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Expect to Reach Goal

Holland United Way
At 95 Per CentParking Fees
Postponed
At Hospital

Due to installation difficulties, parking fees for the new "south" parking lot at Holland Hospital will not go into effect for at least a week.

A 25-cent parking fee was slated to go into effect Wednesday. Installers are awaiting delivery of certain mechanical parts for the parking gates before they can be activated.

The Hospital Board decided on the fee for the 22-space visitor lot after improvements cost \$29,000 or \$1,300 per parking space.

Free parking will continue in the 36 spaces directly in front of the hospital for the convenience of outpatients and individuals picking up or discharging patients. This lot will be posted for 30 minutes parking.

Local Rainfall
At 34.76 Inches
For 11 Months

Rainfall in Holland during November totaled 4.77 inches or about two inches above normal for the month. This makes an 11-month total for 1973 of 34.76 inches, slightly ahead of the annual average of 33.04 inches for Holland.

Holland had snow on three occasions during November, totaling 3.65 inches with .15 inch on Nov. 9, one inch Nov. 11 and 2.5 inches Nov. 16. The latter date had a combination of rain, hail and snow.

Maximum temperature was 61 on Nov. 15 and the minimum was 25 on three successive days, Nov. 9, 10 and 11.

Heaviest precipitation in a 24-hour period was 1.42 inches on Nov. 15, the day the temperature rose to 61.

Juvenile Held In
Damage to Cars

A juvenile boy was taken into custody by Ottawa County deputies Tuesday in connection with damage to three cars, two mailboxes and a boat at two residences in West Olive. The 16-year-old was not identified.

Deputies said extensive damage was reported to a 1972 model Cadillac of John Vander Warf, 16245 Van Buren St., which had paint tossed over it, the vinyl top slashed and the interior burned. A 1972 model boat was spray-painted and a mailbox destroyed.

Frank Williams, 16208 Van Buren, reported his mailbox destroyed and two cars and the front of his home spray-painted. Damage estimates were not immediately available.

25 Cents for New Parking Lot

Hospital Visitors
Parking Fee Set

Holland Hospital's expanded visitors' parking lot will start charging 25 cents per car Wednesday to help underwrite the cost of developing additional parking at the hospital.

The additional 22 spaces in the south visitors' parking lot cost the Hospital \$29,000 or approximately \$1,300 per parking space. This cost includes the acquisition of the property, the black-topping of the area, including the installation of five catch basins for runoff water, lighting and equipment which has been installed.

Under the new system, visitors using this lot will be charged 25 cents per car as they enter the parking lot. A sign at the entrance will indicate whether the lot is "full" or not by automatically counting each vehicle as it enters and exits.

The parking lot at the corner of 26th and Maple will also be gated and will be available to visitors from 5 p.m. until 10 p.m. only. During the daytime this lot is utilized by employees. Therefore, the coin operating mechanism will not be operative except between 5 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Charging for parking is a new policy adopted by the Hospital Board some months ago when the decision was made to purchase this particular piece of property. The board felt that it was unfair to the patients in the Hospital to be forced to pay a parking fee. These funds

The Greater Holland United Way moved to within five per cent of its goal, it was reported at a GHUW board meeting Thursday and campaign chairman Lawrence J. Overbeek expressed confidence the goal of \$246,741 would be met.

Overbeek said \$234,761 was reported as collected or pledged but added some contributions were not yet reported by divisional chairmen. Those reports, he said, could push the total over the goal.

The industrial division chairman, Gary White, reported 102.6 per cent of the goal or \$157,408. The division goal was \$153,490.

Retail chairman Mrs. William Venhuizen reported 94 per cent of the goal of \$13,116. Commercial reported 92 per cent with special gifts at 91 per cent. Professional showed 87 per cent with public civic at 66 per cent and construction at 60 per cent.

Christmas Coffee
With Councilmen
Set December 13

Mayor Lou Hallacy II announced dates for the annual Mayor's Christmas coffee and open house and said there would be a new twist to the City Hall Christmas decorations.

The coffee with the mayor, councilmen and their wives, will be held in the mayor's office in City Hall Thursday Dec. 13 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m. Hallacy invited all residents to meet the council members.

Referring to the energy crisis and the fact that there will be no lights on municipal Christmas trees in City Hall or Centennial Park, Hallacy said the trees in City Hall would be decorated with ornaments made by first graders in several of the elementary schools.

The mayor said he asked first graders in Lincoln, Federal, Washington, South Side Christian, Maplewood Christian and St. Francis de Sales schools to make the ornaments for the trees.

3 Students Finish
In Top 4 Per Cent

Three area students finished in the top four per cent on Part I of the Michigan Mathematics Prize competition and are among 1,000 Michigan students to compete in the final examination Wednesday.

Students from Holland Christian are Sharon Naberhuis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Naberhuis, 210 West 12th St., and Vic Weener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Weener, 6928 120th Ave. Their supervisor was Elmer Ribbens.

Terry Bosch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bosch, 1923 96th Ave., Zeeland qualified from Zeeland High School and his supervisor was Ivan Janssen.



THE RIGHT LOOK — Marilyn Swierenga of Holland examines the pendant and gown she plans to wear to Saturday's Junior Welfare League Charity Ball. Since total blindness from diabetes struck five years ago, she has learned to swim, dance, has had a book published and is writing another. (Sentinel photo)

Blindness Expands World
Of Mrs. Lester Swierenga

By Ann Hungerford
"Only if it would be helpful to other people..." came the reply from an extraordinary Holland woman.

Mrs. Lester Swierenga, a woman who lost her sight totally five years ago at the age of 38 because of diabetes, had agreed to a feature story about herself in The Sentinel but "only if it would be helpful to other people."

The reply in itself is a brief testimony to the woman whose

life is dedicated to letting God use her and her blindness as He sees fit.

Marilyn Swierenga is a happy lady. She makes people around her happy. And therein lies the key to her life.

"It's the responsibility of the handicapped person to put others at ease," she says firmly. And she not only says it, she does it... beautifully.

The air Marilyn projects to first time visitors seems one of "since my blindness doesn't

bother me, I won't let it bother you either." And it doesn't.

She fully understands the fear "normal" people have of communicating with the handicapped, the fear of saying or doing the wrong thing. So she calmly sets the verbal tone.

She freely uses the word "handicapped;" no flinching, no embarrassment, no excuses; just a word, a condition, a fact. Everyone has some kind of a handicap; some are just more visible, she says.

Seeks Agreement With County

BPW Offers New
Water Proposal

A Board of Public Works compromise proposal to sell water to Ottawa County for use in Park, Holland and Zeeland townships was approved by Holland City Council Wednesday.

The proposal is expected to be submitted to county officials for action at the Board of Commissioners meeting Monday in Grand Haven. It is the latest in a round of negotiations lasting more than one year designed to bring municipal water to certain areas of the three townships.

Superintendent of utilities Ronald L. Rainson explained to council that the latest proposal would allow the county, as an agent for the townships, to draw up to two million gallons of water daily at a sale price equal to the average revenue paid by the citizens of Holland.

The rate would be determined on a periodic basis by dividing the BPW's total retail revenue by the total retail gallons sold in Holland. Existing rate structures in the townships would be changed to the proposal.

Rainson said the amount is less than what the BPW believed was justifiable return - on investment but because of cost savings associated with customer accounting and distribution line repairs, the BPW expected to realize a reasonable profit which would be used to offset future rate increases to Holland citizens.

The county would provide metering devices and distribution systems and handle its own billing to customers.

The BPW proposal would allow the county to become a partner in the Holland water system at any time after the construction of the planned seven million gallon expansion. In exchange for the water, the BPW would expect the full faith and credit backing from the county in the sale of \$1.8 million worth of bonds to finance the seven million gallon expansion at the water plant.

Use of the county backing would give the BPW a lower interest rate. Meanwhile the BPW is moving on plans for a general obligation bond issue to finance the expansion should the county reject the proposal.

Park township is seeking a water source for residents on the South side of Lake Macatawa while Holland township is seeking water for the Federal district. Agreement has been reached on water for the Waukazoo area.

Previously the BPW had offered two million gallons of water daily at a wholesale rate plus a return on investment and an option for the county to purchase an interest in the water plant. A partnership in the plant had been one of the demands of some of the county commissioners.

Two Arrested In
Four Break-Ins

A 17-year-old boy and a juvenile were taken into custody by Ottawa County deputies Thursday in connection with break-ins at three schools and a wrecking company.

Randy Voss, 17, of 324 Mae Rose, and the juvenile were accused in break-ins at Waukazoo, Beechwood and Woodside schools last week and at the Houting and Meussen Wrecking Co. on James St.

Voss demanded a court appointed attorney at his district court arraignment Thursday. Bond of \$2,000 for each of four counts was not furnished.

The juvenile was referred to probate court.

Youth Injured In
Shooting Mishap

Douglas Morris, 16, of 4041 144th Ave., who suffered shotgun wounds of the abdomen during an accidental shooting Sunday near his home, was listed in "good" condition Monday in Holland Hospital.

Ottawa County deputies said Morris and a 13-year-old companion were rabbit hunting in a field behind his home. Deputies said the juvenile was attempting to shoot a 410-gauge shotgun at a tin can when Morris allegedly walked into the path of the weapon as it was discharged.

Deputies said the mishap occurred at 12:57 p.m. Sunday.

Truck Hits Abutment
Injuring Driver

Wayne Cheyne, 38, of Dorr, escaped serious injuries at 9:13 a.m. today when the van-type truck he was driving went out of control at the I-196 interchange with South Washington Ave. and struck a bridge abutment. He was taken to Holland Hospital for treatment.

Police said Cheyne slid 189 feet before slamming into the abutment after coming off the northbound I-196 ramp onto Washington Ave. Officers said Cheyne was wearing seat belts and they may have prevented more serious injuries to him.

Park Township
Tax Bills Mailed

Tax bills were mailed Monday to Park Township property owners and carried a total levy of \$1,455,149.37 based on the state equalized value of \$35,812,230.

The West Ottawa school district rate is \$42.80 per \$1,000 and the Holland city school district rate is \$31.37 per \$1,000 valuation.

Prominent Physician, Former Mayor

Dr. Bloemendaal
Of Zeeland Dies

ZEELAND — Dr. D. C. Bloemendaal, prominent physician and former mayor, died in an Allendale nursing home early Saturday following a lengthy illness. He was 75.

Dr. Bloemendaal practiced medicine in the Zeeland area for 40 years and delivered more than 3,200 babies during his career.

Dr. Bloemendaal represented the country doctor and on many occasions in making house calls would be bogged down in the snow and had to be picked up by horse and sleigh to get to his patients.

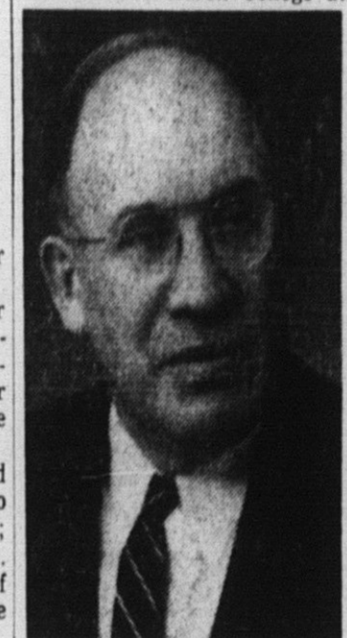
He was elected mayor in 1952, serving until 1953 and elected again in 1957 and served until 1963. He also served as supervisor from the area while mayor.

Born in Clear Lake, S.D., to a Presbyterian missionary, Bloemendaal received his early education in the Netherlands and attended Huron College at

gical resident of the hospital. In 1929 he accepted the chief residency at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids where he practiced until coming to Zeeland.

Dr. Bloemendaal was a member of the American Medical Association, the Michigan Medical Association, the American Association of Railway Surgeons, past president of the Ottawa County Medical Association, and a member of the American Legion and Barracks of World War I. He was a member of the Second Reformed Church and a veteran of World Wars I and II.

Surviving include three sons, Dirk, William and John, all of Holland; three daughters, Barbara Dickman of Zeeland, Elizabeth Walters of Rockford and Mary Ferguson of Holland; 20 grandchildren and a brother, Dr. G. J. Bloemendaal, of Ipswich, S.D.



Dr. D. C. Bloemendaal

Huron, S.D., when he returned from the Netherlands. He graduated in 1921.

He served as athletic director and science teacher in Redfield, S.D., before entering Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, in 1923.

Following graduation in 1927 he interned at Germantown, Pa., hospital and became chief sur-

Fire Chief Warns
Of Gas Storage

Holland fire officials, concerned that fears of a gasoline shortage might spawn private storage by citizens, today reminded residents that such storage was illegal and posed serious fire hazards.

Chief Marvin Mokma said local codes limit storage of gasoline for private use to not more than six gallons in approved containers. Outlawed are 55 gallon drums or other containers larger than six gallon capacity.

Mokma said the codes also prohibit transportation of any flammable liquids other than motor fuels in fuel supply tanks of vehicles on any highway, street or alley other than in approved containers.

Mokma also cautioned against carrying a spare gas can in the trunk of the cars because of the potential fire hazard in case of rear-end collisions.

Front End Recovered

Holland police are accustomed to finding objects on highways and streets in the city.

Tuesday an officer on patrol reported finding the front end of a Volkswagen packaged in a carton. It was in the right lane of southbound US-31 by-pass between 16th and 24th Sts. Officers said a packing slip on the carton indicated the owner and he was notified to pick up his front end.

Says Costs Too High

Hospital Declines
Use of Computer

The Holland Hospital board, expressing concern over the cost of continued service from the local Computer Services Center, voted to decline further participation in the municipal computer.

A 14-page report from the hospital administrative staff indicated that the 1974-1975 proposed budget for the center listed the hospital's share at \$207,000 while similar data processing services from the McDonnell Douglas Automation Co. could be purchased for \$115,000.

The hospital board took its action at a regular meeting Tuesday lasting nearly three hours, and the recommendation will be submitted to council probably at its Dec. 19 meeting.

Hospital director Frederick S. Burd said the use of the local computer had been under study the past year and indicated he was satisfied with the data processing services. But he said

the board was concerned with the cost of the local computer service.

The resolution adopted by the board asks that the hospital management staff "be authorized to negotiate a proposed agreement for data processing services with McDonnell Douglas for submission to the hospital board and city attorney before final approval and transmittal to city council."

The resolution also asks that the "conversion from the Computer Services Center to McDonnell Douglas Automation Co. be negotiated with the Computer Services Committee."

McDonnell Douglas operates a computer in Peoria, Ill., and services more than 160 hospitals, including six in Michigan. Holland Hospital would be linked to the computer by leased telephone lines, Burd said.

Burd said the hospital now uses 62.8 per cent of the available time on the local computer.

Phillips will conduct a clinic for tuba students and all other interested brass players and teachers on Dec. 13 in Wickers Auditorium beginning at 4 p.m. Both the concert and the clinic are open to the public free of charge.

Zeeland Sells
Borculo School

ZEELAND — The Board of Education Tuesday approved the sale of the unused Borculo school building to Henry Weaver who bid \$8,500 at an auction Saturday. The school building had been vacated several years.

In other action, the board was told that working drawings for additions to the New Groningen and Roosevelt schools were expected by Jan. 1 with bids received by Feb. 1.

Energy-saving procedures in the schools were detailed by Superintendent Dr. Ray Lokers. Included were lowering of classroom temperatures, turning off lights in rooms not in use and attempts to concentrate after hours building use to particular buildings.

The board accepted the low bid of De Nooyer Chevrolet for the purchase of a pickup truck to replace a 1960 model.

Council
Plans New
Fire Truck

Holland Council Wednesday took steps to upgrade fire department equipment over a 20-year period and voted an immediate increase in Windmill Island entrance fees.

Council authorized the advertising of bids for a pumper truck to replace an existing truck, bringing the equipment in line with a 20-year replacement program. Cost of the proposed 1,250 to 1,500 gallon pumper would come from revenue sharing funds.

City Manager William L. Bopf said a program was started to build a fund for the replacement of firefighting equipment beginning in 1965.

Acting on the recommendation of the Windmill Island Advisory Committee created by council, city council adopted an immediate hike in entrance fees. The increase, the first since 1968, would bring adult fees to \$1.75 and children to \$1.

It was pointed out the higher rates would be consistent with entrance fees charged by similar attractions in West Michigan. The increased fees would help build up reserve accounts for expansion of the park facilities.

The higher rates were approved on a five to two vote with councilmen James Vande Poel and John Bloemendaal voting against the hike.

In a related development, councilman Al Kleis moved that the city manager study the possibility of lowering rates on Windmill Island after Labor Day. The motion was adopted.

The low bid of Houting and Meeuwsen Wrecking Co. for the demolition of three city-owned dwellings at 84 West Seventh St., 49 West 12th St. and 58 West 12th St. at a cost of \$2,760 was approved. The other bid from Cannon Wrecking Co. of Dorr was for \$5,900.

A transfer of \$1,000 from the parking system reserve for contingencies to operating supplies was approved.

Two city manager recommendations concerning parking were tabled until the next council meeting for public reaction. They were the revision of a parking schedule to allow parking on the north side of 13th St. between Harrison and Van Raalte Aves. and removal of parking from the east side of Graafschap Rd. for 100 feet south and 50 feet north of a driveway at Christ Memorial Reformed Church.

Several purchases through revenue sharing funds were approved by council. They included:

Closed circuit television equipment for cellblocks and a security tunnel in the police building, Motorola, Inc., \$5,962; drill press, bits and two mobile radios for the street department, \$3,640.

Film inspection machine, \$4,200; multiplex display panels, \$212.15; record display, \$350; literature display unit, \$95; 16 mm motion picture projector and lens, \$500.

Accidents

Debra Kay Van Dam, 17, of 213 Howard Ave., sustained minor injuries when the car she was driving went out of control in the A&W Restaurant and Drive in parking lot, 139 East Eighth St., Monday at 7:56 p.m. and struck a parked car shoving it into a menu sign and a second car. She was treated in Holland Hospital and released. The other cars were owned by Mark Orrin Williams, of 112 East 22nd St., and Herbert Arthur Strandberg Jr. of Muskegon.

Cars operated by David A. Lageveen, 19, of De Motte, Ind., and Janie Guerrero, 40, of 186 West Eighth St., collided Saturday at 1:32 p.m. at Seventh St. and Columbia Ave. Police said both were northbound on Columbia when the Guerrero car attempted a left turn from the middle lane and collided with the Lageveen car attempting a left turn from the left lane.

Forest Horn, 25,
Dies in Hospital

Forest Horn, 25, of Fennville died in Holland Hospital late Tuesday following an eight-day illness.

