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Two Sentences Will Start After Christmas Day

Judge Smith Lenient As He Processes Cases In Circuit Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Judge Raymond L. Smith remembered Christmas when he sentenced several persons in Circuit Court Dec. 22 and in two cases decreed that sentences would start Dec. 27 in order to allow the persons involved to spend Christmas with their families.

Leonard Mulder, 38, route 4, Holland, who pleaded guilty Dec. 8 to a charge of drunk driving, second offense, was placed on probation for 18 months. Conditions of his probation are that he pay \$100 costs in 60 days, pay \$5 a month oversight fees and serve six days in the county jail, the term to start Dec. 27 at 9 a.m. The alleged offense occurred Nov. 24 when Mulder's car left Butternut Dr. a mile north of Pine Creek School and hit two trees. His car was a total wreck. At the time of his arrest he did not have an operator's license.

Glen Nyland, 16, of 705 Goldenrod, Holland, in whose case probate Court waived jurisdiction, was placed on probation three years on a nighttime breaking and entering charge, involving a break-in at Meyer's Standard Service Nov. 15. Conditions of the probation are that he pay \$100 costs in six months, serve 30 days in county jail starting Dec. 27 at 9 a.m. and pay \$5 a month oversight fees. He also must leave intoxicating liquors alone and observe a midnight curfew while on probation.

Emilio Castro, 24, of 16 South River Ave., appeared before court on a negligent homicide charge but entered no plea since he plans to consult an attorney. He will return Jan. 10 to enter a plea. Bond of \$1,000 was not furnished. Castro was charged following a two-car crash Sunday in Holland city which claimed the life of 12-year-old Mary Jonker. When Castro appeared in court today, there was a decided limp in his left leg, but no mention was made of injuries.

Gerald L. Huston, 38, Whitehall, pleaded not guilty to a charge of appropriating building contracting funds to his own use, and asked the court to appoint an attorney since he had no funds to do so. The court consented to do so and also reduced his \$10,000 bond to \$5,000. Trial will be held during the January term. Huston is alleged to have failed to pay approximately \$2,000 to Scott-Lugers Co. of Holland and \$400 to Lloyd Hoff of Montague for materials and labor at West Olive school No. 2.

Tim Smith, Jr., 19, East Ninth St., Holland, who pleaded guilty Dec. 8 to a charge of nighttime breaking and entering, was placed on probation for two years. He must pay \$100 costs in six months, \$5 a month oversight fees, indulge in no drinking and must make restitution of whatever he took. He allegedly entered the John Batten store in Park Township Oct. 3.

Aldon Dale Pierce, 18, Nunica, pleaded guilty to a charge of nighttime breaking and entering and will return for sentence Jan. 10 at 10 a.m. Bond of \$2,500 was not furnished. He allegedly broke into Moore's gas station in Nunica Dec. 8. He previously had been convicted in Centerville and currently is on probation out of St. Joseph.

Howard Barnes, 28, route 3, Fennville, entered no plea when he was arraigned on a non support charge and obtained permission to consult an attorney before he reappears Jan. 10. He was released on his own recognizance. Current complaint was signed by his wife, Ruth Boss. He is currently on probation for non support charges.

Baker Employees Have Annual Christmas Party

Twenty-one employees of the finishing department of Baker Furniture Co. had their annual Christmas dinner Friday noon at the Hub restaurant in Zeeland. Tables in the main dining rooms were appropriately decorated for the occasion.

A family style chicken dinner was served. Devotions were led by Clarence Veenstra. It was announced that the company will give turkeys for Christmas this year in addition to the paid holiday and life insurance policy premium.

Attending the dinner were Elmer Beckfort, Donald Brunzell, Ronald Hassevoort, Clarence Veenstra, Fred Walz, Edgar Mosher, George Roberts, Forrest Eckman, Martin Lampen, Nelson Lucas, William Kluitenberg, Jayson Volkers, Louis Ledwell, Edward Wolbert, Donald Tague, Clarence Nichols, Alvin Borgman, August Stassen, Jack Manting, Jamie Hatley and Robert Stillson.

Court OKs Claim

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A claim of Gerrit Bussis, route 1, Zeeland, for \$1,200 against the estate of Charley Diepenhorst of Zeeland has been allowed by Ottawa County Probate Court following a hearing held Nov. 10. Bussis had asked \$4,200 for room and board furnished the deceased. Bussis claimed there was an oral agreement between the parties made in 1947.



BUSY TIME OF YEAR — The Christmas season always is a busy time at the City Mission Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Kamphouse (above), directors, are busy placing about 300 toys and gifts and a partial supply of groceries under the Christmas tree which will be given to the poor and needy tonight and Friday. About 25 baskets will be handed out, each consisting of chickens, potatoes, sugar, cereal, flour, bread, butter and many canned goods. Rev. and Mrs. Kamphouse express thanks to the various organizations of churches, South Ottawa Teachers Association, Camp Fire Girls, Boy and Girl Scouts for gifts and toys. The Holland Exchange Club, Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls donated groceries and the Kolla-Landwehr Foundation gave candy and oranges. Dutch Boy Bakery Co. also donated. Several persons donated money to finance the baskets and gifts. (Sentinel photo)

One Vote Defeats Millage Increase

Efforts were already underway today to again bring the Federal School expansion program before voters after the proposal to increase a 15 mill limitation by nine mills lost by one vote in Tuesday's election.

It was the third time millage increases have been defeated—last time by a two vote margin. Election officials said seven of the 221 votes cast on the millage increase issue were spoiled, with four of them intended 'yes', any one of which would have carried the measure.

Two other proposals were carried, including rescinding the present 4 mill levy for building and site sinking fund and authorization of a \$140,000 bond issue.

Only property owners were allowed to vote on the bond issue proposal.

Approval of both the bond issue and millage increases were necessary to authorize the school board to proceed with plans for addition of two classrooms and a gymnasium to the school.

Board Secretary Carroll W. Norlin pointed out, "These additions are absolutely necessary and we'll just have to consider it again at another election."

Official results included: Rescinding present 4 mill levy for building and site sinking fund: (passed) yes, 112; no, 101; spoiled, 8; needed to pass, 111; votes cast, 221.

Increase 15 mill limitation by 9 mills: (defeated) yes, 110; no, 104; spoiled, 7; needed to pass, 111; votes cast, 221.

To raise \$140,000 and issue bonds therefore: (passed) yes, 106; no, 96; spoiled, 6; needed to pass, 104; votes cast, 208.

Election officials said spoiled ballots included persons who filled in the entire square, made a check, or failed to make cross within square. Only a cross made within the square is valid.

Tanker Springs Leak; 1,000 Gallons Lost

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — At 9:07 p.m. Tuesday, a large gasoline tanker carrying 4,000 gallons of gas sprang a leak near a used car lot on North Seventh St. and lost about 1,000 gallons of gasoline.

The Grand Haven fire department stood by and after the truck was hauled away and arranged for a load of gravel to be dumped over the spilled gasoline.

The truck, owned by Wagner Transport Co. of Muskegon, was driven by Lawrence J. Mayer of Sault Ste. Marie.

Allegan Supervisors Will Appoint Medical Examiner

ALLEGAN (Special) — Allegan county's Board of Supervisors has been called to a special session Dec. 29 to appoint a medical doctor as successor to the county's two elected coroners.

At the Nov. 3 election, county voters approved a proposition replacing coroners with a qualified medical examiner.

The officer named to the post must be, by law, a licensed physician.

Provide Gifts

ZEELAND (Special) — Christmas presents for every boy at Youth Haven near Muskegon are being provided by members of the Zeeland Rotary Club, according to chairman Tony Winterhalter. Gifts were collected at the regular meeting Tuesday.

Man Pleads Innocent To Tippy Driving Count

Elmer De Maat, 33, of 565 South Shore Dr., pleaded not guilty in Municipal Court Tuesday morning when he was arraigned on a drunk driving charge and provided \$100 bond for trial later this week. The alleged offense occurred at 12:35 a.m. Tuesday when De Maat was arrested by city police at Columbia Ave. and 15th St.

Others paying fines in Municipal Court were Robert L. Hungerink, 18, of 20 East 17th St., speeding, \$10; Jerome C. Lubbers, route 2, Hamilton, illegal use of spotlight, \$10; Gary Dale Visscher, 19, route 1, speeding, \$3; Leon Streur, route 1, assured clear distance, \$12; William Lewis, 63, Holland, drunk and disorderly, \$54.70; Lino Lopez Garza, 19, Grand Haven, no operator's license, \$10, and red light, \$5; Aljen E. Cooper, 34, Maryland, Pa., speeding, \$8.

Parking costs of \$1 each were paid by A. Stegenga, route 4; Peter Huizinga, of 349 West 32nd St.; John Hudzik, of 97 South Division; Arnold Redman of Kewadin.

Two Licenses Restored On Restricted Basis

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Operator's licenses were restored on a restricted basis in two cases by Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith Wednesday. Driving privileges in both cases are restricted solely to calling upon the trade of their businesses and for no other purposes.

Receiving such a restricted license was Albert H.J. De Jong of Grand Rapids, salesman for Hekman Biscuit Co., who claims he drives 350 to 400 miles a week covering a territory in Kent, Ottawa and Allegan counties. He was arrested by Grand Haven city police Oct. 29 on a drunk driving charge and paid fine and costs of \$105.10.

The other restricted license was restored to Glen V. Nygren, 31, Grand Haven, vice president and sales manager for Ottawa Steel Products, Inc., of Grand Haven, and his duties cover the territory of Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and Ohio. He was arrested on a drunk driving charge by Grand Haven city police Sept. 10 and paid fine and costs of \$105.10.

Harrington School Gives Yale Program

The annual Christmas program of Harrington School took place last Monday evening in the school auditorium.

The following program was given: Kindergarten Rhythm band and singing games accompanied and directed by Miss Florence Ten Have, instructor; selections "Up on the House Top," "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful" and "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," by the band with Sharon Knoll directing; singing games, "Here We Go Round the Christmas Tree" with Sharon Knoll, Terry Wise, Becky Jesiek, Nancy Speet, Kathy Van Bruggen as soloists; "Jack in the Box," "How Do You Do, My Partner?" and "Oats, Peas, Beans and Barley Grow."

The program by the school orchestra and seventh and eighth grade chorus directed by Miss Betty Lindberg included a medley of Christmas songs featuring Mary Ann Cook as violin soloist who played "Silent Night," chorus numbers "Deck the Halls," "Rise Up Shepherd and Follow" with Emily Ann Sincok as soprano soloist; "What Child Is This," "Angels We Have Heard on High" and "Jingle Bells."

Surviving are a son, Bert, Rocky River, Ohio, and two grandsons.

Plans Complete For 'Snow Ball'

Holland Horizon Club members will stage their annual holiday formal party, the "Snow Ball," Thursday night at the Armory.

Dancing to the music of King Bosworth's Band, will begin at 9 p.m. The party will end at midnight.

All Horizon Girls who have not picked up their programs at the Camp Fire office are asked to do so before Thursday night, as the programs will serve as tickets for the ball.

Senior Horizon Groups, led by Mrs. Lester Klaasen, Mrs. John Van Putten and Mrs. James Walsh, are in charge of decorating the Armory for the event. Mrs. Lester Douma's group is in charge of punch and Mrs. Ed Brondyke's group, cookies and table decorations. Programs are in charge of Mrs. Bryan Athey, Mrs. Chet Onk and Mrs. William J. Spahr's groups.

Parade Routes Are Discussed

Further consideration will be given to parade routes for the 1955 Tulip Time festival as the result of a meeting of the board of directors of Holland Tulip Festival, Inc., Tuesday afternoon in Civic Center.

A communication was received signed by retail merchants and other citizens in the city objecting to proposed plans to reroute the parade to Kollen Park. The board appointed a committee to meet with merchants at the next meeting to discuss parades and parade routes. Possibilities of erecting bleachers on the parade route also were discussed.

A communication from Lida Rogers, retired biology teacher who is regarded as the founder of Tulip Time, was read by J. J. Riemersma, board president, offering suggestions on Tulip Time festivals. Among her suggestions were several regarding city beautification.

The board also is considering pageantry similar to the "Tulip Tales" which was presented in pre-war years as a Tulip Time feature.

Holland High Band Director Arthur C. Hills reported that he had investigated possibilities of having the University of Michigan band and Men's Glee Club come to Holland for a Tulip Time program, but because of previous bookings "it was impossible to secure these groups for the Wednesday or Thursday nights of Tulip Time. The committee decided to get in touch with Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson to see whether some military band could come to Holland for Tulip Time.

President Riemersma presided at the meeting. Attending were Earl F. Price, William H. Vande Water, Raymond Holwerda, John Hollenbach, Robert Kouw, W. A. Butler and Arthur C. Hills.

Overhead Lights Sought for US-31

The Chamber of Commerce is working on plans with other agencies to make the US-31 by-pass around Holland as safe as possible, following a report of the Transportation committee headed by Charles Cooper at a meeting of the board of directors Monday.

Cooper outlined several suggestions covering overhead lights, better placed stop signs, etc.

Walter Vander Haar, clerk of Holland township already has written State Highway Commissioner Charles Ziegler requesting adequate overhead lights at the M-21 junction, Eighth St., Adams St., Mason St. and Ottagan St. Fillmore township is requesting adequate overhead lighting at intersections over the county line, Vander Haar said.

In other business, the Chamber board Monday night complimented the safety committee on S-D Day promotion and the good record Holland had that day with no accidents reported.

The Rural Relations committee, Bernard Arendshorst chairman, reported that questionnaires have been distributed in schools to obtain a tabulation on how many housewives in Holland area would favor a farmers produce market.

President Henry Ter Haar presided and Mayor Harry Harrington introduced H. H. Holt, new city manager. The meeting was held in the Warm Friend Tavern.

Ferrysburg Woman Dies of Heart Attack

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Ethel Burke, 77, died unexpectedly of a heart attack just before noon Thursday at her home, 502 Pine, Ferrysburg. She was the widow of Robert S. Burke, a former purser on the boats navigating the Great Lakes. He died Sept. 11, 1947.

She was born Ethel Flanders March 16, 1877, in the same house where she died. She was a communicant member of St. John's Episcopal Church and a former member of St. Margaret's Guild. She was a past master of the OES of Spring Lake.

Surviving are a son, Bert, Rocky River, Ohio, and two grandsons.

MSC Scholarship Awarded to Son Of Dairy Farmer

Youth Will Receive Congratulations at Round-Up Tuesday

Henry Karel, Jr., son of a Maple Island Dairy farmer, is winner of the 1954 Sanitary Dairy Scholarship of \$300 to Michigan State College which will be presented at the West Michigan Farm-to-Prosper Contest Round-Up Tuesday afternoon.

The scholarship is good for any agricultural or veterinary course at Michigan State College. It is presented for outstanding work in 4-H with emphasis on dairying.

Selection was made on basis of reports of candidates' work sent to the state 4-H offices at Michigan State College.

Henry will be graduated from Muskegon Senior High School next June. He is 17 years old. The Karel family is active in Cedar Creek Farm Bureau and Maple Island PTA. Henry plans on entering Michigan State College next fall. His objective is to own a commercial floriculture business and floral designing.

In high school he has belonged to the Junior Conservation Club. He has been secretary and treasurer of his 4-H club and a member of the Muskegon County 4-H Service Club of which he now is vice-president.

During eight years in 4-H Henry has completed 49 projects, for which he has received many outstanding awards including several county medals, the Michigan Farmer Award, a state award on dairy demonstration, and in 1954 a gold watch award given by Mrs. Charles Walgreen of Chicago for home grounds beautification.

"Most interesting to me has been my work with flowers and landscaping," Henry said. "I have increased my plants and shrubs through different methods of propagation. I have planted new varieties of flowers and plants around our home to improve the appearance."

"Through the retail sales course I have worked the past year as a general greenhouse assistant in the greenhouse of the Muskegon Floral Company."

Henry has been in dairy 4-H projects seven years. He started with a grade Guernsey calf from his father's herd and cared for her until she came into production.

"She was not a good animal for the 4-H show, which I learned through the experience of carrying out the dairy project," Henry said.

"In 1951 I bought a registered Jersey calf which looked to me like a good show animal. The first year I showed her I received a breed champion ribbon at the Muskegon County 4-H Junior Exposition. I have received the purple champion rosette of the Jersey breed each year since 1951."

"This summer this animal was champion in the Jersey breed and also grand champion of all breeds at the Muskegon County 4-H Club Show. She also was champion in the Jersey breed and reserve champion at the Ravenna 4-H Fair and Homecoming."

First 4-H project Henry started was the handicraft project. Next was flower gardening, which he has carried on four years, competing at the state 4-H Show twice and receiving second placings.

He went on to landscaping, carrying this on for two years. He has received "A" awards both times, and also has won the state contest.

His next interest was the dairy project. He has taken part in the county dairy judging five years and once attended the state judging eliminations. He has carried on electrical projects three years, and tractor maintenance one year.

He has received county medals in field crops, junior leadership, achievement, soil conservation, landscaping, and dairy demonstration.

Other projects he has carried on include photography, wildflowers, foods, knitting, bird conservation and personal grooming.

Christmas Potluck Held by Auxiliary

A Christmas potluck dinner was held by the Willard G. Leenhouts unit, American Legion Auxiliary, Monday evening in the club rooms. Tables were decorated with miniature snowmen and greens.

Mrs. Marvin Ver Hoef was in charge of decorations with Mrs. Tony Dogger and committee in charge of food. A business meeting followed with Mrs. Henry Brower presiding. A baked goods sale was planned for the near future.

The organization decided to again sponsor an American Essay contest. Mrs. James Cook, membership chairman, reported the unit has reached its membership goal. The next meeting will be held in January.

The social time was in charge of Mrs. Alden Stoner and Mrs. Clarence Hopkins. Games were played with prizes awarded to Mrs. Martin Janninga, Mrs. William Hoek and Mrs. L. Gogerty. Gifts were exchanged and carols were sung.



MISS PEGGY ANN KOE

Zeeland Senior Gets DAR Award

Zeeland High School seniors have named Miss Margaret Ann (Peggy) Koe as their DAR Pilgrim this year.

Miss Koe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Koe, 558 East Central Ave., Zeeland, was chosen for the Daughters of the American Revolution award on the basis of her scholarship, service, citizenship and character.

Miss Koe's activities include membership in the Future Nurses Club, Senior Commercial Club, Home Economics and Y-Teen Clubs and National Honor Society. She attended Y-Teen Camp, was in the Junior Class play and is co-editor of the Stepping Stone, high school annual. She has been active in Girl Scout work and church work.

She plans to attend college after graduation, but has not chosen the school.

Harrington Scouts Hold Dinner Party

About 35 Scouts and leaders of troop 30, Harrington School, enjoyed a chicken dinner Monday evening at the Dodge Inn restaurant on Chicago Dr.

After dinner, the Scouts exchanged Christmas gifts and a feature-length movie was shown. Highlight of the evening was presentation of a Scout statue to Art Tazelaar, Scout committee member of troop 30 from the Scouts and leaders in appreciation of his services during the last year.

Plans for an atomic and tornado disaster service were made public. During 1955, the Scouts will work on this good turn project from information and guidance from the Civil Defense department in Lansing and Holland Chief of Police Jack Van Hoff. It is believed this is the first time this type of project has been conducted by a scout troop. A report on the project will be forwarded to the President of the United States through the office of the Grand Valley Council in Grand Rapids. The project will be limited to residents of Virginia Park, Jenison Park and Macatawa Park.

Faithful Followers Hold Annual Party

The annual Christmas party of the Faithful Followers Class of Fourth Reformed Church was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mass. A polka supper was served with Mrs. D. Vander Meer as hostess, assisted by Mrs. H. Mass and Mr. G. Elgersma.

Mrs. John Kobes conducted devotions and presented the teachers, William Mokma and D. Vander Meer gifts. Christmas carols were sung by the group. Miss J. Nienhuis and Mrs. G. Elgersma sang two duets accompanied by Mrs. Vander Meer. Two Yankee Dutch readings were given by F. Meyer.

During the social hour, the group played games in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Mass and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buurma.

Wire Products Co. Has Christmas Party

The annual Christmas banquet of the Wire Products Co. was held last Friday night at Zeeland City Hall with 82 employees and wives attending.

A chicken dinner was served with all the trimmings, followed by entertainment. Games were played and prizes awarded.

Employees presented gifts to Henry Geerds, Howard Phillips, Earl Ragains, Herbert J. Thomas and Mrs. Tammenga. Christmas bonus checks were given to the employees.

Zion Lutheran Church Will Present Program

Zion Lutheran Church Sunday School will present its annual Christmas program Friday Dec. 24, at 7 p.m. Director of the program is Miss Violet Hanson.

The nativity scene will be presented in costumed pantomime accompanied by reading and music. Theme of the program is "Work the King" and will be brought out by violin, trombone and vocal solos.

The public is cordially invited to the Christmas program. Christmas Day services will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Driver Bound To Circuit Court In Fatal Crash

Change Announced in Rites for Mary Jonker; Memorial Fund Planned

Emiliano Castro, 24, of 16 South River Ave., Monday was bound over to Circuit Court on charges of negligent homicide arising out of an accident Sunday resulting in the death of 12-year-old Mary Jonker of 551 Grove Dr.

Castro waived examination on the charge and Municipal Judge Cornelius Vander Meulen set bond at \$1,000. Police said Castro was driving with a revoked license. Bond was not furnished and he was taken to the county jail.

Holland Hospital authorities said Fred Smith, 30, of 557 Grove Ave., driver of the car struck broadside by the Castro auto at the intersection of Van Raalte Ave. and 16th St., was released Tuesday. His wife, Jeanette, remains in "good" condition with possible internal injuries.

Officials of Lakeview School, where Mary was in the seventh grade, announced plans for a memorial fund. No definite projects had been agreed upon, but principal Don Van Ark said, "We are planning both for flowers and a memorial."

Camp Fire officials also were planning to attend the funeral. Mary was an active member of the Lakeview group while her mother was the group director.

Townships Here Optimistic About Hospital Drive

Leaders of the drive to collect \$175,000 in Park, Fillmore and Holland townships to help finance the \$1,100,000 Holland Hospital expansion were optimistic today that the full sum will be accounted for by Jan. 15.

The total to date stands at \$114,000, according to C. L. Jalving, general chairman. This includes \$3,700 from Hamilton.

"Hamilton surprised and gratified us all," Jalving said. "Without any overtures whatsoever from us, public spirited citizens in the community organized their own campaign to help this project along."

Hamilton's canvass was carried on by the Men's Brotherhood of Hamilton Reformed Church headed by Dr. H. W. Tepas. Workers were John Brink, Jr., Justin Schievink, John Bartels, Glenn Folkert, Bud Ten Brink, Herman Nyhof.

Final house-to-house canvassing and other solicitation in Park and Holland townships is expected to produce \$7,000 to \$10,000 more, Jalving said. In addition, industries located in the three townships may bolster the fund with another \$20,000.

"That will send the total to approximately \$145,000," said Jalving. "Assurances have been given that the sum needed to push the drive over the top will be forthcoming from untapped sources."

At a meeting Friday night, leaders decided to suspend full-scale drive operations until the holidays. Several canvassing team captains and workers also commented upon generosity of many individuals who have contributed liberally and without hesitation despite limited resources.

Birthday Party Given For Mary Ruth Dobben

Mary Ruth Dobben was feted on her 10th birthday Tuesday afternoon at a party given by her mother, Mrs. Marvin Dobben, 492 College Ave.

Games were played and prizes awarded to the guests. The guest of honor was presented with gifts and favors were given to all guests.

Attending the party were Patty Bouwman, Lucille Brink, Carol Brondyke, Nancy De Ridder, Susan Eenigenburg, Judy Essenberg, Mary Jo Hains, Beverly Hoffman, Carol Hulst, Barbara McBride, Beverly Ricketts, Carolyn Ruhlig, Diane Tabor, Janis Van Alsburg, Susan Wildschut and the guest of honor.

Mrs. Veenstra Arrives Here From Netherlands

Mrs. Cora Veenstra arrived in Holland Tuesday from the Netherlands.

