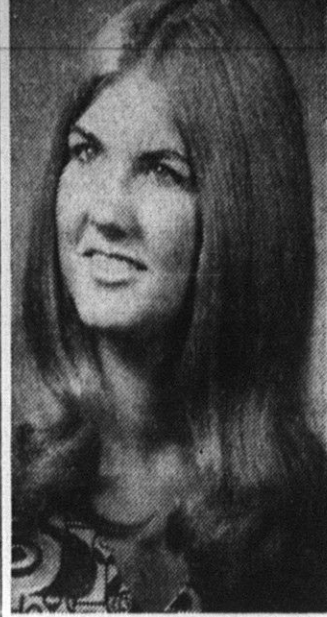
Mrs. Tomber spoke to the members on making an impact on the community and how to assess the League's impact on the community.

"Decide what you feel the purpose of the League is in your community, within the guide lines of the League's general purposes, then talk to others and see how they feel about these purposes," she said.

"Talk person to person about your League goals. Ask the right questions. Support the League's positions."

"To accomplish this, she said, "you need continuous, patient, hard work. You need to know what you are talking about, and choose your priorities. You need to work with others, and take the long view."

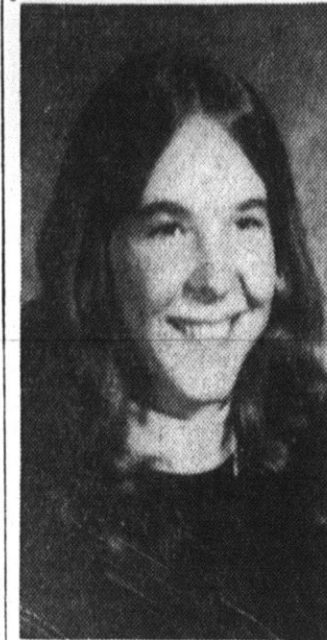
Mrs. Paul DeKruif, president, announced that there will be a vote on a Skills Center for Otawa County on March 8. This was an in-depth study by the local League, on the need of a Skills Center, and it was the consensus that it was needed.



Miss Barbara Jean Gosselar

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gosselar, 606 Washington, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Jean, of Chicago, to James Thomas Kosek, son of Mrs. Lorraine Wisniewski of Riverside, Ill.

An April wedding is being planned.



Miss Sue Bruggink

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Bruggink of Byron Center announce the engagement of their daughter, Sue, to Doug Edema, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Edema, also of Byron Center.

Both Miss Bruggink and her fiancé are seniors at Hope College.

A May 25 wedding is being planned.



Tammi concluded by reading a poem in the original Swedish. Mrs. Jerome Counihan presided and announced the January meeting will be held on the second Monday, Jan. 8, 1973 with a dinner meeting at Holiday Inn.

Mrs. Deborah G. Decker Succumbs at Age 95

Mrs. Deborah G. Decker, 95, of route 1, Fennville, died Friday in Holland Hospital. She was born June 28, 1877 in Michigan. Her husband, Arthur, preceded her in death in October, 1971.

Survivors include two sons, Charles G. Decker of Austin, Tex., and Arthur J. Decker of Kirkwood, Mo., four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Leaves Drive, Crashes

An auto driven by Jacqueline Joy Lindstrom, 32, of 556 Hiawatha Dr., leaving a private driveway along Sixth St. 186 feet west of College Ave. and an auto operated by Virgil L. Fitts, 21, of 125 Fairbanks, eastbound on Sixth St., collided Friday at 3:55 p.m.

A spring wedding is being planned.

Patricia Revlett Becomes Bride Of Peter C. Thomson

Wedding vows were exchanged Saturday afternoon by Miss Patricia Lea Revlett and Peter C. Thomson in Klise Chapel before the Rev. Seymour Van Dyken. The organist was Larry Beizer.

The bride is the daughter of Kenneth L. Revlett, 215 West 13th St., and the groom is the son of Mrs. J. A. Thomson of Grand Rapids and the late John A. Thomson.