He was employed as a welder for Holland Hiltch and had lived in the Fennville area most of the last ten years.

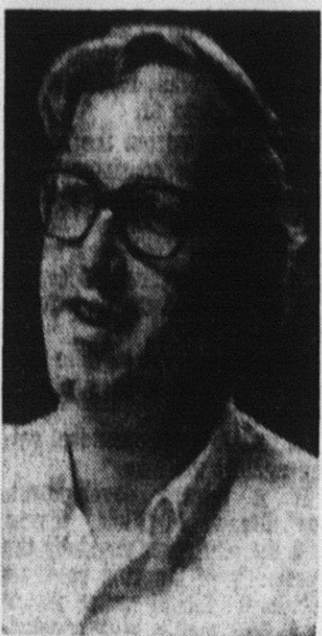
Surviving are his wife, Joanne of South Haven; a daughter, Michelle, also of South Haven; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Horn of Leslie, Ark.; three brothers, Arlee of Fennville, Thomas of Holland and Charles of Leslie and two sisters, Mrs. Michael (Forestone) Maroon of Buford, S. C. and Miss Esther Horn of Leslie.

Has Grant From Dreyfus Foundation

Dr. Michael P. Doyle, associate professor of chemistry at Hope College, is one of 16 outstanding young faculty members in the United States to be named the recipient of a prestigious Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Grant.

Dr. Doyle, a member of the Hope faculty since 1968, will receive \$20,000 to carry out new ideas in both teaching and research in chemistry and related sciences. A large portion of the grant will be used to support students in research activities and to allow Dr. Doyle to purchase equipment that would not otherwise be available.

The Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation, which was established in 1946, has directed major attention to the advancement of chemistry, chemical engineering and related sciences as a means of improving human relations and circumstances in the world. The purpose of the Teacher-Scholar Grant program is to give recipients maximum freedom in developing their potentials both as teachers and as scholars.



Dr. Michael P. Doyle

Dr. Doyle, 31, one of only two scholars selected from schools other than major universities, was chosen from 101 candidates.

There have been just 63 recipients nationally since the program was initiated in 1970. The award also honors Hope College since only eight of the recipients have been from four liberal arts colleges. Dr. Sheldon Wettack, professor of chemistry at Hope, was designated a Dreyfus Scholar in 1971.

A native of Minneapolis, Minn., Dr. Doyle received a B. S. degree from the College of St. Thomas, St. Paul, Minn., and his Ph.D. in organic chemistry from Iowa State University in 1968. He was an instructor of chemistry at the University of Illinois at Chicago Circle prior to joining the Hope faculty.

Martha Kollen Guild Bridge Marathon Ends

The Martha Kollen Hospital Guild entertained at a Dessert Bridge Wednesday afternoon in the Heritage Room of Holland Hospital for the area women who have participated in the July - November Bridge Marathon.

At the close of the afternoon's play, first prize was awarded to Mrs. James Hallan and Mrs. Loren Howard who had a score of 18,440 for the five-month period. Second prize went to Mrs. E. A. Fritz and Mrs. Larry Prince with 18,260 points and third prize went to Mrs. Robert Parkes and Mrs. E. D. Wade with 17,960 points.

The monthly prize for November was won by Mrs. Fritz and Mrs. Prince, whose score was 4,690.

The bridge marathon was started in 1968 and all proceeds are used to purchase equipment for Holland Hospital.

A new marathon will be starting in January and running through May. Persons wishing to play or to obtain more information about this project are invited to call Mrs. J. D. Jencks.

Eastern Star Holds School of Instruction

Officers and members of Eastern Star, gathered in the chapter room for a potluck supper on Thursday. A school of instruction was held in connection with procedures to be carried out during the present chapter year.

Lillian Jones, Worthy Matron, and Harland Smith, Worthy Patron, welcomed instructing officer, Helen Melborne, Grand Martha, Grand Ledge Chapter 161; Leland Barnes, Past Worthy Grand Patron; Eula Barnes, Past Grand Chaplain; Bonnie Tregloan, Past Grand Adah; Ethel Justema, Past Grand Organist, and Izetta Withereil, Present Grand Proficiency Chairwoman.

Car Fire Reported

Holland firemen were called to 24th St. and Lincoln Ave. where a car owned by Ron Voss, 4491 M-40 was reported on fire at 11:45 p.m. Friday. Damage estimates were not available.

Holland Jaycees Win Grant For Elderly Program

The Holland Jaycee chapter is one of the first in the nation to receive a \$5,000 grant under a national Jaycee project to operate community centers for the elderly.

The announcement was made at the Jaycees National headquarters in Tulsa, Okla., by president Rick Clayton.

Under the Jaycee Project Mainstream, the Holland Jaycees will receive \$5,000 to establish a center for senior citizens providing fun, fellowship and mental and spiritual activity for the elderly poor.

Holland Jaycee Dave Vander Kooi is project chairman and said the Jaycees would work with the Good Samaritan Center in the project.

The national program is administered through the U. S. Jaycees Foundation and supported by a \$574,000 grant from the U.S. Office of Economic Opportunity. It focuses on the development of joint-action self-help education projects in areas of housing, economic development, community interaction and elderly assistance.

Newlyweds Are Making Home In Saugatuck

Following their honeymoon in northern Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Marc Duane Aalderink are residing at 3216 Silver Acres Dr., Saugatuck. They were married Oct. 27 in First Congregational Church, Saugatuck, with the Rev. Stephen Tucker and the Rev. Fred Doidge officiating. Mrs. Terry Thomas was organist and Mrs. Cornelia Gotham and Robert Kobernik were soloists.

The bride is the former Miss Ellen Ann Hemwall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lannart Hemwall, 140 Taylor St., Saugatuck. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aalderink Jr., 345 Hoffman St., Saugatuck.

The bride's peau de satin gown featured nottingham lace on the bodice, stand-up collar, cuffs of the long sleeves, waistline and floor-length A-line skirt. Her tiered fingertip veil fell from a lace camelot headpiece. The chapel-length train fell from the shoulders and was trimmed with matching lace. She carried a colonial bouquet of buttercups, mums, baby's breath, yellow sweetheart roses and orange tipped carnations.

Attending her sister as matron of honor was Mrs. Daniel Furbush. She wore a burnt orange gown with ivory nottingham lace bodice, sheer long sleeves with lace cuffs and full skirt with accent at calf and flounce bottom with lace trim. She had a French bow with streamers in her hair and carried a brown wicker basket with gold wheat, buttercups, orange and gold baby mums, greens and green grapes.

Similarly attired were the bridesmaids with Mrs. James Potts dressed in moss green and Miss Victoria Boyce, maize gold. Personal attendant was Miss Phyllis Wich.

Kenneth O. Masters was best man while Scott Aalderink and Keith Aalderink, brothers of the groom, were groomsmen. Daniel Furbush and Steven Lockman were ushers.

Carousel Mountain Lodge was the setting for the reception where Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Klare were master and mistress of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. David Van Wieren were at the cake table while Miss Susan Hansen was at the guest book. Miss Pamela Walters, punch bowl and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peel, gift table.

The groom is employed by Bohn Aluminum.

The bride is employed as a receptionist at Ex-Cell-O Corp. and the groom is employed by Colonial Clocks of Zeeland.

The groom's parents hosted a rehearsal lunch at Community Restaurant in Zeeland.

Resident of Kentwood Dies in Grand Rapids

GRAND RAPIDS — Vertis (Bert) Mathis, 62, of Kentwood, died Friday at St. Mary's Hospital.

Surviving are his wife, the former Margaret Witteveen of Holland; four children, Keith and Darla of Kentwood and Alan and Christine of Grand Rapids; three grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Verba First of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Verda Dean of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mrs. Vergie Lake of Grand Rapids, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Kathleen Mathis of Kalamazoo.

Watercolor for Hospital—A beach scene, painted by Nat Steinberg in watercolor was given to Holland Hospital for their permanent collection by the Holland Friends of Art, who purchased the painting at the Mini Art Show the club held recently. Shown here are Nat Steinberg, seated, nationally known artist, formerly of Chicago and now of Douglas; Fred Burd,

Wed in Evening Rites...



Mrs. Arlen Dale Harsevoort (Kleinhekel photo)

Miss Phyllis Jane Bosch and Arlen Dale Harsevoort solemnized their nuptial vows Friday in North Holland Reformed Church before the Rev. Tunis Miersma. Mrs. Jan Nienhuis was organist for the evening ceremony and Charles Canaan was soloist.

The couple's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James Bosch, 4695 120th Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Harsevoort, 360 North Ottawa, Zeeland.

The bride designed her own floor-length gown of white satin with an empire bodice of accenting lace and bishop sleeves. Her floor-length veil, held by a camelot headpiece, was outlined with lace to match a band of lace around the hemline of the dress. She carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations, pink sweetheart roses and tinted blue baby's breath tied with white streamers.

Miss Carla Van Norden attended as maid of honor. Her floor-length dress was in light blue with accenting lace around the waist and sleeves. She had a blue streamer in her hair and carried a basket of mixed flowers in shades of blue with blue streamers.

Wearing an identically styled royal blue dress was the bridesmaid, Miss Barbara Sytsma. She also carried a basket of blue flowers.

The groom's attendants were Duane Harsevoort, best man; Daryl Vanden Bosch, groomsmen; Arvin Boersma and Michael Machiela, ushers.

The reception was held in the church Fellowship Hall with Mr. and Mrs. Gelmer Boetsma as master and mistress of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. Rick Smith poured punch while Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bosch, Mrs. Jan Harsevoort and Mrs. Laura Vanden Bosch arranged the gifts.

Following a honeymoon, the couple will reside at 60 West Garfield, Zeeland.

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Mrs. Dennis Vander Ploeg (de Vries photo)

Miss Bonnie Jo Bosch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bosch, 3253 146th Ave., became the bride of Dennis Paul Vander Ploeg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Vander Ploeg, 82 East 30th St., on Friday.

The Rev. John Draisma officiated at the evening ceremony in Holland Heights Christian Reformed Church. Providing music were Clarence Walters, organist, and Earl Weener, soloist.

The bride wore a gown of ivory faille satin styled with fitted bodice applied with re-embroidered alencon lace outlined with nylon pleated ruching. The gown also featured a high neckline, long fitted sleeves and full lace-trimmed skirt which swept into a chapel train. A pearl trimmed lace toque secured her bouffant veil of silk illusion.

Miss Jill Bosch attended her sister as maid of honor while Miss Sally Klinge, Miss Sharon Vander Ploeg, sister of the groom, and Miss Missy Bosch, sister of the bride, were bridesmaids.

Glenn Vander Ploeg was his brother's best man while Larry Dannenberg, Doug Kossei, and James Vander Ploeg, another brother of the groom, were ushers.

Before leaving for a honeymoon in Florida, the newlyweds greeted guests at a reception in the church Fellowship Hall. They will make their home at 27½ Main St., Zeeland.

The bride is employed by Prince Corp. and the groom is a Michigan Farmer Insurance agent.

Newlyweds Make Home In Holland

Mr. and Mrs. James Alan Postma are residing at route 5, following their marriage Nov. 24 in Rose Park Baptist Church. The Rev. Charles Surratt performed the afternoon ceremony while Rachel Slusher was organist.

The bride is the former Josie Marie Hunter, daughter of Mrs. Audrey Hunter, 327 West 15th St. The groom is the son of Joanna Postma, 331 West 15th St.

Attending the couple were Eva Olin and Roger Postma. Ushers were Ken Woodwhite and Louie Brownell.

The newlyweds greeted guests at a reception at the Ottawa County Fairgrounds Community Hall. Attendants were Cheryl and Nancy Sharp, Debbie Geurink and Linda Brownell.

The groom is employed by Swift's Ice Cream.



Mrs. Edwin Dale Menken (Nelson photo)

Evening wedding rites uniting Miss Laurie Jo Dykema and Edwin Dale Menken were performed Friday in the Blue Room of the Warm Friend Motor Inn by the Rev. Dick Vriesman. Pianist for the ceremony was Mrs. Dick Vriesman.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Neal Dykema, 169 East Lakewood Blvd., and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Menken, 6034 146th Ave.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white sate peau featuring a midline waist and long full sleeves with alencon lace appliques on the bodice and sleeves. Lace inserts in the side panel formed a chapel train. Her mantilla veil was edged with matching alencon lace and held with a camelot cap. She carried a bouquet of small pompons, pink, white and blue carnations, dried flowers in pink and blue, sweetheart roses, baby's breath and ferns.

Mrs. Steve Andrews was her sister's matron or honor. She wore a gown having a royal blue velvet skirt and a long blue crepe bodice trimmed with tiny tulips and blue flowered lace with long full sleeves. She carried a basket of mums and pompon mums, pink, blue and white carnations with pink and blue dried flowers, baby's breath, sweetheart roses and ferns.

Attending the groom was his brother, James Menken.

Attendants at the reception in the Blue Room were Miss Kristi Dykema, sister of the bride, guest book; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Slagh, gift room, and Mr. and Mrs. David Grotenhuis, punch bowl.

Following a southern wedding trip to Kentucky and Tennessee, the couple will reside at 4402 6th St.

The bride is a secretary in the Trust Department of First Michigan Bank and Trust Co. in Zeeland. The groom is employed by K & L Electric Co.

Pre-nuptial showers were given by Mrs. Herman Menken, Mrs. Lester Lampen and Mrs. James Menken; Mrs. Herbert De Pree, Mrs. Gerrit Dykema and Mrs. Peter Dykema; Mrs. Steven Andrews and Mrs. Robert Nedeau.

Couple Living In Massachusetts

Miss Carol Tuesink and Ted Lillie were united in marriage Saturday, Nov. 24, at 4 p.m. in the chapel of First Presbyterian Church of Highland Park, Ill.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Teusink, 1468 West 32nd St., and Mr. and Mrs. C. Lillie of Highland Park, Ill. Mrs. R. Duisternars was her sister's only attendant while the groom's brother, John Lillie, was the best man. The Rev. William Giles officiated.

The newlyweds are at home at 4 Gaslight Dr., Apt. 1, South Weymouth, Mass.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Thursday were Clarence Heerspink, 431 Julius; Debra Vandenberg, 10958 Quincy Ct.; Cora Johnson, 791 East 25th St.; Duane Kimmel, Bangor; Steven Kleis, 6951 112th Ave.; Richard Martinez, Fennville; Sherri Herweyer, 6257 Oakhurst; Kelle Bouwman, 114 West 20th St.; Timothy Boutain, Hamilton; Gerald Onken, Fennville; Kimberly Lucy, 14157 Carol St.; Sally Jones, Zeeland; Katherine Valentine, Fennville; Alice Lundgren, Hamilton; Eldert Zwart, 327 River Ave.; Evelyn Gardner, Douglas; Ruth Klein, 224 Cambridge; Norlia DeLeon, 122 West 26th St.; Minnie Rotman, 333 East Lakewood, and Nadine Jones, 262 Elm St.

Discharged Thursday were Todd Klokkert, Hamilton; Thomas Farrell, 327 West 20th St.; Robert John Bickel, 127 West 19th St.; Jerry Callaway, Allegan; Henrietta Stokete, Zeeland; Carl Simpson, Zeeland; Paul Johnson, 297 Fourth Ave.; Joyce Rodriguez and baby, Fennville; Harvey Kragt, 1201 Wintergreen Dr., and Martina Swieringa, 51 West 15th St.

Engaged



Miss Mary Jo Boerigter

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boerigter, 56 East 25th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jo, to Jack Richard Voss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Voss, 560 Central Ave.

A May 31 wedding is being planned.



Miss Chris Helder

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Helder, 154 Cambridge, announce the engagement of their daughter, Chris, to Tim Shinsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shinsky, 171 Elberdene.

A summer wedding is being planned.



Miss Jane Leslie Olthoff

Mr. and Mrs. Don F. Olthoff of Tifton, Ga., formerly of Holland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane Leslie, to Edwin Harold Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rolins Hawkins of Tifton, Ga.

Miss Olthoff is employed by Dr. Tom Johnson, DDS, and her fiancé is employed with the Georgia Department of Transportation.

The couple will be married Jan. 18 in Tifton.

Miss J. Disselkoe's Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Disselkoe of 500 West Main St., Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice to Larry Van Liere, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Van Liere of 941 Pine Ave.

The couple is planning a Dec. 29 wedding.

Mark 40th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonzelaar

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonzelaar, 3685 North 142nd Ave., celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Saturday with a family dinner at Holiday Inn.

Attending will be their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bonzelaar, Gordon, Cynthia, Douglas and Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Timmer, Kurtiss, Kimberly, Kerrie and Kristie.

Rhythmic Choir Will Present Christmas Story

The Holland Rhythmic Choir under the leadership of Mrs. Robert De Bruyn Jr., will present the Christmas Story in Interpretive Movement on Dec. 8 at Fellowship Reformed Church.

Selected scripture passages from Isaiah to Revelation will be narrated by Mrs. George Steining and the major recorded musical work used as background in Seven Canzonas for Brass Choirs by Gabrieli, performed by the New York Brass Ensemble.

Members of the group include, in addition to Mrs. De Bruyn and Mrs. Steining, Mrs. Ron Boeve, Mrs. Ralph Blocksma, Mrs. James Brooks, Mrs. Robert Cecil, Mrs. William Hillegonds, Mrs. William Lamb and Miss Barbara Watt.

The Holland Rhythmic Choir was formed eight years ago and has performed before church and community groups in a number of cities in Michigan and Illinois. Its repertoire includes interpretations of the Lord's Prayer, the Prayer of Saint Francis of Assisi, a Hebrew Chant, a Litany of Thanksgiving and presentations of the Christmas and Easter narratives.

Preceding the Rhythmic Choir presentation will be a Christmas breakfast for all the women of the church. Mrs. Larry Izenhart will open with devotions.

Mrs. Robert Jacobs and Mrs. David Ten Brink will be hostesses for the event and Mrs. Hugh Harper will be in charge of the holiday decorations.

Mrs. Bert Walcott Is Feted at Birthday Party

A surprise party honoring Mrs. Bert Walcott on her 70th birthday anniversary was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Engelsman of Drenthe Monday afternoon with Mrs. Melvin Walcott as co-hostess.

Gifts were presented to the honored guest and lunch was served.

Guests included the Mesdames Nick R. Mast, Norman Mast, Jake Mast, Bob Veenstra, Henry Mast, George Peterman, Nick Mast, Harold Klynstra, Henry C. Russcher, Fred Alferink, Norman Walters, Gerrit Veenboer, Robert Boers, William Randall, Harley Dannenberg, Harold Bohl, Tom Marrett, James Lokers, Laverne De Jonge, Herman Wesseldyke, the Misses Mae Jerene Mast, Janet Timmer and Cindy Randall and Joel Wesseldyke.