Mrs. Veenstra, born 78 years ago in a small town in Missouri, left this country 58 years ago for the Netherlands. She is now back here for good and is staying with a daughter, Mrs. Eugene Huyser of Holland.

She is also the mother of Mrs. August Manche, Mrs. Dick Smallenburg and Mrs. Gerald Ten Coorde. She has a son in California, who is a World War II veteran and holds the Silver Star, and a son in Denver. Both are married and the former has five children and the latter four children.

Two Cars Collide At West 16th St., Van Raalte Ave.

Two Other Persons In Car Injured; Other Driver Held

A Holland youngster was killed and two other local persons seriously injured in a two-car collision Sunday evening at West 16th St. and Van Raalte Ave.

Mary Jonker, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jonker of 551 Grove Dr., died in Blodgett Hospital, Grand Rapids, shortly after 9 a.m. Monday of a skull fracture. She had undergone surgery early Monday.

The death was the first traffic fatality in Holland city this year. Fred Smith, 30, of 557 Grove Ave., received possible head and chest injuries and abrasions to



MARY JONKER, the forehead. His wife, Jeanette, 31, received possible internal injuries. Her condition was "good" Monday at Holland Hospital. He is in good condition.

All three were in the car driven by Fred Smith which was struck broadside by a car operated by Emiliano Castro, 24, of 16 South River Ave. The impact knocked the Smith car into a telephone pole on the northeast corner of the intersection.

The Smiths and the victims were going from their home to the City Mission for evening services. The Smiths had invited the Jonker family to go with them to the special services in which the couple was to take part.

Smith was northbound on Van Raalte Ave. and Castro was driving east on 16th St.

The injured were thrown from the car. Mary struck a fire hydrant on the corner as she flew through the air. Castro was treated at Holland Hospital for minor cuts and discharged.

Holland police arrested Castro and charged him with reckless driving and driving with a revoked license. Officers said the charges may be changed because of Mary's death. Castro is in the Holland jail awaiting arraignment. The two cars were extensively damaged, officers said.

Mary was in the seventh grade at Lakeview School and a member of the Camp Fire Girls.

Musical Program Given At PEO Guest Meeting

Members of BW chapter, PEO, entertained their husbands at a buffet supper and musical program Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Towse, 50 East 27th St. Guests were served in the recreation room which was attractively decorated in keeping with the Christmas season. Assisting the hostess were the Mesdames L.A. Wade, L.J. Lubbers, Lester Kuyper, Leonard Swartz and E.D. Wade.

Mrs. A.E. Hildebrand, chapter president, welcomed the guests and Mrs. A.G. Buys introduced the program which consisted of vocal solos and duets by Mrs. Marion de Velder and Mrs. John Hagans assisted by Mrs. W.C. Snow at the piano.

Two duets, "Good King Wenceslas" and "The Coventry Carol," opened the program. In her group of solos Mrs. Hagans sang "There's a Song in the Air," "Speaks," "Carol of the Singing Reeds," Johnson; "The Virgin's Slumber Song," Reger, and "Christmas Eve," a Joyce Kilmer poem set to music by Hageman.

A second group of duets included "The Twelve Days of Christmas," "The Cradle Hymn" from "The Holy Child" by Parker and "A Christmas Alleluia," Gaines. Mrs. de Velder concluded the program, singing "The Precious Gift," Kempinski; "An Old French Carol," Liddle; "Gentle Mary," a Catalan folk song arranged by McFeeters, and "The Christmas Candle," Warren.

Mrs. Snow accompanied the singing of familiar carols by the entire group.

A business meeting was held by the chapter Dec. 13 in the home of Mrs. Hildebrand on West 28th St. Mrs. George Stephens was the assistant hostess. Mrs. Hildebrand reviewed the book, "The Doll Maker," by Harriette Arnow. Next meeting will be Jan. 10 in the home of Mrs. Buys.

Beaverdam

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)
Arthur Hoffman and son, Lloyd from Hamilton provided special music with guitar and vocal selections at the Sunday evening service.

The Reformed church will give a Sunday school program on Friday night at 7:30. The committee in charge of the program are Mrs. Herm Berens, Mrs. Sherwin Hungerink and Mrs. Alfred Bowman and Mrs. Wesley Hungerink. Christmas day service will be held at 9:30 a.m.

The Mission Guild met Tuesday evening. At the business meeting Mrs. Alfred Bowman was elected vice-president and Mrs. Kenneth Knap as secretary. The President and treasurer stay in office one more year.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman and daughter Laurie Ann were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dykstra and family in Zeeland Sunday.

The Ladies Aid members served dinner to the Holstein Friesian Association last Tuesday in the Allendale Town Hall.

The Rev. Jay Weener went to Chicago last Thursday in company with other ministers to attend the funeral of the three-month-old son of the Rev. and Mrs. John Vander May of Hudsonville.

The Christian School Christmas program will be given Wednesday evening. The Christmas Day service at the Christian Reformed Church will begin at 9:30 Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jay Weener and boys were visitors with the Rev. and Mrs. T. Byland in Vriesland after the evening service Sunday.

Miss Sandra Bosch Wed To Richard C. Bridgeman

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald J. Bosch announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Sandra Julie Bosch, to Richard Charles Bridgeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Bridgeman of Hinsdale, Ill.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James C. McLeod, of Northwestern University, at Howe Memorial Chapel, Northwestern University, Dec. 17 at 8:30 p.m.

Lawrence P. McGrath of Elmhurst, Ill., was best man. Mrs. Donald H. Wagner, of Frederick, Md., formerly Miss Gertrude Bosch, sister of the bride, was matron of honor.

Mrs. Bridgeman was graduated from Holland High School and is now a junior at the National College of Education in Evanston. Mr. Bridgeman was graduated from Hinsdale Township High School and will receive a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering next June from the Technological Institute of Northwestern University in Evanston. Mr. and Mrs. Bridgeman will continue as students.

They will reside at Glenview, Ill.

Mary Lou Bale Wed To William Sisson

FENNVILLE (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bale announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Lou, to William Richard Sisson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sisson of Ganges. The double ring ceremony was performed at 8 p.m. Dec. 11 at the South Haven home of the Rev. Eugene Burgess, pastor of Ganges Baptist Church.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Harris.

The bride wore a brown suit with matching accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Harris wore a gray suit with navy accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Both the bride and groom were graduated from Fennville High School in 1951. The bride is employed by Consumers Power Company here and the groom recently was discharged from the Air Force after serving two years in Alaska.

After a wedding trip to the eastern part of the state, the newlyweds are living in their new trailer home on the farm of his parents. The groom will be engaged in farming.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Monday were Carla Jean Dannenberg, route 4; Mrs. Henry Vandenberg, 864 South Shore Dr.; John Albers, route 1, Hamilton; Mrs. Alvin Hossler, 859 West 25th St.; William Mark Valkema, 371 West 25th St.; Ronald and Tom Buursma, 275 West 16th St.; Fred Klundt, 437 Cleveland Ave.; Ray Welcott, route 3; Steven Kruthoff, 94 Scotts Dr.

Discharged Monday were Mrs. Gordon Kleinkintveld and baby, 367 Felch St.; Mrs. Henrietta Schreiboer, 255 East Ninth St.; Mrs. John Speet, 629 Steketee; Douglas Brower, route 2; Camelyn De Vries, route 2; Mrs. Earl Vander Wal and baby, 82 West 35th St.; Mrs. Peter Markey, 293 Lincoln Ave.; H. Arthur Welch, 64 West Ninth St.; Mrs. Francis Kanera, 746 Myrtle Ave.; Charles Wilson, 25 East Seventh St.; Tom and Ronald Buursma, 275 West 16th St.; Fred Klundt, 437 Cleveland Ave.; Fred Smith, Jr., 557 Grove Dr.

Hospital births include a daughter, Laurie Jo, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Engelsman, 181 West 40th St.; a son, David Elliott, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blain, 688 South Shore Dr.; a daughter, Sandra Jo, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nies, 240 West 11th.

Mrs. Bessie V. Bos, 63, Succumbs Unexpectedly

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Bessie V. Bos, 63, widow of William M. Bos of Byron Center, died unexpectedly Friday afternoon at her home following a heart attack while walking on the sidewalk.

Surviving are a son, James Owen Bos, of Grandville; one daughter, Carolyn, at home; her father, Dr. Richardson of Olympia, Wash.

She was a member of the Byron Center Methodist Church and was serving as president of the Women's Society for Christian Service. She was a part-time employee at the Rybrandt Hardware Store in Byron Center. Her husband, who died a year ago, formerly was partner in the Bos Brothers Apple Orchard of Byron Center.

Every sixth hotel guest in Berlin is registered from some country other than Germany with the United States leading all other countries.

Archery Scores

Gene Hiddinga returned to first place in the Holland Archery league Wednesday night after a lapse of several weeks. Last week's top archer, Bill Brown took second place. Hiddinga's score was 770 while Brown carded a 762.

Other scorers include Glenn Brower, 754; Chuck Rozema, 744; Juke Ten Cate, 740; Warren St. John, 718; Norma Naber, 712; Paul Barkel, 712 and Webb Dalman, 704.

Rich Carlson, 670; Jerry Kline, 666; Red Hiddinga, 660; Ed Jousma, 652; Mary Wabeke, 648; Nick Haviga, 644; Warren Drooger, 636; Joyce Barkel, 617; Mel Jousma, 598 and Joy Drooger, 577.

Glad Jousma, 534; Bob Grebel, 525; Dick Taylor, 511; Andy Naber, 446; Ned Grebel, 240 and Lois Carlson, 180.

Alexander Hamilton was killed in a duel with Aaron Burr, in 1804.

Bus Catches Fire With 13 Aboard

Thirteen kindergarten children aboard the Pine Creek School bus got out without a scratch shortly before noon Monday when a fire broke out in the engine of the bus.

An alert motorist and the bus driver combined to put out the fire before it could gain much headway.

The motorist, Atlas Bailey, 24, an insurance man from Grand Rapids, said he noticed flames shooting out of the engine as he headed south, 2 1/2 miles north of Holland on Butternut Dr.

The bus driver, Edward Riemersma, route 4, said he saw Bailey pointing down at his engine almost at the same time he smelled smoke and noticed the flames.

Riemersma grabbed a fire extinguisher and began putting out the fire as Bailey and a passenger, Raymond Jackson, Spring Lake, started leading the children from the bus.

Riemersma said the fire was out in a few seconds. He believed the blaze started when a broken fuel line sprayed gasoline over the hot motor.

Fennville

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Funeral services were held in Grand Rapids Friday afternoon for Jack Nussdorfer, 27, son of Dr. Elmer Nussdorfer of Grand Rapids. Jack was born in Fennville but moved to Grand Rapids when a small boy. In addition to his father he is survived by a brother, Charles in the Navy, and a sister, Mrs. John Willingham of Kansas City.

Mrs. Blanche (Mann) Roe, 75, of Garfield, Wash., died in Grand Rapids Saturday morning, the result of a broken hip suffered one month ago. She and her husband, Gordon, were visiting friends en route to Florida. Mrs. Roe has taught school most of her adult life and retired in 1945 after being principal of three schools in Grand Rapids. She was born and reared in Fennville. Burial was made in Allegan Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Sanford and Mrs. Allan Clime entertained recently at a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Mary Lou Bale before her marriage. There were 36 guests present. Following the opening of the gifts refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Robert Jackson is in the Allegan Health Center recovering from injuries suffered early Saturday morning when his car struck a tree two miles west of here on M-89. His car was completely demolished and he was thrown several feet from the wreckage. He received a scalp wound, broken wrist in two places and back injuries.

Mrs. George Middleton and Mrs. Steve Klekovich are recovering from broken wrists suffered in falls. Mrs. Middleton is at home and Mrs. Klekovich on icy conditions in her own yard.

Mrs. Irvin Hutchins drove to Indiana last Friday to meet her son, Seaman, Laverne Bouwman, who is on leave from Little Creek, Va. He will report to base Dec. 29.

The Lions Club held its Christmas party Monday night at the Hospitality House. Reservations were made for 30 members and their wives. Following the dinner a program was given under the direction of Keith Landsburg. An exchange of gifts was made.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woody and three children attended a birthday party Sunday evening at the home of her brother, William Bocks and wife of Plainwell. Honored guests were the host William Bocks, his father, George Bocks of Holland, Mrs. Woody and her son Timothy.

Clarence Birkholz received word that his father, Willis Birkholz of Muskegon, formerly of Fennville, had undergone a major operation on his lung Thursday at Blodgett hospital in Grand Rapids.

Seymour Wuis was pleasantly reminded of his birthday Sunday afternoon when 34 relatives came to spend the afternoon and evening with him and Mrs. Wuis.

Mrs. Julia Barth will go to Chicago this week to spend a week with relatives over Christmas.

Mrs. Donald Atkins and Mrs. Glenn Atkins entertained 25 guests in the former's home Friday. The occasion was a surprise pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. James Hartsuiker. She received many gifts.

Joyce Elaine Wierda was honored on birthday afternoon by Mrs. William Wierda in honor of her daughter, Joyce Elaine, who celebrated her seventh birthday. The affair was held at the Wierda home, 9 West 19th St. Decorations were in yellow and green.

Games were played with prizes being awarded to Susan VanDree, Paula Frissel, Sharon Wierda and Nancy De Ridder. Gifts were presented to the guest of honor.

Favors were presented to all the guests. Lunch was served.

Present were Paula Frissel, Mary Lievens, Linda Stegenga, Judy Loyer, Suzanne De Ridder, Nancy De Ridder, Susan VanDree, Nancy Wierda, Mary Lou Wierda, Jean Hickman, Pamie Woodall, Sharon Wierda, Kathy Wierda, Mrs. Wierda and the guest of honor.

The American Gold-eye duck is an expert diver and able to remain under water in some cases for nearly a minute.

Zeeland

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Reformed Church of Zeeland held its Christmas party at the church Thursday afternoon, Dec. 16. Christmas carols were sung. The Scripture story was read by Mrs. B. Gebben. Two musical selections were presented by the Aid quartet composed of Mrs. A. Pyle, Mrs. A. Mulder, Mrs. A. Van Duine and Mrs. W. Schipper. Mrs. A. Wiersma was piano accompanist. Christmas selections were read by Anne G. Huizenga on "What is Christmas?" Mrs. P. Nadderom, on "Gift of the Magi" and Mrs. J. Westbroek read "New Year's Gift." Christmas decorations graced the table at which the president, Mrs. P. Madderon and vice-president, Mrs. A. Pule poured. Hostesses were Mrs. S. Elhart, Mrs. A. Van Duine and Mrs. R. Brower, Mrs. A. Mulder, Mrs. P. Vanden Bosch and Mrs. E. Pikaart.

Dr. D. Ivan Dykstra of Hope College conducted services of Faith Reformed Church last Sunday. The girl's choir provided music at the morning service and Mrs. Harold Slag and daughter, Harriet of North Holland furnished music at the evening service. An interesting Christmas program was presented at Sunday School by the primary and beginner departments.

Mrs. E. M. Den Herder who is serving as house mother at a sorority at Michigan State College, East Lansing, is spending the holiday vacation in Zeeland with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Den Herder and in Muskegon and Grand Rapids.

Next Sunday, Dec. 26 the sacrament of Holy Communion will be observed at the Second Reformed Church. The services will be in charge of the Rev. William J. Hilmer of Hope College, former pastor of the church. The Communion service will be observed at the regular morning service and a vesper service at 3 p.m. for those who were unable to attend the morning service.

Next week Sunday the White Gilt Christmas offering will be received at the Second Reformed Church Sunday School.

Lt. and Mrs. Philip Meengs of Charlottesville, Va., are spending the holiday vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Meengs, Lincoln Ave. Miss Mary Leenhouts of Grand Rapids was also a week-end visitor at the Meengs home.

Dr. John Dykstra, who recently retired as pastor of the Central Reformed Church in Grand Rapids, was guest, preacher at the Second Reformed Church on Sunday morning. Special Christmas music was furnished by the Junior and Intermediate choirs directed by Mrs. Edward De Pree. They sang, "The Birthday of a King" Neidlinger and "The Angel's Glory Song" Shelly. The songs and the prelude and postlude by Miss Toni Van Koeveing were also on the Christmas theme. The church presented an attractive yule time atmosphere with its evergreen trees, poinsettia, plants, and large star above the chancel.

The evening service was also in charge of Dr. Dykstra and featured with the presentation of the Christmas Pageant "The Old, Old Story" by Helen Perry Curtis under direction of Mrs. Ivan Hartgerink and Mrs. George Baron.

Linda De Bruyn represented the angel, Mrs. Jay Janssen was Mary and Jay Janssen represented Joseph. Shepherds were Robert Jackson, Tom Plewes and Leslie Hall. Kings were Randall Baar, Robert Den Herder and Gerald De Vries. Candlebearers were Mary Berghorst, Carole Christensen, Karen Deur, Myrna Deur, Norma Keppel, Carol Schaap, Mary Van Koeveing and Barbara Vis.

Children of all nations were Jane Baron, Ford Berghorst, Edward Bos, Jeanne Brummel, Drew Christensen Jack De Jonge, Curtis De Vries, Thomas De Vries, Margie Sue De Pree, Douglas Haan, Edward De Witt, Patty Jackson, Dorothy Holleman, John Janssen, Emily Jansen, Patricia Poest, Linda Ten Have, Ann Van Dorp, Gwen Van Dorp, Dick Ver Plank, Sammy Whitsitt and Dianne Wyngarden. The three choirs of the church participated. Stanley De Pree is director of the senior choir; Mrs. Paul Van Dorp was soloist and Catherine Janssen and Geneva Janssen sang a duet. The Junior and Intermediate choirs are directed by Mrs. E. De Pree; Miss Antoinette Van Koeveing is organist; Donald Vanden Heuvel was in charge of lighting and make up by Betty Roelofs and Alyce De Pree; Stage and trees by Mr. and Mrs. William De Jonge, Ivan Hartgerink, Arnold Bos, Irvin Smith, John Snalleger and Harold Berghorst; helpers were Helen Ossewaarde, Mrs. Vernon Poest, Mrs. Dwight Wyngarden, Marlene Hartgerink and Mrs. Harold Holleman.

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Parsons-Riemersma Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Parsons

Miss Carol Joyce Riemersma and James Edward Parsons exchanged wedding vows last Friday evening at a double ring service performed in Beechwood Reformed Church.

The Rev. John Benes, former pastor of the church, read the marriage rites at 8 p.m. following wedding music played by Merwin Van Doornik, soloist, the Rev. Elton Van Pernis, sang "The Lord's Prayer," and "The Wedding Prayer."

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Albertus Riemersma of 649 Butternut Dr., and the Rev. and Mrs. Charles F. Parsons of Coldwater.

Decorations included ferns and candelabra with two bouquets of mums and gladioli.

Carrying a white Bible with a lavender orchid the bride wore a ballerina-length gown, featuring a lace bodice with standup collar, a satin skirt with net and lace gores and an elbow length veil, held in place by a headpiece of lace.

Miss Linda Riemersma as maid of honor wore a green ballerina-length dress with matching net headpiece. She carried a bouquet of mixed flowers.

Best man was David Wilson. About 130 guests attended a reception held in the church parlors. Serving were the Misses Ethel Jager, Clarine Knoll, Gayle Bowman, Marcia Glanton, Joyce Ver Schure and Mrs. Dick Brown, all employed at the First National Bank where the bride works part time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Roelofs were master and mistress of ceremonies. Punch bowl attendants were Miss Mary Wolters and Miss Betty Schepers and in charge of the gift room were the Misses Nita Van Lente and Alma Straatsma.

For a wedding trip to Kentucky the bride changed to a gray suit with black accessories. She wore a royal blue coat and winter white hat. After the first of the year they will make their home at 76 East 15th St.

The bride, a Holland High School graduate, is a sophomore at Hope College. Mr. Parsons is a senior at Western Theological Seminary.

Borculo

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Christmas services will be held Saturday at 9:30 a.m. The offering will be for relief in Holland Marsh and Springdale, Canada.

The Christmas program will be given Wednesday evening at 7:45 p.m. Mrs. Dalman, chalk artist, will draw two pictures. There will be group singing by the children and a free will offering will be taken.

The Rev. Robert Evenhuis has received a call from Rochester Christian Reformed church of Rochester, N.Y.

Catechism classes will have two weeks vacation.

At the last congregational meeting Peter Walters and John Kraai were elected elders and Harvey Jongekirk, James Steigenga and William Gruppen were elected as deacons.

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Accident Victim In Fair Condition

The condition of Mildred Van Dyke, 26, East Saugatuck, who was critically injured in a two-car crash Friday near the Y junction just west of Zeeland, was described Monday as "fair" by authorities at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids where the victim was taken for treatment of serious skull injuries.

Miss Van Dyke was one of seven injured in the crash involving cars driven by Jermina Ensing of Zutphen and Clarence Brower, 54, Grandville. Others in the Ensing car were Wilma Vander Bie, of 334 West 16th St., Edna Hossink, of 361 West 17th St., and Miss Van Dyke. All are students at the Reformed Bible Institute in Grand Rapids and were returning to Holland for the weekend.

Riding with Brower were Tony Woodwyck, 39, Hudsonville, and Gordon Haff, 44, Grandville. Brower told sheriff's deputies he went off the right shoulder during a heavy snowstorm and his car went into a spin across the four lanes. The men were released after treatment in Zeeland Hospital.

Miss Vander Bie who received a skull fracture in addition to facial cuts is improving in Huizinga Memorial Hospital in Zeeland. Her condition was described as good today. It was not known immediately whether she could return home for Christmas. The other two girls were released after treatment.

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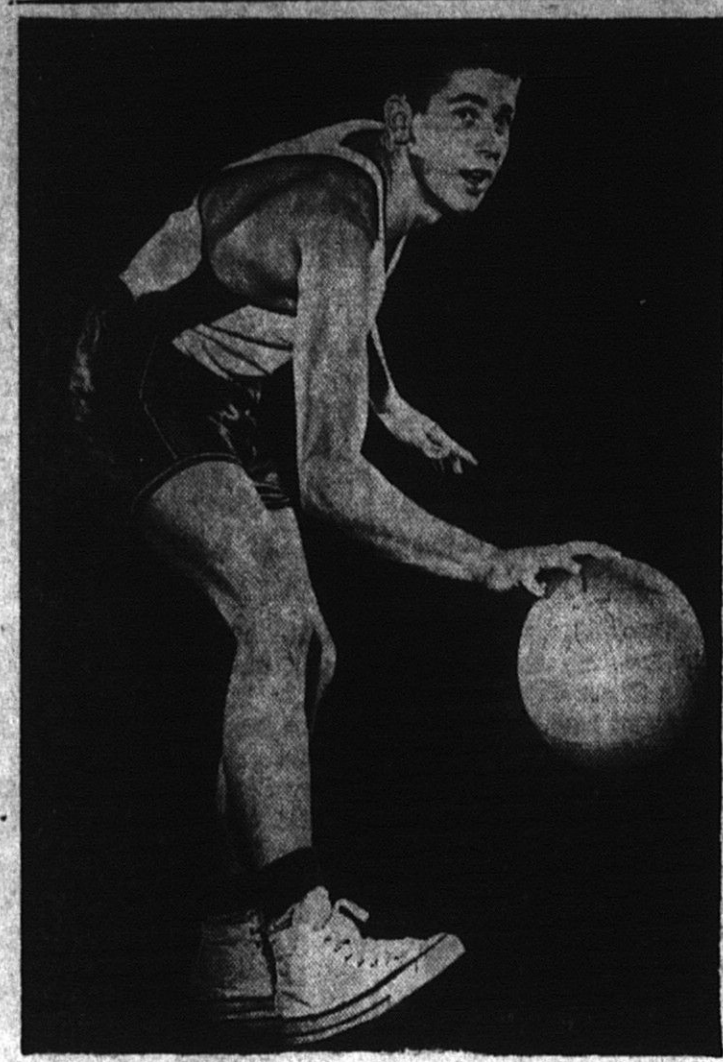
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GENE WATERFALL

Lake Forest Cage Quintet Bolstered by Transfers

(This is the first in a series on teams competing in the first annual Hope College Holiday Classic scheduled at the Civic Center Dec. 29-30.)