The bride's gown was fashioned of ivory candelight crushed velvet with ivory lace forming the princess styling and enhancing the bell sleeves and collar. A camelot headpiece held a bridal illusion mantilla trimmed with matching lace. The bride carried a cascade of white roses and pink buds. The bridal ensemble was fashioned by the bride.

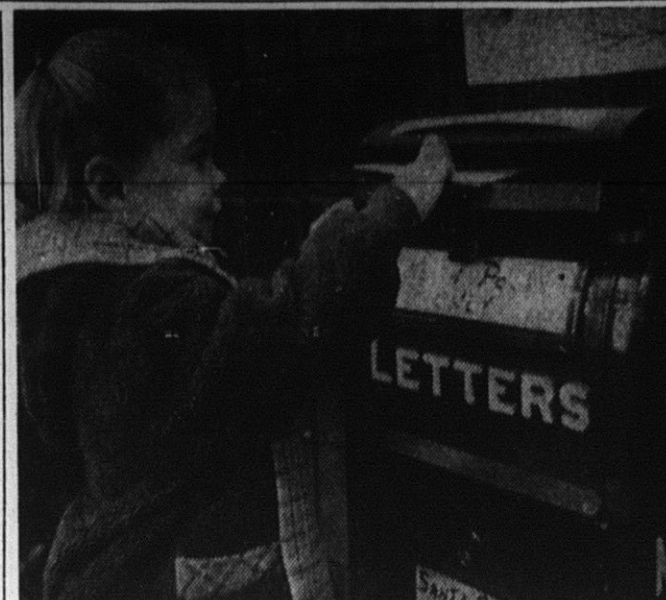
Miss Kay Revlett, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and was attired in a pastel pink crepe floor length dress fashioned with an empire waist and an avocado bolero with avocado and pink embroidered trim. Her hairpiece featured matching trim on avocado netting. She carried pink rose buds.

John Thomson was his brother's best man while ushers were Randall Thomson, another brother of the groom, and Kenneth Revlett, brother of the bride.

The reception was held in the church parlors with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hall presiding as master and mistress of ceremonies.

Following a short honeymoon, the couple will be at home in Grand Rapids.

The bride is employed at Lenderink Inc., in import-export and the groom serves as sales manager for P. A. Warn Co.



CHRISTMAS AT THE POST OFFICE — Three-year-old Nancee Lyn Vannette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Vannette of 222 Glendale, mails her letter to Santa Claus at the North Pole at the low-level letter box in the



Holland Post Office. Then in another corner of the lobby, she selects an ornament from a Christmas tree placed there for children under eight years of age by the Postal Clerks Auxiliary. (Sentinel photo)

NOSE Tips

by Leo Martonosi

Holland High has shown interest in joining the Big 6 Conference.

At an Athletic Council meeting last Friday, members voted unanimously to send a letter of intent to the Big 6.

"Yes, I did send a letter of intent to George Waning, president of the Big 6," said Fred Bertsch, principal, Monday. "Before we can send an application though, it has to be approved by the Board of Education," he stated.

The Holland Board of Education will hold its next meeting on Monday, Dec. 11.

"We would have liked to join the O-K conference," added Bertsch. But they just kept brushing us off and we weren't anxious to go back into the Lake Michigan Athletic Conference."

Holland competed in the Valley Coast Conference before it folded up at the conclusion of the 1969-70 season.

"That was a good conference," said Ken Bauman, athletic director. However, I do think that the Big 6 will be a better conference for us than the LMCA. The schools are all our size."

"It's a conference that will benefit the whole school," continued Bauman. "The LMCA is strictly an athletic conference." "Showing an interest in joining a conference doesn't automatically mean we have been accepted," Bauman commented. "If our board approves an application, the Big 6 will let us know sometime in January if we are accepted."

Three of the six schools participating in the Big 6 were on Holland's football slate this fall. The include Niles, St. Joseph and Portage Northern.

Dowagiac, Portage Central and Kalamazoo Loy Norrix are the three other teams competing in the Big 6.

"It wasn't our desire to be an independent," insisted Bertsch. "We tried to join the O-K but were turned away."

"Sure the new conference would cause some distance in travel but with the new freeways, you can get to Kalamazoo almost as fast as Grand Rapids," Bauman said.