A surprise guest was Mrs. John Cooper who has been an iron lung patient for the past 28 years.

A dinner reception was held at Adrian's Ramona Terrace in Comstock Park with Mr. and Mrs. George Keen and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spruit presiding.



Mrs. Joseph A. Alt Jr.

Couple Returns From Wedding Trip to Canada

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Alt Jr. have returned from a Canadian honeymoon and are making their home at 5610 Baumhoff Ave., Comstock Park. They were married Nov. 3 in Zeeland.

The bride, the former Dorothy Jean Holleman, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Holleman, 251 Taft St., Zeeland. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Alt Sr. of Comstock Park.

The Catholic wedding ceremony at 3 p.m. was performed at Second Reformed Church with Father Thomas Schindler of Sparta officiating. Irvin Smith, soloist, was accompanied by Mrs. John Vanderby, organist.

Chosen as attendants were Mrs. Ronald Brummel, matron of honor; Miss Phyllis Alt, Mrs. David Holtzlander, Mrs. Gary Rauser and Mrs. Charles Holleman, bridesmaids; Thomas Alt, best man, David Alt, Daniel Alt, Norbert Alt and Ronald Freiberg, ushers.

The bride wore a floor-length white velvet dress with empire waist, lace and pearl trim. The floor-length veil was accented with matching lace with a pearl headpiece. She carried a cascade of white sweetheart roses, white stephanotis and yellow pompons.

The bridesmaids' dresses were the same style in dark green with oriental trim. They carried baskets of gold, bronze and rust pompons.

A dinner reception was held at Adrian's Ramona Terrace in Comstock Park with Mr. and Mrs. George Keen and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spruit presiding.

Mrs. E. Francomb Dies at Age 56

Mrs. Earl (Wanda) Francomb, 56, of 176 West 10th St., died in Holland Hospital Friday evening following a massive coronary.

She was born in Grand Rapids, attended Grand Rapids schools graduating from Grand Rapids Catholic Central with the class of 1935. She was married to the late Earl Francomb who died in November, 1971. She moved to Holland 37 years ago. She was employed by Donnelly Mirrors Corp. at the time of her death. She was a member of St. Francis de Sales Church.

Surviving are three sons, Francis, of Sebawaing, Mich., Richard of Holland and Robert at home; three daughters, Mrs. Robert (Joan) Gardner of Saugatuck, Mrs. Drew (Diane) Christensen of Zeeland, Mrs. Douglas (Mary) Van Dyke of Holland; nine grandchildren; her mother, Mrs. Albert Malec of Grand Rapids, two brothers, Stanley Malec of Grand Rapids and Paul Malec of Jackson; two sisters, Mrs. Ronald Kahan of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Edward Brochu of Wallon Lake, Mich.; several nieces and nephews.



FOUR GENERATIONS — Ninety-nine years separate the eldest member and the youngest member of this family. Mrs. Clara Bartels of Zeeland celebrated her 100th birthday on Nov. 20 while her great-granddaughter, Lynnea Dawn Janssen, celebrated her first birthday on Nov. 30. Completing this four-generation portrait are Lynnea's mother, Mrs. Ivin Janssen of Zeeland and her grandmother, Mrs. Louis Hoeksema of Holland.

Madrigal Group Sings Carols at Literary Club

By Lorraine Hohl

Always one of the favorite programs of the year is the Christmas musical program presented by a local high school group. This year the Madrigal Ensemble of Holland High School, directed by Harvey Meyer, sang all the familiar carols and some new versions of old English and French carols to the delight of the large audience for this pre-Christmas event.

The Ensemble entered the auditorium singing "Here We Come A-Caroling" one of the traditional English carols. In the Ensemble are Pat Dirkse, Claire Beerthuis, Yvonne Essenburg, Dar Van Den Bosch, Ruth Van Wylen, Mary Zeedyk, Bill Post, Rick Simpson, Frank Seters, Kris Johnson, Marc Rivera and John Chamness.

The program included "The First Noel" a French-English Carol arranged by Clare Grundman and a series of six short carols titled "Angels We Have Heard on High," "Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isabella," "What Child Is This?" (Green-sleeves) "While by Our Sheep We Watched at Night,"

"Christmas Eve Is Here," and "Now We Sing of Christmas." The club showed its appreciation by applauding heartily as the group ended this section. The Praetorius, 1609 favorite "Lo, How a Rose E're Blooming," opened the next group of carols. Following this the Ensemble sang "Caroling, Caroling," "We'll Dress the House" and "We Wish You a Merry Christmas." Another round of applause greeted the singers and their director.

Concluding the program the Madrigals reverently sang "Silent Night" as it was originally written for quartet and two guitars. John Chamness and Marc Rivera were the guitarists.

Mrs. John Heyboer read a Christmas poem as her greeting to the club for the Christmas holiday. The club adjourned for the holidays and will resume in January.

A Christmas tea followed in the club tearoom, arranged by Division IV. Pouring were Mrs. Heyboer, Mrs. Ralph Kneisly, Mrs. James Brown and Mrs. Roger Vender Meulen.

Anne Feininger Chosen Holland DAR Good Citizen

Miss Anne Feininger has been chosen by the senior class of Holland High School to represent the school as its daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen.



Miss Anne Feininger

Miss Feininger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Feininger, 131 East 26th St., has been active in the Holland High Student Council as the mini-course chairman, is secretary of National Honor Society, piano accompanist for the high school orchestra and is enrolled in advanced French classes at Hope College.

Miss Feininger will be awarded a pin of distinction and will compete with other DAR representatives from area schools on the state and national levels for scholarship awards.

The Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter of DAR annually sponsors this event in the Holland area.

Mrs. A. Bremer Succumbs at 79

Mrs. Andrew (Johanna) Bremer, 79, of 80 East 32nd St., died Wednesday in Zeeland Community Hospital following a lingering illness.

She was born in Holland and was a life long resident of the area. She was a member of Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church and a past member of the DeBroah society.

Surviving besides her husband are one son, Andrew Jr., of Grosse Pointe Farms; three daughters, Mrs. Frank (Harriet) Brieve, Mrs. Gary (Hazel) Smith and Mrs. Roger (Myrna) Naber, all of Holland; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mrs. Melvin Dyk Succumbs at 60

HUDSONVILLE — Mrs. Melvin (Harriet) Dyk, 60, of 355 Curtis St., died early Saturday at a local nursing home.

Surviving are her husband; one son, Calvin of Hudsonville; two daughters, Mrs. Ray Statema of Hudsonville and Mrs. Laryn Zoerhof of Worthington, Minn.; five grandchildren; two brothers, Thomas Kapenga of Holland and Harold Kapenga of Zeeland; two sisters, Mrs. Henry Ter Haar and Mrs. Morris Lokers both of Zeeland.

M.N. Nienhuises Will Mark 35th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Nienhuise, 12170 Tyler St., will celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary on Sunday, Dec. 9. They will have a family dinner Saturday night.

Their children are Capt. Marian Nienhuise, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce (Nancy) Kuipers, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nienhuise, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nienhuise, Mr. and Mrs. Gary (Karen) Raak and Brian Nienhuise. There are eight grandchildren.

Capt. Marian Nienhuise of Fort Hood, Texas, will be unable to attend the family dinner.

Bears Down Holland In Swimming

ST. JOSEPH—Holland's swimming team was defeated here Tuesday night by St. Joseph, 94-75.

"That final score is quite deceiving, as the meet was much closer than the final score indicates," stated Coach Tom Bos.

The score was within two points throughout the meet except for the final three events, when the Bears pulled ahead by 11 points.

Dan Houting swam a fine 100-yard backstroke race at 1:01.1 which tied the varsity mark set by Jim Bradford in 1971.

John Vande Bunte swam to three firsts in the 50-yard freestyle, 100-yard butterfly and on the winning 200-yard medley relay.

The Dutch will host Grand Haven in their first home meet on Dec. 11 at 7 p.m.

Results in order of finish:
200-yard medley relay — Holland (Houting, Boeve, Vande Bunte, Deeks) Time 3:30.7.
50-yard freestyle — Steeb (SJ), Smits (SJ), Houting (H), Cuperly (H), Peterson (H), Time 1:52.9.
100-yard individual — Danaher (SJ), Miller (SJ), Derks (H), Kinney (SJ), Visscher (H), Time 2:15.6.
50-yard freestyle — Vande Bunte (H), Trask (H), Rohrig (SJ), Boven (H), Zimmermann (SJ), Time 2:1.
Diving—Beck (SJ), Bloom (SJ), Scholten (H), Slikkers (H), Jenkins (SJ), Points 138.75.
100-yard butterfly—Vande Bunte (H), Danaher (SJ), Visscher (H), Time 3:1.
100-yard freestyle — Smits (SJ), Trask (H), Wyckoff (H), Rohrig (SJ), McFall (SJ), Time 52.9.
500-yard freestyle — Miller (SJ), Derks (H), Cuperly (H), Thompson (SJ), Bronfenbrenner (SJ), Time 5:24.1.
100-yard backstroke—Steeb (SJ), Houting (H), Zimmermann (SJ), Hoffman (H), Greim (SJ), Time 1:00.6.
100-yard breaststroke — Kinney (SJ), Boven (H), Upton (SJ), Rasek (SJ), Peterson (H), Time 1:09.4.
400-yard freestyle relay — St. Joseph, Time 3:42.4.

Evon Kamphuis Is Bride Of Arthur Lawrence

Miss Evon Faith Kamphuis became the bride of Arthur Dean Lawrence on Saturday in the chapel of South Olive Christian Reformed Church. The Rev. John Maas officiated at the afternoon ceremony and providing music was Miss Mary Kamphuis, pianist.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kamphuis, 6151 120th Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Lawrence, 7350 136th Ave.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of soft white lace featuring an empire waist and long sleeves trimmed with re-embroidered alencon lace and self-ruffle around the skirt. Her mantilla veil of illusion was held with a camelot cap headpiece and edged with matching lace. She carried a bouquet of red roses tied with a white bow and streamers.

Mrs. Dan Boerman attended her sister as maid of honor. Her floor-length gown of red velvet featured an empire waist and leg-of-mutton sleeves trimmed with wide white velvet. A white picture hat completed her ensemble. She carried a single red rose.

Attending the groom was his brother, John Lawrence. Assisting the bride was Miss Robin Lawrence, with Del Kamphuis serving as usher.

The reception was held in the Festival Room of the Warm Friend Motor Inn. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boers arranged the gifts.

The groom will be leaving soon for Kitzengen, Germany, where he is stationed with the U. S. Army. The bride is employed at West Michigan Laundry and plans to join her husband later in Kitzengen, where they will make their home.

Engagements Announced



Miss Suzanne Molengraf

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Molengraf, 4376 136th Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Suzanne, to David Allen Kloosterman, son of Mrs. Mary Kloosterman of Wyoming and the late William E. Kloosterman.

A June 29 wedding is being planned.



Miss Nancy Lou Vanden Bosch

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Vanden Bosch, 26 East 30th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Lou, to Craig Alan Dalman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dalman, 3385 120th Ave.

A summer wedding is being planned.



Miss Sharon Zuverink

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Zuverink, 3717 88th Ave., Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon, to Ronald Lee Walters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walters, 4618 New Holland St., Hudsonville.



Miss Beverly Ann Lohman

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lohman, route 3, announce the engagement of their daughter, Beverly Ann, to Larry Grotenhuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Grotenhuis, 5341 146th Ave.

A September wedding is being planned.

Lucas Vredevel Dies at Age 79

Lucas A. Vredevel, 79, of 15 West Central Ave., Zeeland, died at a local rest home Wednesday following a lingering illness. He had been a patient at Zeeland Community Hospital for the past three weeks and had entered the rest home Tuesday morning.

He was a member of Third Christian Reformed Church and a former member of the Men's Society. He was employed at Quality Fuel Company and at Colonial Manufacturing Company, retiring in 1960.

Surviving are a daughter, Miss Wilma Vredevel; one son, Adrian L. Vredevel; two granddaughters, Misses Sandra and Carla Vredevel; two sisters, Mrs. Harm (Maggie) Ver Beek and Mrs. Henry (Mary) Doremale, all of Zeeland and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry Vredevel of Drenthe.

Miss Andrea Barry Set for Regionals

Miss Andrea Barry, 1973 Zeeland Junior Miss, will compete in the Regional Junior Miss Pageant in Marshall Saturday.

For her talent presentation, Miss Barry will present the dramatic reading "The Ravine" taken from the book Dandelion Wine by Ray Bradbury.

Miss Barry will be escorted to Marshall on Friday afternoon by Zeeland Jaycees, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Geerlings and Dr. and Mrs. Norris March.



NEWSPAPER CAKE — First graders at Washington School were surprised with a "newspaper cake" Monday which was made by their mini-teachers from Hope College. The mini-teachers are at Washington school three weeks of a semester and this week are teaching facts about the news-

paper. Shown left to right with the cake are students from Mrs. De Haan's class, Benney Rosales, Dave Wettack, Roberto Amaya, Sammy Guerra and Rhonda Collins. Mini-teachers under the direction of Dr. Daniel Paul are Debbie Doorn, Jill Morrony, Bob Fretz and Julie Seamon.

(Sentinel photo)

Hesselink Enjoys Fine Overall Tilt

NILES—Holland's inability to break a Niles press in the closing minutes of its basketball game here Tuesday night gave the Vikings a 77-70 win.

With the Dutch and Vikings matching basket for basket late in the game, little Bill Weaver and Ed Hartman of Niles caused several Holland turnovers, as the Vikings ended up winning going away.

Junior transfer Jud Hesselink of Holland enjoyed his finest game with 24 points and 15 rebounds. Tim Van Tongeren hit from outside for 16 markers, as four of Holland's starters were in double figures. Senior Tim Boeve and sophomore Dennis Lawson added 11 and 10 totals respectively.

Six-foot-one senior forward Dick Crocker paced the Vikings with 20 counters while high scoring guard Bill Weaver added 17 and was 11 of 11 from the charity line. Sub Pat Cooper chipped in with 12.

Holland made a great comeback in the first half to tie the count at 19-19 after being down 13-4 at one time. Van Tongeren's long fielder closed out the first quarter scoring.

The Vikings netted the first eight points in the second stanza before Boeve and company went to work to score 10 straight points for the Dutch with Boeve canning seven of them.

Both big men, 6'7" Dave Barnes of Niles and 6'6" Lawson had three fouls in the second period. Barnes did foul out with six minutes left in the game and with his team up by only two points.

However, the smaller Vikings made up for their lack of size with Barnes on the bench to pull out the triumph.

Holland trailed at the half, 35-34 and at the end of three quarters, 53-51 in the exciting contest.

Two free throws by Boeve and Lawson and a technical foul shot by Van Tongeren gave the Dutch a 56-53 margin.

Hesselink's bucket gave Holland its last lead of the evening, 58-57 in the fourth quarter. However, the Vikings did not clinch the win until around the two minute mark, as the Dutch gave it all they had in going down to their second loss of the season. Niles is now 2-0.

Holland ended with 24 turnovers compared to 17 for the Vikings.

The Vikings are the same five that defeated Holland twice last year, including in the district tournament.

Coach Don Piersma's Dutch hope to get back on the winning track at home Friday when they meet Grand Rapids Union.

Niles also won a thrilling 62-57 reserve verdict. The Dutch only trailed by two points, 59-57 with nine seconds left in the game.

Bill Brener paced the Vikings with 26 markers while Loren Schrottenboer was high again for the Dutch with 23 points. Mike Dekker added 13.

Holland (70)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Boeve, f	4	2	11	
Hesselink, f	10	4	24	
Lawson, c	4	2	4	10
Van Oostenburg, g	3	1	4	7
Van Tongeren, g	6	4	16	
Modders, c	0	2	1	2
Totals	27	16	19	70

Niles (77)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Harrington, f	4	3	2	11
Crocker, f	9	2	2	20
Barnes, c	4	0	5	8
Hartman, g	3	1	5	7
Weaver, g	3	11	4	17
Quinn, f	1	0	2	2
Cooper, g	5	2	3	12
Totals	29	19	23	77

Vehicle Rams Garage, Leaves Accident Scene

Ottawa County deputies today sought the driver of a vehicle that apparently went out of control and ran through a garage door of the Gordon De Ridder residence, 2535 Bee-line Rd., shoving the car inside through the back of the two-story garage. The motorist drove away from the accident scene. Damage estimates to the garage were placed at \$1,000. Deputies were notified of the accident at 7:30 a.m. Saturday.

Comstock Park Beats League Foe Hamilton

HAMILTON — The Hamilton Hawkeyes dropped their second basketball game of the season, as Comstock Park wound up on the winning side of an 81-68 victory here Friday.

There was no doubt, who was going to take command of the game after the first quarter as Comstock, with five starters back this season jumped into a 25-19 lead at the end of the quarter.

Hamilton's big problem of the night was the Smith brothers; Tom and Ben, each 6'3" racked up 11 points for the night. Also in double figures for Comstock were Kiskie and Burke.

Second quarter action showed Comstock once again out-gunning Hamilton as they came up with 21 points compared to Hamilton's 16, as the half ended with the score 46-35 in favor of Comstock Park.

With the Hawkeyes trailing 61-46 entering the final period they needed some quick points — they came up with 22 points in the final quarter, however Comstock Park tallied for 20 counters making the final score, 81-68 in favor of Comstock Park.

Hamilton's JV team won a 69-52 decision over Comstock Park as Mat Folkert was the leading scorer with 21 points. The Hawkeyes freshman team also won as they romped Comstock's frosh, 62-27.

Hamilton will travel to Byron Center next Friday in hopes of earning its first win of the season.

Hamilton (68)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Naber, f	9	2	5	20
Kraker, f	0	0	3	0
Lubbers, c	8	2	18	
Prins, g	3	1	4	7
Kienhuisel, g	3	0	2	6
Dykstra, f	1	0	1	2
Van Wyngarden, f	1	0	2	0
Deters, f	0	2	0	2
De Jonge, g	0	1	1	1
Achterhof, f	2	0	0	4
Jones, g	3	0	1	6
Totals	30	8	23	68

Comstock Park (81)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Kiskie, f	6	3	3	17
Burke, f	10	7	3	27
T. Smith, c	4	3	4	11
Devevey, g	3	3	2	9
Ceigle, g	2	0	1	4
Rubin, f	0	0	1	0
B. Smith, c	4	3	2	11
Barr, g	0	0	2	0
Herr, g	1	0	2	2
Totals	30	21	19	81

Report 4 New Births In 3 Area Hospitals

Three area hospitals report four new babies. Born in Holland Hospital on Tuesday was a daughter, Rhonda Sue, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Overbeek, route 2, Hamilton; a son, Steven R., born today to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Rowan, 125 West Garfield, Zeeland.