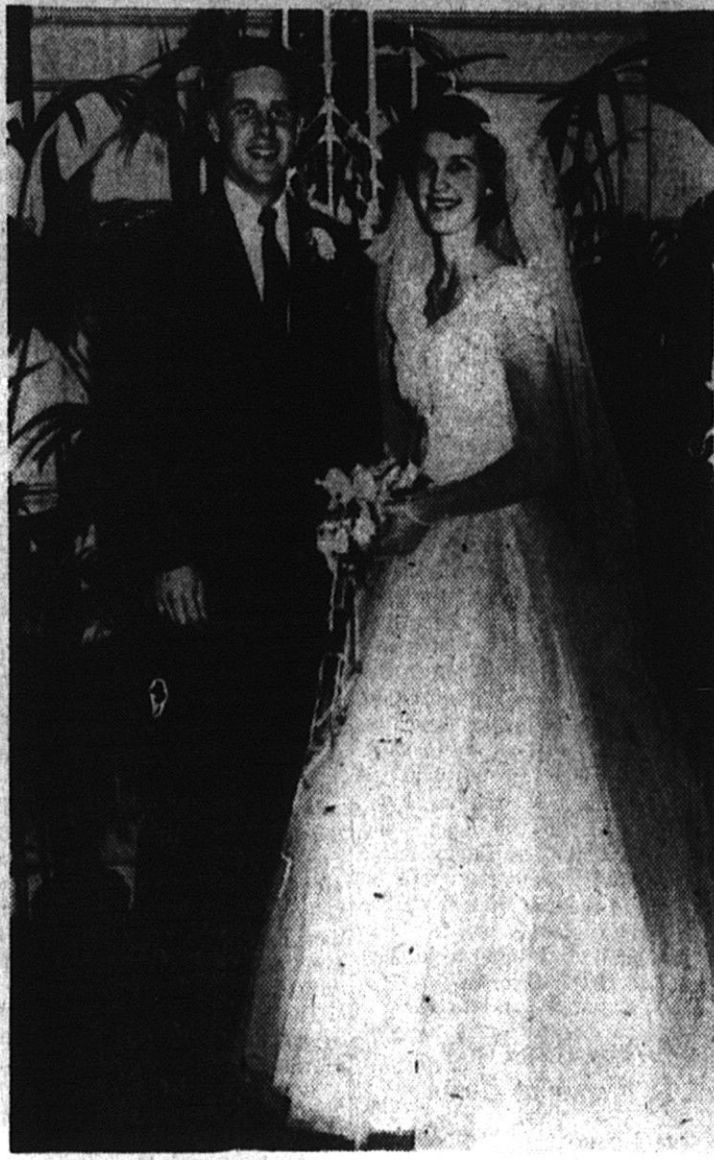
Three lettermen and two lanky transfer students make up the starting Lake Forest College lineup that has won three out of five games this season. The Foresters will play Hope College in the Holiday Classic at the Civic Center, Dec. 29.

Gene Waterfall, 5'10" junior guard, leads the Lake Forest team. He is captain, ace dribbler and playmaker. Other lettermen starters include Tony Banks, outstanding jump shot artist. A sophomore, Banks is 6' and teams with Waterfall at guard.

Ev Cocallas, 6'1" junior letterman, holds down one of the forward posts. Filling the other forward spot is Mischa Rader, 6'4" transfer student from De Paul University. Rader is known for his rebounding ability and rugged play under the basket.

The "big gun" in this

Walters-Kalkman Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walters

Marriage vows were spoken Thursday, Dec. 2 by Miss Donna Kalkman and Paul Walters. The Rev. Marvin Vanderwerp read the double ring rites in Ninth Street Christian Reformed Church.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Niel Kalkman, 632 Lakewood Blvd., and Mr. and Mrs. John Walters, 268 West 13th St. Miss Kay Chossen was organist and Clarence Oosting was soloist. Decorations included arrangements of white gladioli and mums, candelabra and palms. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of nylon tulle and lace. The bodice of lace over taffeta featured a scalloped neckline edged with sequins and seed pearls. The skirt with formal train was fashioned of layers of tulle over taffeta. A lace band with sequins and seed pearls held her fingertip veil of illusion. She carried a white Bible with roses, shasta daisies and a white orchid. She wore her mother's string of pearls.

Mrs. Chester Kalkman, who attended her sister-in-law as matron of honor, Miss Phyllis Schuitman as bridesmaid and Miss Marjorie Kalkman, sister of the bride, as junior bridesmaid, wore identical gowns of taffeta and tulle in yellow, orchid and aqua, respectively. Bolero jackets covered the strapless bodices and the skirts were tiered. All carried colonial bouquets of daisies, roses and mums and wore matching tiaras.

Attending the groom were Chester Kalkman as best man and Neil Dykstra and Gordon

Zwagerman as ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kalkman were master and mistress of ceremonies.

Mrs. Kalkman chose for the occasion a gray-blue taffeta dress, winter white accessories and carriage of red roses and white carnations. Mrs. Walters also wore a gray-blue taffeta dress, with pink accessories and a pink and white corsage.

A reception for 125 guests was held in the church parlors. A program was given with Vernon Tuls as toastmaster. Taking part were Clarence Oosting, Kay Chossen, Betty Vander Tuik, the Four Vanden Berg Brothers of Byron Center and Rev. Vanderwerp. Serving were Dora Breuker, Myra Kemme, Margaret Vanden Berg, Charlotte Kleis and Ethel Jager. Carol Gort and Vern Edwards served at the punch bowl and Lois Walters and Shirley Den Uyl in the gift room. Marcia Wiersma was in charge of the guest book.

For going away, the bride wore a charcoal gray ensemble with red accessories and orchid corsage. After an eastern honeymoon, the couple will be at home at 2381 Van Raalte Ave.

The bride, a graduate of Holland Christian High School, is employed at the Montgomery Ward office. The groom, who also attended Holland Christian, is employed by Municipal Foresters after serving two years in the Army.

Several pre-nuptial showers given for the bride and Mr. and Mrs. John Walters entertained at their home after rehearsal.

Saugatuck

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The Busy Bee Club's annual Christmas party was held Thursday evening at Tara. A 6:30 dinner was served and a gift exchange followed. Next meeting will be Jan. 6 at the home of Ina Voss, roads and weather permitting.

The Claude McKellips family moved to Grand Haven last Saturday.

Mt. and Mrs. Elbridge Hamlin and children and mother, Mrs. Hannah Dempster drove to Lansing Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ellison.

Charles Parrish has returned from Burlington, Iowa, where he visited for several weeks with his daughter and family, the Bruce Massellings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Edcomb and small son attended the Christmas party of the OES, SW District officers at Three Rivers Dec. 12. Mrs. Edcomb is first vice president of the district.

The Hemwall family spent Sunday in Kalamazoo where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berleth. Lemart Hemwall called on Lloyd Waugh at Borgess Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Powell visited their daughter and family, the J. Clarks, in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Miss Rita Brady who is employed in Evanston spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Irene Brady. Jackie Goodin celebrated his seventh birthday Saturday evening with a party for 13 guests. A turkey dinner was served. Jackie received many gifts and cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Moore of Leeland Lodge were in town Monday to close their home for the winter months. They are opening a self-serv. laundry in Gary, Ind., soon.

Saugatuck firemen collected more than \$200 Friday evening in their canvas for funds for Muscular Dystrophy.

The Past Presidents Club of the American Legion Auxiliary will hold a Christmas party and gift exchange Dec. 20 at the home of Mrs. Robert Breckenridge.

Mrs. Anna Cayley has returned from Kalamazoo where she spent several days with her niece.

Dr. and Mrs. Justin Dumire and daughters, Justine and Joy, came Saturday night for an early Christmas celebration with Mrs. Dumire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newnham. They returned to Milan Sunday afternoon.

The Van Os family spent Wednesday in Grand Rapids where the children visited Santa Claus.

Clifford Dengler has returned from Montgomery, Ala., and will

Library Adventures

By Arnold Mulder

Nanny Doss, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who has confessed poisoning four of her husbands, has turned author. In an attempt to escape the electric chair.

"Because that sort of thing is becoming epidemic, it would seem to deserve some attention not from the angle of criminology but from the point of view of those who look upon authorship as an honorable profession. When the American public becomes so sentimental that it is ready to excuse any crime because the criminal is smart enough to break into print, authorship will be in a bad way."

The Oklahoma woman, according to U.P. dispatches from Tulsa, "hopes to get enough out of her articles from a national magazine to hire psychiatrists to prove she was crazy when she killed the husbands with rat poison." Her articles are to take the form of memoirs.

We are not told that the magazine, which is a respectable publication, has actually commissioned her to do this writing job, but stranger things have happened.

For six or seven years, for instance, a sadistic rapist and murderer in California has been keeping himself out of the electric chair because he wrote a book based on his own experiences that had the luck to become a best seller. As is usually the case with such things, the book is worthless as literature, but it made many readers sentimental about the poor author. It may very well be that in the end he will escape the punishment that any poor man would long ago have received who did not have the luck to break into print.

A good many years ago another California citizen who had been convicted of murder and confined to a death cell, wrote a book that also became a best seller for a brief moment, under the title, "We Who Are About to Die." He was presently released—and his book was instantly forgotten, as of course it deserved to be.

The most notorious case of authorship as an element in the administration of justice is that of the famous American poet, Ezra Pound. During the war Pound operated from Italy, making broadcasts that brought him into conflict with the United States government.

Arrested, he was brought to America. But the government was not at all eager to prosecute so famous a writer; he has high standing as one of the most significant American poets of this century. Technically he remains under arrest, confined in an institution.

Writers deserve all the privileges and protections accorded to citizens in general. But those who make their living with pens or typewriters should be the first to assert that the members of their craft do not deserve anything beyond that. As a mere matter of self-respect the authors of America should demand that they be treated like citizens of any type and should not be given immunities or privileges not accorded to everyone.

Great writing does not excuse drunkenness or crime or irresponsibility of any type, as sentimentalists often assume. The greatest writers of all time have in the main had enough self-respect to take the same medicine that is administered to any citizen. Creative authorship is a privilege, not an excuse.

Company. First of the week Mr. Stewart's mother, Mrs. Viola Miller of Topeka, Kan., came to spend the winter at Kemah.

Mrs. Mae Heath is finding the warm sunshine of Lake Worth, Florida, an enjoyable adjunct as she rests and recuperates from her recent illness here. She is staying at the Atlantic Hotel, where she has been a winter guest for many years.

Ragweed rather than goldenrods sets hay-fever victims to sneezing. Many sufferers wrongly blame goldenrod. Its pollen actually is too heavy to ride the wind. Ragweed pollen, on the other hand, spreads even on light breezes.

Unity Lodge, 191, Installs Officers

Charles E. Vander Ven was installed as Worshipful Master of Unity Lodge, No. 191, F and AM Wednesday night in the Masonic Hall. Past Master John E. Fisher was the installing officer. Past Masters assisting were Ray Bosworth, Lambert Schuitema, Gerald Greening and Harold Hall.

Officers installed with Vander Ven were George Hemwall, senior warden; Howard Hendricks, junior warden; Burke W. Taylor, treasurer; A.L. Heath, secretary; Gerald Pierson, chaplain; Henry Smith, senior deacon; Charles Rodgers, junior deacon; Robert Anys, steward; Oliver Yonker, steward; Lambert Schuitema, marshal and Cornelius Veersma, Uler.

Thomas Longstreet was welcomed into the Past Master Club and presented with a Past Master apron by Richard Martin from members of Unity Lodge.

William Vander Ven, brother of the new master, sang a group of solos. He was accompanied by Mrs. Stanley DePree.

Refreshments were served by the officers and members of the Eastern Star.

Beechwood Pupils Present Concert

A Christmas concert was presented Wednesday evening at Beechwood School by the Boys and Girls Glee Clubs under the direction of Earl Jekel.

Readers were Janice Veen and James Overbeck. Introduced by Lloyd Van Raalte, principal at the school, the program opened with "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," by a cornet trio, Terry Schamper, Jack Van Lente and David Headley.

"O Holy Night," "As With Gaidness," "Thirty-Two Feet," and "Rudolph, the Red Nosed Reindeer," were sung by the Boys, Glee Club composed of about 50 members. "Silent Night," was a flute solo by Barbara Huizenga.

The girls' glee club composed of about 70 students sang "What Child Is This?" " Coventry Carol," "Silver Bells," and "Here Comes Santa Claus."

Following group singing by the audience led by Peter Meurer, Sr., the combined Glee Clubs, accompanied by Mary Ann Schuiling, sang "Winter Wonderland," "White Christmas," "I Heard the Bells," and "Angels We Have Heard."

The girls wore white blouses and the boys, white shirts. All wore colored ties given them by the Mothers Club. The program closed with the audience and Glee Clubs singing "Joy to the World."

Ushers were Nancy Monetta, Mary Vande Wege, Barbara De Feyter and Elaine Peerbolte.

Glee Club officers are, for the boys — Vernon Teske, president; Vernon Mills, vice president and Benny Farabee, secretary and treasurer and for the girls, Judy Schregardus, president; Mary Elenbaas, vice president; and Ivo Farabee, secretary-treasurer.

Annual Woldring Party Held at Lemson Home

The Woldring family held their annual Christmas dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Lemson, 657 Goldenrod. The group exchanged gifts during the affair.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Babe Woldring, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Merren, Bruce, Nancy, Ellen, and Sally, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Woldring, Mr. and Mrs. James Woldring, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woldring, Carol Jean and Mary Ellen, Mrs. LaVerne Seger of Grand Rapids, and Pat, Chuck,

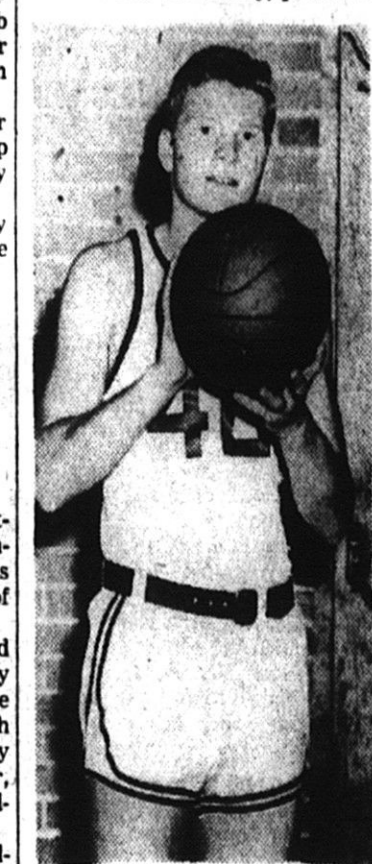
State Champs Use Height, Passing To Gain 68-50 Win

Muskegon Heights pushed its unbeaten streak to 16 Friday night at the expense of Holland, winning 68-50, at the Civic Center. A crowd of 1,400 watched the Tigers, who living up to previous ravings, easily rolled over the Dutch.

Surprisingly, Holland led in field goal percentages. The Dutch sank 22 out of 55 shots for 40 percent. The total was bolstered by the 13 baskets in the final eight minutes. Holland made only nine baskets in the other three quarters.

The Tigers took 83 shots and made only 29 for 35 percent, but the experienced Heights backboard play and smooth-operating passing game made the difference.

The "Heights Globetrotters", M. C. Burton 6'4", his brother Ed, 6'3" and Jim Mc Murry, paced the



CHUCK GOULOZE . . . turns in good game

defending Class A state champions scoring 48 points. M. C. got 22 points, mostly on tip-ins and lay-ups. Brother Ed netted 16 and Mc Murry 10. Both the Burton boys and Len Hartman, who will graduate in February, controlled the backboards while the slender Mc Murry turned in some polished play making.

A 6'3" guard, Mc Murry, a classy dribbler, brought the ball up the floor. Once in the fore court he fed the other lads. Mc Murry made five baskets on one-hand out-court push shots.

Holland opened with a one-three-one zone defense in the opening and switched to a two-three zone the rest of the game. The Dutch didn't use a man-to-man defense.

One of the bright spots in the Holland performance was Chuck Gouloze. The senior center dumped in 15 points, including eight in the final quarter. He took Dutch high point honors.

A fast spurt in the final three minutes of the first quarter gave the winners the needed edge. Muskegon coasted from then on. Leading 6-8 at the five minute mark, the Burton boys dumped in five baskets to lead 17-8 at the end of the first quarter. The Tigers didn't make a foul in the first quarter.

Muskegon Heights continued at about the same pace in the second quarter making 14 points to Holland's 11 and led at halftime 31-19.

The Dutch scored only four points in the third period. Six minutes passed before Sherry Shaffer, sub center, dropped in two foul shots. The quarter closed with Ron Van Dyke's basket making the third quarter score 46-23.

With regular lineups filtered with substitutes in the final quarter, both team went on scoring rampages. The Dutch netted 13 baskets and a foul shot for 27 points while the Tigers made 22 points.

The final period push gave Holland 50 points, highest total of the three games. A total of 42 points were made against Ottawa Hills and 47 against Kalamazoo.

Coach Fred Weiss said "Holland's screening and cutting game never got started." Seldom were the Dutch able to put the fast break into motion. Many passes were intercepted by the Tigers.

Weiss indicated he may use some kind of a press against the Heights in the next meeting. Holland is scheduled to play at Muskegon Heights Jan. 28.

Box Score:

	Holland (50)				
Van Dyke, f	4	3	2	11	
Overbeek, f	3	0	0	6	
Gouloze, c	7	1	4	15	
Japanga, g	5	0	4	10	
Saunders, g	2	0	2	4	
Shaffer, f	1	2	0	4	
Totals	22	6	12	50	
Muskegon Heights (68)					
Hartman, f	2	0	0	4	
Burton, Ed, f	6	4	2	16	
Burton, M. C., c	8	6	1	22	
Mc Murry, g	5	0	3	10	
Danigella, g	1	0	1	2	
Slezak, g	3	0	2	6	
Cummings, g	2	0	0	4	
Robertson, g	1	0	1	2	
Bomers, f	1	0	0	2	
Totals	29	10	10	68	

The aquamarine, of all the precious stones, is found in the largest flawless crystals. Largest gem ever found was a 220-pound aquamarine the size of a nail keg. It was found in a village in Brazil in 1910.

Vriesland

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The Ladies' Missionary and Aid Society met at the Vriesland parsonage on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 2 p.m. Mrs. Van Zoeren, president, was in charge of the meeting. The following program was given: Dutch psalm verse was sung. Mrs. Byland read scripture. Mrs. Van Zoeren offered prayer. Marie Ver Hage read minutes of the previous meeting. Readers were the Mesdames John Freriks, Henry Spelman, Martin P. Wyngarden, and Henry Roelofs. Offerings were taken, the singing of "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" and closing prayer by Mrs. Carl Schermer concluded the business meeting. A social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. J. G. J. Van Zoeren, president of the society, was guest of honor at a surprise birthday party. She was presented a gift by the members of the society. Refreshments were served by the Mesdames Byland, Spelman and Wabeke. Unable to attend were Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage and Mrs. E. Vander Kolk. The next meeting will be held in January.

Mr. and Mrs. John Broersma were Sunday afternoon callers on Mr. and Mrs. Will Vander Kolk.

Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden, Pearl and Ellen Wyngarden were Sunday afternoon callers on Mrs. John H. Van Welt at the Holland Hospital.

Miss Shirley Myaard of Kalamazoo and Don De Braal of Holland were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob T. De Witt and daughters.

Mrs. Louis Beyer underwent surgery on her eye at the Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids on Monday, Dec. 13.

John Esma of Grand Haven was a Tuesday evening guest at the Frank and Will Vander Kolk home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfert and family were Sunday evening guests at the Martin D. Wyngarden home.

Several attended the program given in the Vriesland Reformed Church on Thursday, Dec. 9, in charge of Uncle Morrey Carlson, founder and director of Youth Haven in Muskegon. He showed the latest film, "Big Brother."

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Zoeren of Zeeland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.G.J. Van Zoeren.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meengs were Sunday afternoon callers on Mrs. Martin Meengs at Holland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Vander Kolk and family of Holland were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Vander Kolk.

Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden was a Sunday afternoon caller on George De Hoop at the Holland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Hungerink of Holland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hungerink, Helen Hungerink, Mrs. E. Vander Kolk.

Mrs. Carl Schermer recently entertained in honor of Mrs. Grace Breen of Paterson, N.J. The guests were Mrs. Nick Lanning and Mrs. Art Lanning of Holla d, Mrs. Albert K. Lanning, Mrs. John Lanning, and Mrs. Viola Achterhof of Drenthe, Mrs. Henry Wyngarden, and Mrs. Corneal Ver Hage of Vriesland.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Vander Kolk and Ivan Vander Kolk of Grandville were Saturday guests of Frank Vander Kolk, Mr. and Mrs. Will Vander Kolk.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Koning (nee Naidine Kruidhof), a baby girl at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Mr. Merton Wabeke entertained at a Christmas party at her home on Monday, Dec. 13, her Sunday School class consisting of the following girls: Barbara Boss, Beverly Hop, Yvonne Ensing, Jana Van Haisma, Shirley Beyer and Sharon Wolfert, and the following boys: Rickie Machiela, Jody Byland, Alan Koeman, Gary Van Haisma, and Carl Van Bronkhorst.

The Rev. Theodore Byland preached on the following subjects on Sunday Dec. 12, "Call To Action" and "Forgiveness Of Sins."

The special music at the evening was furnished by Miss Gladys Wedeven and Mrs. Adrian Kalman of Hamilton.

Junior C.E. met on Sunday at 2 p.m.

Bible study and prayer meeting was held on Tuesday evening.

The young people of the church went Christmas caroling on Wednesday at 7 p.m. Afterwards a Christmas party was enjoyed and gifts were exchanged.

The members of the Sewing Guild will have a Christmas potluck dinner on Thursday at 11:45 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Machiela announce the birth of a son, Scott Bradley, born at the Zeeland Hospital on Tuesday, Dec. 7.

The children will practice on Saturday from 1:30 to 3 p.m.

The results of the congregational meeting were as follows: Martin D. Wyngarden was re-elected as elder, and Jacob Morren elected as elder, Harris Schipper was re-elected as deacon, and John Beyer was elected as deacon.

Mission boxes will be passed in the Sunday School next Sunday, on Dec. 19.

Resthaven Guild will meet at the Central Park Reformed Church of Holland Friday, Dec. 17, at 7:30 p.m. An interesting Christmas program has been planned. All the women are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden were Tuesday callers on Mrs. John H. Van Welt at the Holland Hospital.

Mrs. Tom Beyer of Zeeland spent Monday with Dale Alan at the Louis Beyer home.