"The Big 6 offers more sports than even the LMCA," he continued. "They have swimming and all girl sports while the LMCA didn't have swimming and some didn't even have wrestling."

The old LMCA is controlled by athletic directors while the Big 6 is controlled by administrators.

"We want to be sure the league is good before joining it," added Bauman. "We don't want something like the VCC to happen to us."

It may be hard to believe but Bauman said that the Portage Northern football game was a bigger take than any other game and that includes both West Ottawa and Grand Haven.

two traditional battles. Portage showed its fan support by bringing 18 buses to the contest at Riverview Park.

"Lakeshore Stevensville has also showed interest in joining the Big 6," Bauman replied. "It's possible if we're accepted that it could be an eight-team league."

Bauman hinted that Dowagiac, the only Class B school in the Big 6, the rest are A's, is thinking of dropping out because they're afraid they won't be able to compete anymore.

It wasn't that way this fall in football and so far this winter in basketball in which Dowagiac has more than held its own in both sports.

We here are in favor of Holland being in a league because we feel it will not only increase player interest but also that of the fans and students.

The Dutch would have fit perfectly into the O-K Conference but that isn't possible at this time, so the Big 6 looks like the second best bet.

We're sure the Board of Education will approve of Holland joining a league and will forward an application as soon as possible.

Now, all we have to do is wait until January to find out if the Dutch are accepted into the Big 6.

We here just can't see how they can be left out. After all, the Dutch are playing most of the teams on a non-league basis already.

Session Held At Learning Center

Parents, Hope students and teachers met at a recent Learning Center session. Activities were designed to show the parents how their pre-schoolers develop socially and creatively.

Harold Knoll Jr., teacher of special education for Ottawa County directed the activities and gave the parents a progress report on their efforts.

The Learning Center, located at 188 Pine Ave., is the only private nursery program in the Holland area. Children between the ages of 2½ and 7 years are eligible for participation. The non-graded program is from two and a half to four hours a day any number of days per week.

Karen Gralow, Hope student aide, served doughnuts and coffee. Bill Boersema, another Hope aide at the Learning Center, poured cider at snack time.

Visiting in Florida

Mrs. John Van Der Werf, 13 Lakewood Blvd., is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Catherine Wilterdink, in Palm Beach, Fla. Miss Marian Wilterdink, who has been a missionary in Africa since 1951, is also visiting her parent in Palm Beach for a month before returning to Africa in January.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Sunday were Beulah Derks, Brian Vliem, Dorothy Bouwmaster, John Blystra, Conrada Garcia, Dianne Simmons, Harriet Nylund, Joseph Hallacy, Jimmie Ferrell, Thomas Mc Alpine, Phyllis Laninga, Henrietta Dykhuys and Allen Santora.

Discharged Sunday were Karla Duryee and baby, Patricia Woltman and baby, Antonio Perales, Carl Ebel, John Ver Lee, Mary Varga, Mary Quattlebaum, Louise De Klein, Harold Eding, Judith Hirdes and baby, Maria Sanger and baby, Edgar

Pinnoneault and Kenneth Bredeweg.

Admitted Monday were Dorothy Barkel, Tommy Arens, William Vander Vennen, Frieda Troost, Beth Dreyer, Clarence Fischrupp and Rebecca Riemink.

Discharged Monday were Edward E. Dorn, Jane Rossell and baby, Ruth Den Herder, Lois Morgan, Sandra Andrews.

Crash at Intersection

Cars operated by Lucille Irene Vander Hill, 50, of 333 East Lakewood Blvd., and Grace Gertrude Poppema, 55, of 363 Fifth Ave., collided Friday at 11:18 a.m. at 13th St. and Central Ave.

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GOOD USE — The 30-foot Colorado blue spruce gracing the plaza between the police and court buildings on West Eighth St. was donated by Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Pickel, 132 Lakeshore who were forced to remove the tree from their property where it was interfering with the growth of other plant

material. The tree was put into a box used for palm trees in Centennial Park and installed by members of the Park Department. Lights were added. The cost of installation was paid by the police and court. A corner of the police building is at the left. (Sentinel photo)