In Zeeland Hospital on Tuesday it was a son, Scott Michael, born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lubbers, 4592 38th St., Hamilton.

A son, Sergio Renee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Armijo, 209 Walter St., Fennville, on Monday in Community Hospital, Douglas.



NEW HOME — Richard D. Gates, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gates, Hamilton has returned home after completing two years in the U.S. Army. Gates entered the service Dec. 1, 1971 and took his basic at Fort Knox, Ky. He was last stationed at Fort Huachuca, Ariz. as a mechanic.

West Ottawa Is Pinned

The West Ottawa Panthers lost their second straight wrestling match Tuesday night to Kelloggsville, 51-9.

In the preliminary matches, the Panthers of Coach Karl Nadolsky won all seven matches, six by pins. However, in the varsity meet, the only winners for West Ottawa were Ed Silva by a decision and Rick Uldriks on a pin.

The Panthers will travel to Hamilton Thursday.

The summary:
98 pounds—Jeff White (K) pinned Dave Reucroft.
105 pounds — Brian Collins (K) pinned Mark Tramer.
112 pounds—Uldriks (WO) pinned Mike King.
119 pounds — Jeff Warner (K) pinned Bill Swartz.
128 pounds—Tim Irwin (K) pinned Steve Kramer.
132 pounds—Dan Farrow (K) dec. Charlie Silva, 6-5.
138 pounds — Keith Soya (K) pinned Stu Grannen.
143 pounds—John Haan (K) pinned Jeff Kraak.
155 pounds—Mike Malone (K) dec. Al Dygart, 11-2.
167 pounds — Steve Fales (K) pinned Mark Goodrow.
185 pounds—Mike Musser (K) dec. Tom Rewa, 5-3.
Heavyweight—Ed Silva (WO) dec. Ron Henderson, 6-3.

Hope Vesper Tickets Are Distributed

The traditional Hope College Christmas Vespers will be presented Sunday, Dec. 9 in Dinnert Memorial Chapel.

To accommodate the large number of people who attend this annual event three services will be presented at 2, 4:30 and 8 p.m. All tickets for the services have been distributed according to general chairman Roger Davis. Persons with tickets must present them 15 minutes prior to the service. Any seats available after that will be given on a first-come, first-served basis.

In addition to the traditional Christmas music, the College Chorus, Chapel Choir, the organs and a brass choir will join together in an antiphonal motet, "In Ecclesiis" by Gabrieli. Gallery organist Alfred Fedak, a junior from Elizabeth, N.J., will perform a Noel by the Baroque French composer, D'Aquin.

More than 300 students will participate in the various groups including the Symphonette, Morrett Rider, director; the College Chorus, Carroll Lehman, director; the Chapel Choir, Roger Rietberg, director; the Women's Choir, Anthony Kookier, director; the Men's Choir, Roger Rietberg, director; the Brass Ensemble, Robert Cecil, director. Chancel organist will be Richard Carlson, a sophomore from Fennville.

Christmas Vespers is a presentation of the Hope College Music Department. Roger Davis is chairman for the event. Assisting in the service will be the College Chaplain William Hillegonds.

Recent Accidents

Cassandra Marguerite Dykstra, 32, of 323 East 24th St., suffered minor injuries in a two-car collision Wednesday at 7:54 a.m. at 26th St. and Columbia Ave. She was treated in Holland Hospital and released. The Dykstra car was southbound on Columbia Ave. while the other car, driven by William Robert Bos, 31, of 96 West 5th St., was eastbound on 26th St.

Cars operated by Gary Richard Mehrtens, 18, of 37 South Pine, Zeeland, and Thomas Jay Drenek, 16, of 129 East 35th St., collided Wednesday at 4:35 p.m. at Ninth St. and College Ave. Mehrtens was traveling along College while Drenek was heading east on Ninth St.

Diamond Springs

Last Thursday Mrs. Eva Coffey and daughter, Mrs. Gerald Pepper visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert DeVries. Mr. DeVries is home recuperating following the body burns received at work.

Rick Gates returned home Sunday from Huachuca, Ariz., after completing two years in the U. S. Army.

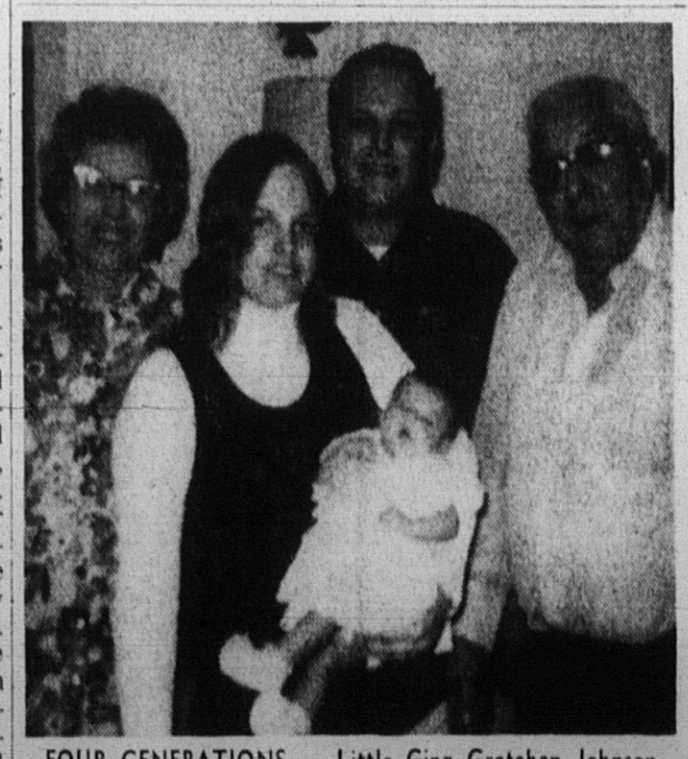
Mrs. Margary Rhynhart of Monterey Tuesday visited Mrs. Eva Coffey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Weller of Plainwell Wednesday visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Berens, Elizabeth and Dolly.

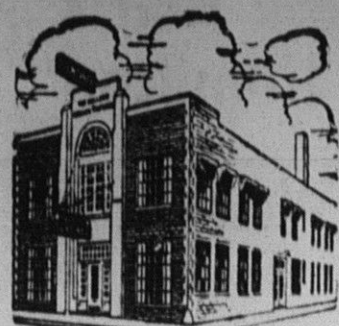
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Isenga and children of Wyoming, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pepper and family Sunday.

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gates visited Mr. and Mrs. Ward Dean and family in Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kragt of Byron Center last Sunday visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kragt and family.



FOUR GENERATIONS — Little Gina Gretchen Johnson, who was born Sept. 24, spent her first Thanksgiving at a family gathering and this four-generation picture was taken. She is being held by her mother, Mrs. Roger (Debbie) Johnson of 40 West Apartments, Building C, while her grandfather, Thaddeus Smith of 485 1/2 Washington Ave., stands behind. On either side of her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis (Gretchen) Smith of Fremont.



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DART FOR HOLLAND

Dial-a-Ride Transportation (DART) is coming to Holland. It's coming a bit sooner than had been anticipated because of the energy crisis. So many may be glad—not for the energy crisis, but for the fact that we are getting some kind of public transportation a little ahead of schedule.

We're happy for the governor's early assignment of DART to this community because it is one of those communities of the size that finds the maintenance of its own public transit facility difficult because it is betwixt and between in size. It can hardly maintain a full-blown bus system — that has proved financially impractical—and taxi services are limited.

The DART system, which seems to be something between both of these extremes in public transportation, seems to be the answer for a small but growing community like ours. Furthermore, the public monies which will, initially at least, be available to foot the bill for the experiment, make a real test possible.

If the DART system works out as well in this community as reportedly it has in others, Holland may find itself with an adequate public transportation facility with little effort and expense. Certainly, it will be a boon to the elderly people without their own cars and it may have a decisive effect in cutting down on the overuse of personal means of transportation in a time of gas shortage.

Library Offers Silent Auction Of Art Pieces

A silent auction of certain prints from Herrick Public Library's Framed Art Collection will be held in the auditorium of the library Dec. 1 through 8. The display of prints to be auctioned may be seen during the regular library hours of that week only. The library is open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

The prints to be offered for sale are from the original purchase of the collection at the library. Some of those offered in the auction are "Man on Horseback" by Anton Van Dyke, "Sinbad the Sailor" by Klee, "Italian Woman" by Picasso, "Hands of an Apostle" by Durerand, "Return of the Prodigal Son" by Rembrandt.

Bids may be left at the children's circulation desk from Dec. 1 through 8. The library committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

This is not a regular program of the library.

Tillstrom Retrospective In Chicago Draws Crowds

"Kukla, Fran and Ollie: A Retrospective," the quarter-century review of Burr Tillstrom's Kuklapolitans that opened the 1973 Hope College summer theatre season, recently played to a capacity audience at the Goodman Theatre in Chicago.

Members of the Hope student body and Hope recent graduates assisted Tillstrom in presenting the show. William DeGraaf Jr. of Zeeland, a 1970 graduate, served as research assistant and production coordinator; Robb Benchley III of New Canaan, Conn., a 1973 graduate, supervised photography and sound; Brad Williams of New City, N.Y., also a 1973 graduate, served as special assistant to Tillstrom; William TeWinkle, a sophomore from Sheboygan, Wisc., was stage manager; and Greg Purvis, a senior from Holland, was in charge of lighting design.

Cars driven by Patricia Louis Leugs, 17, of route 5, Holland, and James Dale Kelley of 32nd St., collided Sunday at 2:37 p.m. at 32nd St. and College Ave.

Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, Dec. 9

Who is Jesus?

John 10:22-39

By C. P. Dame

The topic of this lesson about who Jesus is has been asked by every generation and it will be asked until the end of time. Anyone who accepts the Bible as God's inspired word knows that He is the Son of God.

I. Jesus can't be continually ignored. People could not do it when He was here in person and they don't do it now. In the first verses of the lesson text an interesting scene is portrayed. Jesus was in Jerusalem attending the feast of dedication. This feast had no divine origin. It was instituted by Judas Maccabeus to celebrate the cleansing of the temple which had been desecrated by Antiochus Epiphanes in 167 B. C. The feast began Dec. 25, and lasted eight days and was called Hanukkah.

Jesus was walking in the temple in Solomon's porch. Later Christians used it as a meeting place (Acts 3:11). At this time a number of Jews surrounded Jesus and asked Him, "How long dost thou make us doubt? If thou be the Christ, tell us plainly." Some evidently thought He was the Messiah? People still ask questions about Jesus.

II. Jesus answers His questioners. He told them about His works which were done in public. They were the talk of the day. Every Bible reader knows that the Jews were looking for a religious - political leader. The trouble with the questioners was that they asked with an unbelieving heart and with a closed mind. It was not the lack of evidence that troubled them but it was their imperfect moral disposition that kept them in unbelief. They were not of the Lord's fold. If they were in accord with Him and His Father they would not be in their present frame of mind. They thought they were in agreement with God but they were not because they were at odds with Him—that was the argument of Jesus.

III. Jesus made great claims—here is one: "I and the Father are one." This claim so angered His opponents that they picked up stones to throw at Him. Their attitude caused Jesus to ask for what good works they intended to stone Him. The Jews charged Jesus with blasphemy—Leviticus 24:14-16 says that the blasphemer should be stoned. Jesus referred them to Psalm 82:6 which calls the judges of Israel gods. Jesus compared Himself to those men for He too was sent into the world by God for a special mission—which they did not recognize and so they remained in their state of suspicion.

Today there are people who refuse to acknowledge Jesus as divine, God's eternal Son because they will not accept the evidence. Their hearts are unbelieving.

Pack 3058 Holds Pinewood Derby

On Thursday Pack 3058 held their pack meeting and Pinewood Derby at the Zeeland Middle School. Den 2 led in the opening ceremony and served lunch.

Awards chairman Marv Schaafsma presented Bobcat awards to Scott Lamer, Scott Mohr, Mike Schaafsma, Wesley Strimple, Bret Hoeksema, Rory Frees and Shawn Hubbell. Webelos stripes were presented to Stuart Cornell, Lee Hoeksema, Mike Jacobusse and Israel Flores.

A special thank you award was presented to Mrs. Joyce Morren for the four years of leadership she has given to cub scouting.

Winners of the Derby were eight-year-old division, Scott Reed, S. Mohr and S. Lamer; nine-year-old, W. Strimple, R. Frees and Kevin Van Geldren; ten-year-old, L. Hoeksema, I. Flores and S. Cornell.

The best design award went to W. Strimple, S. Mohr and S. Reed. Reed also has the fastest car of the pack.

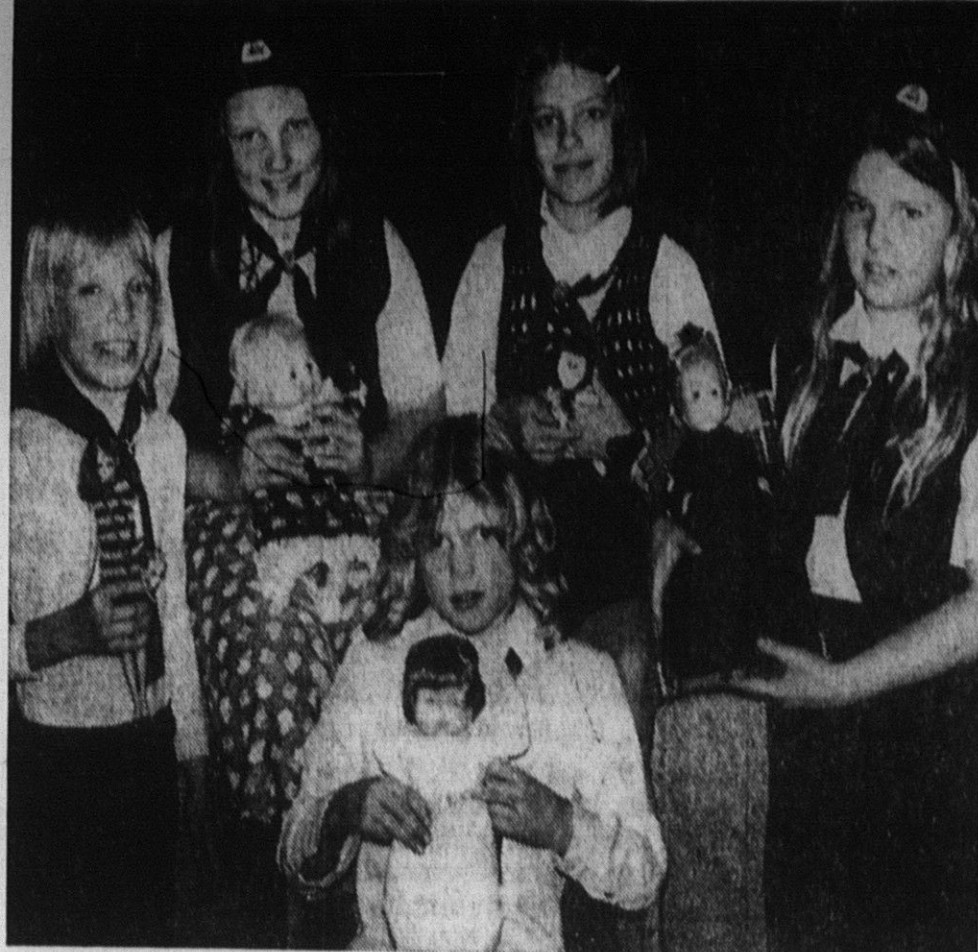
Maplewood Cubs Hold Meeting

The Maplewood Cub Scout Pack 5044 recently held its November meeting in the Maplewood School gym. Den 4 was in charge of the opening ceremonies while Den 3 provided the evening's game.

The skit was presented by Den 2 using the general theme of ecology. The cub project of the month was construction of a "genius" kit.

Bobcat awards were presented to Mark Wossink, Mike Hofmeyer, Rick Stygstra, David Bos, Nick Beyer, Steve Siems, Chuck Chapman, Steve Hills, Mark Boyd, Steve De Cook, Kevin Heerspink and Steve Lundy. The Cubby Award was won by Den 2.

Closing ceremonies were conducted by the Webelos. The next meeting will be held in the gym Dec. 11. Christmas gifts will be exchanged at that time.



DRESS DOLLS FOR PARTY — These five Camp Fire Girls were among 96 girls who attended the "Hello Doll" party on Monday afternoon in Longfellow School gym. The dolls will be given to the Junior Welfare League for distribution at Christmas. Shown with their dolls are Elizabeth Sanger,

seated in front; in the back row, left to right, Roxanne Cox, Sue McVay, Jayne Buursema and Paige Meinke. Don Hillebrands Jr. provided the entertainment, a magic show. Dolls were judged in several categories and will be on display before being given to the League.

(Sentinel photo)

Tell Winners At Camp Fire Doll Party

Grand winner in the "Hello Doll" party held Monday at Longfellow School was Julie Visscher, 11, a 6th grader in Mrs. D. E. Lievense's group.

Her doll was a distinctive rag "character" doll with delightful button eyes. All the work on the doll, which with others will be given to the Junior League for distribution, was done by Julie herself.

About 106 people attended the party which featured a magician, Don Hillebrands. Other first place winners were: Debbie DeVoe, baby doll, 6 months to a year; Sue McVay, baby doll, 6 months and under; Laura Izenbart child doll, Anne Brink adult doll and Julie Visscher.

The first place winners will be on display for a week at Herrick Public Library in the children's section starting Monday. The judging was done by Mrs. Donald Kingsley, Mrs. William Layman, Mrs. Ralph Lescohier, Mrs. Ed Raphael, Mrs. John Marple, Mrs. Verne Hohl, Mrs. Harry Baker, Mrs. Ralph Saveland, and Mrs. William Venhuizen.

Zeeland Okays Naming of Park For Hoogland

ZEELAND—A municipal park under development at Peck St. was named officially the Frank Hoogland Municipal Park by action of City Council Monday.

The park, expected to be completed by spring, is named in honor of Zeeland's retiring mayor who is completing 22 years of service on council and as mayor.

Council referred to the fire department and the public property committee a report from Fire Chief Jason Vander Plaats proposing capital improvements during the next five years. Included in the proposal were an additional pumper and a fire station on the north side of the city.

Council voted against granting the use of the Lawrence Ave. park building by girl scouts or other civic groups during the winter. Council said such limited use would not warrant heating the building.

Council said facilities in the city hall and the municipal center could be used by the groups, depending on scheduling requirements.