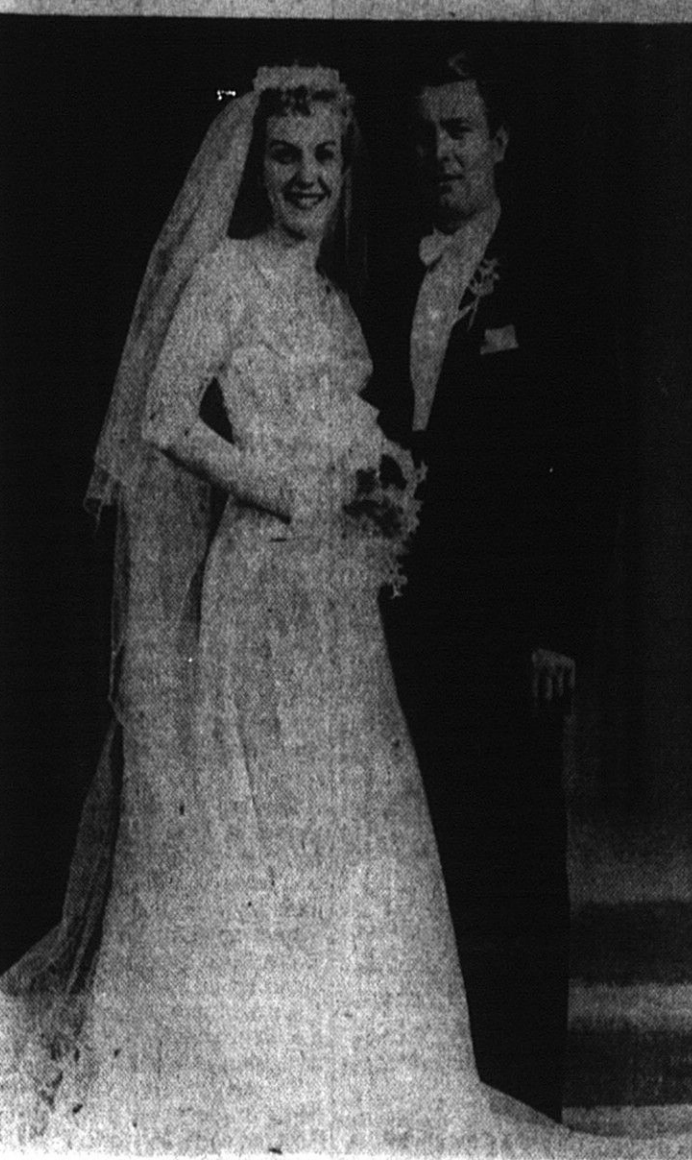
Several attended the "carol sing" at the Forest Grove Reformed Church Sunday evening at 9 p.m.

Don Brandt was the song leader. Special music was furnished by the Golden Chain choir.

The Willing Workers will have a Christmas party Thursday at 7:45 p.m. in the church basement.

About 9,250,000 United States wives now hold jobs outside their homes compared with a peak of seven million during World War II.

Bagladi-Skorske Rites Performed



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bagladi

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bagladi are at home at 1670 Washington St., following a wedding trip to Las Vegas, Nev. The couple was married Nov. 20 in a double ring ceremony at Holy Innocent's Church in Chicago by Father Bednaz.

Mrs. Bagladi is the former Geraldine Joan Skorske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Skorske, 810 North 138th Ave. The groom is the son of Mrs. Anna Bagladi, 622 Howard Ave.

Wedding music included the Lord's Prayer and Ave Maria. The bride was attired in a gown of white satin, following princess lines and V-neck with a chantilly lace skirt, terminating in a Cathedral train. She carried an orchid with Bridal Bells.

Her sister, Mrs. Jack Chinnovsky, as matron of honor, wore a strapless gown of rust colored satin and a jacket. Gowns of emerald-green satin, following princess lines and

scoop necklines and short jackets were worn by the bridesmaids, Miss Eleanor Bagladi, Miss Carol Ann Houser, Miss Marilyn Skarda and Miss Michelle Lenard. All carried bouquets of rust and yellow mums. The flower girl, Marybeth Viverios was attired in a pink dress and carried a miniature bouquet of rust and yellow mums.

Jason DeVries was bestman and ushers were Don Hulst, Jack Chinnovsky and Peter Viverios.

A reception for about 400 guests was in charge of Division Caterers. A charcoal wool jersey dress with tangerine accessories was worn by the bride on the wedding trip. She is a graduate of Holland High School and is employed as receptionist at the H. E. Morse Co.

The groom was graduated from Holland High School and attended Hope College for a year. He is part owner of the Holland Ready Roofing Co.

Grandstanding...

By Randy Vande Water

We had a bout with the scorebooks today and came up with some of the leading scorers in Holland's independent basketball circles. As expected, familiar names pop up annually.

In the City League, we found Bob (Shorty) Van Dyke way out in front with 80 points in three games. Playing for Hollander Beverage, the former Holland High School all-state player turned in two games of 28 points each. Gene Schroteboer, an all-time high scorer at Holland Christian, is in the runnerup spot with 60 points. Schroteboer is playing with H. E. Morse, present league leaders.

Morse placed two others in the top 10. They are Ken Scholten, fourth with 47 and Ron Nykamp, seventh with 42. The Vets, tied for the last place and still seeking victory No. 1, have Ken Van Wieren in the third place spot with 51 points.

Economy IGA's top scorer, Ken Schipper, is in fifth place with 46 points, followed by Sears "Tim Beertuis" in sixth with 43. J. H. Kole's lone representative in the top 10, Bob De Young is ninth. He pumped 33 points in two games.

The ten leading scorers include:

Pts.	
80	Bob (Shorty) Van Dyke, HB
60	Gene Schroteboer, HC
51	Ken Van Wieren, VFW
47	Ken Scholten, M
46	Ken Schipper, IGA
43	Tim Beertuis, S & R
42	Ron Nykamp, M
42	Gord Greengood, S & R
42	Bob De Young, JHK
33	Bob Reitsma, S & R
31	HB—Hollander Beverage; M—H. E. Morse; VFW — Vets of Foreign Wars; IGA — Economy IGA; S & R—Sears and Roebuck; JHK—J. H. Kole Auto

Over in the 12-team Recreation B basketball league, Jack Borr, former Holland Christian player, leads the scoring with 64 points in four games. Borr is a member of the once-beaten Seven-Up team. His best single game effort was 28 points against Steffens Market.

Red Westerlund of Stam's Mobilgas is in second place, just one point behind, while Bruce Ming, Borr's teammate, is third with 60 tallies.

Norm Japanga of Baker's Market, one of the three unbeaten teams in the league, is in fourth spot. He has netted 53 points. Ben Bouman of Dutch Novelty is the fifth man with 50 points. Dutch Novelty is another unbeaten team.

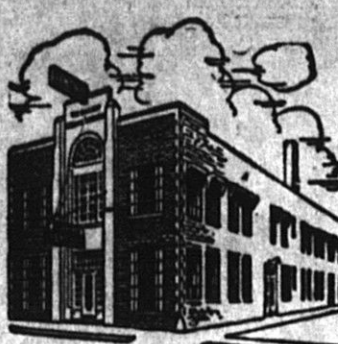
The third undefeated team, Wooden Shoe, failed to place a man in the 10 top scorers.

Ken Etterbeek and Ed Roels of Dutch Novelty and Bud Ebbers of Stam's tied for sixth place with 44 points each.

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THAT FAMILIAR TUNE

In the lush era of Roosevelt and Truman, many Democratic economists used to argue that a big national debt was a good thing for the country. They didn't quite see the bigger the debt the better but that's what it boiled down to.

Now that same familiar tune is coming out of Washington, this time from some Republican government economists. W. Randolph Burgess, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs, has come through with the soothing syrup statement that "we ought not to be afraid of the debt." He adds that "our ability to carry the debt without too great harm to the economy depends on growth."

That's almost a paraphrase of the New Deal-Fair Deal position on piling up government obligations. The average citizen who has some common sense, whether he's a Republican or a Democrat, continues to feel in his bones that there's a screw loose in the theory. In his personal economics he knows that a top-heavy debt is a drain on his business. The only difference between such a business and the business of the nation is that when the interest on the debt becomes unbearable, the government can raise the taxes; a private business has to pay the interest on its debt out of profits.

But the time comes when taxes become confiscatory, regardless of an expanding economy. The familiar argument that the "proportionate size of a big fixed debt shrinks as national income increases" is basically only a paper argument.

That debt, and its heavy interest load, have to be paid, and you're the fellow called upon to pay it. When you make out your income tax report, or when you dig down for inflated costs of what you eat, wear and use, such phrases as "expanding economy" are nothing else than phrases.

Moreover, any private business that kept on pouring its profits into other businesses would be sure to come to grief. A large debt may be justified in a business if the money is being used in handouts, there is little chance that the business will expand.

Yet that's what has made our national debt truly astronomical, and is today increasing it further. The American people are being asked to subsidize the world, and then they are given the privilege of paying billions in interest charges on those very subsidies.

Let government economist Burgess justify that or laugh it off. It's so easy to carry our enormous debt - on paper.

A million dollars today does not seem to even bother a great number of our elected officials.

The appointed workers for us in government also find government millions seem like small figures.

How are we going to stop deficit government financing and operation? Write us 300 words if you wish, we are frank to say, our answer is reduce the government waste.

Hollebooms Entertain Family at Dinner Party

A combination Christmas party and birthday celebration was held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Holleboom, 670 Michigan Ave., for their children and grandchildren. The occasion honored three members of the family who celebrate birthdays this season.

A turkey dinner was served. The evening was spent taking pictures and playing games. Gifts were exchanged.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Grinwis and Barbara Jean of Byron Center, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Grinwis from Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Grinwis, Roger A. and Ronald J. from Zeeland; Mr. and Mrs. James Hardenberg, Donna Mae and Bruce of Zeeland, and the Hollebooms' brother, Dick Holleboom.

Sgt. Charles A. Smeenge returned last week from Korea and has received a discharge after serving 16 months overseas. He served in the personnel and management office for the 8th Army Headquarters in Seoul. Sgt. Smeenge and his wife, the former Dorothy Elferink, reside at 43 East Eighth St.

Sunday School Lesson

December 26, 1954

Earth's Vanities are Futile

Ecclesiastes 1, 2, 13; 2:1, 18; 3:16; 4:1-5:10-12:12:1.

By Henry Geerlings

In this book we seem to have a cross section of the royal life of Solomon, with its extravagance, sin, and sumptuous living, with the inevitable failure and disappointment occasioned by them all.

Solomon was a preacher. Before he reached the time of his practically idolatrous apostasy, he taught many including the youth of the land, the proverbial wisdom that was crowned with the blessings of God. The writer of the book represents a twofold character.

Sometimes he speaks in the third person in the name of wisdom, clearly and beautifully setting forth certain proverbs of matchless charm and usefulness. Then again, he speaks in the first person, representing his own self and purpose.

This book produces different reactions in different classes of readers. The spiritually minded Christian reads it with doubt and perplexity. He finds it difficult to extract anything spiritual from it. There is no rapture, no praise or thanksgiving such as we find in the Psalms. There is no rejoicing in the forgiveness of sins or in the friendship of God.

The writer expresses no confidence in the future life as Job did. Another class of readers finds the words of this book most agreeable. The book is in the sacred Scriptures. It is like all other books of the Bible. It was given by inspiration. It is in the Canon for a purpose. Like all the others, it is profitable. And when we get the key to the book and see the bearings of its teachings, we will see that it holds a necessary place in the Bible.

This book is the book of the natural man, of his religion and his philosophy. This is the almost unanimous conclusion of Bible students. The first proof is that the only divine name in the book is the natural name God, Elohim. Jehovah is not used once, hence man is seeking what is under the sun, but not seeking Him above the sun.

A second proof is the frequent use of the term under the sun. The outlook is earthly, horizontal and human, not upward, heavenly or Godly. And the wisdom which it speaks about is science, while in proverbs it means piety.

Vanity here means not only foolish pride but the emptiness of the final result of life without God. A third proof is that all the experiences and observations of this book are bound together by the question "Is life worth living?"

The answer is sought amid general failure because man as man is out of Christ and yet face to face with the mysteries of God and nature.

A fourth proof is what the book styles the conclusion of the whole matter, which is that of the natural man only. To fear God and keep His commandments is right, but the author of the book confessedly has not done so, and yet he sees judgement in the distance and has no preparation to meet it.

Solomon was situated as a man who could test what the natural man could know and experience in the world under the sun. He was rich. He had power and prestige. He tells us to what extent he went to gratify his every appetite and ambition. He explored every possible avenue that might lead to sensual pleasure. Although it is a book to be read and studied. We get insights here into the working of the mind of the natural man that we will not get elsewhere.

The possession of power, riches and wisdom, and the pursuit of pleasure may easily be misused or perverted until they lead one down the steep to the abyss. They become a snare to their victims. In the Bible mention is made that the idolatry of the pagans became a snare to Israel. Proverbs uses the word snare repeatedly in the sense of a trap that imprisons and destroys its victims.

They are ensnared by deceit. Deceitfulness is a characteristic of many of the things that tempt man. All sin is deceitful. The misuse or abuse even of things innocent of themselves brings dissipation. It is the lot of those who seek pleasure in ways not pleasing to God. Unless they take God into their plans, ruin will ensue.

Bridal Shower Given For Mary Van Raalte

Miss Mary Van Raalte, who will be married Jan. 15 to H. Stephen Covell, Jr., of Chicago, was guest of honor at a bridal shower Monday evening. The party was given by Mrs. Lewis Borgman and Mrs. Bob Ash at the Borgman home, 588 Lawndale Ct.

Guests were school friends of the bride-elect.

During the social evening, a gift was presented to the guest of honor and refreshments were served by the hostesses. Decorations featured a miniature bridal party, with the bride, her attendants, a flower girl and ring bearer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoeve, 53 East 22nd St., received a pre-Christmas call from Germany. Their son, Pvt. Erville Hoeve, called to inform them of his arrival at Stuttgart. Pvt. Hoeve entered the Army in May and after completing basic at Camp Chaffee, Ark., attended Radio and Supply School at Fort Knox, Ky. He sailed for Europe Nov. 26.

Myra and Bonnie Bergman of Kalamazoo are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Steinfort, route 2.

Smith-Streur Rites Performed



Mr. and Mrs. James Anthony Smith

(Van Iwaarden photo)

Miss Shirley Jean Streur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Streur, route 6, became the bride of James Anthony Smith last Wednesday evening, Dec. 15. The groom is the son of Mrs. Tom Smith of Holland.

The ceremony was performed at 7 p.m. by the Rev. A. Rynbrandt, at his home.

For her wedding, the bride chose a dress of blue silk organza complemented by a white hat. She carried a white fur muffed with orchids. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss

Lindy Streur, who wore an ice blue faille dress with pink accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Tom Smith attended his brother as best man.

A reception was held at 8 p.m. in the Woman's Literary club house. Serving at the punch bowl were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Manes and in the gift room, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Essenberg, Jr.

The newlyweds are now at home on South Shore Dr.

Olive Center

The Home Economics Club will have its annual Christmas party next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. John W. Nienhuis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm Kuite and the Bartels families attended the funeral of a relative, Mrs. John Buscher in Hamilton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wedeven are the grandparents of Patricia Ann, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Van Nul of North Holland.

The Mothers Club met at the school Monday evening. Officers for 1955 were elected: President, John Boers; vice-president, Mrs. Manley Kuite; secretary, Mrs. John Overway; treasurer, Mrs. Lorraine Bekius, and assistant secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Jack Nieboer.

On Tuesday evening members of the Mothers Club went caroling to the sick and shut-ins in this community. Later they gathered at the school for coffee and cake.

The 4-H Serving club held a Christmas party at the home of Albert Timmer. Gifts were exchanged and lunch was served by the leaders, Mrs. Helen Nephew and Miss Esther Timmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartels have been calling on their brother-in-law, Louis Hoeksema of Holland Heights, who is a patient at Zeeland hospital following injuries when he fell from a tree. He has a punctured lung, several broken ribs and head injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nieboer, their children and grandchildren, held a Christmas party at the townhall Friday evening. Lunch was served and gifts were exchanged.

Army Pfc. John H. Guilfoil, Jr., whose parents live on Riverside Dr., Fennville, recently completed the turret specialist course at the Eighth Army's Ordnance School in Seoul, Korea, according to the Army Home Town News Center.

Guilfoil, a mechanic with the 70th Ordnance Battalion, has been in the Fgr East since last July.

Gordon W. Van Dyke of 1951, East 10th St., is confined to his home with measles.

Playful Pixies Bluebirds Stage Christmas Tea

The Playful Pixies Blue Bird Group of Longfellow School held a Christmas tea with their mothers as guests at the home of Nancy Nicholson Monday afternoon.

Miss Joyce Mulder, teacher, poured from an attractively arranged table. The girls exchanged gifts and presented their mothers with earrings they had made themselves.

Attending were Mrs. John Kolean and Sheryl, Mrs. Robert Steggerda and Linda, Mrs. Loren Howard and Lynda, Mrs. Dick Nicholson and Nancy, Mrs. Dick Burke and Kathy, Mrs. Chester Harmsen and Gail, Mrs. Harold Wise and Janice, Mrs. John Sprick, Paula and Patti, Miss Mulder and Janice, Mrs. Willard Wellington and Irene and Mrs. Bert Ricketts.

Mrs. Sprick is group leader, Mrs. Wise assistant and Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Nicholson are sponsors.

Flooded Areas Open to Skaters

Ice skating opened at the 19th St. rink Wednesday.

The flooded area is somewhat "rough" but workmen are smoothing out the surface. Supervised skating will be held at the rink, located at 19th St. and College Ave., during the afternoon and evening. Lights and a heated building are provided.

"During the vacation period, as long as weather permits, the rink will be open afternoons and evenings with supervision," Moran said.

Another neighborhood skating area opened today. It is located on 16th St. east of the Holland-Racine Shoe Co.

"There isn't a building, lights or supervision, but people are invited to use the area," Moran said. The 16th St. area will be flooded again Thursday.

Jalvings to Mark 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jalving of 1263 Lakewood Blvd. are planning to celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Christmas Day.

Mr. Jalving, 90, and Mrs. Jalving, 79, were born in the Netherlands and both came to America in 1891. They were married in 1894. They have lived on the homestead on Lakewood Blvd. their entire married life. Both enjoy fairly good health and attend Harder-

North Holland

Mrs. Henry Tenckinck, Sr., was guest of honor for her birthday anniversary at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Peter Bauman. Monday evening, Dec. 13, guests included Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Bauman, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bakker, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tenckinck, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Wal, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Wabeke, Mr. and Mrs. Julius De Haan and Henry Tenckinck, Sr. A two-course luncheon was served and a birthday gift presented to the honored guest.

The Women's Missionary and Aid Society held their Christmas party in the church parlors Monday evening, Dec. 20. The president, Mrs. E. Ten Clay, conducted the business, Mrs. H. Redder led in devotions, Mrs. Harold Lemmen, Mrs. A.P. Nienhuis and Mrs. J.W. Nienhuis had charge of the program which consisted of two vocal solos by Mrs. Harry Schutt, a reading of Christmas written by the late Peter Marshall by Mrs. Jack Nieboer, and a reading "The Model church" by Mrs. Albert Brouwer. Mrs. John Raak and Mrs. Henry Fredericks were on the game committee. Gifts were presented and the secret pals revealed. Luncheon was served from a gayly decorated Christmas table by Mrs. Jack Nieboer. Miss Anna Lohman, Mrs. E. Ten Clay and Mrs. Harry Schutt serving as hostesses.

Mrs. Peter Bauman will entertain the members of the North Holland Home Economics club and their husbands to a Christmas party at her home Tuesday evening Dec. 28.

James Bosch returned home last week from St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids. He is recovering slowly.

The members of the Willing Workers Missionary Society enjoyed a Christmas dinner at Cumerford in Holland Tuesday night, Dec. 14. Table decorations were in charge of Mrs. Marvin Nienhuis and Mrs. Richard Nykamp. After the singing of Christmas carols, Mrs. John Jager and Mrs. G. Van Kampen had charge of the games.

Mrs. George Brower left this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Weststrate and Janice for a vacation trip to Florida.

More than 40 million young Americans have come of age in the last 18 years. At the present rate of growth, the U.S. will have more than 300 million people by 2000.

Holland Public Library will close Christmas Eve at 6 p.m. instead of the regular 9 p.m. closing. The library will follow the same 6 p.m. schedule for New Year's Eve, Dec. 31.

Troop 7 Holds Court of Honor

Boy Scout troop 7 of Third Reformed Church staged its quarterly Court of Honor at the church Monday, all the parents attending.

A huge "honorable" chair for Judge Harold Oosting, attired in his judge's robe, predominated the court, which opened with a bugle call by Ralph Houston. Chairman Gordon Groenewoud welcomed all those attending.

First group called for advancement included Royce Rudolph, Bill Plum, Douglas Boven and Derk Van Raalte, who were presented tenderfoot badges by their parents, then stepped up to a ceremonial box inscribed with the Scout law.

Second Class Scouts who received badges from their parents after starting their requirements to the judge were Lon De Neff, John Carlson, Frank Poppma, Bob Rotman and Roland Swank.

Dick De Groot earned his first class badge, which was presented by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert De Groot, and Billy Byrnes was awarded a Star badge by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Zoot. This badge requires five merit badges, two required, citizenship and sports.

Dan Paul, advancement chairman, spoke briefly on the advancement program.

Receiving merit badges were Dave Van Eerden, Ralph Houston, Bill Byrnes, Tom Van Oosterhout, Dave Groenoud, Art Oosting, Jim Cotts, Andries Steketee, Chuck Shuck, Bob Damson, Bob Madison. The latter two are Explorer Scouts led by Advisor Jim Bennett and Crew Leader Jim Cook.

Scoutmaster Al Walters assisted the judge in making awards and told the group they are the highest in the district for advancement. Plans for the coming quarter were discussed. Patrol stunts were presented.

A movie on winter camping was shown to prepare the Scouts for their outing at Yankee Springs in February, in charge of Andries Steketee. The Explorer Post was in charge of the closing.

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Christmas Eve Service Planned

The first Christmas Eve Midnight Choral Eucharist to be celebrated in the new Grace Episcopal Church at 555 Michigan Ave., will begin at 11:30 p.m. Friday. At that hour the long procession of crucifers, torchbearers, and banner-bearers, choristers and acolytes will enter the church to the singing of "O Come, All Ye Faithful."

The Very Rev. William C. Warner, rector, will be the celebrant of the Eucharist, assisted by the acolytes of the Grace Church chapter of St. Vincent's Guild.

The choir, under direction of Mrs. Beatrice Kuite, will sing "Communion Service in F" by Tours, and the traditional Christmas carols. As an introit the choir will sing "Fanfare for Christmas Day" by Shaw; at the offertory the choir will sing "Hodie, Christus Natus Est" by Willan. Other special music includes "Noel" by Wells, and "Pax Dei" by Coombs. Organ prelude and postlude include Malling's "Christmas Eve," Benoit's "Christ the King," and "Festival Suite" by Lang.

The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated again at 10 a.m. Christmas Day.

The public is invited to all services at Grace Church.

CE Group Has Party At L. Maatman Home

The basement of the Maatman home at 271 East 12th St. was the scene of a Christmas party Tuesday evening for members of the Senior Christian Endeavor Society of Sixth Reformed Church.

Games were in charge of Gretchen Schofield and Beverly De Jonge. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served by the sponsors, Mrs. L. Maatman, Mrs. H. Slager and Mrs. James Barkel.

Others present were the Misses Arloa Hamelin, Beatrice Steggerda, Marcia Vander Ploeg, Marcia Sternberg, Judy Vande Water, Joan Barkel, Lavonne Barkel, Ardith Wyrick, Shirley Hamm, Barbara Terpsma, Lucille Boere, Marjorie Bekker, Judy and Nancy Maatman, and Mickey Wyrick and David Dekker, Melvin Coster, Irwin, Ter Haar, Terry Vande Water, Warren and Kenneth Fought, Danny Gilbert, Lyle Mulder, Shirl Webbort and Carl De Jonge.

Mailing Rush Tapers Off Here

The hustle-bustle of holiday mailing tapered off somewhat at Holland post office Dec. 22, but clerks were still working elbow to elbow sorting thousands and thousands of Christmas greetings. Piles of parcel post were reduced materially today after employees got over Monday's "hump" which brought the biggest load of parcels into the local office in history.

The last few days also saw the shift of outgoing mail to local mail. Late last week, 70 percent of greetings mailed were destined for other post offices. Today, only 30 percent leaves Holland, and the bulk of mail is from Holland people sendings greetings to Holland people.

On Monday, 102,000 pieces of mail went through the cancelling machine, compared with 77,000 Tuesday. Last Friday 80,000 pieces went through and on Saturday 89,000.

Incomplete addresses are still the bughar of the sorting clerks. For instance, there are several greetings for Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Dyke of Holland, the most common name here. Invariably these greetings carry two-cent stamps with no return address.

The clerks also came across a greeting addressed to "Dad and Mother." Any takers?

