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Annual Tilting-competition in Zealand,

Length: 40 metres.

In the middle of the island of Walcheren - in the town of Middelburg - is situated "Midget Walcheren", where all the famous buildings are assembled, which give such an attraction to the tourists.

One of the nicest miniatures is the Middelburg "Tall John" (a tower). Close to this tower - the real one - was held the annual Tilting-competition, to which some 100 inhabitants of Zealand took part.

With a special lance these modern knights must try to tilt at the ring, which hangs half-way the track.

For the Zealanders, with their sense for tradition, this folkloristic feast is a great event.

Concentrated to the utmost, the horsemen chase their object.

And not every one has luck!

Finally the Queen's Commission ^{or} in the province of Zealand, hands over - not quite successful - the cup put up by Queen Juliana, to the rider who gained the highest score.

In an traditional way he was honoured for his fortresses.

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