A lease with the Zeeland Christian Schools for use of school grounds for winter sledding was approved as were leases with merchants for improved parking at the northeast corner of Main and Church Sts.

Arie Knap, 78, Dies in Zeeland

ZEELAND—Arie Knap, 78, of Beaverdam (route 2, Zeeland), died in Zeeland Community Hospital Friday afternoon.

He was a member of the Beaverdam Reformed Church, a former consistory member, a retired farmer and a veteran of World War I. His wife Johanna, died eight years ago.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Jay (Irene) Quick of Rusk; a son, Kenneth of Beaverdam; nine grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Frances Bekins of Coopersville; a brother, Theodore of Farmington; a sister-in-law, Mrs. John Huyser of Borculo.

A car driven by Raymond Alfred Johnson, 62, of route 3, Fennville, leaving a parking lot along Sixth St. 100 feet east of Columbia Ave. Monday at 4:35 p.m. pulled into the path of a car westbound on Sixth and driven by Albert Overweg, 72, of route 1, Zeeland.

Fish Tug Aground At Saugatuck

Three persons escaped injuries Thursday night when their 52-foot steel-hulled fish tug "J. R. Chambers" lost use of its engine and foundered in eight-foot seas on Lake Michigan before running aground about a mile north of Saugatuck harbor.

The Holland Coast Guard said it was notified by radio from the tug at about 7 p.m. Thursday that the vessel was disabled and heading for shore.

One of three persons on board identified by the Allegan County sheriff's department, John C. Cawthra of 1947 1/2 South Shore Dr., said the tug had left Holland earlier in the day for Saugatuck when the drive shaft apparently froze up, disabling the tug.

Cawthra left the beached tug and said the other two apparently remained on board.

The others were identified as Capt. Royal Johnson and engineer Gordon Silvis, both of Holland.

The Coast Guard said arrangements were made to move the tug from the beach. They said the tug did not appear to have been damaged.

Rites Held For John Essenburg, 86

Funeral services were held at the Muledr Funeral Home at 1:30 p.m. Monday for John Essenburg, 86, who died Saturday in a Zeeland nursing home.

The Rev. Bernard Mulder officiated and burial was in Graafschap cemetery.

Born in Laketown Township, Mr. Essenburg was a life resident of the area and was a former employee of Sligh-Lowry, Zeeland. He was a member of Graafschap Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Anthony (Ann) Klaasen of Holland and Mrs. Junior (Genevieve) Schout of Zeeland; a son, Arnold Essenburg of Holland; 20 grandchildren; 42 great-grandchildren and a brother-in-law, Peter Van Klavern of Holland.

Funeral Rites Held For Anthony Dubois Sr.

Funeral services for Anthony H. Dubois, 86, of Caledonia, who died Friday at Blodgett Hospital, Grand Rapids, were held Monday in Grand Rapids.

Survivors include five sons, the Rev. Walter G. Dubois, John W. Dubois, Clarence J. Dubois and William F. Dubois, all of Grand Rapids; Anthony H. Dubois Jr., of Holland; three daughters, Mrs. John W. (Jean) Werkena and Mrs. John E. (Bertha) Vandenberg of Grand Rapids; and Mrs. Marion (Betty) DeBie of Escalon, Calif.; 38 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren, and brothers and sisters in The Netherlands.

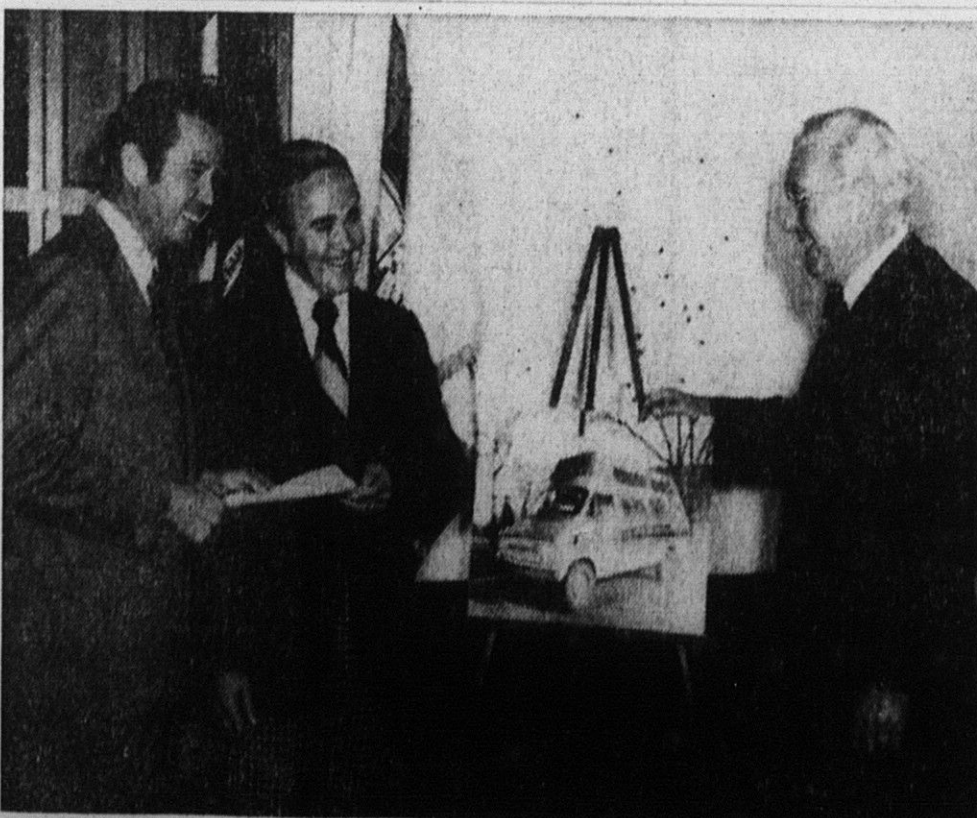
Holland Heights Students Tour The Sentinel

Mrs. Carter Bolton's fifth graders from Holland Heights School toured The Sentinel Thursday afternoon.

Members of the class are Brian Vander Bie, Merri Van Dyke, Ricky Westerhof, Kerri Berens, Beth Bobeldyk, Allen Bouman, Ken Brock, Rick Broene, John Daniels, Dan De Jonge, Wendy Faber, John Franken, Beth Good, John Hallaz, Joel Knapp, Jeff Lalo, Lori Lubbers, Paul Malus, Kevin Miller, Dan Mulder, Ricky Novak, Jim Scheerhoorn, Doug Sprick, Scott Sturgeon, and Tammy Van Den Bosch.

Accompanying the tour were Mrs. Delwyn Van Dyke, Mrs. James Miller, Mrs. Jack Faber and Mrs. Lou Hallacy.

Stephen Warren Rogers, 19, of Allegan, sustained minor injuries when the car he was driving went out of control Sunday at 8:15 p.m. along M-40 at 48th St. and overturned.



DIAL-A-RIDE FOR HOLLAND — Gov. William G. Milliken (left) hands an official notice to Mayor Louis Hallacy II of Holland, notifying him at ceremonies in Lansing Wednesday that the city of Holland is one of the first three communities to be selected for a state grant to initiate

Dial-A-Ride Transportation (DART). At right showing one of the DART mini-buses is E.V. Erickson of Grand Haven, chairman of the State Highway Commission. The program calls for 10 to 14-passenger mini-vans for transporting passengers door to door. (State Highway Department photo)



BALL CHAIRMEN—Mrs. Kenneth Michmerhuizen, seated left, and Mrs. William Beebe Jr., standing left, are co-chairmen of this year's Junior Welfare League charity ball, "Holly Street." Mrs. Ben Smith, seated right, is ticket chairman; Mrs. Ted De Long, center, decorations chairman and Mrs. James Von Ins, publicity chairman. The ball is open to the entire community and anyone may reserve a ticket by calling a League member or from Mrs. Smith. "Holly Street" will be an event of Saturday, Dec. 8 at 9 p.m. in Civic Center. (Sentinel photo)

'Holly Street'...

Months of preparation for this year's Charity Ball, "Holly Street" are coming to a close as Junior Welfare League puts the finishing touches on festive decorations. The semi-formal affair will be held Saturday, Dec. 8 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Civic Center.

The big band Era is returning to Holland with Les Elgart and His Orchestra "that band with the dancing sound" that the community of Holland enjoys so much.

There will be much glitter and festive atmosphere when guests enter on a red carpet into Old English Town by way of "Holly Street." The balcony will be open for those who may only wish to listen.

The Jaycees will be selling cold drinks for refreshments.

A large portion of this year's Ball profit has been pledged to the Community Coordinated Child Care organization which

is a coordinating unit of agencies within the county. 4-Cs has been involved in bringing about quality day care for migrant children, public education on child abuse and neglect and the planning of a quality resource center for pre-school education.

The profits will buy educational toys to be loaned out to Holland children through toy lending library. The money will also go for films to be used in training of people involved in pre-school education.

The Ball chairman this year are Mrs. Kenneth Michmerhuizen and Mrs. William Beebe. Mrs. Ted De Long is chairman of decorations; Mrs. James Von Ins, publicity chairman; with Mrs. Ben Smith in charge of tickets. There are still some tickets available and those interested may buy them from any League member or contact Mrs. Smith at 167 West 11th St.

Hope Breathes Emotion Into Chekhov's 'Vanya'

By Joe Lane

Anton Chekhov's "Uncle Vanya" is a deep, rich, psychological play, and Hope College Theatre's production is a deep, rich and sensitive one. The involvement of a relatively small number of people in interlocking and complementary tasks brings about a synthesized effort led by the direction of John Tammi and design of Richard Smith and Michael Grindstaff.

Smith's set introduces the performance. It is not the "run-down" old Russian estate which the Hope "Curtain Call" publication suggests. The colors, though subdued, are too even, too deep, and too well-balanced. In Grindstaff's life-giving lighting, the interior-exterior set takes on a shadowy depth. The result is a timeless, time-worn shell — a good medium for Chekhov.

Although "Uncle Vanya" lacks traditional plot action, it weaves a prophetically modern (for the 1890s) psychological web. No one in the play is happy; some are miserable, and the dramatic echoes of "past," "gone" and "bygones" resound from people trapped in a long, inescapable sadness. When Sonia and Yelena experience a single, mutual moment, it is shattered. Yelena wants to play the piano; her old professor

husband "says she mustn't."

There is no "outstanding actor;" every role is a living, emotional creation. Jack Ridl's Dr. Astrov and John Tammi's Uncle Vanya contrast and complement each other. Sonia, played by Cheri Chenoweth, and Yelena, played by Nancy Sigworth, are equally demanding roles which these two actresses explore with a mature sensitivity.

There is a peculiarly sad joy in the character parts of the professor and Telyegin, played by Jim Hern and Michael Milanowski respectively. They are roles which can too easily become stereotyped, but Hern and Milanowski refuse to let that happen: they breathe every breath with sad, but deep life. It is Hern's role which sounds perhaps the only optimistic note, one which could go unnoticed in a less sensitive portrayal.

The supportive efforts of Rani Peterson, Diane Gish, Steve Evans and James O'Connell are no less impressive in this production which demands a multifaceted involvement from a small number of participants. John Tammi doubles as director and Vanya. Assistant director Steve Evans is also one of two very Russian workmen; stage manager James O'Connell is the other.

One of the female leads, Nancy Sigworth, also executes the make-up. It is this complete involvement which is apparently responsible for the surprisingly rich emotional fabric of the production. Little occurs on the surface; beneath teems an emotional texture which draws the audience into a kinship with the characters.

If Hope's "Uncle Vanya" makes you laugh, it is often the uncomfortable, nervous laughter of personal involvement. If "Vanya" makes you think, it is a kind of psychological appraisal of the expression of values. But Hope's production will make you feel, in a strangely objective way, every moment in the stage lives of the characters.

Holland BPW Inspector Elected to State Post

Peter Van Putten, electrical inspector for the Holland Board of Public Works, has been elected a director of the Michigan Chapter, International Association of Electrical Inspectors. The term is for three years.

Van Putten, an electrical inspector since February, was elected to the post at the organization's annual meeting in Pontiac Friday and Saturday.

Fashion Show...



FASHION SHOW HIGHLIGHT — Festive Fashions will be modeled by members of the Holland Garden Club at their holiday fashion show, tea and boutique on Thursday in the Civic Center. The narrator for the clothes from 14 area shops will be Mrs. Paul McIlwain, left, and models will include Mrs. W. Donald Avriett, center and Mrs. Howard Poll, right. Time for the fashion show is 1:30 p.m. to be followed by the tea. The boutique opens at 10 a.m. (Sentinel photo)

Festive fashions for the holidays will be modeled by 28 members of the Holland Garden Club and their daughters at the event Thursday in the Civic Center at 1:30 p.m.

The fashion show with ensembles from 14 shops will highlight the day's event which includes a tea following the show and also the boutique where all holiday arrangements may be purchased. The north hall will be the site of the materials and where persons may pick up their evergreen wreaths anytime from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at no charge.

Tickets to the fashion show and tea at \$2 may be obtained at Annettes, from any Garden Club member or at the door as long as they last.

Modeling the fashions will be

List 8 Babies In 2 Hospitals

Births in Holland and Zeeland Hospitals during the weekend included three boys and five girls.

In Holland Hospital on Friday it was a son born to Mr. and Mrs. William Fate, 310 West 16th St.; on Saturday, a daughter, Stacey Renae, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wendt, 12251 James St.; a daughter, Stacey Joy, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. James Moomey, 1202 Waukazoo Dr.

Zeeland Hospital births on Friday included a daughter, Jamie Lyn, born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Potter, 4184 40th Ave., Hudsonville; a daughter, Ronnie Joy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Krywosinski, 379 West 20th St., Holland; a daughter, Jennifer Lea, born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brandt, 10880 James St., Zeeland; a son, Thomas Isaac, born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Elenbaas, 4097 Chester St., Hudsonville; a son, Michael Jon, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brandt, 1039 Riley St., Hudsonville.

'Harm' Van Ark, Long-Time Sports Fan, Dies at 83



Herman (Harm) Van Ark

Herman (Harm) Van Ark, 83, formerly of 64 East 26th St. died in a local convalescent home Monday following an extended illness. He was best known in Holland as a long-time sports fan.

Born in The Netherlands he came to the U.S. as a boy with his father, settling in Holland. He worked for the Holland Street Department for several years, retiring 18 years ago. He was a member of Trinity Reformed Church, a veteran of World War I and a member of the Henry Walters Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Surviving are a brother, Marinus of Holland; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Van Ark of Grand Rapids and three nephews, Dr. Herman Van Ark of Eaton Rapids who was brought up by his uncle, Donald and Myron Van Ark of Holland.

Name Chairmen For Home Show

Exchange Club Home Show Chairman Joe Moran announced Monday club assignments for show responsibilities.

Ed Lindgren has been appointed executive director; Dick Martin, chairman, and Jack Daniels, chairman - elect, for work assignment; Nelis Bade, chairman, and Ed Prins, chairman-elect, for pre-event ticket sale; Ed Vander Kooi, chairman, and John Otting, chairman-elect, for secretary-treasurer; Ed Slenk, chairman, for awards; and Nelis Bade, chairman, for posters.

The annual Home Show is scheduled for March 12 through 16 in Civic Center with all profits going to the Goodfellow Foundation.

The major portion of the profits for several years has been channeled into the building of attractive and safe play areas known as "Tot Lots." The first tot lot was constructed at the Maplewood Recreation Area. This was followed by one at the 19th and College Recreation Park and now the latest one is being finished at the Holland Heights Recreation Park.

General Electric Plant Acts to Save Energy

The Holland General Electric plant has taken steps to conserve energy and has established an energy task force that has made recommendations.

Among the recommendations put into effect at the plant are the lowering of heating thermostats to 68 degrees, 15 per cent reduction in interior lighting, no Christmas lighting, outside monogram signs darkened, a car pool information service, daylight display only of the American flag to save night lighting and a maintenance program to check and control compressed air leaks.

Married 40 Years



Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Brooks

Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Brooks of route 1, Fennville (2088 66th St.), celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary at a gala party at Carousel Mountain Lodge on Sunday, Nov. 18.

Pink champagne, cocktails and punch were served preceding the buffet dinner served to 300 guests. The Joss Wind trio played for the dancing after the dinner.

Half-Way House for OAR To Open Soon in Holland

Progress the last two years in organizing Ottogen Alcohol Rehabilitation, Inc., and arranging for a half-way house in Holland for alcoholics were outlined at a luncheon in Holiday Inn Monday, hosted by John F. Donnelly, a trustee for OAR Inc.

James Brooks, president, described the purpose of OAR as providing help for alcoholics that they may gain sobriety and again participate in a meaningful way in society. The organization also is designed to advance area-wide information on alcoholism, and to establish and maintain a residential style half-way home for voluntary and referred alcoholics.

He emphasized that OAR will not engage in any activities designed to publicly promote or prohibit the sale of or consumption of alcoholic beverages, and stated that its primary concern is with the disease of alcoholism.

Brooks outlined plans for the opening of a half-way house later this month to be known as the Chester A. Ray Rehabilitation Center, named for the late Judge Ray.

Robert Klein, executive director, said in the two years that have elapsed, OAR has served 279 clients in Ottawa county and 105 in Allegan county. He said one alcoholic usually involves 14 other persons in the way of family, employer, doctor, etc.

J. Irvin Nichols, administrator for the Office of Substance Abuse Services, Michigan Department of Public Health, dealing mainly with drugs and alcohol, said that the state program is being reorganized under Act 56, in an effort to coordinate the work of eight or nine major agencies on the federal, state and local level.

Because of intense interest in local levels, the reorganization accommodates a county level instead of the regional area first planned. He said the department is "listening" to many fronts so that it may have the right grasp for a total program relating to the needs of the public in the fields of alcoholism and drug abuse.

Monday's meeting was not an appeal for financial support but one of information which may lead to participation on many levels including a 1974 fund raising drive for \$54,000, with an expected \$44,708 forthcoming from the Public Health Department.

Officers serving with Brooks are Jack Rutledge, vice president; Dr. Kenneth Vander Woude, secretary; Robert D. De Bruyn, treasurer, and Albert Siska, assistant secretary-treasurer.

Serving on the board of trustees are Elmer Oudemolen, John Van Dyke Jr., John Donnelly, Jerome Johnston, James Townsend, Robert Ickes, Rev. John Nordstrom, Harold Meeusen, Paul Flynn, Dr. Carl Van Krimpen, Craig Hubbell, Leonard Lamb, Robert Akin and Robert S. De Bruyn. Ex-officio trustees are Walter Lehmann and Arthur Davis.