Sharon Van Tongeren Entertains at Dinner

Sharon Van Tongeren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Van Tongeren, entertained members of her Blue Bird group at a Christmas dinner party Monday evening.

Highlighting the Christmas decorations was a table centerpiece featuring Santa Claus and his elves. Gifts were exchanged after dinner.

In the group were Patty Bouman, Shirley Johnson, Kristi Venhuizen, Janice Van Alsborg, Pamela Lubbers, Diane Taber and Susan Eenigenburg.

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Here at Holland, for example, 97 of your neighbors have

been Heinz employees for ten years or more. Those who are completing their first decade of Heinz service will receive gold insignia. Those with 20 years of service will be awarded gold watches. Over the country this week, a total of 230 gold insignia is being given, while watches will be awarded to 102 employees who have completed their 20th year with us. Five are completing 40 years and will receive special gold watches.

Here are the names of the 97 employees who have received Service Awards, with the names of those joining the group this year marked with a star. To all of them—old veteran and new veteran alike—go our congratulations for their contribution to our business where their work is so faithfully reflected in the quality of the food products we sell.

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Norman Brunker
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Anthony Livensse
Ina B. Lordahl
M. Montman
Genevieve McWilliams

James Mulder
Marinus J. Mulder
Pansy Clark Nicely
Arthur G. Nykamp
Susanna Overweg
J. H. Piper
Catherine B. Piers
Allen E. Radder
Edwin Radder
Helena Radder
Horace B. Reuck
C. Repp

Grace Rosema
Lawrence Sale
Edward Schierbeek
George E. Stephens
Lena Van Bloeten
Albert Veen
G. Vork
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Marvin Vork
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Bernard Windemuller
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20 TO 39 YEARS SERVICE

*John Ankerhof
Miles H. Bankett
Joseph Black
Henry J. Bos
Joannette Bos
John Bouwman
Ralph Bouwman
Howard E. Brum

*Wilbur C. Cobb
John J. Cook
Joe Doosman
Joseph Drack
William Dykens
Eudolph Erikson
Frank Frankson

Fred Heerspink
Philip Heyboer
Albert E. Hildebrand
Bernard Hill
Henry Holtheis
Edwin A. John
Bert Kimber

Andrew G. Lampen
Billie Lewis
Benjamin Mast
C. B. McCormick
Earl McCormick
Herman Minnema
William Pigeon

Lee J. Roberts
*James Rotman
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*Willis Van Vuren
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HELPFUL FRIENDS, NEIGHBORS—More than 35 former fellow workers and neighbors of William Donald Meeusen, 31, Fennville, turned out Saturday to help his widow harvest an estimated 25 acres of corn. Meeusen was killed in a train-car collision at the New Richmond crossing, Dec. 3. Men from the Holland Motor Express Co., where Meeusen worked, came equipped with corn picking machines and tractors. The company furnished trucks

and other supplies. Wives of the men prepared hot coffee and a meal for the men who started working at 9 a.m. Saturday. By nightfall half of the corn had been harvested and trucked off the farm. The group plans to return in a few days to finish up the work. Most of the men are shown gathered around a tractor with Mrs. Meeusen, holding her son, standing at left center. (Sentinel photo)

Muskegon Heights Educator Dies

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Cornelius F. Bolt, 65, retired Muskegon Heights high school principal, died of a heart attack at 11:15 p.m. Saturday in his home on Fifth St. in Muskegon Heights. He had been in ill health with a heart condition for 3 1/2 years.

He was in Holland Friday night attending the Holland-Muskegon Heights basketball game and was well impressed by Civic Center which he saw for the first time.

He was born in Grand Haven Aug. 3, 1889, and was principal of the Muskegon Heights high school for 31 years, previous to which he was principal of the high school at Bismarck, N.D., for 10 years. He also taught for a year in Houghton. He retired in April, 1952, because of ill health.

He was a member of Covenant Reformed Church in Muskegon Heights which he served as both elder and deacon.

Surviving are the wife, Minnie; a daughter, Mrs. Fred (Lois) Kidd of Ionia; two brothers, F.C. Bolt, president of Peoples Saving bank of Grand Haven and Dr. Arthur J. Bolt of Spring Lake; a sister, Anje Bolt of Grand Haven, and three granddaughters.

Zeeland

The Rev. and Mrs. Matt J. Duven arrived Tuesday for a two week visit at the P.T. Moedyk family on Central Ave. Rev. Duven is a retired minister of the Reformed Church and they are residing in Orange City, Iowa. He is a former pastor of the Vriesland Reformed Church and Mrs. Duven is the former Lena Keppel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Plewes and family have moved to the Van Bree residence on East Central Avenue which they recently purchased.

Mrs. Melan Huyser, East Main Ave. left Friday for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend the winter months with her daughter, Marie, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Essenburg.

David Wiersma, Garry Looman, Bob Wiersma and Bob Walters of Zeeland High School, attended the Mid-West National Band Clinic at Chicago last week. They were accompanied by R. L. Brower, band instructor.

Typing award certificates were given the following high school students: Burnette Vredevoel, Floyd Raterink, Marcia Timmer, Barbara Lamar, Peggy Kole, Georgianna Jostbensen and Iris Heyboer in Typing II. In Typing I those who received awards were Norma Schout, Ilona Kalman and Marcia Wiersma.

The annual Christmas party of the Gilbert D. Karsten Unit, American Legion Auxiliary, was held in the Dugout in the city hall last Monday evening. The meeting was in the form of a potluck supper. Gifts were exchanged and games were enjoyed. Prizes were won by Mrs. A. Marlink and Mrs. Annetta Mast. The next meeting will be held on Jan. 3.

Paul E. Van Koeveering, returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Corey Van Koeveering, South Elm St., after serving in the U.S. Army the past two years. He received his basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and later served as military police at Fifth Army Headquarters, Chicago. He also served as military police at Fort Sheridan, Ill. He is now employed at the Zeeland Record.

Pvt. Allen Kraai, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kraai, recently completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and has left for Camp Chaffee, Ark., after spending a few weeks at the home of his parents.

Mrs. J.N. Clark, East Central Ave., recently visited at the home of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clark in Chicago.

The North Zeeland Home Economics Club held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. John Zwagerman. Members responded to the roll call by giving a favorite recipe. The lesson was "Meals of the Middle Years" and "Protein Pointers" presented by Mrs. John Zwagerman and Mrs. Bert Kraai. A Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. Tom Vanden Bosch on Tuesday, Dec. 28. Mrs. Henry Helder will be in charge of games.

The Rev. John Guichelaar, pastor of North Street Christian Reformed Church, has received a call from the Christian Reform-

ed church of Detroit. Rev. Guichelaar recently declined a call from the First Christian Reformed Church of South Holland, Ill.

At their last meeting, the Zeeland Lions Club decided to raise \$1,000 toward the furnishing of the new community hospital which is now under construction. The Zeeland Rotary Club also recently promised financial support for the hospital. The new \$300,000 hospital will be ready for occupancy in about a year. The next meeting of the Lion's Club will be Dec. 27 at 6:30 p.m. and will be Ladies Night. Wives of members and blind and sight-afflicted people of Zeeland and vicinity will be special guests.

Zeeland Firm Installs New Oven

ZEELAND (Special)—Ferro-Cast Corp., located just east of Zeeland, has recently installed a \$12,000 electric heat-treat furnace.

The furnace is used in heating non-machinable castings made at the foundry to a point where, when cooled, they can be machined by the customer. It is the first oven of its type in the area.

The new furnace has dual temperature controls and can reach heats from 900 to 2,000 degrees, according to the temperature needed. Heat is circulated inside the oven by two fans, so that all work is heated uniformly. The door is sealed during the operation.

The oven, which has a door four by three feet and is six feet long, uses 150,000 watts of electricity per hour or the same amount the average household uses in a month.

The Corporation casts cylinder sleeves for trucks and tractors and replacement sleeves for automobiles.

Ferro-Cast Corp. is operated by Robert R. Campbell and William Antisdale, Jr., who have been in Zeeland for the past three years, and in their business for 20 years.

Fahocha Class Stages Annual Yuletide Event

About 65 members of Fahocha Class of First Methodist Church held their annual Christmas party Wednesday evening in the Recreation room of the church. As their Christmas greetings to the class Mr. and Mrs. Morris De Vries provided a chicken dinner. Mrs. De Vries is teacher of the group.

Tables were arranged as a large star with a round table, decorated to represent the light of the star, in the center. Each table featured centerpieces of Christmas scenes and candles. Favors for the members were holly corsages and tiny pocket notebooks. The Nativity scene was used on the altar.

Mrs. John O. Hagans led group singing accompanied by Mrs. Marion Van Lente. Mrs. Florence Baker conducted the business meeting. In place of a gift exchange the members purchased gifts for patients at Coldwater.

A Christmas play, "Lost — a Star," written and directed by Mrs. De Vries was presented by the Mesdames Corinne Kolean, Athalie Clark Lily Ann Simpson, Ruth Newell, Ann Short, Bea Shashagay, Louise Lugers, Avis Brandt, Ruth Van Kampen, Hazel Tabler, Marie Wilbur, Sylvia Kraai, Minnie Van Oosterhout Mary Friers, Martha Petroelid, Edith Jaenig, Iris Van Oosterhout and Jaenig Severson. Mrs. Bernice Rasmussen was in charge of costumes and John Benson assisted with the stage lighting.

Gifts were presented to Mrs. De Vries and Mrs. Hagans. Assisting the hostess were the Mesdames Jean Martin, Grace Poppema and Ethel Miller.

Graveside Services Are Held for Infant

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Graveside services were held in Lake Forest cemetery Saturday afternoon for Vikki Lynn Bray, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bray, 283 Bignell Court, Grand Haven, who died in Municipal Hospital Friday 44 hours after birth.

The Rev. Carl Strange of the Methodist church took charge of the services.

Besides the parents, surviving are a sister, Jeany, 4 1/2; two brothers, Allan, 3, and Mark, 15 months; the grandparents, Mrs. Mary Bray of Grand Haven and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Berger of Aceto Ind. Kinkema Funeral Home took charge of arrangements.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Ralph Gunn, 40 North 120th Ave.; William Tammings, Jr., 156 Lakewood Blvd.; Eugene Vander Sluis, 139 West 18th St.; Everet Vander Molen, 62 West 12th St.; Dick Vander Haar, 67 1/2 West Ninth St.; Donald J. Oosterbaan, 276 Washington Blvd.; John Bron, 280 East Eighth St.

Discharged Friday were John Hudyma, route 1, East Saugatuck; Mrs. Gerrit Vander Heide and a baby, route 4, Mrs. Delbert Morse and baby, 293 West 22nd St.; Sarah Dykman, 495 West 22nd St.; Mrs. Harold Cramer, 772 136th Ave.; Mrs. Wesley Fiske, 512 West 20th St.; Richard Barrett, route 1; Glen Ter Meer, 3035 Highgate S.W.; Grand Rapids; Mrs. Rudy Kleinheksel and baby, route 5; Mrs. William Fortney and baby, 352 Central Ave.

Admitted Saturday were the Rev. Peter Dekker, 54 West 14th St.; Delbert Weatherwax, 186 West Eighth St.; James Henry Ramaker, 164 East 16th St.; Jack Rotman, 54 Scotts Dr.; David Nicol, 221 West 28th St.

Discharged Saturday were Carol Appledorn, 99 West 20th St.; Cynthia Nienhuis, 1671 Washington St.; James Nienhuis, 1671 Washington St.; Mrs. Rufus Mast and baby, route 3; Mrs. Donald Meengs and baby, route 2; Zeeland; Mrs. Roger Van Nul and baby, route 2; Peter Meusen, 36 Colonial, Zeeland; Mrs. Clayton Riker, 196 West 19th St.; Mrs. Bassell Durfee, route 4; Mrs. John Marshall, route 4; Mrs. James Alderink and baby, 603 Central Ave.; Mrs. Gerald Martinie and baby, route 6; Herman Kiekintveld, 626 West 23rd St.; James H. Ramaker, 164 East 16th St.

Admitted Sunday were Charles Wilson, 25 East Seventh St.; Mrs. John Speet, 629 Steketee; Ruth Ann Haney, 82 1/2 East 13th St.; Mrs. Peter Markey, 293 Lincoln Ave.; Mrs. Dirk Dykstra, route 5; Albert Meyer, 608 Lawndale Ct.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Gordon Nagelkirk and baby, route 3; Zeeland; Mrs. Roger Miller and baby, Fennville; Mrs. Charles Widdisch and baby, 856 West 25th St.; Mrs. Ed Dreyer and baby, route 3; Hudsonville; Mrs. Gerrit De Leeuw and baby, 180 West 24th St.; Mrs. Harold Buter and baby, 37 Lakewood Blvd.; David Nicol, 221 West 28th St.; Virginia Allen, route 1.

Hospital births include a son, Ronald Jay, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kiekintveld, 367 Felch St.; a daughter, Debra Jane, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Van Wal, 82 West 35th St.; a son, Terry Allan, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kehwecker, 12 1/2 North River Ave.; a daughter, Ruth Ann, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Vander Wal, 415 West 22nd St.; a daughter, Debra Sue, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanford, 288 East 11th St.; a son, Randy Jay, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin De Boer, 1711 Lakewood Blvd.

Burnips

(From Monday's Sentinel)

A cake walk sponsored by the Burnips school Parent Teachers Association was held on Friday evening in the Salem Township community hall at Burnips. Proceeds from the sale of donated baked goods will go for playground equipment for the children of the school. A large group of people attended.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Boerman of Grandville were guests at the home of relatives here on Tuesday evening.

The December meeting of the PTA Burnips school was held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 4 at the school house. The business session was in charge of the vice-president. A gift exchange was held, followed by refreshments and a social time.

The children of Burnips school are busy rehearsing their Christmas play to be presented on Thursday evening, Dec. 23 at the Salem Township Community hall in Burnips.

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De Vries and Dornbos Entertains Employees

The American Legion Club rooms were the scene of the annual De Vries and Dornbos Co. store party last Wednesday evening.

Following invocation by C. J. Westenbroek and a dinner there were short addresses by Charles Rozema and Mr. Westenbroek, both of whom received employees gifts presented by William Van Melle.

Ray Naber led group singing with Miss Marcia Westenbroek at the piano. Gifts were presented to employees by the management after which the Rev. H. Colenbrander and Mrs. C.W. Dornbos spoke.

The program concluded with a piano and cornet duet by Misses Marcia and Jo Ann Westenbroek and the showing of two color films. Games were played. Decorations were arranged by Miss Amanda Oosting and Mrs. Elsie Oosting.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rozema, Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Westenbroek, Mrs. C.W. Dornbos, the Rev. and Mrs. Colenbrander, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dornbos, Mr. and Mrs. Lorman Bauman, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Dam, William Van Melle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brieve, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Schrotenboer, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Naber, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Vanden Berg, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Van Haltsma, the Mesdames Mrs. G. Van Lente, Lillian Smith, Gertrude Trimpe, Dorothy Buscher, Sophie Stefens, Elsie Oosting, Sylvia Mc Clure, Stella Taylor, Lydia Need, Mae Mokma, Minnie Harrington, Sarah Van Lente, Harriet Kruit-hof and the Mesdames Amanda Oosting, Joyce De Jonge, Gladys Buscher, Jennie Prince and Jo Ann and Marcia Westenbroek.

Van Raalte Cabs Have Yale Party

Pack 3001 Cub Scouts of Van Raalte School held a Christmas party Monday evening in the school's new gymnasium.

The scouts and their leaders sat on the floor of the gaily decorated gym for their refreshments and for a short program afterwards.

Tom Bouwman played a trombone solo, and Glenn Rummeler and Delwyn Mulder played a duet, "Silent Night", with the whole group responding with the second verse.

Gifts were presented to B. Van Langevelde, Egbert Gerritsen, and Dick Marlink by individual dens. The pack presented the cub master and the school's custodian with gifts. The boys had a gift exchange from a grab bag.

Chairman Roland Overway was in charge of the meeting.

Holland Emblem Club Meets in Club Rooms

Gifts and groceries to be given to a needy family were brought to the regular meeting of the Holland Emblem Club held in the Elks Club rooms Thursday night. Presiding was Mrs. Kathy Dykstra, president.

The club donated \$25 to the muscular dystrophy drive besides helping with the dance that was held at the Moose Club. Plans also were made to buy a new flag for the altar.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Dorothy Lowry and her committee. Prize winners for the evening were Mrs. Nell Wolf and Mrs. Laura Hettinga.

After lunch the members filled Christmas stockings for the Children's party.

Alaska has a 26,000-mile coastline, which is longer than the coast of the continental United States.

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Ganges

The J.Y.G. club was pleasantly entertained Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Larsen in Glenn. It was their annual Christmas meeting with a co-operative dinner at one o'clock. The husbands of the members were invited guests. A gift exchange and a social time were enjoyed following the dinner hour.

The Unity Club cleared \$39 at their annual dinner and bazaar held recently at the home of Mrs. Ed Simons.

The Ganges Community Grange and the Juvenile Grange held their annual Christmas party at the hall Friday evening. Instead of the regular gift exchange members were asked to bring canned fruit and vegetables to be given to the Douglas Community Hospital. Canasta games and a social time and refreshments were enjoyed.

Mrs. Catherine Simons of Saugatuck was hostess to the Ganges Bridge Club at her home there Monday. A dessert luncheon was served at one o'clock followed by an afternoon of bridge.

About 85 were present at the Family Night supper and Christmas program of the Ganges Baptist church, held Tuesday evening at the Ganges Grange Hall. The members of the primary and intermediate classes of the Sunday School classes provided the program under the direction of their teachers. A Christmas tree and gift exchange were enjoyed. An attractive church sign has been erected at the church under the sponsorship of Mr. Charles Plummer and Mr. G. Osterburg of Saugatuck. Many thanks is due them.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Vincent of Saginaw are the parents of a baby daughter born to them Dec. 6th. She weighed 7 pounds and has been named Susan Kay. The Vincents have two sons.

A son, James Dean, was born Nov. 27 at Douglas hospital to Mr. and Mrs. James Shoulters of Douglas. Mrs. Shoulters was the former Doris Merlie.

Eric Phelps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Phelps, has returned from South Haven Hospital where he underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis on Friday. He is recuperating nicely.

The family night supper and Christmas party of the Ganges Methodist church will be held at the church on Tuesday evening Dec. 21.

Mrs. Ida Martin is in Kalamazoo where she will remain until after the holidays in the home of her son-in-law and the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rhodes. Mr. Rhodes entered the hospital this week for a second operation.

The Ganges Garden Group was entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna Richards. A dessert luncheon was served at one-thirty followed by the business session at which officers for the coming year were elected. They are as follows: President, Mrs. Bessie Enfield; vice president Mrs. Roy Nye; Secretary, Mrs. Cloves Dorman; Treasurer, Mrs. Fred Reimink; flower chairman, Mrs. Wm. Walker presented a very interesting program on Michigan State Parks. It was decided to recess the club meetings until March as so many of the members are away for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Cronkrite and daughter Gail of Hendersonville N. C. were visitors Friday in the home of the former aunt, Mrs. Roy Nye and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schmidgal of Chicago spent the weekend here at their farm home.

Among those on the sick list were Anita and Sally Wolters, Richard Crew Jr. Mrs. Earl Winer, David and Daniel Nye and Margaret Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hinkle were in Chicago on business a couple days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Westveld spent a few days last week in Holland in the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Glupkers.

Mrs. Clinton Ely is making some progress from her recent illness and expects to be fitted soon to leg braces. She still remains at the Blodgett Hospital and is pleased to hear from her many friends in the vicinity.

The Mr. and Mrs. Club of Ganges Methodist Church will co-operate with the Youth Fellowship in the singing of carols on Sunday evening Dec. 19th. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wightman and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Pedkins are hosts.

Pioneer Stamp Club Has Holiday Meeting

The Pioneer Stamp Club of Central Park had a Christmas meeting Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim De Pree on Myrtle Ave.

After trimming the Christmas tree, games were played and refreshments served. Attending the party were Bruce De Pree, Bob Bren, Danny Doolittle, Dick Vökin, Carl Woltman, Steve Egger, Max Wiersma and Mickey Griffith.

Cases Processed In Wood's Court

Many traffic cases were processed in Justice C. C. Wood's court the last several days.

Those paying fines were Vincente M. Sanche, Holland, reckless driving, M-21 in Georgetown Township, \$27; Andrew Ruys, of 177 160th Ave., speeding, Lakewood Blvd., \$7; Robert Bell, route 4, speeding 45 in 35-mile zone, Holland Township, \$7; Keith E. Woodwyk, of 552 West 17th St., speeding 45 in 35-mile zone, Douglas and Lakewood, Holland Township, \$7; Harriet Bobeldyk, 143 East 38th St., speeding 50 in 35-mile zone, Butternut Dr., \$12.

Harriet Veele, route 2, Zeeland, stop sign, \$7, and expired operator's license, \$8.90, Eighth St. and US-31 by-pass, Holland Township; Earl Weener, of 323 Howard Ave., speeding 60 in 45-mile zone, \$12, and stop sign, \$12, Douglas and Howard, Holland Township; Duane R. Sherman, Chicago, speeding 60 in 45-mile zone, M-21, Zeeland Township, \$14.30.

Donald Geurink, route 1, Zeeland, traveling on highway not open, to traffic, \$12; Elaine Hoffmeyer Gebben, route 2, Zeeland, right of way causing accident 120th and Eighth St., Holland Township, \$12; Herbert Lee Wadkins, 88 East 18th St., speeding, 50 in 35-mile zone, Butternut Dr., \$12.

Ben Arra, route 1, Coloma, no license plate, M-21 in Holland Township, \$8.90; Elwood J. Brush, 172 1/2 East Fourth St., failure to have car under control resulting in accident, US-31 in Olive Township, \$12; Clare Van Lier, 188 West 18th St., speeding 60 in 30-mile zone, US-31 in Holland Township, \$29.30; Gerald Brink, 247 North Franklin, Zeeland, improper left turn, M-21 in Holland Township, \$12; Joan Kragt, 170 Highland Ave., stop street, Eighth and US-31, \$5, and speeding 45 in 30-mile zone, US-31 in Holland Township.

Miss LaDick Hostess To Ladies Bible Class

Miss Nellie La Dick was hostess to the Ladies Bible Class of First Methodist Church on Friday evening at the annual Christmas party, held in her home.

Presiding at the meeting was Mrs. Palmer Fox. Mrs. Eugene Fairbanks read scripture and a poem "Make Room in my Heart."

The group then sang Christmas carols and hymns.

Mrs. Willis Haight played selections on the accordion and Mrs. Lena Ackley read the poem, "The Ragged Newsboy." Two readings, "A Christmas Experience" and "The Christmas Angel" were given by Mrs. Nina Daugherty. Gifts for all members were found on a large Christmas tree.

Miss La Dick as Santa Claus distributed the gifts and presented each member with a box of candy.

The class presented Mrs. Daugherty, who has taught them for 12 years, with a gift, and the hostess was also given a gift.

Twenty-nine were present at the party, including Mrs. Fred Scheibach, who recently joined the group.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. W.F. Kendrick and her committee.

Special pictures of the group were taken by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shashagay.

Annual Christmas Party Held By Harlem Group

The Harlem Friendship Guild Christmas party was held in the church basement Thursday night. A short program was in charge of Mrs. Francis Dykstra, Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Mrs. Ernest Overkamp.

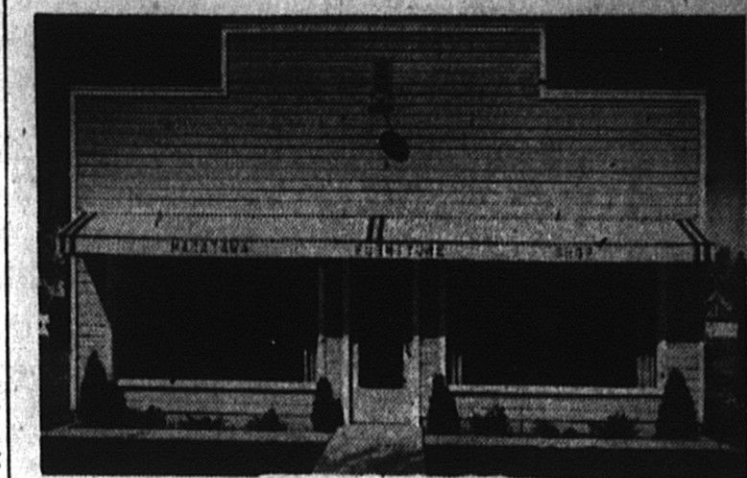
Devotions and Christmas symbol and story were read by candlelight. Christmas carols were sung by the group after which there was a short business meeting. Games were played.