Serving on the staff are Robert Klein, executive director, Alice Gould, executive secretary, and Pauline Korb, half-way house director.

Mrs. G. Sheard Dies at Age 89

LANSING — Mrs. George (Margaret D.) Sheard, 89, a former Fennville resident, died in Sparrow Hospital, here Sunday.

She had moved to Lansing from Fennville one year ago to make her home with her daughter. She and her husband owned and operated the Fennville Herald prior to his death. She was a member of Fennville United Methodist Church and was a life member and past worthy matron of Bethel Chapter 173, Order of the Eastern Star of Fennville.

Surviving are her daughter, Mrs. Ben (Janet) Hamilton of Lansing and two grandsons.

Joe P. Jonker Succumbs at 73

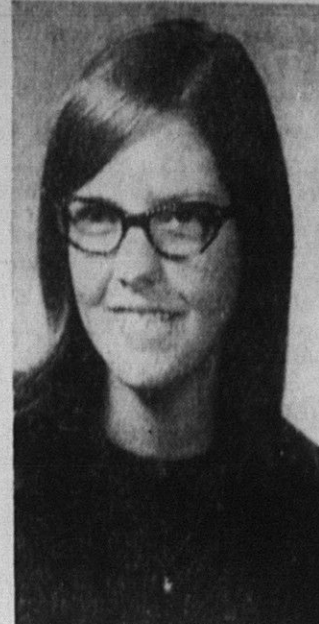
Joe P. Jonker, 73, of 551 Grove St., died at his home early Thursday following an apparent heart attack.

Born in Holland, he attended Holland High School and was employed by De Pree Pharmaceutical Co. for 45 years prior to his retirement in 1965. His wife, the former Adelaide De Vries died in 1963 and their only daughter, Mary, died in 1961.

Surviving are a brother, John of Saginaw; three sisters, Mrs. William J. McVea of Douglas, Mrs. James Yonkman of Holland and Mrs. John B. Van Domelen of Grand Rapids; two nephews, William McVea of Douglas and Ronald Jonker of Saginaw, and two nieces, Mrs. Oscar (Joanne) Vaught of Manassas, Va. and Mrs. David (Katrina) Wikstrom of Jenison.

a member of the board of trustees who hosted the luncheon, and J. Irvin Nichols, administrator of the Office of Substance Abuse Services, Michigan Department of Public Health. Standing is James F. Brooks, president of OAR Inc. — See story on page 6. (Sentinel photo)

Engaged



Miss Carol Ann Vander Zwaag

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vander Zwaag, 5888 120th Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Ann, to Frederick Lampers, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lampers of Monroe, Wash.

A spring wedding is being planned.



Miss Flavia Joy Bajema

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bajema of Grand Rapids announce the engagement of their daughter, Flavia Joy, to Kenneth Prins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Prins, route 5.

Mr. Prins attends Ferris State College.

The couple plans to be wed in May.



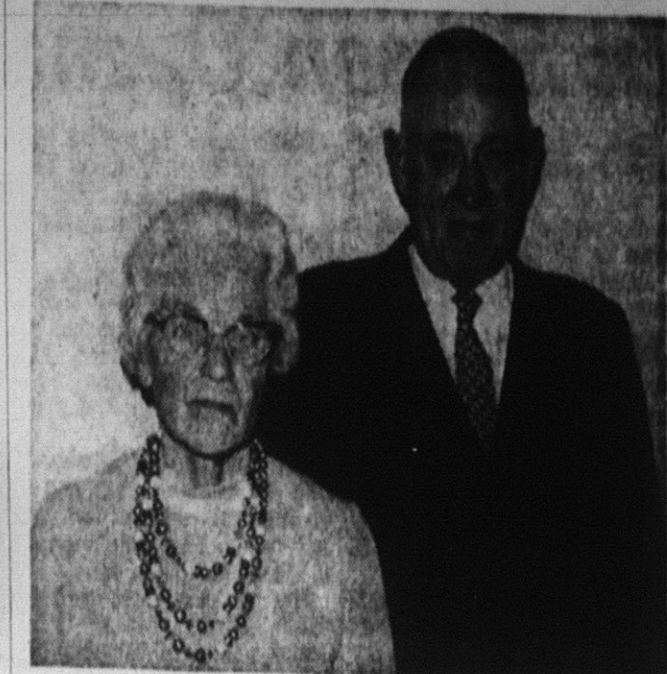
Miss Elaine L. Van Koeveering

Mr. and Mrs. Garold Van Koeveering, route 3, Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elaine L., to Merle L. Coffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Coffey, route 5, Allegan.

A March 15 wedding is being planned.

The door on the drivers' side of the car owned by James Weber, 824 South Shore Dr., was opened into traffic while parked along 15th St. 80 feet west of River Ave. Monday at 3:19 p.m. and struck a passing car driven by Paul Joel Vander Hill, 24, of 211 West 13th St.

Couple Married 50 Years



Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grotenhuis

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grotenhuis, route 5, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Thursday, Dec. 6. They were married by the late Rev. J. L. Heeres. Mrs. Grotenhuis is the former Truda De Frell.

They will be honored at an open house given by their children on Friday at the Maplewood Reformed Church Fellowship Hall from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

A family dinner is planned later.

13th Century Christmas Music Thrills Audience

By Cornelia Van Voorst

Local music lovers received an unusually fine introduction to the Christmas season with a concert Monday night in Dimment Memorial Chapel by the Waverly Concert, a group of seven musician-artists specializing in 13th century music and poetry recounting miracles credited to the Virgin Mary.

The program was billed as Las Cantigas de Santa Maria, based on the medieval music and verse in the Castilian court of Alfonso X who encouraged the arts as well as law, mathematics and science. The king commissioned and compiled these works, choosing the Portuguese language for its softness and phonetic richness over the Spanish.

James Selby as troubadour related as many miracles ascribed to the virgin, as the other six artists, all richly garbed, sang and performed on a series of old instruments which included medieval fiddles, recorders, stringed instruments, psalteries and an organetto. Bells and percussion instruments were used at times by all members of the ensemble.

The collection of Cantigas, Marian miracles in verse and song, is preserved at the Escorial library near Madrid. Emperors, beggars, bishops, merchants and even animals are all worthy of Mary's love. Just as the love of the maid-servant and queen of heaven knows no social barriers, the medieval poet knows no conceits of classical style.

Musicians of the court were Jane Bryden, soprano; Jon Humphrey, tenor; Judith Davidoff, medieval fiddles; and Kay Jaffree, Sally Logemann and Michael Jaffee, playing a variety of medieval instruments.

The program was reminiscent of an Austrian Christmas presentation put on by the Trapp Family Singers in the same chapel here about 30 years ago.

Other Christmas musical treats coming to Memorial Chapel are the Hope College Christmas vespers Sunday afternoon and the Bach Christmas oratorio and other music Saturday, Dec. 15, by the Community Choral.

Monday's program was the fourth in the series of the Holland Concert Association. The next concert will be "Music by Three" Jan. 17 in Dimment Chapel.



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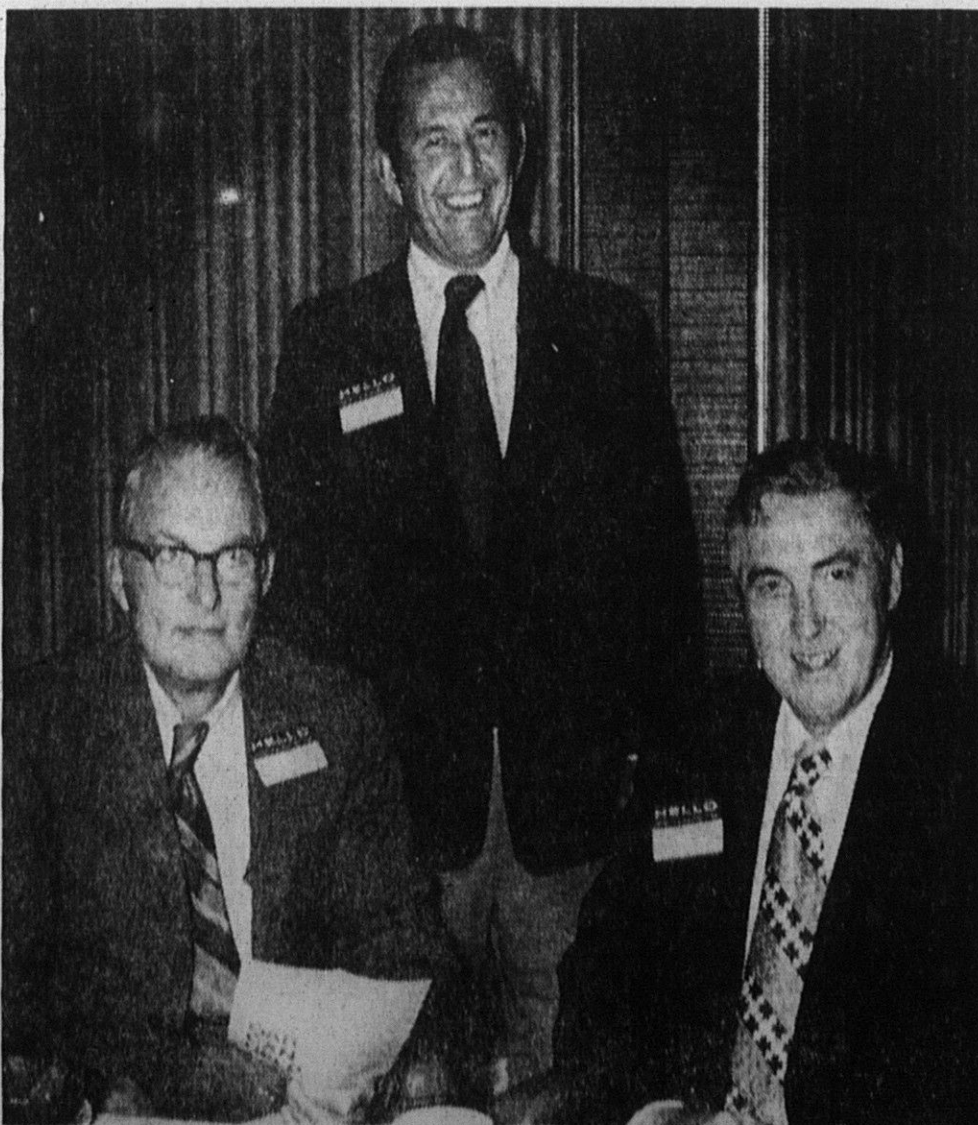
HATS OFF!!

THE BIG DUTCHMAN SALUTES

JAMES VANDER POEL

The 1973 Holland Jaycee Distinguished Service Award has been presented to James Vander Poel. Recently elected First Ward Councilman, Jim is serving his third term as Tulip Time president. Although his community, church and family activities are many and varied, his contributions remain constant.

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HALF-WAY HOUSE OPENING SOON — Plans for opening a half-way house for recovering alcoholics in Holland were outlined at a meeting of the Ottogen Alcohol Rehabilitation Inc. (OAR) Monday in Holiday Inn. Seated are John F. Donnelly,

Phil T. Rich, Midland News Founder, Dies

MIDLAND — Funeral services will be held here Thursday for Philip T. Rich, 76, founder of the Midland Daily News who died Tuesday at a Gladwin nursing home. He had suffered a heart attack late in 1960 at his then winter home in Clermont, Fla., and had been a patient at the nursing home for the last four years.

Rich's 50-year newspaper career ended in April, 1966, when Schaub Newspapers, Inc., of Decatur, Ill., assumed ownership of the Midland Daily News after purchasing all outstanding stock of the Rich Publishing House, Inc.

The longtime publisher was known widely throughout Michigan's Newspaper Hall of Fame by directors of the Michigan Press Association in recognition of his efforts in reorganization of the MPA as its president in 1936.

He started his newspaper career in 1918 with the Midland Republican which was an affiliate of a job printing business. His pay was \$15 a week with a promise of a boost to \$20. Midland at that time had a population of 4,455.

In 1923 he purchased a financial interest in the business and in 1933 bought out his partner's stock. The Midland Republican continued as a weekly newspaper until April 29, 1937 when the 56-year-old publication went out of business. On May 1, 1937, he published the first issue of the Midland Daily News.

He not only wrote the newspaper's editorials but also a column under the title of "The Old Woodman" and a personal column "Twist You an Me."

He traveled extensively, writing news stories of his trips and illustrating them with pictures he took. He eventually put together 30 1/2 films in color for showing at no cost in Midland area. With his retirement this collection was given to the film library of Midland public schools.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Jeri Burgwin of Ann Arbor, and three grandchildren. Mrs. Rich died Feb. 17, 1969.

Order of Eastern Star Plans Christmas Party

The Order of Eastern Star, Chapter 40, will hold its annual Christmas party on Tuesday, Dec. 11, in the chapter rooms. Friends and families of Eastern Stars and Masons are invited. A potluck supper is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Santa Claus will make an appearance and prizes will be awarded for various events. A \$1 gift marked for either a man or a woman and a \$2 gift marked for a child should accompany each one attending. White elephant packages are also requested.

Mrs. Maxwell Chrispell, 15479 Ransom St., or Mrs. Leroy Fink, 165 Howard Ave., should be called as to how many children and adults will be in attendance from each family.

Ottawa Association To Collect Christmas Gifts

The Ottawa Association for Retarded Children and Adults will hold their Christmas Dessert Smorgasbord on Dec. 10 at the Ottawa Area Center located 1 1/2 miles south of M-45 on 96th St. Activities will include swimming, entertainment and each family attending is requested to bring a dessert to share.

The OARCA is also collecting Christmas gifts to be distributed to mentally retarded adults in foster homes in Ottawa County.

Gifts should be wrapped and have a removable tag identifying its contents, size, etc. Suggested items are socks, gloves, cosmetics, games, puzzles, Kleenex, billfolds, purses, pajamas, etc.

Gifts may be brought to the Ottawa Area Center any time before Dec. 13. For further information contact the OARCA office.



LANDMARK DESTROYED — The wooden building near the center of the Village of Overisel housing the Stanley Walters Garage was burned to the ground Wednesday in a fire that was believed to have started in the rear of the building where the air compressing equipment is located. Fireman Ted Sternberg said it was possible electrical wiring may have caused the fire. All that remained today was the

chimney some twisted metal machinery, a chair and the gas pump in front. Overisel firemen were called at 12:10 p.m. and remained at the scene about one hour. Sternberg said winds carried sparks and flames away from other buildings. Residents said the building was at least 100 years old and during the years housed a blacksmith shop, garages and a Star auto dealership. (Sentinel photo)

Engaged



Miss Dawn M. Boerman

The engagement of Dawn M. Boerman to Lyle D. Bierma is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boerman, 249 West Main St., Zeeland. Mr. Bierma is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bierma of Grand Rapids.

Both are graduates of Calvin College. Miss Boerman is presently teaching at Zeeland Christian School and her fiancé attends Calvin Seminary.

A spring wedding is being planned.

Camera Club Lists Winners

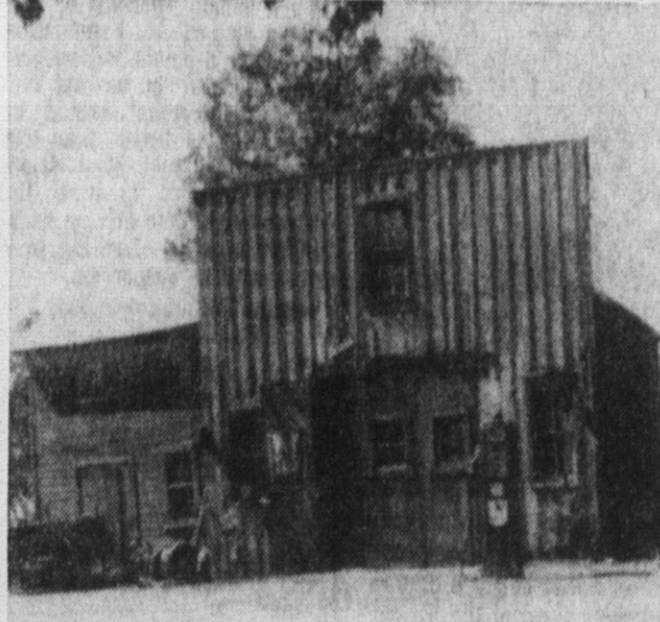
The Holland Color Camera Club held its monthly meeting Nov. 27 and several members entered winning slides.

In the category competition entitled "Tree or Trees with Character" winners were given to Henry Holgeerts, Rich Por and Wayne Reed and acceptances were given to Frances Boerman, Dave Brouwer, Jo Dams, Harry Erickson, Carl Frens, Frank Mauro, John Rynbrandt, Fred Stearns, Ralph Waldyke, John Watjer, Stu Westing, Henry Windemuller, Cynthia Yntema and Ernie Zoerhof.

Winners in the open competition were Al Keuning, John Den Bleyker and Westing with honors. Acceptances were received by Ed Burns, Marty Hieffs, Jake Meurer, Por, Reed, Jim Van Iwaarden, Watjer, Lawrence Wildschut, Windemuller, C. Yntema and Zoerhof.

Coffee was served by Frances Boerman, Josie Hollgeerts and Louise Van Huis.

The club will meet again on Tuesday, Dec. 18.



LEVELED BY FIRE — The old high-front wooden building in Overisel that served the area for decades as a garage, blacksmith shop and auto agency was burned to the ground Wednesday. James Kleinheksel, a relative of a former operator, said the structure was at least 100 years old and was operated by such persons as Hiram Brinkman, Henry Lampen, Gus Maatman, Julius Kleinheksel and Stanley Walters. Kleinheksel and Walters operated an auto agency in the 1920s that sold Star autos. The picture was supplied by Ted Sternberg, an Overisel resident and a fireman.

Mrs. R. Camarota Hosts Eta Gamma

Mrs. Richard Camarota hosted Monday evening's meeting of Eta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Mrs. Wayne Voetberg, president, presided over the business meeting.

The chapter received an invitation to the Valentine dinner dance Feb. 2 hosted by Xi Beta Tau Chapter. Under the direction of Mrs. Martin Muyskens, the chapter will have a cocktail party Sunday at the home of the Richard Colemans.

Mrs. Glenn Lawson distributed names of patients at Birchwood Manor. They will be remembered throughout the year as well as at Christmas. Tuesday, Dec. 11, Santa Claus will accompany members for caroling and social hour with all the patients. Mrs. Juke Overway, ways and means chairman, reported on the progress of the Rent - A - Santa project; the chapter is undertaking this month.

The monthly review of the Book of Beta Sigma Phi was given of Beta Arthur Simmons. Candlelight provided the setting for the Pledge Ritual which was given to Mrs. Darwin Werling.