A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Don Bloemers, Mrs. Julius Kamphuis and Mrs. Don Berkompas. Gifts were exchanged.

John Nyboer Celebrates Birthday With Family

John Nyboer, 13 West 17th St., celebrated his 82nd birthday Sunday with the help of six daughters, three sons, 23 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Mr. Nyboer, a member of Fourth Reformed Church, came to Holland from the Netherlands in 1901. Mrs. Nyboer died in 1929.



Christmas Gifts At Macatawa Shop

For that last minute Christmas shopping why not stop at Macatawa Furniture Shop at 453 West 22nd St. and see the numerous articles which will make up as lovely gifts.

One of the finest selection of lamps and pictures is in the display room in addition to a large selection of custom finished furniture such as tables, desks and occasional pieces. The latest in upholstery materials are on hand and Harold Streur, proprietor, and his helpers will prepare that piece of furniture to your liking.

Before selecting new carpeting, visit the Macatawa Store which now carries a wide selection of leading brands of carpet with the latest in patterns and colors.

Finishing and repairing to suit the customer's taste is one of the main objects in Streur's business. Most sales are made through photographs, the unfinished item being brought to Holland to be finished here. He also refinishes used furniture making it "look like new."

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Vows Spoken at Zeeland Church



Mr. and Mrs. Neal R. King

Marriage vows were exchanged Friday, Dec. 10, in First Reformed Church of Zeeland by Miss Mary Kathleen Van Slooten and Neal R. King. The Rev. John den Ouden performed the double ring ceremony before a background of Oregon fern, candelabra, bouquets of white gladioli and yellow and white mums. Pews were marked with white streamers.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Van Slooten of route 3 and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King of route 5.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of imported chantilly lace and nylon tulle over satin. The short sleeves and fitted bodice with scalloped boat neckline, were fashioned of chantilly lace with applique of sequin bows. This was repeated in the bouffant skirt of nylon tulle which extended into a cathedral length train. The elbow-length gauntlets were of chantilly lace and sequins. The Pullet cap of lace held the fingertip veil of illusion. The bride wore a single strand of pearls, gift of the groom. She carried a Bible and a white orchid.

Miss Frances Van Slooten, maid of honor, wore a rust taffeta gown featuring scalloped sleeves and neckline and fashioned like the bride's. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow mums.

Bridesmaids were Miss Alma Van Slooten, Mrs. Paul Myreyn, Mrs. Douglas Van Slooten and Mrs. Arthur Huff. They wore aqua taffeta gowns fashioned like the bride's and carried colonial bouquets of bronze mums. Carrying a similar bouquet was the flower girl, Wanda Koops, who wore an aqua

taffeta dress with white nylon net overskirt. All wore matching headpieces of taffeta and nylon net and nylon net mitts.

Soloist was Donald Van Gelderen. Organist was Miss Lucile Kooyers. Best man was Edward Harrington, Eugene and Dean King, brothers of the groom, Howard Van Voort and Russell Van Til, cousin of the bride, seated the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Van Slooten, Jr., were master and mistress of ceremonies.

At the reception for 125 guests, serving at the punch bowl were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jousma and in the gift room were Mrs. Bob Ash and Mrs. Earl Vander Meulen. Edward Wagenveld was in charge of the guest book. Mrs. Eugene King and Mrs. Jack Oosterbaan poured. For their honeymoon to Florida the bride wore an aqua wool suit with jeweled neckline and navy blue accessories, navy blue cashmere coat, white hat and white orchid corsage. After Jan. 1 they will be at home at 137 Howard.

The bride, a graduate of Holland High school, attended Holland Business Institute and is employed as stenographer at Ottawa County Bureau of Social Aid. The groom attended Holland High school and served two years in the Army, 16 months in England. He plans to return to employment at the Texas Co.

The bride was feted at pre-nuptial showers given by Mrs. Ed Wagenveld; Mrs. Earl Vander Meulen and Mrs. Lloyd Schaap; Mrs. Ben Van Slooten, Jr.; and Mrs. Douglas Van Slooten; and Mrs. Warren Van Til.

Jaycee Auxiliary to Stage Sixth Annual Polio Dance

Mrs. Don Gilcrest has been named general chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary's sixth annual Polio Dance.

The 1955 dance will be held Jan. 8 in the Tulip Room of the Warm Friend Tavern, starting at 9 p.m. Music will be provided by the Frank Lockage orchestra.

Assisting Mrs. Gilcrest on various committees are Mrs. Jay C. Petter, place and orchestra; Mrs. Egbert Boer, publicity; Mrs. Norman Wanger and Mrs. Donn Lindeman, tickets; Mrs. George Slikkers, Jr., and Mrs. Don Ladewig, posters; Mrs. Edwin Nyland and Mrs. Walter Milewski, reception.

Plans for the benefit dance were made Wednesday evening at the December meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Milewski, Sunset Dr. Mrs. Wanger was co-hostess.

Mrs. Edwin Nyland, president, conducted the business meeting.

Plans were made to have a social evening for the January meeting, when the Auxiliary will be celebrating its 10th birthday anniversary. Guests for the evening will be past presidents of the auxiliary.

Program chairman for the birthday party is Mrs. William Wessels with Mrs. Petter and Mrs. Gilcrest assisting. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clarence Boeve with Mrs. Edwin Nyland and Mrs. Myron Van Oort as co-hostesses.

The remainder of the evening was spent completing the auxiliary's annual Christmas baskets. Candies, tree decorations and red felt stockings for children to hang up on Christmas Eve were made. These items, plus a Christmas tree and food for a complete holiday dinner are given each year to a needy family.

A guest at the meeting was Mrs. Norman Etmueller.

41 Women of the Moose Have Christmas Dinner

At 6:30 Wednesday evening 41 women of the Moose had a Christmas dinner and exchange of gifts at Moose Hall. Co-workers brought staples for a Christmas basket.

A business meeting and balloting followed the dinner. Mrs. Marie Botis, senior regent, conducted the meeting. Communications from Mooseheart were read, stating that Holland Chapter 1010 is the honor chapter of this district and Mrs. Botis will be chairman of the mid-winter conference to be held at Ionia on Jan. 30.

A total of \$383.10 was given to the Muscular Dystrophy fund from the Inter-Fraternal dance held at Moose Hall.

The social service committee was in charge of the dinner and dessert served after the meeting by co-workers Mesdames Marion Strong, Virginia Raffenaud, Julia Woldring, Billie Sysma, Clara Eschbagger and Esther Witt. Prize for the evening was won by Mrs. Marguerite Culver.

Formal initiation will be held at the Jan. 5 meeting.

Holland Reserves Win First Game

Holland High's reserves won victory No. 1 Friday night in stopping the previously unbeaten Muskegon Heights seconds, 46-36. After an even first half, the Dutch pulled away in the second half.

"The boys seem to find themselves and handle the ball much better," Coach Bob Connell said following the game.

The Little Dutch took a 10-8 first period lead but the Heights tied the score early in the second quarter and the teams were tied at halftime 16-16. Holland jumped into the lead in the third period and held a 35-24 advantage at the end of the third canto.

Dave Hilbrink led the Little Dutch with 13 points while Les Overway and Dick Vander Yacht each netted 12. Howell was high point man for the Heights with 15 followed by McCarthy with 10.

The average number of miles traveled by an American automobile owner in a year is approximately 13,000.

Fennville

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Auman second class and Mrs. John Kras who are stationed at the Mobile Alabama Air Base, are parents of a girl born Dec. 12. Her name is Mary Louise. Mrs. Kras was formerly Lucille Kluck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kluck.

The Women's Society of Christian Service will hold their Christmas tea this evening at the Hospitality House at 8. A fine program has been planned by Mrs. David Campbell. Hostesses are Mrs. Louis A. Johnson, Mr. Paul Schroeder, Mrs. Edward Grams and Mrs. Alice Smith.

Of interest to people in the area is the approaching wedding of Miss Margaret Sessions, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Sessions of Albion formerly of Fennville. Miss Sessions was born in Fennville. For the past three years she has engaged in missionary work in Portuguese East Africa.

The groom elect is the Rev. Daniel Clark, pastor of Galewood Methodist church, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. R. Clark of Westfield, N.J. He will fly to Rome Dec. 27 to meet his fiancée, and the couple will be married as soon as they can cut the red tape of Italy. Officiating at the ceremony will be the Rev. E. Staffi, district superintendent of the Italian Methodist church. Rev. Clark and Rev. Staffi met at the recent World Council of churches assembly in Evanston, Ill.

After the wedding the couple will tour northern Italy, Switzerland, Germany, France and Great Britain and are expected to arrive in Galesburg in January.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Van Dussen were hosts to a turkey dinner and Christmas party Saturday evening for their canasta club.

The Methodist church and Immanuel Baptist church have undergone extensive decorations on both the walls and the woodwork. At the Baptist church new linoleum has been put on the entire floor with new carpeting to be added later. The Methodist church recently laid new carpet. A Holland contractor did the work at the Baptist church while the Methodist work was done by a Kalamazoo firm.

Mr. Grace Maria has been in Allegan Health Center the past two weeks recovering from a heart ailment. She expects to be released the last of the week and will come to the home of her son, Bernard. John Deschmeier returned here Tuesday from Petoskey where he was called a week ago by the death of his father, John Deschmeier, 80 years old.

Connie, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Comeau, returned home Saturday from Allegan Health Center. She has undergone an emergency appendectomy.

Three-year-old Deborah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnson, had her tonsils removed last Thursday at Allegan Health Center. She returned home Saturday.

A large and appreciative audience heard the Methodist choir give their Christmas cantata, "The Chorus of the Skies" Sunday afternoon. Guests were present from Holland, Kalamazoo and Lansing.

At the close Mrs. T.E. Dussen presented Mrs. Wayne Weedy, director of the choir and church organist, two gifts from the church.

The Past Noble Grands held their December meeting and Christmas party this week Wednesday evening. Following business a gift exchange was held. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Margaret

Funeral Held Sunday For Mrs. Minnie Hynes

FENNVILLE (Special)—Funeral services were held at the congregational church at Pullman Sunday at 2 p.m. for Mrs. Minnie Maud Hynes, 70, who died Friday at her home at Pullman, route 1.

Surviving are a son, Joseph of Oak Park, Ill.; a daughter, Miss Blanches Hynes of Pullman; a brother, Charles Hill of Allegan. Burial was at Lee Cemetery. Arrangement were by the Chappell Funeral Home in Fennville.

Zeeland Defeats Whitehall Cagers

ZEELAND (Special)—A strong second half enabled the Zeeland Chix to defeat Whitehall here Friday night, 68-57. The victory gave the Chix an overall season's mark of three and one.

Playing on even terms in the first half, the teams ended the first quarter tied at 17-all. Zeeland sneaked two points ahead at the end of the half and led 33-32.

Bud B-saung, big gun for Whitehall in the first half, was bottled up in the third quarter, and the Chix went into an eight point lead. The score at the end of the third period was 50-42. Whitehall played without the services of Kaj Sorenson, high scoring forward.

Art Klamt led the Chix scoring with 24 points, making most of the baskets on layups. Jack Faber and Dave Tyink tied for second honors with eight points each. Besaung paced the losers with 17 points.

The Zeeland reserves won an overtime contest from the Whitehall seconds. The score was 47-44, after being tied 44-all at the end of the regular game.

Coach Paul Van Dort praised the foul shooting of Dave Van Poursen and Max De Jonge as big factors in the last quarter Zeeland drive. The Chix were behind at half 28-18.

Ron Beyer led the Little Chix with 13 points followed by Ron Komejan with 10. Caviness paced Whitehall with 16 tallies.

Fighting Blackhawks Win Overtime Thriller

FENNVILLE (Special)—A fast breaking Bloomingdale basketball team fought to a 46-46 tie with Fennville only to fall before a sharp Blackhawk attack 50-46 in overtime Friday night in Al-Van League play.

Paced by Tyler with 12 points and Baker and Hathaway with 11 each, the visitors failed to click in early quarters and were on the short end of a 24-17 count at half-time.

For the Blackhawks it was the consistent shooting of Warren Stahl and Art Oxford that gave them a margin throughout most of the contest. Stahl had 17 points, Oxford 14 and Jesse Silas eight.

It was the second Blackhawk win in three conference boasts a 3-2 overall record boasts a 3-2 margin. In the reserve contest Bloomingdale's reserves had better luck than their varsity brothers and held onto a 35-27 win.

Seven Injured In Headon Crash

Two cars collided headon near the "Y" station on the west city limits of Zeeland at 1:15 p.m. Friday and seven persons were injured, one critically.

It was snowing hard and roads were slippery.

Cars were driven by Jemina Ensing, about 26, of Zutphen, headed west, and Clarence Brower, 34, Grandville, headed east on M-21.

Both drivers received cuts and bruises.

Injured were Mildred Van Dyke, 26, East Saugatuck, who received preliminary treatment for serious skull injuries and then was taken to Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids; Wilma Vander Bie, 26, of 334 West 16th St., Holland, facial cuts; Edna Hossink, 27, of 361 West 17th St., Holland, bruises.

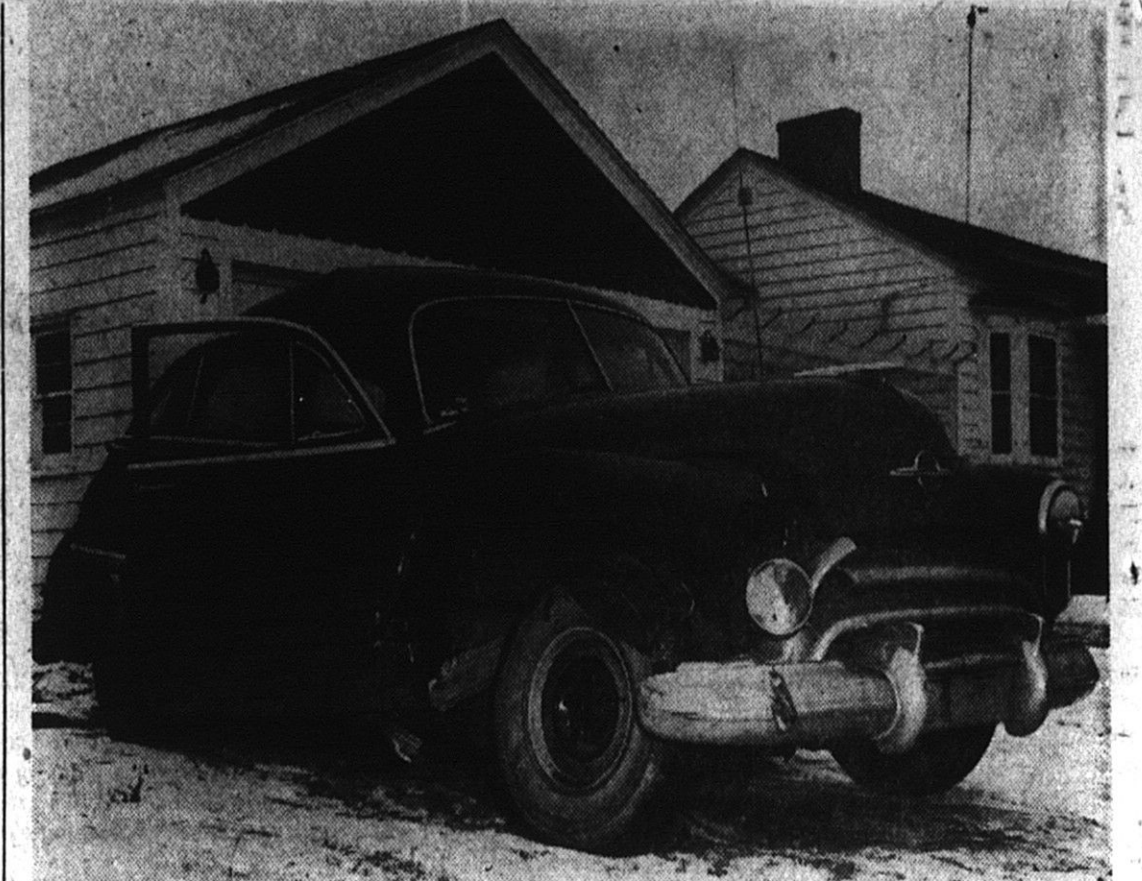
They were returning to Holland for a weekend vacation from the Reformed Bible Institute in Grand Rapids. They were riding in the Ensing car.

Tony Woodwyk, 39, of Hudsonville, received head lacerations and chest injuries. Also riding in the Brower car and injured was Gordon Haff, 44, Grandville; forehead lacerations.

Brower and his passengers were enroute from the C&O yards in Holland to Grandville.

Brower told deputies that he went off the right shoulder and it threw him into a spin and he skidded across the four lanes and struck the other car just as it "came over the rise."

Both cars were extensively damaged.



WRECKED CAR — Here's the car that Mrs. Gelmer Nyhof, route 4, was driving Thursday morning when it collided with a semi at the intersection of US-31 and M-21 east of the city limits. The '49 model car ended up 150 feet from point of impact in the intersection. Mrs.

Nyhof was thrown out and landed 45 feet from the point of impact. Mrs. Nyhof received arm and head injuries and her right arm was amputated at Holland Hospital after the accident.

(Sentinel photo)

Volleys

Christmas is in the air but good these days. The busy crowds overloaded postmen and even the slush underfoot all convince the people that Christmas is upon us.

Aside from footsore clerks the busiest spot is the post office where clerks line up elbow to elbow to toss mail into an endless maze of pigeon holes. Just a few hours on that job, and any clerk will give some pretty good tips on how to address greetings.

For instance, one of the bugbears is the large-sized envelope which will not fit into the ordinary pigeon hole. Sometimes they fit when slightly curved and sometimes they won't go in at all. The new temporary cases have larger apertures, and frustrations on sizes are reduced.

Another thing is incorrect addresses. . . . and here the kicks are so varied they don't settle down to classification readily. Illegible handwriting is the toughest one, and most any clerk will argue with Emily Post or other etiquette authorities their preference for a good typewriter.

As for that business of putting the return address on the back flap, clerks to a man are in favor of the upper left hand corner of the front of the letter. To heck with the etiquette books!

Of course, sometimes (really quite often) in comes a stack of beautifully addressed greetings, all nicely sorted and really legible. These are a joy to behold.

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Leonard Rummel and his orchestra of Holland provided the music and the local Red Cross Chapter furnished refreshments. The orchestra made a big hit with the patients, not only because of the excellent music, but because it was the first time a dance of that kind had ever been held in that ward.

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Interested in making plum pudding from a tested recipe?

This recipe was used by Romeo Charest, chef instructor of the Canadian National railway, to supply all dining cars with plum pudding during the Christmas holidays. The ingredients were calculated to provide about 350 cans of pudding for 2,100 individual servings.

Take 300 pounds of raisins, 300 pounds of sultanas and 360 pounds of currants. Soak all night in eight gallons of rum, 160 quarts of stout and 30 ounces of vanilla.

Then make up the dry ingredients which include 280 pounds of flour, 40 pounds of cinnamon, 10 pounds of allspice, and 2½ pounds each of salt, baking soda and nutmeg. Add six and a quarter pounds of ginger and mix all together thoroughly.

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MRS. J. FRANK DUFFY, JR., presents a check for \$500 to Fred S. Burd, director of Holland Hospital, representing the last half of payment for two nursing scholarships, the Ella Coyne Duffy scholarship and the J. Frank Duffy, Sr., scholarship. The 1954 scholarships were awarded to Marcella Steur, now in training at Evanston School of Nursing, and Mary Vander Hill at Hackley Hospital in Muskegon. Both are \$500 scholarships.

(Sentinel photo)

Engagement Told

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Four members of the Holland High tumbling team presented the halftime entertainment Friday night at the Holland-Muskegon Heights basketball game. Coached by Ned Stuits of the Holland High faculty the boys performed several tricks on the mats.

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Present were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rigerink, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rigerink, Keith, Larry and Diane, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Schipper, Dell and Norma all of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Rigerink, Dale, Debby, Dana and Donna, of Virginia Park and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Tidd, Carl Jr., Mark, Briar, Susan and Mira.

Five Building Permits Issued

Five applications totaling \$19,350 were filed last week with Building Inspector Laverne Serne in the city engineer's office in City Hall. Applications follow:

Stanley Van Otterloo, 163 East 25th St., new house, frame construction, 32 by 24 feet, \$10,500; Essenburg Building and Lumber Co., contractor.

Clarence Oosting, 311 West 28th St., new house 1½ story, frame construction, \$8,500; self, contractor.

Bert Zweering, 82 West 17th St., reroof porch, \$65; Mool Roofing Co., contractor.

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Beaverdam

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The Rev. Jay Weener was guest speaker at the Bible Class group of the Hamilton Reformed Church last Friday night.

At the congregational meeting of the Reformed Church last Tuesday evening Henry Feenstra and Cyrene Huyser were elected elders. Chris De Jonge and Harold Heihn as deacons.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman and daughter Laurie Ann were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Zoet on Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jay Weener and sons Don and Jim were dinner guests with Rev. and Mrs. John Benes in Spring Lake last

Farm-to-Prosper Set for Dec. 28 At Muskegon High

Governor, Rural Leaders Scheduled to Attend; Program Announced

Plans are nearing completion for the biggest Round-Up yet in the 14 years of the West Michigan Farm-to-Prosper Contest. It will be held in Muskegon Senior High School auditorium Tuesday, Dec. 28, beginning at 1 p.m.

Tickets have been distributed through county agricultural agent's offices, but tickets will be available at the door for any not having them.

Gov. Williams last week wrote his assurance he would be present to award certificates and cash prizes to winning organizations. Having the Governor perform this service has been traditional with the contest since the beginning, in 1940.

"I shall be delighted to be on hand for the Farm-to-Prosper Contest Round-Up," the Governor wrote.

State leaders of rural life will be present. John A. Butz, vice-president for Mason County of the contest association board of trustees, will act as master of ceremonies. Butz is active in the Grange and Farm Bureau.

The Governor will be entertained at luncheon at the Occidental Hotel preceding the Round-Up.

The program at the high school will open with a half hour's concert by combined bands of Jolman and Orchard View schools, under Carl Borgeson. James S. Kolkowski, Muskegon musician, will lead community singing.

Entertainment numbers on the program still are being arranged. There will be song and dance numbers. Del Lankier's trio of Benona, Oceana County, will play during the lunch period in the cafeteria, and Trent Grange orchestra, Muskegon County, will play for square dancing, to close the afternoon.

A special program is being arranged for entertainment of little children in the high school "Little Theater," while the main program is being held.

The state Grange executive committee will meet in Muskegon on day of the Round-Up, and will attend the event. Also, Merrill Eady, lecturer of Michigan State Grange, is holding a conference of Western Michigan masters and lecturers here Monday and Tuesday, and those attending will attend the Round-Up.

The women's division of the Greater Muskegon Chamber of Commerce will provide flowers and candy for women attending the Round-Up. A number of attractive prizes have been obtained.

Everything in connection with the event is free.

Drenthe

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Mast are the parents of a son born last week at the Holland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nagelkirk are the parents of a son born last week at the Holland Hospital.

The Willing Workers Society members and their leader went for a hay ride Monday evening and also did some caroling for shut-ins. After their return to the church basement gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brinks and Randall spent Sunday evening with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Hazevoort at North Blendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert De Kleine, Junior Nykamp and Goldie Brower motored to Grand Rapids last week Friday evening to attend the wedding of their niece and cousin, Miss Shirley Dozeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dozeman.