The chapter, under the direction of the service committee, then made wall hangings for each room at Birchwood Manor. Refreshments were served by the hostess and Mrs. Overway.

Attending were the Mesdames Camarota, Coleman, Lynn Cilla,

Jay Datema, William Healy, Carl Jaeger, John Kohne, Lawson, Thomas La Haye, Muyskens, Overway, Simmons, Charles Smith, Werling and Voetberg.

Hope Jayvees Take First

Hope College's junior varsity basketball team had four players in double figures in jolting Muskegon Business College, 82-62 Wednesday night in the Civic Center.

The win was the first of the season in two games for Coach Glenn Van Wieren's Dutchmen. Steve Vander Hyde of Grand Rapids led the way with 16 points while closely following was Chris Van Singel of Mason Livonia and Duff DeZwaan of Wyoming chipped in with 11 and 14 in that order.

Three Girl Babies Listed In 3 Area Hospitals

Three hospitals each report one new baby girl today.

A daughter was born in Holland Hospital on Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Cole, 1576 Elmer St.

In Zeeland Hospital today it was a daughter, Sheryl Lynn, born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Yonker, 7719 20th Ave., Jenison.

A daughter, Jodee Anne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tesmer, route 1, 105th Ave., Pullman, on Wednesday in Community Hospital, Douglas.

Cello Soloist Featured With Hope Orchestra

The Hope College orchestra, under the direction of Philip Greenberg, will present a concert Friday, at 8:15 p.m. in Dimmet Memorial Chapel.

Appearing as soloist with the orchestra will be cellist Evelyn Elsing.

Miss Elsing received both bachelor and master of music degrees from the University of Michigan School of Music. She was the recipient of the music school's highest award to a performance major after serving as principal cellist with the university symphony orchestra.

She served as principal cellist with the Juilliard School concert orchestra in 1972-73 and for two years was the principal cellist



Evelyn Elsing

for the National Orchestral Association, New York City. She has performed in Austria, Russia and Italy.

Greenberg joined the Hope faculty as an associate professor of music in 1972. He became director of the orchestra this fall.

Earlier this year, he was awarded the first Master of Conducting Degree ever granted by the University of Michigan School of Music. He presently serves as concertmaster of the Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra.

De Vries Sets Record In Defeat

Chris De Vries broke a Holland Christian swim record in the 100-yard freestyle Tuesday night with a 56.9 clocking, as the Maroons were defeated by Jenison, 116-57.

"The final score does not show how close the meet really was," commented Christian Coach Tom Buursma.

Christian will host Spring Lake on Dec. 13.

Results in order of finish:
200 medley relay—Jenison. Time 2:01.6.
200-yard freestyle—Healey (J), De Vries (C), Walcott (J), Ritsma (J), Hulst (C). Time 2:10.6.
200-yard individual—Haveman (C), Van Wyke (C), Dumond (J), Nordyke (J), Dettmer (J). Time 2:31.0.
50-yard freestyle—Cole (J), Endean (C), Spykerman (C), Cline (J), Van Haten (J). Time 2:50.
Diving—Warner (J), Visser (J), Hayes (J), Yift (C), Petroelje (C). Points 226.35.
100-yard butterfly—Huitsing (C), Nordyke (J), Schrebe (J), Van Wyke (C), Medema (J). Time 1:11.0.
100-yard freestyle—Cole (J), De Vries (C), Crowe (J), Wass (J), Hoeksma (C). Time 53.9.
300-yard freestyle—Healey (J), Walcott (J), Haveman (C), Ritsma (J), Swets (C). Time 5:57.1.
100-yard backstroke—Johnson (J), Dettmer (J), Endean (C), Roels (C), Peikus (J). Time 1:06.3.
100-yard breaststroke—Dumond (J), Byrne (J), Zuidema (J), Dokter (C), Huitsing (C). Time 1:14.2.
400-yard freestyle relay—Jenison. Time 3:36.7.

Close Allegan Building

ALLEGAN — The Allegan County Board of Commissioners have voted to close the Allegan County Building on Monday, Dec. 24 and 31, 1973, in addition to the legal holidays.



RECEIVES WATCH — Nelva Boes, (left) is shown receiving a watch from Howard Miller, president of the Howard Miller Clock Company for her 25 years of service

to the company. The Company held its annual Christmas appreciation dinner Tuesday evening at Zeeland Christian School. (de Vries photo)

Chief Mokma Will Speak At I.M.C. Meeting

Marvin Mokma, newly appointed Chief of the Holland Fire Department, will be the guest speaker at the monthly dinner meeting of the Greater Holland - Zeeland Chapter of I.M.C. on Tuesday, Dec. 11, at the Women's Literary Club.

Chief Mokma has served as fireman and Fire Inspector for 20 years with the Holland Fire Department before his recent



Chief Marvin Mokma

appointment. Special recognition will be given the Keymen of the participating businesses in the I.M.C. program.

Donna Victor, director of the local chapter of the American Red Cross will briefly discuss the local blood bank program.

A special display of products will be provided by General Electric. President Fred Wolters will preside at the evening program which will include a short business meeting.

The I.M.C. is a National Management Development Program affiliated with the Holland-Zeeland Family Y.M.C.A.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Wednesday were Janet Hess, Covert; Steven Ridley, South Haven; Lila Brush, 10 West 30th St.; Renae Driesenga, Zeeland; and Donald Veele, 206 Franklin.

Discharged Wednesday were Patti Nivison, 98 East 24th St.; Cora Volk, 163 West 30th St.; William Scheerhorn, 99 East 16th St.; Herena Dubbink, Hamilton; Jeffrey Bruizeman, Zeeland; Walter Johnson, Fennville; Anaya infant, 140 Reed Ave.; Linda Heusinkveld, 24 1/2 East Ninth St.; Joann Roelofs, Zeeland; Gerrit Kortman, 154 West 20th St.; Lawrence Brower, 52 West 38th St.; Stanley Van Otterloo, 410 West 28th St.; Lillian Jansen, 493 West 20th St.; Judith Wendt and baby, 12251 James St.; and George Reimink, Hamilton.

Howard Miller Clock Has Appreciation Dinner

The Howard Miller Clock Company of Zeeland held its annual Christmas appreciation dinner Tuesday evening, at the Zeeland Christian School with a total of 310 employees, including retirees and their guests, attending. An open house was held at the plant before the dinner.

Mike Kayner was master of ceremonies and cited several humorous incidents in the lives of the employees.

Howard C. Miller, company president, presented a watch to Nelva Boes for 25 years of service to the company. Miller also honored past retirees and special guests.

Providing the entertainment for the evening was Marian Vander Heuvel who put on a comedy skit. Also on the program was the Hope College Collegium Singers.

Prizes and bonus checks were distributed to the employees at the conclusion of the program.

Those serving punch at the open house and greeting were: Mr. and Mrs. James Wiersma, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth King, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mudget, Mr. and Mrs. David Slocum,

Mr. and Mrs. Carl DeJonge, Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. James Lampen, and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Nykamp.

On the banquet committee were: Ruth Gardner, Mike Mudget, Gary De Weerd, Sol Runge and Bill Boyer, chairman.

Birthday Party Honors Lupita Leon

A birthday party honoring Lupita Leon, was given by the grandmother, Mrs. Joe Fierro at her residence Sunday.

Assisting at the party were Zelena Garcia, Veronica, Liz, Philip Castillo, Sandy, Louis Mike Jr. and Ricky Castaneda, Dina, Lisa Garcia, Tina and Bonnie Reyes, Ester Gomez, Olga, Becky, and Bertha Castaneda, David Garcia and Maggie Rivera, Gracie Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Voss.

Others attending were Rebecca Rivera, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. George Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garcia and Joseph Fierro Jr. Gifts were won by several children at the party.

Mark 45th Anniversary



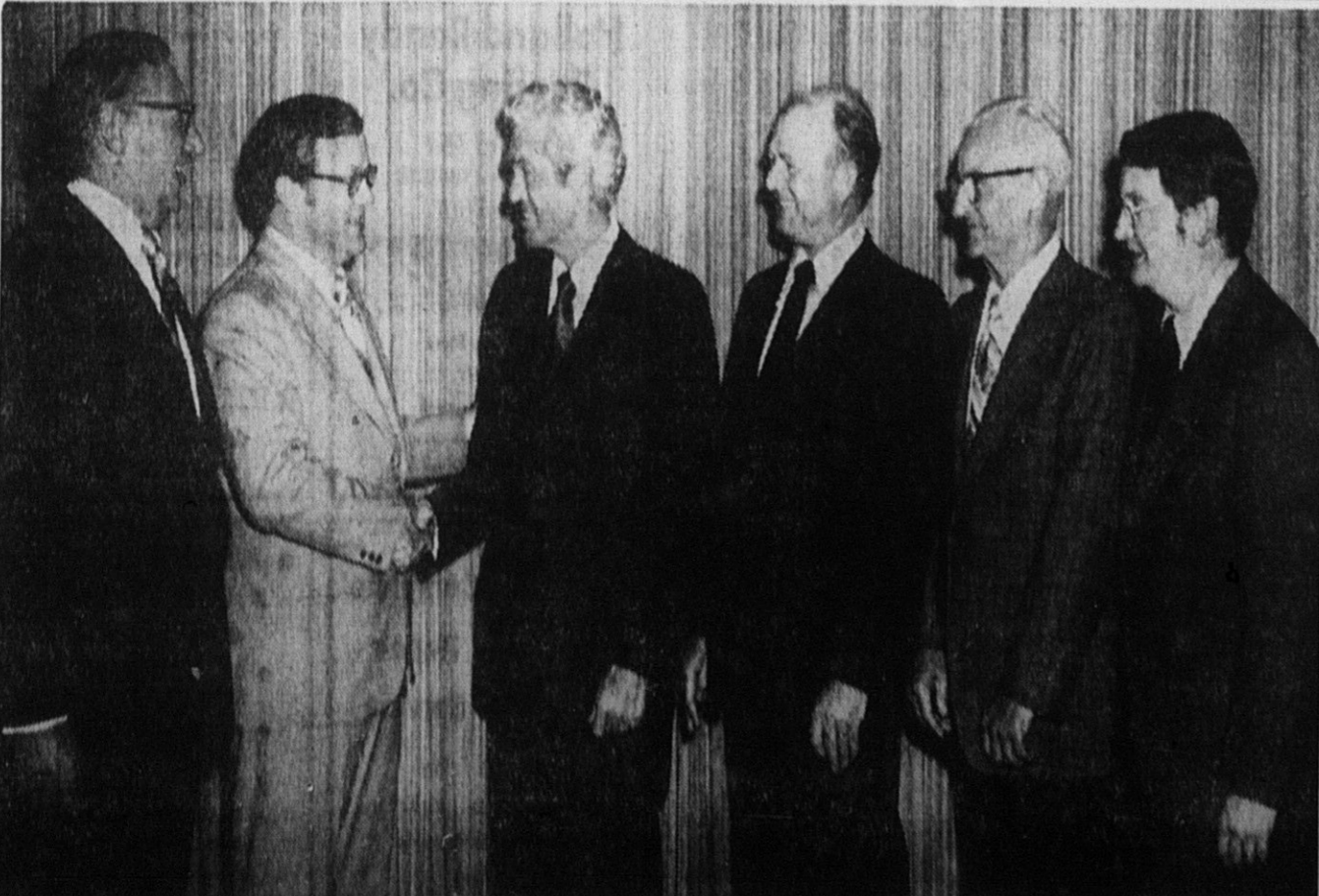
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Westenbroek

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Westenbroek, 395 East Eighth St., will celebrate their 45th wedding anniversary on Wednesday, Dec. 12. Relatives, friends and neighbors are invited to an open house on Tuesday, Dec. 11, from 7 to 10 p.m. at Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church.

Their children are Mr. and Mrs. Roger (Elaine) Westenbroek, Mr. and Mrs. Ted (Doris) Elhart and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey (Shirley) Westenbroek. There are nine grandchildren.

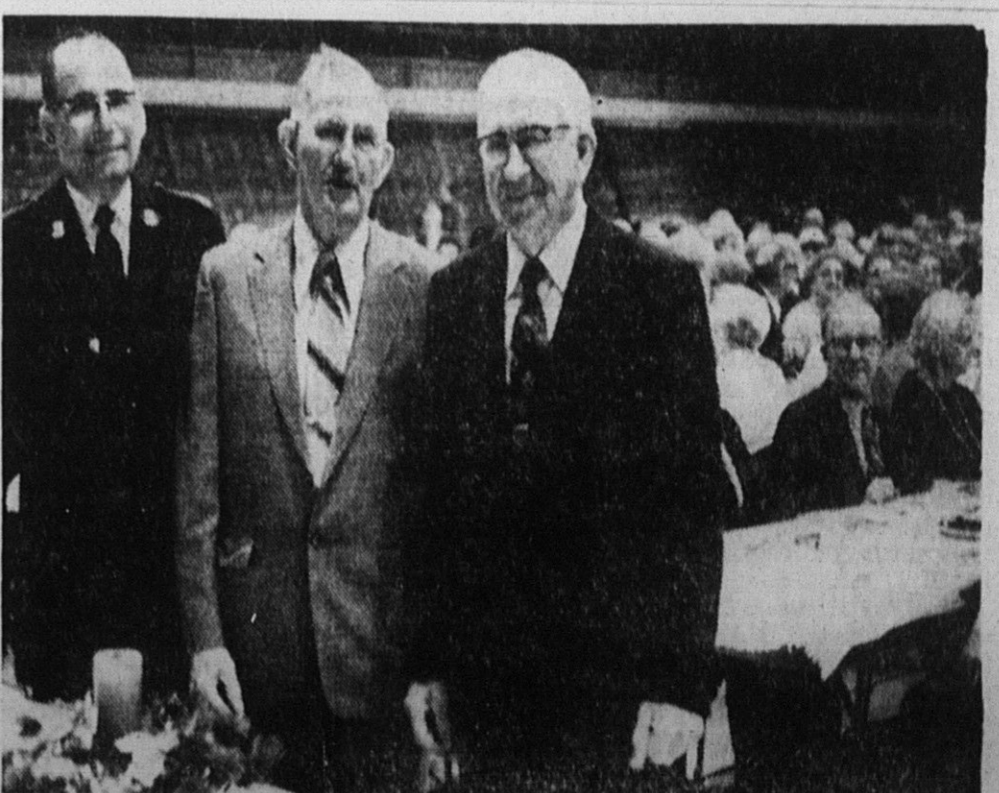
There will be a family dinner later.

Mr. and Mrs. Westenbroek were married Dec. 12, 1928.



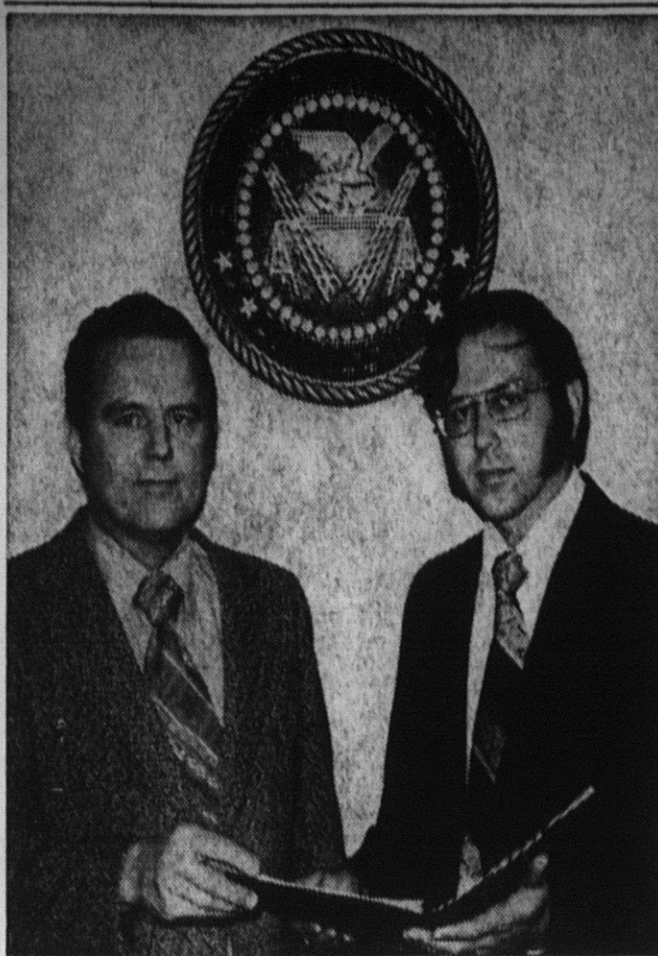
25-YEAR VETERANS — Pigments Division of Chemetron Corp. recently honored four Holland employees for 25 years of service at the company's 19th annual awards dinner. From left to right are Pigments Division vice president J.E. Counihan and Dr. L.D. Moore, Chemetron Chemicals

Group vice president and new 25-Year Club members T.L. Jenkins, general sales manager; P.R. Hartman, traffic and distribution manager; J. Maat, assistant chemist and W.W. Rhodes, manager of technical services.



CHRISTMAS DINNER — Holland and Zeeland Golden Agers met Wednesday in Civic Center for the annual combined Christmas dinner and program with 425 attending, including the Salvation Army Advisory Board. Major and Mrs. William Hines of Grand Rapids were also present with Major Hines giving the devotional message. The

Holland High School music department presented a vocal and instrumental program with Harvey Meyer and Carl Dephouse directors. Shown (left to right) are Major Charles Dushin of the local citadel and Gerrit Petroelje and Richard Wolters, presidents of the Zeeland and Holland Golden Agers. (Sentinel photo)



GUARDIANS OF THE AIR WAVES — Engineer-In-Charge Samuel B. Stelk (left), and assistant Engineer-In-Charge Mel Hyman direct the day-to-day operations at the Allegan Monitoring Station. Stelk resides in Holland.

(Sentinel photo)

FCC Monitors Radio From Nearby Station

By Joe Lane

The United States government owns 220 acres of land planted with 60 directional antennas about ten miles south of Holland on route 40.

The area is the site of the Allegan Monitoring Station of the Field Engineering Bureau of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), the agency responsible for the regulation of our air waves.

The Allegan station listens to the radio — through the entire spectrum of frequencies — to determine primarily whether or not broadcasters meet federal requirements for technical standards. The federal government (through the FCC) retains the sole power to issue licenses for the use of the air waves; this station is one of 17 across the nation which protects against illegal transmission and broadcasting.

The total personnel complement in Allegan is about 15 — electronic engineers, electrical technicians, and general staff. They are directed by Engineer-In-Charge Samuel B. Stelk of Holland, and his assistant Melvin Hyman of Rockville, Maryland. A Nebraska native, Stelk has worked for the FCC for almost 20 years, although less than two of them have been spent in Michigan.