Erwin Mast left Monday morning for Fort Sheridan, where he will receive his discharge papers from the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tanis, Mrs. E. Van Dam and Miss Jennie Boer called on Mrs. Gerrie De Kleine and Gertrude on afternoon last week. They called also on Jerald Van Dam at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Van Dam.

Assistant Agricultural Agent Leaves Allegan

ALLEGAN (Special) — Allegan county will lose its assistant agricultural agent this week. William MacLean, who has served as club agent and side to County Agent A.D. Morley for the past six years will return to Michigan State college for six months to obtain his master's degree in agriculture.

After obtaining his degree, he will return to the extension field, probably as a county agent in some other Michigan area.

Morley said no replacement for MacLean is contemplated for the immediate future.

Given 30-Day Jail Term For Aiding Delinquency

Alfred Heath Jr., 38, of 178 East Fifth St. was sentenced to 30 days in jail by Municipal Court Judge Cornelius vander Meulen after pleading guilty to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

In other court action Monday Howard Barnes, 28, route 3, Pennville, was bound over to Circuit Court after waiving examination on a non-support charge. Bond of \$1,000 was not furnished.



TWELVE BUSHEL BASKETS OF CANNED GOODS — enough to fill a lot of hungry stomachs this Christmas. All that and a fun-filled morning for hundreds of Holland youngsters was the combination offered by Holland Theater Saturday morning with their annual special Christmas showing of comedies. In place of regular admission, each youngster brought a can of food. Later members of the Exchange Club delivered the baskets of food

to the City Mission and Salvation Army to be used in their Christmas distributions. The Rev. John O. Hagans, president of the club, said the entire main floor of the theater was filled with children. Members of the club expressed special thanks to the theater management for providing the performance.

(Penna-Sas photo)

Hamilton

The Kings Daughters society enjoyed an annual Christmas potluck supper at the home of their leader, Mrs. Betty Miskotten, on Monday evening. Following the meal the new officers for the coming year were elected: President, Eleanor Schievink; vice president, Joan Joostberns; secretary, A.M. Jostberns; treasurer, Connie Haakma; assistant secretary, Darlene Smidt; librarian, Barbara Folkert. Mrs. N. Van Heukelom will be the new leader for the coming year.

A group of high school friends enjoyed a Christmas get-together at the home of Carolyn Bolks on Friday evening, Dec. 17. Games were played and lunch was served. Those present were Barbara Folkert, Virginia Top, Dorothy Dykhuys, Betty Koops, Ruth Ann Sale, Eleanor Riemink, Judy Nykamp, Belva Rankens, Carole Lugten, Glenda Brower and the hostess Carolyn Bolks.

The Men's Brotherhood, with their wives as guests, met at the church on Monday evening with Floyd Kempfers, president, presiding. Scripture was read by Glenn Folkert and prayer was offered by Mr. Kempfers. Guest speaker for the evening was the Rev. Raymond Van Heukelom, pastor of the First Reformed Church of Holland, who spoke on the subject "The Reformed Faith and Democracy." Following a short business meeting Richard Brower closed with prayer. A social time with refreshments was enjoyed.

On Sunday morning the Rev. N. Van Heukelom had as his sermon topic, "The Promise Fulfilled," and the children's sermon entitled, "A Korean Girl's Christmas Story." "O Little Town of Bethlehem" was sung by Miss Gladys Bultman and Mrs. Floyd Kaper.

Junior High C.E. met in regular session with Student Charles Vander Beek as speaker? Devotions were in charge of Chester Groenheide.

Senior C.E. leader was Rev. Van Heukelom who spoke on the topic, "Great Joy to All Men." Devotional leader was Dale Jipping.

On Sunday evening a contacts "Child Jesus" was given by four choirs, the Junior choir, the Women's Chorus, the Girls' choir and the Adult choir under the direction of Kenneth Louis, Miss Fannie Bultman and Mrs. Edna Ten Pas with Mrs. M. Kaper and Fannie Bultman accompanists. Narrator was Dr. H. W. Ten Pas.

Prior to the cantata, Rev. Van Heukelom gave a short message entitled, "The Hymn of the Angels."

A Christmas party of Mrs. Harry Jipping's Sunday School class was held at the Jipping home on Monday evening. A hay ride was enjoyed with Harvey Klein and Harry Jipping driving the tractor. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jipping assisted by Mrs. Klein. Gifts were exchanged.

Those present were: Joanne Ten Pas, Marsha Kaper, Sally Haakma, Mary Ann Lugten, Donna Ter Haar, Sally Kaper, Necla Veldhof, Karen Folkert, Edith Folkert, Carolyn Jansen, Susan Staal, Norma Lugtheide, Donna Koops, Betty Joostberns, Patricia Kimber and Barbara Schipper.

The teachers and officers of the Sunday School held their business meeting at the church on Thursday evening. Hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Maatman and Mr. and Mrs. John Haakma.

Young Holland Lawyer Admitted to the Bar

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — William L. Mackay, 28, of 273 West 16th St., Holland, was admitted to the bar by Judge Raymond L. Smith Wednesday upon motion of Probate Judge Frederick T. Miles. Mackay was graduated from Holland High School in 1943. Hope College in 1950 and the University of Michigan law school in 1954. He will be practicing in Lansing as of Jan. 3, 1955.

Mackay's candidacy was endorsed by U.S. District Attorney Wendell A. Miles and former Circuit Judge Fred T. Miles of Holland. Mackay's mother, Mrs. Mary Mackay of Holland, attended the swearing-in ceremonies.

Divorce Granted

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A divorce decree was granted in Ottawa Circuit Court Wednesday to Jean Anne Rummel from La Verne Rummel, both of Grand Haven. Custody of the minor child was awarded to the mother.

Montello Park Students Present Yule Program

A large crowd attended the annual Christmas program of Montello Park School Tuesday evening in the school gym. Chaplain Chester Kramer read the Christmas story and offered prayer.

Following greetings by W. Clare Walker, Ties Pruis, principal announced the program. Robert Van Ess conducted the school band which played several carols and Mrs. Blaine Timmer's kindergarten and first grades presented the welcome and sang Christmas songs. Carols also were sung by Miss Natalie Nyhuis' second grade pupils and Miss Adeline Sybema's third grade.

A Christmas carol pageant under direction of music director, Mrs. Fred Coleman, was presented by upper classes. Assisting were Mr. Pruis, Herbert Maatman, Miss Lois Kronmeyer and Miss June Fiedler.

Taking part were Dianne Besko, Janet Walker, Virginia White, Tera O'Meara, Mary Jane Meyer, Gene Vandepels, Nancy Kruid, Sally Alderink, Dale Kraai, George Besko, Phyllis De Pree, Darlene Nynas, Steven Brunink, Susan Kramer, Lynn Brower, Annabelle Riksen, Dick Topp, Robert Scholten and Jackie Kraai.

Robert Swieringa, Herman Bakker, Marshall Kramer, Ted Meyer, Delwyn Dekker, Larry Loman, Phil Nyland, Edward Ooms, Larry Vliem and Kenneth Hill.

Gifts were presented to the regular teachers, the janitor, John Steketee who has been with the school for 20 years, Mr. Van Ess and the music teacher, Mrs. Coleman.

St. Francis Study Club Meets at Wymore Home

Mrs. Roy A. Wymore entertained the St. Christopher Study Club of St. Francis De Sales Church at her home on 29th St. Thursday evening.

Mrs. B. P. Donnelly, Jr., leader of the group, conducted a discussion on family advent customs. Mrs. Glen Klopfenstein read a letter from Mrs. M. Vander Aa, an elderly woman living at Amersfoort, the Netherlands, who since World War II has been doing charity work caring for the sick and war victims.

St. Christopher Study Club has been sending CARE packages to aid her in her work and the group voted to continue the work. Mrs. John Hudzik, secretary-treasurer, is to obtain a current listing of CARE packages.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Donnelly poured from a table following a Christmas theme. The next meeting will be held Jan. 3 at the home of Mrs. Hudzik on South Division Ave.

Christmas Party Staged By Pack 3030 Cub Scouts

A Christmas party was held Monday night in Harrington School by Pack 3030. Opening ceremonies were in charge of Mrs. J. Johnson's Den. Dr. Eugene Osterhaven led the Cub Scouts in the Flag Salute.

Cubmaster Don Scholten led the parents and Scouts in singing Christmas Carols. They were accompanied by Mrs. Harold Tanis.

There was a surprise visit by Santa Claus who distributed gifts to each Cub Scout. Popcorn balls, candy canes and fudge were furnished by Cub Scout mothers. Scholten called on each Den to decorate a Christmas tree with ornaments they had made. The tree was provided by Mrs. Louis Haight and Mrs. Tanis' Den. The decorated tree was taken to the children's ward of Holland Hospital by Santa Claus and Dr. Osterhaven.

Den 5, Mrs. Kenneth Kerb's group, was announced as the winner in the recent paper drive.

Marriage Licenses

Ottawa County Norman J. Nyland, 34, Highland Park, Mich., and Doris Nyland, 33, Holland; Alverne Wayne Hop, 20, and Arlene Ruth Lankheet, 19, both of route 2, Holland; Dr. Peter Alexander McArthur, 29, Grand Haven, and Edna Strachan Scott, 26, Marine City.

A nail driven into a tree trunk will be at the same height from the ground five years later.

Engaged



Miss Geneva Mae Meppelink, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Meppelink of Borculo announce the engagement of their daughter, Geneva Mae, to Alvin Huizenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit E. Huizenga, 320 West McKinley, Zeeland. The couple plans to be married in February.

Resthaven Guild Meets At Central Park Church

The Christmas spirit was shown throughout the program presented last Friday evening when the Central Park Reformed Church was hostess to the Resthaven Guild at its monthly meeting.

Mrs. D. Vander Meer read the Old Testament prophecies pertaining to the coming of our Saviour and Mrs. A. Huff responded by reading parts of scripture from the New Testament pertaining to the fulfillment. Each portion was concluded with a song.

Mrs. A. Dogger presided at the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. William C. De Roo.

Pictures were shown of the leprosy colony in Portuguese, East Africa, taken by Dr. Stauffacher. Mrs. Huff sang "Holy Night." Lunch was served from decorated tables following the Christmas motif by the hostess church.

The next meeting of the Guild will be held in Maple Avenue Christian Reformed Church.

Lions Club Entertains Blind Persons in Area

Members of the Holland Lions Club entertained blind persons in the area at the annual Christmas dinner party at Hope Church last Wednesday evening.

Charles Ver Burg, head of the blind committee, introduced the guests and their escorts. The blind guests were presented presents and grocery orders.

Harvey De Vries introduced the speaker, Dr. Simon Blocker. The Calvary Four sang. Women of Hope Church served the dinner. Bernard Shashagay is president of Lions Club.

Calvary Church Group Has Christmas Party

Members of the Calvary Reformed Church Ladies Aid and Mission Society held their annual Christmas party Thursday evening at the church.

Mrs. John Deters led devotions and a short business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Lester Steggerda.

Secret pals were revealed by an exchange of gifts and members of the group also presented Mrs. Raymond Denekas with a gift.

Decorations for the affair included a centerpiece of evergreens, holly and candles, and other Christmas greens. Mrs. Henry Bouwman was in charge of decorations.

Hostesses were the Mesdames Bert Vrieling, Louie Tenckink, Lester Steggerda and Henry Bouwman.

Space Heater Blamed

ZEELAND (Special) — Only minor damage was reported following a fire at the Harvey Collins home at 265 Woodward St. here about 5:45 a.m. today. Trucks from Holland Township station No. 3 were on the scene less than a half hour. Fire Chief Bert Schuitema said an overheated space heater caused the blaze. The Collinses left on schedule for a trip to Arkansas later this morning.

Fast Start Stuns Tigers; Maroons Dominate Boards

Holland Christian's fast breaking Maroons posted their third straight cage victory of the season, Tuesday night, on the Civic Center court when they humbled Allegan, 62-42. The defeat was Allegan's second in five starts so far this year, their other being the opener to a veteran Dowagiac quintet.

Setting a terrific pace in the first quarter, the locals completely stunned the visiting Tigers, who never did get into the ball game after the opening whistle. Coach Art Tuls' club set a torrid tempo in that first eight minutes as they hit a phenomenal percentage of their shots. Allegan couldn't recover after the Maroon attack, and didn't come within 11 points after the Dutch had rolled to the 24-7 first quarter lead.

Although the locals were spotty in their play throughout the remaining portion of the contest, they gave plenty of evidence throughout the tilt that their fast break attack is beginning to click. If their shooting continues as it has in their last three games, the locals will be heard from before this season is over.

Once again the Dutch forward wall of Gary Vander Ark, John Mulder and Dave Vander Hill paved the way for the fast break as they completely dominated the boards. Meanwhile Guards Jun. Buursma and Warren Boer, who started his first game, were hitting well from outcourt. Vander Ark, although he only collected four points, turned in one of his best performances both defense and the boards. Paul Dykema, a substitute, also turned in a good steady game with headsup play.

Allegan has a fast, good ball handling club built around 6'3" Center Bud Ingalsbee. When the fast break is stopped, the Tigers resort to using their pivotman and cutting around him for layups. One of the biggest weaknesses Tuesday night was their inability to cope with the Dutch on the backboards.

Christian is coming along well as they begin to click more as a unit in each contest. Tuls continues to use plenty of reserve material with all 12 men getting into the contest. By midway in the second stanza, the Maroons had practically an entirely new ball club in the game.

There wasn't much that the Allegan club could do that first period to stop the Dutch as they experienced their best all around period of the season so far. As Coach Ken Otis of Allegan said at the intermission, "That shooting was something to admire, even though I was on the other bench."

The play slackened considerably in the second stanza with the visitors outscoring the locals 13-9, due mostly to some accurate foul shooting. By the end of the half, the Hollanders were holding on to a comfortable 32-20 lead.

Allegan crept to a 35-24 deficit early in the third period, before the Dutch attack started to roll again. Going into the final eight minutes of play, the Hollanders once again were coasting along on a 44-26 margin.

The Dutch started to find the range again in the final stanza after some defensive lapses had allowed the losers to pull to a 52-40 count. Reserves finished out the game for the Maroons as they pushed the final tally over the 60 mark.

Christian hit on a good eight out of 12 foul tries, while Allegan collected 12 out of 24 from the charity line.

Tuls got some balanced scoring from his club with Dave Vander Hill, a junior, leading the way with 15, followed by Mulder and Buursma with 14 each. Ingalsbee was high for Allegan with 10.

Christian takes to the road next Tuesday when it tangles with arch rival Grand Rapids Christian on the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium court.

Box score: When an elephant charges, it walks with shigh speed, making a gait something like a run. Its speed is at the rate of 100 yards in 10 seconds.

Iowa Five Makes 35 Free Throws In Winning, 77-71

PELLA, Iowa (Special) — Hope College felt the impact of the statement that the new "bonus" ruling will cause many basketball games to be decided at the foul line this season. The Dutch lost to Central College here Thursday night, 77-71. Hitting on 35 out of 46 foul shots for 76 percent, the Central five gained the victory.

The Dutch outscored the winners from the floor, netting 28 field goals to Central's 21. Hope made 15 out of 35 shots in the first half, compared with the winners 10 out of 25. Central collected 11 out of 22 in the second half while Hope got 13 out of 40. Hope's floor percentage was 37 percent while the Flying Dutch had 44 percent. At the foul line, Hope dumped in 15 out of 24 tries for 62 percent.

"We ran up against a team determined to win, and that's what they went out and did," Hope Coach John Visser said after the game. Central now holds a five-one record, with the only blemish being the Hope victory, 65-56, here the opening game of the season. Hope now holds an overall mark of three and three.

Jumping to an early lead, Hope held the upper hand the entire first half. With Bob Hendrickson, Whitely Riemersma and John Adams doing the scoring, the Hope fast break functioned well. The halftime score favored Hope, 35-31.

Free throws and timely baskets by Gus Youngberg, Central forward, pulled the Flying Dutch even with Hope and into a six point lead early in the third quarter. Playing control ball, the Central five held the ball out forcing Hope to go after it. In trying to capture the ball, Hope committed many fouls and Central cashed in. Central made a total of 24 foul shots in the second half.

Commenting on the contest, Visser reported John Adams, a slow starter this season, "seems to have hit stride." He scored 20 points and was especially strong on the fast break.

Norm Kramer, usually effective with a hook shot, failed to score in the contest. The fan shaped backboards seemed to bother the big sophomore, the Hope coach said.

Visser lauded the play of two Central leads. Youngberg, a forward, "has come a long way since the first game," he reported. Youngberg made 25 points Thursday night, while he netted only six here. The Hope coach also complimented the work of Eldon Schulte, a reserve center, who filled in for Bob Vander Linden, held down because of illness, and turned in a creditable performance.

Bob Hendrickson led the Hope scoring with 22 points, followed closely by Adams with 20. Youngberg's 25 paced the Flying Dutch. Vic Manussier was second high with 15, including 11 foul tosses. The Hope team stayed in Newport, Iowa Thursday night and will return to Holland at 9:30 p.m.

	Hope (71)				
	FG	FT	PP	TP	TP
Riemersma	8	0	1	16	
Adams, f	8	4	5	20	
Hendrickson, c	8	6	4	22	
Molenaar, g	3	2	2	8	
Rink, g	1	3	5	5	
Kramer, c	0	0	2	0	
T. Aubin, f	0	0	0	0	
Jeltes, f	0	0	3	0	
Vander Lind, f	0	0	3	0	
Totals	28	15	23	71	

	Central (77)				
	FG	FT	PP	TP	TP
Ver Hoef, f	3	8	5	14	
Youngberg, f	10	5	2	25	
Vander Linden, c	0	0	0	0	
Bush, g	3	0	8	14	
Manussier, g	2	11	3	15	
Timmer, f	0	1	1	1	
Van Hemert, f	0	0	1	0	
Schulte, c	3	2	2	8	
Totals	21	35	14	77	

Harrington Cub Scouts Have Christmas Party

After their regular den meeting Wednesday evening Cub Scouts of Den 5 from Harrington School Pack 3030 had a Christmas party at the home of den mother, Mrs. Kenneth Kerbs.

After singing Christmas carols and making plans for going caroling on Christmas, the group played games and Mrs. Kerbs served refreshments. The Cubs exchanged gifts and also presented their den mother with a gift.

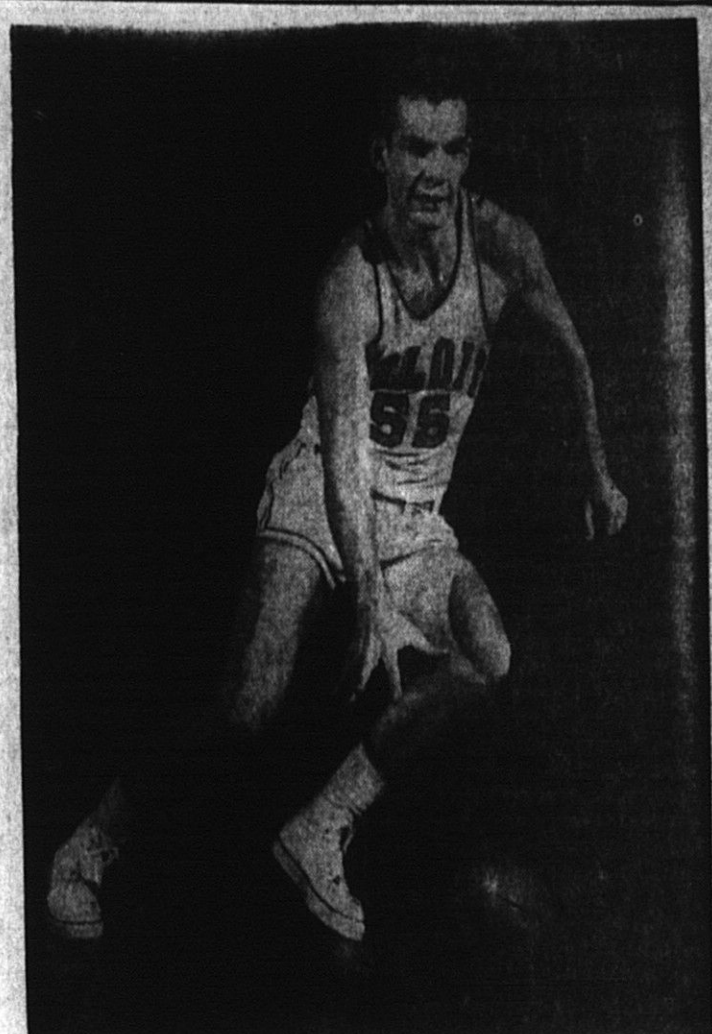
Present at the party were Jim Reno, James Stephen, Clark Jesiek, George Romeyn and Sam Smeenge.

Ottawa Church Choir To Present Cantata

The senior choir of Ottawa Reformed Church will present the cantata, "The Music of Christmas" by Ira B. Wilson under the direction of Henry Slager at the regular evening service Sunday at 7:30. The Rev. G. Rozeboom will give a brief sermon.

Soloists will be Miss Jean Marlink, soprano, who will sing "Good Tidings;" Francis Merriman, tenor, who sings "He Shall Feed His Flock;" Jerrold Morren, bass singing, "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus;" Lucille Vanden Bosch, alto, who sings "Little Lord Jesus;" Mrs. Joan Krontje soprano, who will sing "In Our Heart."

Accompanists will be Mrs. Julia Ten Brink at the organ and Mrs. Carol Headley at the piano.



BELOIT MAINSTAY — Chuck Westall, a regular last season and one of the most consistent shots on the team. Last season, he was fourth highest scorer with 283 points. Westall was an Illinois all-state high school player. (Photo courtesy of Beloit College)

Beloit Has Difficulty Starting This Season

(This is the second in a series on teams competing in the first annual Hope College Holiday Classic scheduled at the Civic Center Dec. 29-30.)

Unlike last season when Beloit College won 11 straight games and a total of 19 out of 22, the Buccaneers have lost three of their five games this season. Two of the defeats this season were by a total of three points.

The Bucs opened the season defeating West Texas State, 71-69 in four overtimes. Gustavus Adolphus gave Beloit defeat No. 1, 74-61. This was followed by a 71-70 loss to Northern Illinois and a 70-68 setback to Wabash. The last time out, Beloit stopped Indiana State, 88-81.

Beloit will play Albion at the Civic Center, Dec. 29 and will meet Hope the following night.

Coach Dolph Stanley, now in his tenth year at Beloit, uses a three lane fast break plus a slip and roll type of offense. This offense has made the Bucs one of the top small college basketball powers in the Midwest.

While at Beloit, Stanley's teams have won 187 games and lost 38. Prior to the Beloit job, Stanley captured the Illinois prep basketball title while coaching Taylorville. The team won 45 straight games.

Nine lettermen are included on the Bucs roster. Of this group the starting five are letterwinners. Wayne Gilmore, 6'3" senior, and Bob Litwhiler, 6'5" junior, are the starting forwards. Mack Stanley, 6'5" senior, holds down the center spot. Chuck Westall, 6' senior, and Dick Hartzell, 5'9" junior, are the starting guards.

A sixth letterman, John Brooks, Katzenberg, 5'7" and Jack Vahradian, 5'10". All are junior guards. Ray Polhill, 6' forward, is the other junior on the squad.

Six sophomores have served important reserve roles so far this season. Dick Johnson, 6'6" Gross Point, center has seen a lot of action along with Jerry Leggett, 5'9" guard. Bob Bloom, 6'1" forward, John Hunt, 5'10" guard, Bob Knillans, 6'2" forward and Tom Wagner, 5'8" guard, round out the sophomore contingent.

Beloit, a coeducational institution lists 950 students. The college was founded by the New England Congregationalists and Presbyterians.

More than 300 employees were guests of the H. J. Heinz Company at its annual Christmas banquet, with turkey and all the trimmings, Tuesday night in the Christian High School gymnasium. Gunard V. Bjork gave the invocation and Henry J. Blauwkamp acted as toastmaster. Organ music was furnished by John Swieringa, who were special guests. They included J. Gordon Berkompas.