According to Stelk, the primary function of the FCC Field Bureau is "to assure that a uniformity of technical standards in the air waves is available to all regions of the United States." The station "monitors": it measures the signals transmitted across the entire spectrum of frequencies to determine that only federally licensed signals are being transmitted, to maintain the quality of the signals, and to inform the transmitter of any technical violations. Only flagrant or repeated violations are subject to legal action, and only in rare cases of blatant profanity does the station listen for content.

Stelk calls monitoring content the least important aspect of the station's task. "The public is the best censor," he said.

He indicated that complaints about what is said over the air should be sent directly to the FCC in Washington, and not to Allegan. But he suggests that complaining to the broadcaster or the sponsor might be much quicker effective action. "Enough complaints make any broadcaster reconsider his programming policy," said Stelk. "The public can control program content."

The Field Engineering Bureau stations operate around the clock, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. They cover the 50 states, including one in Alaska, one in Hawaii, and one in Puerto Rico. The Allegan station covers the seven-state area of the Midwest which includes Michigan and adjoining states.

Cooperation among stations permits the immediate pinpointing of any broadcasting source to within an area of 20 square miles. Through the use of mobile units, particularly in urban areas, the limits can be narrowed down much further. The Allegan station has two of its own mobile units, although urban investigation is primarily done by units from the FCC regional offices in Chicago and Detroit.

All of the air waves in the world are regulated by international agreement, so that the FCC stations' functions include international cooperation. Frequency segments are allotted to specific uses and users; the dispersion of signals is strictly regulated.

According to the agreements, said Stelk, "every country should have" monitoring stations like the one in Allegan. If, for example, a foreign vessel is transmitting in the "wrong place" on the spectrum, an FCC

station would relay the corrective information through the proper diplomatic channels. If radio signals from Brussels interfere with broadcasting in Australia, that information could be picked up in Allegan and other stations and relayed to the proper authorities.

Stelk describes the station's two types of equipment as technical and non-technical. The technical equipment is the "sophisticated, but commercially available" receivers and measurement apparatus which actually pick up the radio signals and permit the staff to monitor, to listen selectively and to regulate. The non-technical equipment controls the directional antennae which can be turned at any angle to pick up signals from any direction. The station set-up with its land and equipment represents, according to Stelk, an investment of a quarter to a half million dollars.

The monitoring powers of the Federal Communications Commission were authorized by Congress in the Federal Communications Act of 1934, and the Allegan station was established in 1941. At that time the federal government was interested in setting up a network of monitors to detect radio espionage, and the station's staff mushroomed to 75 - 100 wartime employees.

According to Stelk, the FCC's success in the war is attested States was the only country in the world that was not plagued by any active radio espionage rings. The FCC succeeded in detecting all attempts before an active basis, he said.

"Espionage can be much more effectively undertaken by satellite in 1973," said Stelk, "and it just isn't our major concern anymore."

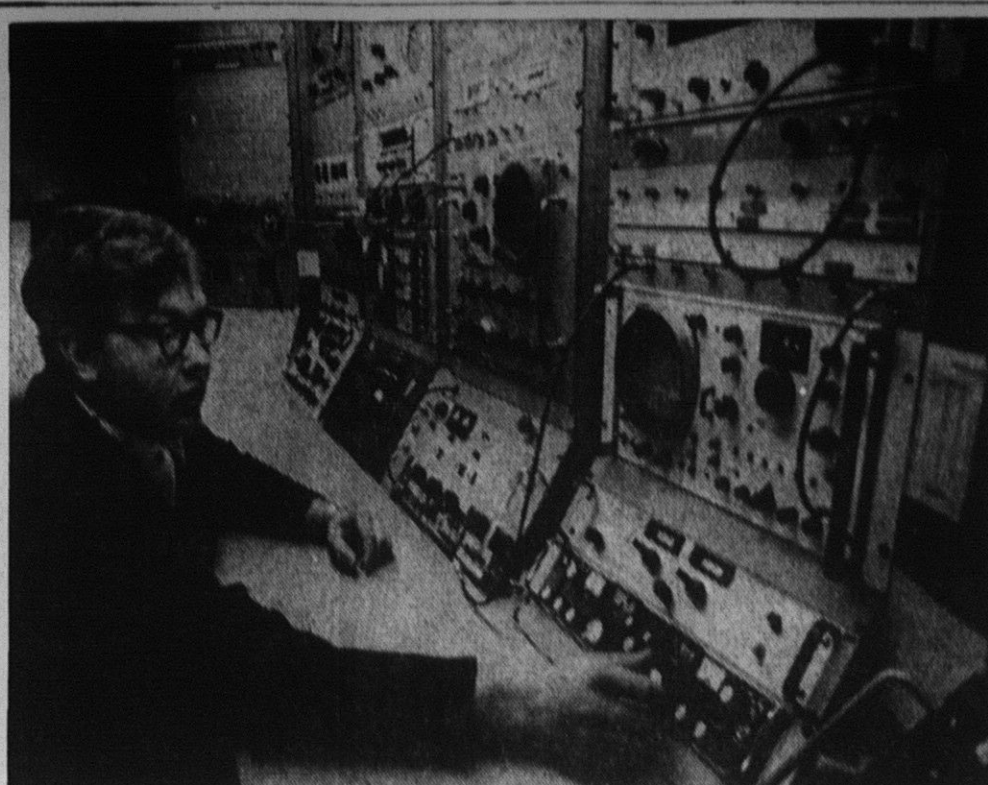
Instead, the station is kept busy by other illegal use of the FCC monitors gather evidence for court cases on illegal transmission, the station could be called a policing agency.

The monitors, however, think of their major functions as a service. For example, they advise commercial stations of technical violations on a regular basis with no penalty or cost. A typical violation — occupying too wide a range on the frequency spectrum, for example — might be corrected by the broadcaster by a slight adjustment. In this way the monitoring system helps to maintain the order of the air waves in a situation which could otherwise lead to chaos and confusion.

One of the major problems facing the monitors at present is the regulation of the citizen band services. They are economical and convenient for small businesses, although not 100 per cent reliable, and licenses are relatively inexpensive. Their use has spread rapidly.

At the same time, the citizen band spectrum has been widely abused, often by the sale of phony licenses to customers unaware of federal regulations. Some have deliberately abused the citizen band services in the belief that federal regulation should not be required.

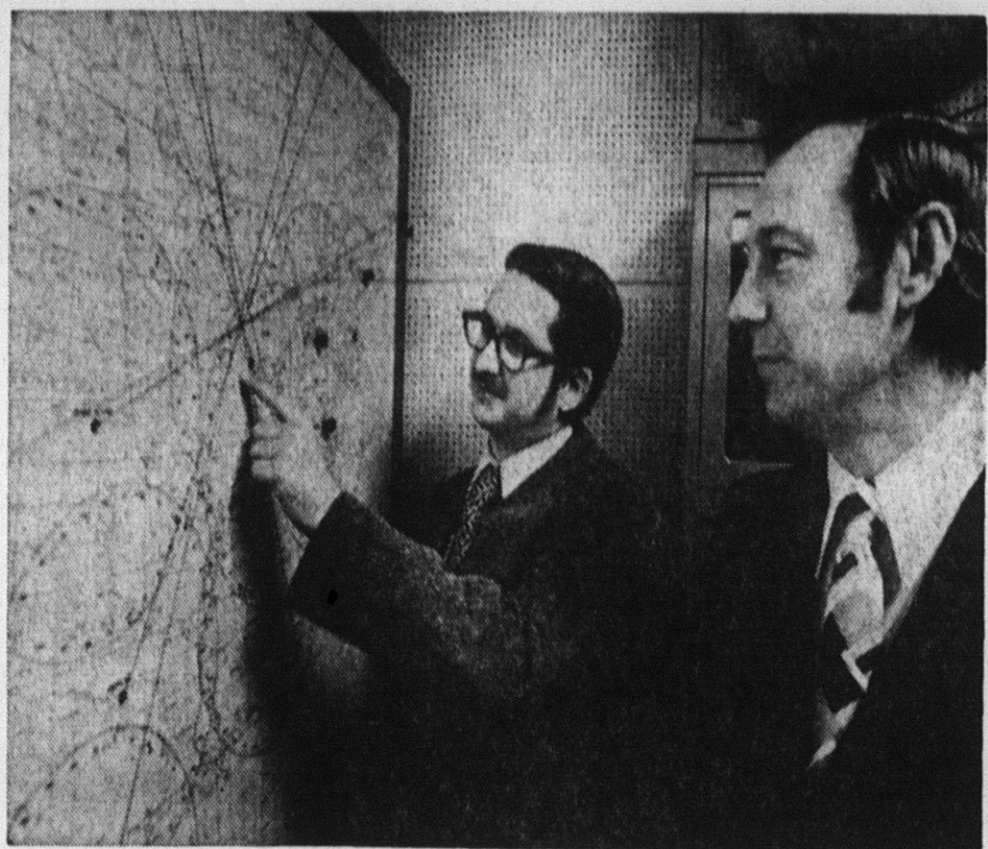
In order to be able to deal more effectively with the problem, in addition to the increased usage of all frequencies, the FCC has recently been granted a congressional appropriation for the reorganization and updating of facilities. Stelk expected "increased activity" of the monitoring station in the problem areas of citizen band services and marine services.



JUST CHECKING — Electronic technician Bruce Moenkedick, seated at the station's technical equipment panel, checks the AM modulation on standard broadcast stations.

Monitoring the standard broadcasts for technical standards is a small, but routine and necessary task at all Field Engineering Bureau stations.

(Sentinel photo)



WHERE LINES MEET — Micro-wave engineer Bill Borgman (left) and maintenance technician Don Corcoran take a fix on the location of a transmitter. Radio signals picked up from five stations (Kingsville, Tex., Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Ambrose, Tex., Grand Island, Neb., and Chillicothe,

Ohio) enable the Allegan station to pinpoint the signal it has detected. Each station uses a direction finder to get a degree bearing on this plotting chart of the United States; the transmitter is located where the lines intersect.

(Sentinel photo)

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Emblem Club Reviews Year's Many Projects

The regular November meeting of the Emblem Club was held in the Lodge room at the Elks Club with Mrs. Frank Sharkey, president, presiding. Committee reports were given.

A bazaar and baked goods table was the highlight of the evening with a profit of \$55.

Mrs. Sharkey and Mrs. Ed Nyland, community and service chairman, discussed and made plans for members to bring canned goods to the annual Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 20. A needy family will be supplied with a Christmas dinner and will be given \$25 to purchase meat. A \$2 gift exchange and dinner will be featured at the party.

The group also decided to give \$25 to the United Way.

Money making projects for the year include bake goods sale, bazaar table, After-Glo supper for the Shriners, October Fest Smorgasbord, bingo refreshments, rummage sale, Little Dears, and tip money from the Elks initiation dinner.

Charities donated to were the scholarship fund for Emblem Club, Elks Building Fund, March of Dimes, United Way, Supreme Convention, Elks Foundation, needy families, heart fund, cancer research and muscular dystrophy.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Austin Cramer and her committee consisting of the Mesdames Dewey Barton, Carole Crowe, Jane Nyland, Steven Wiersma and Miss Betty Gayle Wiersma.

Injured were Karly Malone, 7, and Cindy Malone, 2, passengers in the Malone car, and Robert Morris Cummins, 52, of Jenison, and his passengers, Robert Cummins, 11, and David Kopp, 11, also of Jenison. All were treated in Zeeland hospital and released.

Ottawa County deputies said the Malone car was eastbound on Port Sheldon while the Cummins auto was southbound on 48th and pulled into the side of the Malone car.



FOR SANTA CLAUS ONLY — Lisa Ann Hungerford, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hungerford of 314 Central Ave., posts a letter to Santa Claus at the special low-level mail box in the lobby of

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Drunk Driving Film Shown to Early Birds

"Hazards of Drunk Driving" provided an interesting if somewhat grim subject for Chamber of Commerce Early Birds at a breakfast this morning in the Warm Friend Motor Inn.

Burr J. Smith, safety education consultant for the Automobile Club of Michigan, substituted for Arthur C. Gibson, manager of the safety and traffic engineering department, explaining that the energy crisis and gas shortage affects the triple-A administrative staff too.

Highlight was a drunk driving film, by turns comic and tragic, demonstrating the various "myths" which have been popularly accepted by drinkers... strong black coffee, lots of food, sweating out the alcohol, "I know when to stop drinking" and a host of others.

The film was geared to drinking, driving and rationalizing. Smith attempted no philosophical discourse on the drinking problem and gave a minimum of statistics. He said America has 112 million cars and 95 million drinkers, and a combination of the two often results in tragedy.

He spoke of Michigan's point system and said most drivers have a life-time total of 4 to 6 points, usually speeding or running a stop street. Drunk driving brings 6 points and suspension of license and he said Holland's enforcement record on convictions is better than the average. He said most drunk drivers attempt to have the charge reduced to driving while ability impaired resulting in 4 points and no suspension.

James Hoffman presided.

Court Grants 16 Divorces

GRAND HAVEN — The following divorce decrees have been granted in Ottawa Circuit Court:

Bettie Yvonne Cantwell from Marvin Sanford Cantwell, wife given custody of one child.

Barbara Hillebrands from James Hillebrands Jr.

Elizabeth W. Kooiman from Donald A. Kooiman.

Richard O'Keefe from Paula O'Keefe, wife restored maiden name of Peters.

Marjorie V. Jeske from Robert David Jeske.

Joan Siegers Odom from John H. Odom.

Karen L. Meyer from Gary E. Meyer, wife given custody of one child.

Arlene L. Schoolcraft from Albert L. Schoolcraft Jr., wife given custody of three children.

Nancy Ann Sage from Richard Craig Sage, wife given custody of one child and husband given custody of one child.

Ruth M. Childress from Melvin A. Childress, wife given custody of two children.

Patricia Ann Hughes from William Edward Hughes.

Mary Bastiaanse from Anton Bastiaanse, wife given custody of two children.

Lenora Scrimger from Lyle J. Scrimger, wife given custody of one child.

Janna M. Jolman from Ronald D. Jolman, wife given custody of five children.

Elaine M. Williams from Raymond M. Williams, wife given custody of one child.

Gereta A. Stejskal from Raymond A. Stejskal, wife given custody of four children.

Zeeland Council Grants Free Yule Parking

ZEELAND — City Council took action Monday giving shoppers a Christmas present.

Council approved the bagging of parking meters in the downtown area thereby granting shoppers free parking from Dec. 17 to Dec. 24.

Jane Steketee Group Hears of Period Decor

The Jane Steketee Chapter of Quilters met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Charles Rich. Mrs. John Kleis served as co-hostess.

Mrs. Rich compared the Early American and Colonial periods in American decorating. The years from 1617 to 1720 encompass the Early American period. There were no pastel colors, but rather the colors used were the crude primitive ones: red, green, mulberry, yellow and blue. The Early American of our ancestors is not the Early American of today, she said.

Furniture was of the simplest design. If it was brought from England, it was of oak. If made in the colonies, it was simply constructed of pine, maple, birch, hickory or whitewood. Often several woods were used to make one article. Pottery, coarse china, pewter (which was used more than silver), and the spinning wheel occupied a prominent place in the home.

The walls were plastered, paneled, or a combination of the two materials. Floors were painted darker than the woodwork. No sheer curtains were used, and today only the simplest of curtains should be used with this period.

The Colonial period immediately followed — from the year 1720 to 1790. This was a much more formal period, and this was reflected in the dress of the day as well as home furnishings. The houses themselves imitated the English manor houses. In the cities the Colonial houses resembled the English town houses. These were the houses with the beautiful paneling, elaborate fireplaces systems and many other features admired today.

The furniture was usually Queen Anne or Chippendale in maple, cherry, walnut and mahogany. Some of this furniture was imported from England but much was made in the colonies from native woods, as well as from mahogany brought from the Indies by sailing vessels.

Wallpaper was used either with a dado or a chair rail. Beautiful highboys, lowboys, desks and cabinets were produced, as well as chests — on chests, tables of all kinds, and fine chairs and sofas. As the furniture became more elegant, so did the fabrics. The damasks, silks and chintzes were imported from England, France and China. Floor coverings ranged from the hooked and braided rugs to costly Orientals and Aubussons, Mrs. Rich noted.

Glassware was imported from Waterford, Cork and Dublin in

Ireland and Bristol in England. Precious china came from many parts of the world: Lowestoft and Canton from China; and Worcester, Leeds, Spode, Copeland and Liverpool from England.

Colors used in the Colonial period were more subtle and softer than in the Early American period. Various shades of green, primrose yellow, robin's egg blue, a greyed blue, and sometimes darker colors such as chocolate brown and the rose red of old bricks are found in the Colonial period.

Woodwork was painted to match the walls. There was a great deal of wallpaper used in Colonial times. Chinese, scenic, floral and architectural patterns were found in these papers.

Mrs. Rich concluded her talk by showing how these traditional styles can be produced with modern wall papers, drapery and upholstery fabrics, and carpets.

The group decided to hold a Secret Auction to benefit a restoration project being carried on by the Quilters, instead of engaging in the usual gift exchange at Christmas.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Monday were Virginia Ayers, West Olive; Elta Scherpinsky, Saugatuck; Tracy Holkeboer, 311½ West 17th St.; John Haakma, Hamilton; Nellie Stanphill, Fennville; Johanna Overbeek, 63 West 32nd St.; Mary Barnes, 513 Cleveland; Timothy Meneer, Fennville; Joann Roelofs, Zeeland; Evelyn Vander Bie, 155 Hope Ave.; Raymond VanKirk, 1625 South Ottawa, route 1; Stanley Van Otterloo, 410 West 28th St.; Peggy Slager, 182 Elwill Ct., and Maggie Dykstra, Warm Friend Motor Inn, Room 418.

Discharged Monday were Jennifer Johnson, 2447 Briarwood; Betty Stacey Cotts, 24 East 13th St.; Kathleen Bosch, 10000 Ottagan; Joseph Hallacy, 165 Sunset Dr.; Carol Daniels, Zeeland; Gladys Klifman, 14218 James St.; Susan Kapenga and baby, Hudsonville; Hope Anaya, 140 Reed Ave.; Hollis Nienhuis, 1055 Lincoln Ave., and Ronald Hyma, 658 East 10th St.

L. C. Townsend, 22, and his passenger, Victor Doby, 21, both of Chicago, suffered minor injuries when their car went out of control Saturday at 3:52 p.m. along westbound Chicago Dr. at Eighth St. in Holland township and hit a utility pole. Ottawa County deputies rerouted traffic while the pole was repaired.

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