A highlight of the evening was introduction of retired employees who were special guests. They included Abe Palmbois, Jacob Hoffman,

Accident Leads To Two Others Near West Olive

Mrs. Charlotte Tessner, 36, of Chicago, received a lacerated nose, knee injuries and bruises, and her son, Michael, 7, head bruises at 5:15 Friday when their car was struck by an oncoming vehicle attempting to pass another car.

The accident occurred on US-31 in West Olive, about 300 feet from the Crosswell St. crossing.

Clinton H. Alyea, 209 West 14th St., Holland, told police that he was driving south at about 45 miles an hour when he attempted to pass a car going in the same direction, driven by Mrs. Evelyn Beverwyk, 352 College Ave., Holland. As he was passing, Alyea said he met the car driven by Elmer A. Tessner, 7360 North Hazen Ave., Chicago, in which Mrs. Tessner and her son were riding.

Police said that Mrs. Beverwyk pulled to the right shoulder and slid into the ditch in an attempt to avoid the accident. She was not injured.

Alyea told police that he applied his brakes and skidded into the Tessner car. Damage to Alyea's '51 model was estimated at \$250 and to Tessner's '53 model at \$400.

Mrs. Tessner and her son were taken to Grand Haven Hospital by a passing motorist and later released.

Alyea was given a ticket for reckless driving.

The accident led to a chain reaction of events as two other minor accidents occurred in the same spot while police were investigating.

A car driven by Josephus Maria Helsot, a Dutch serviceman staying at 56 West 17th St. Holland, rammed into the rear of another car, driven by Richard T. Black, of Tustin. The Black car had stopped for police flashers at the first accident scene. Black's car was shoved into the ditch and sustained \$25 damage. Helsot was ticketed for failure to stop in an assured clear distance.

A few moments after the second accident, a third occurred when a woman motorist, coming upon the police flashers at about 35 miles per hour, applied her brakes, slid into the right shoulder, across the highway to the left and into a field.

Ottawa County Deputy Sheriff H. R. Bremer investigated all three accidents.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

Ethel Maierhauser to Neal Bantzer E 1/2 E 1/2 NE 1/4 10-6-16 Twp. Port Sheldon.

Maurice Nienhuis and wf. to Percy J. Osborne and wf. Lots 14, 15, 17 Luger's Add. Twp. Holland.

Bert J. Dekker and wf. to Tilly De Feyter Pt. Lot 6 Blk 29 City of Holland.

Preston A. Brown and wf. to Marvin Vandenberg and wf. Pt. SW 1/4 SE 1/4 32-5-15 City of Holland.

Jacob Wallinga and wf. to Harold J. Eisen and wf. Lot 18 Wolbrink-Kennedy Sub. Twp. Allendale.

Robert Pelon et al. to Edward Walters Pt. SE 1/4 SE 1/4 35-5-16 Twp. Park.

Fred Kieft and wf. to Donald De Gloor and wf. Pt. Blk D. J. W. Verhoeke Add. Grand Haven.

John Franzburg to Harvin R. Essenburg and wf. Lot 153 Post's Fourth Add. City of Holland.

Albert D. Marlink and wf. to Theodore Kort and wf. Lots 163, 164 Sunset Heights Sub. No. 2 Twp. Georgetown.

Bernard Elmer De Wys and wf. to Vernon C. Santora and wf. Lot 25 Sandy's Sub. Twp. Holland.

Holland Lumber & Supply Co. to John Sloothaak and wf. Lot 62 Chamber of Commerce Sub. City of Holland.

James L. Timmerman and wf. to John Franzburg Lot 36 Stewart's Add. City of Holland.

Tillie Sours to John Franzburg Lot 65 Slag's Add. Holland.

Rudolph Hodal and wf. to William J. Blaskis and wf. Pt. NE 1/4 NE 1/4 9-8-16 Twp. Spring Lake.

Hugh Lowing and wf. to William De Young and wf. NE 1/4 SW 1/4 8-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Bertha Werschy to Earl Chaffee and wf. W 1/2 W 1/2 SW 1/4 and Pt. NW 1/4 34-8-15 Twp. Robinson.

Arthur Reenders and wf. to Robert D. James and wf. Lot 59 Grand View Add. City of Grand Haven.

Highland Park Association to Robert C. Mare and wf. Lot 37 Highland Park Add. City of Grand Haven.

William W. Caswell and wf. to Allen Santora and wf. Pt. Lots 17, 18 Diekema Homestead Add. Twp. Holland.

John J. Potter to M. F. Calhoun Pt. NW 1/4 1-7-15 Twp. Robinson.

Harvey E. Patches and wf. to Florence Hagen Pt. N 1/2 NW 1/4 33-7-16 Twp. Grand Haven.

William Lloyd Buckley to Frank Koehler and wf. Lots 25-29 Nu-Way Add. Spring Lake.

Highland Park Association to Charles A. Everest and wf. Lot 20 Highland Park Add. Grand Haven.

Mrs. Barkel Entertains Sunday School Class

Mrs. James Barkel entertained members of her Sunday School Class of Sixth Reformed Church Thursday evening at her home, 137 Reed Ave.

Games were played and prizes awarded. Lunch was served.

Present were Betty Hamm, Carol Van Dam, Sharon Kraai, Sharon Cramer, Margaret Fought, Patty Terpma, Carol Steggerda and Mrs. Paul Barkel.



LET ME OUT OF HERE! — A black and white setter appears to be pleading for his release Thursday night after he was locked up when Holland officers found him running loose. The dog carried a collar around his neck, but no name was on it. Night Sgt. Neal Plagenhoef was quite amazed to find a dog occupying a cell when he came on duty at midnight. Plagenhoef made sure the dog had plenty of water and split his lunch with him. The dog is at the pound until his owner turns up. (Sentinel photo)

Program on Netherlands Given for AAUW Branch

An entertaining program on the Netherlands, illustrated with lovely colored slides, was presented by Miss Jantina Holleman Thursday evening for members of Holland Branch, American Association of University Women. The branch met in the Juliana Room of Durfee Hall.

Miss Holleman, a member of the Hope College faculty, studied for a year in the Netherlands—at the Conservatory of Music at Amsterdam and the University of Amsterdam, she was financially aided by the Holland AAUW \$500 graduate study grant.

Miss Holleman was in Amsterdam on St. Nicholas Day, Dec. 6, a celebration set widely apart from Christmas Day, which is devoted to home and church observance. She described the gay St. Nick celebration, with a "modernized" version of the arrival of St. Nicholas, followed not by one, but 20 Black Petes—all riding motor scooters. There were some floats, too, she said—mostly sponsored by motor scooter companies.

At the conservatory, where Miss Holleman studied piano, harpsichord and sang in the choir, the building is modern and well equipped in most respects. Libraries are almost completely inaccessible, however. Musical activity is not scarce in the Netherlands. There are many concerts which only nominal admission, and many churches sponsor excellent concerts, she said.

University life is a far cry from that in the U.S. Classes are held only once a week and are simply lectures, with no discussion. There is absolutely no social life, and dormitories are unheard of—everyone lives in rented rooms in the city. Although their scholastic standards are very high, their teaching methods remain antiquated, Miss Holleman said.

Education in the Netherlands remains a "privilege of the rich," the speaker said. The poor have very little chance to go even through the equivalent of high school. It is impossible to work one's way through school and the social pressure is such that few poor would even try.

Despite inferior teaching methods, motivation for learning is high, and those who go to school do learn—because they must. Miss Holleman criticized the "inertia among the intellectual" and educated, who concern themselves with no problems outside of their own narrow specialties.

The Dutch are not "group minded," she said, and only national emergencies like the recent big floods serve to really unite the people.

She deeply admired their home life. The women make their homes comfortable and cozy and the children's lives center in the home. Women have few chances for jobs, and marry at the average age of 28, she said.

Miss Holleman's excellent pictures pointed up the fact that the "sea is the Netherlands' worst enemy." Quiet scenes on canals and farm lands contrasted with the beautiful churches and modern buildings.

Highlight of the business meeting was the introduction of new branch members by Mrs. Orle Bishop, president, Mrs. Andrew Vollink of the membership committee presented Christmas cor-

sages to each. Dessert was served from a Christmas table featuring a white sleigh filled with greens and ornaments, and red tapers.

Mrs. Midle Hostess At Christmas Party

A Christmas party was held Thursday evening by Our Lady of Sorrows Study Club of St. Francis De Sales Church, at the home of Mrs. Charles Midle, 29 East 22nd St.

In keeping with the Christmas season, an article by Bishop Fulton J. Sheen entitled "The Birth of Christ" was read by the group. The hostess served a Christmas lunch and gifts were exchanged.

Next regular meeting will be held Jan. 5 at the home of Mrs. Frank Klann, 270 West 20th St.

250 Children Attend Annual VFW Yule Party

Some 250 children, largest turnout on record, swarmed into the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall on West Seventh St., Friday afternoon for the annual Christmas Party for member's children.

And the small fry were well rewarded with a bristling program, including movies, refreshments and gifts stockings.

The hall was appropriately decorated for the occasion.



'I WANT MY MOMMIE' — Three-year-old Ruth Ann Koiker, route 2, Hamilton, was an awfully downhearted child when she became separated from her parents in Holland Thursday. Officer Burton Barr managed to bring a smile to Ruth's face after offering her some gum and reading her a blow by blow description from the latest comic strips. Ruth was returned to her parents Thursday afternoon. Two other children were lost and reclaimed Thursday as heavy Christmas shopping crowds made it easy for the youngsters to slip away for a last look at a bright and shiny toy. (Sentinel photo)

Several Drivers Given Probation

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The following persons appeared for re-examination before a representative of the office of the Secretary of State, at the sheriff's office in Grand Haven Thursday and Friday.

Stephen P. Kline, 15, of 61 West 15th St., Holland, Nicholas Wagner, 339, of 437 West 32nd St., Holland, Paul V. Borchers, 25, route 2, Spring Lake, and Willis Vander Berg, 19, West 14th St., Holland, were each given six months probation.

Lincoln H. Sutton, 19, route 2, Grand Haven, received a 45-day suspension.

Ernest H. Wingard, 23, of 244 West Ninth St., Holland, Dwayne D. Teusink, 18, route 1, Holland, and Donald Lee Busscher, 19, route 1, Zeeland, were each given 30-day suspensions.

Leroy P. Haney, 19, State Park, Grand Haven, and Robert A. Groeters, 24, 4644 Port Sheldon Road, Hudsonville, were each given 60-day suspensions.

Andulfo Iporlito, 27, of 137 East 7th St., Holland, failed to appear and was given an indefinite suspension. Donald R. Lauritzen, or Donald R. Gribble, 18, route 6, Holland, also received an indefinite suspension.

Hilda L. Baker, 31, of 431 Central Ave., Holland, who failed to appear, also received an indefinite suspension.

William L. Buckley, 70, of 108 Mason St., Spring Lake, had his license revoked, as did Robert D. Kohnke, 26, 408 Friant St., Grand Haven.

John R. Neahr, 21, route 2, Marne, who failed to appear, was also given an indefinite suspension.

Zutphen

(From Saturday's Sentinel) The Rev. Herman Wierenga conducted the services on Sunday. The Rev. John Breuker had a classical appointment in Canada last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf De Vree announced the birth of a son born Dec. 3, named Gerrit Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter De Weerd attended a wedding of a relative in Grand Rapids last Saturday evening.

At the congregational meeting last Monday evening Herbert Heyboer and George Ensing were elected as elders and Albert Blauwk and Harvey Ver Hage as deacons.

Kings Daughters Society met last Wednesday evening. They also held their Christmas party.

Milton Kamps underwent another operation at Mayo Clinic.

Ladies Aid Society met last week Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. John Breuker led the meeting. Mrs. Clarence Veneman and Mrs. Leonard Van Ess were hostesses.

The wedding of Esther De Weerd and Gradus Scholten took place in the Zutphen Christian Reformed Church on Friday evening. The Rev. John Breuker performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Corneal Hoppen are remodeling their home and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Myker are remodeling some rooms.

Fred Ensink was again able to attend the church service after a recent fall.

Local OES Chapter Has Annual Christmas Party

Members of the Star of Bethlehem Chapter 40, OES, with their children and grandchildren, met in the chapter room Thursday night for their annual Christmas party.

The group sang Christmas carols under the direction of Mrs. William Clark. The children entertained the parents with songs, violin and piano numbers Howard Hendricks, was Santa, gave each of the children a box of candy and they all received gifts.

Mrs. Alice Pluin donated popcorn balls for the children. A potluck lunch was served.



Let's Plant Beauty! Lots of Christmas Gifts Available for Flower Lovers

We peeked into a basketful of Christmas wishes of gardeners and indoor flower lovers. Maybe what we found will help you in last minute shopping.

Aunt Mary says, "Please, Santa, a couple of amaryllis bulbs which I can watch grow. I think their flowers are thrilling."

Ten-year-old Betty would like a whole dozen of big paper white narcissus bulbs. She wants to start one pan of seven right away, she says, and another of five after a couple of weeks.

Garden club Auntie would love to have one of those beautiful books on flower arranging. Uncle Ted saw that wonderful new book which tells about all kinds of bulbs and thinks it would be mighty nice to have. Grandmother and grandfather said they would just love to have that beautiful book, "Plants Indoors," which tells all about unusual plants they would like to try growing.

Another letter says, "Please, Santa, just one bromeliad."

If Santa wants to be very nice to Mother, he may give her a plant stand with fluorescent lights for her African violets.

Father hesitates to ask for anything for himself but admits, just to Santa, that one of those rotary lawn mowers, which chews up grass and leaves into a fine mulch, would relieve him of a lot of work, but he doesn't suppose anyone would ever think of giving him that.

Tom and his wife, who have just moved into a new home, ask Santa whether they may have gifts of shrubs to be delivered in the spring, "including two Peace roses, please."

And Buddy wishes someone would buy for him five whole pounds of sunflower seeds for him to use in the bird feeder he made in school. He loves to see the cardinals, nut hatches, and jays.

Merry Christmas, and a happy growing year to all.

Rotarians Give Party For Crippled Children

Holland Rotary Club entertained crippled children of this area at a Christmas party Thursday noon at the Warm Friend Tavern.

Jack Smith was in charge of the program. Santa Claus was present to give gifts to all the children. Thys Zwip, one of the children from the orthopedic department at Washington School, recited a short speech, thanking Rotary for the party and other things throughout the year.

Otto Dressel, magician, provided an entertaining program. Christmas carols were sung by the entire group, with Roger Rietberg at the piano.

Dr. Frances Howell, Miss Mary Hickman, Mrs. Lorna Pierre and John Brinkman were in charge of the children.

Rotary President Robert Kow presided and Harry Kramer introduced visiting Rotarians and guests.

St. Catherine's Guild Elects New Officers

Mrs. Richard B. Crowe was elected president of St. Catherine's Guild of Grace Church at the annual election of officers Wednesday afternoon. The meeting and Christmas party were at the home of Mrs. William Bradford, South Shore Dr.

Other officers named were Mrs. Verne C. Hohl, vice president; Mrs. Egbert Gold, secretary; Mrs. Arthur C. Yost, treasurer, and Mrs. Donald Stiekete, woman's Council representative.

Mrs. Warren S. Merriam, retiring president, conducted the meeting. Gifts and staples for a Christmas basket were packed and delivered.

A holiday recess was announced by the new president. Next meeting of the guild will be Jan. 5.

Sixth Graders Give Play at Longfellow

The Sixth grade of Longfellow school with Mrs. Van Wyk as teacher presented a play "Christmas in Many Lands," Friday. Directors were Mrs. Van Wyk and Miss MacEwen.

In the cast were Carol Cooper, grandmother; Gloria Johnson and Terry Woldring, children; Jack Antles, Carol Elferink, Jacqueline Kolean, Russell Schurman and Judy Stegenga, Netherlands; James Dressel, Chester Kamphuis, Melvin McBride, Jim O'Connor and Roberta Wise, Germany.

Also Gary Alderink, Betty Essenburg, Mary Ellen Van Zanten, Dolores Vink and Ed Yonker, Sweden; Norma Kortering, Rebecca Lee and Brian Taber, Mexico; Sherri Andolink, Howard Fletcher, Leon Kragt, Brenda Smith and Harold Van Tongeren, England.

Titanium is believed the fourth most abundant structural metal in the earth's crust after aluminum, iron and magnesium.

HHS Senior Class Will Stage Dutch Sea Drama

Holland High School senior class has selected as its senior play "The Good Hope," a sea drama by Herman Heijermans, translated from the Dutch by Lilian Saunders and Caroline Heijermans Hoerwink. The play will be given in the high school auditorium Feb. 14, 15, 16 and 17.

The story of The Good Hope deals with the wreck of a rotten, unseaworthy ship which is lost in a storm. The characters are all humble fisherfolk in a North Sea fishing village in Holland at the turn of the century. Most of the action takes place in the house of the old woman Kniertje, who has given a husband and two stalwart sons to the sea. Kniertje will be portrayed by Mary Lou Pierson.

With her live her two remaining sons, Barend, to be played by Richard Hemwall, and Geert, to be played by Terry Zylman, and Geert's sweetheart Jo, to be played by Sonja Bowman.

Here in Kniertje's home the audience meets highly colorful characters among the sailors, old and young, and their wives, mothers and sweethearts. Carl Ver Beek will play the role of Cobus, brother of Kniertje, and William Kievit appears in the role of Daantje, both old fishermen sailors who come to visit Kniertje from the old men's home down the street.

Other fishermen are Jelle and Simon, to be played by Roger Hopkins and Bill Butler. Simon's young daughter, Marietje, will be portrayed by Myrna Cook and her sweetheart, Mees, by Theodore DuMez.

Wives of the fishermen are played by Marilyn Smeenge as Truus and Mary Lou Hindert as Saart.

In contrast to the humble fisherfolk are the ship owner, Bos, to be played by Lynn Kadwell; his wife, Mathilde, played by Marilyn Van Den Bosch, and his daughter, Clementine, played by Julane Brower.

Through talk and actions of the interesting characters the audience feels the deadly fascination of the sea holds for him despite its death reaching back to the beginning of time.

Koops, Bos's bokkeeper, to be played by William Bremer, and the coastguard men played by Paul Scott and Elwood Bos, complete the cast.

Miss Ruby Calvert again directs the production.

Dog Notes

By Peter Boggs Not Once In A Dog's Life

Here is another "break" that is granted to the modern dog. His span of life has stretched out for beyond that of the dogs of a few centuries ago. The ancient expression, "Not once in a dog's age" needs revised or extension. For "a dog's age" is much longer than it used to be.

Insurance tables show that the average of human life has increased greatly in length since the times of our great grandparents. (So have human height and breadth. The average modern man cannot possibly get into most of the suits of armor which fitted the knights of old.)

Naturally, there is no set of statistics as to the age attained by medieval dogs. But sports writers of those days dropped unmistakable hints, which bear out the truth of what I have been saying—notably, Juliana Berners, most famed and most accurate of all oldtime authorities on sports. She wrote in the 15th century:

"When your dog reached his ninth year, have him killed. For by the time he is nine, the best dog is worthless."

We know that thousands of modern nine-year-old dogs are still in their full prime. Almost no dog of that age is "worthless," and often not for some years thereafter. I wonder how long dogs will live a few hundred years from now?

To Cure Fighting Dog? A letter I received this week reads:

"My dog, Patsy, is an incurable fighter. Toward all humans he is gentle and friendly and he never has been cranky to anyone. He is the gentlest dog I know. But as soon as he catches sight of another dog—big or little—he flies at him. Sometimes the battle lasts half an hour. Patsy behaves at such times as if he was rabid. There is no stopping him. He is simply crazy about fighting."

"He gets plenty of long walks and other outdoor exercise, so it can't be that he wants the exercise of a fight. His parents and his brothers and sisters were not fighters, and he never has been encouraged to fight. We have punished him and scolded him for it, but it does no good. My mother likes Patsy, but she says we must get rid of him if he goes on like this. So does my father. I would hate to lose him. Can't you advise me what to do?"

My only suggestion is that you muzzle him firmly whenever you take him out of doors. Then he can do no damage if he fights. In fact, he will be on the receiving end of any damage that is done.

When he has learned from bitter experience that the other dogs are doing all the biting, he may learn to keep out of quarrels. That is the only hope I can offer.

Marriage Licenses

Ottawa County John R. Russell, 22, Grand Rapids, and Ann Carole MacNeill, 20, Spring Lake.

Envelopes first came into use in 1839.

Seven Referred To Traffic School By Local Court

Seven traffic offenders agreed to attend traffic school after appearing before Municipal Judge Cornelius vander Meulen at Thursday night's traffic court.

Those who will attend the four-week traffic school are Arthur Sas, Jr., 17, of 112 East Seventh St., failure to control car; Kenneth M. Faber, Grand Rapids, speeding; Arthur E. Lundy, route 1, West Olive, imprudent speed; Robert Farrell, New Richmond, speeding; David P. Wolbert, route 2, Hamilton, speeding; Richard Dykstra, route 6, speeding.

Fines of \$10 each for Billy Kraal, of 356 West 16th St., imprudent speed, and Jennie Allen Bakker, route 2, speeding, were suspended after the two attended traffic school. Dolores Ringewold, route 4, was given a \$5 suspended fine on a charge of no operator's license on person.

Roger Fowler, of 535 West 22nd St., pleaded not guilty to a charge of driving 40 miles in a 25-mile zone and requested a jury trial which was set for Dec. 30 at 2 p.m.

Two trials Thursday resulted in guilty verdicts. David L. Schrotenboer, of 186 East 32nd St., who was found guilty of speeding 50 miles in a 35-mile zone was assessed fine and costs of \$36.40 or 20 days. Fred Van Tubergen, route 6, found guilty of driving in the wrong lane, paid costs of \$5.20.

Arie C. Vander Wilk, route 3, Zeeland, was found guilty at trial Wednesday of a speeding charge and was assessed fine and costs of \$25.90 or 10 days.

Paying fines the last few days were Martha Marowelli, Douglas, speeding, \$15; Donald Brower, of 401 Howard, speeding, \$10; L. J. Mannes, of 220 West 14th St., no operator's license, \$5; Galon Green, of 353 West 17th St., leaving scene of accident and no license plate (old case), \$25; George F. Axtell, 77, Kalamazoo, red light, \$5; Marge C. Anderson, Fennville, speeding, \$15; Pablo Morales, route 5, stop street, \$5, and no operator's license, \$20.

Parking costs of \$1 were paid by John Borgman of 216 Columbia; Y. P. Anderson, of 12 West Eighth St.; E. P. Smith of 3467 West 35th St.; and Bernard Rudolph of Hesperia.

William Straatsburg Dies in Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — William Straatsburg, 72, of 1334 Washington St., died at his home Friday night, Born Jan. 27, 1882 in Grand Haven township, he had been in ill health for two years, seriously for the past six months. He married Elizabeth De Pender on April 28, 1915 in Grand Haven. He retired a short time ago from Eagle Ottawa Leather Co. where he was employed for 40 years. He was a member of the St. Patrick's Church.

Surviving are the wife, Elizabeth; one son, Edward of Grand Haven; two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Fricano of Grand Haven and Mrs. Robert DeMarse of Muskegon; five grandchildren; two brothers, Fred of Grand Haven and Ray of Chicago and three sisters, Mrs. Herman Austin and Mrs. Emma Young of Grand Haven and Mrs. Edith Veiu of San Bernardino, Calif.

Blue Spruce Tree Stolen From Pilgrim Cemetery

Holland police are hunting for the "meanest man in town" who cut down a seven-foot blue spruce tree at Pilgrim Home Cemetery sometime Friday night.

Cemetery officials said the tree was planted nearly 10 years ago in the new section south of the office off 16th St. From footprints around the area officials believe at least two persons were involved.

They said the tree can be easily identified because of its color—almost a "true blue."

Plans to Wed



Miss Linda Lou Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart W. Johnson of Grand Haven are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Linda Lou, to James Spoor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Spoor of Holland. A June wedding is being planned.