

MERCHANTS PRESENT BARGAINS-FUN

STORES UNITE IN MAKING DAY GREAT IN VALUE GIVING

Buchanan merchants are presenting in this issue the greatest galaxy of bargains in seasonable merchandise ever offered in the city. A strong statement possibly, but you will agree after you have carefully analyzed the offers they are making which cover about every line of merchandise.

Fortunately this great community sale comes at a point midway between the summer and fall season when certain articles of clothing and household necessities must be bought to finish out the summer days and preparations must be made for cooler weather, getting the children ready for school, fixing up the home a little. It affords an opportunity to buy these necessities at sharp price reductions.

This community sale, organized by the Chamber of Commerce and under the immediate supervision of the secretary, M. W. Charles and a committee consisting of Jos. L. Ross, John Russell, Carl F. Beck, Lou Desenberg and G. S. Easton, is planned to be the first of a series of similar sales to be held from time to time through the fall and winter.

To make the day doubly attractive a committee consisting of Harry Boyce, C. F. Pears and A. W. Charles, have arranged a program of events designed to make the day especially interesting. The program of these events follows:

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Two p. m.—**KIDDIE CAR PARADE**—Led by Howe girls driving their trained calves. Parade forms at Moyer's Music store, down Front street to Main, down Main to Dewey. At word "Go" all kiddie cars will race down Main street to Front. Winner gets \$1.50 box of candy given by Buchanan Candy Kitchen. Open to all children with kiddie cars.

Two-Thirty p. m.—**LARGEST FAMILY** from outside of Buchanan village—Prize \$2.00 basket of groceries given by G. G. Rogers & Co.

Two Thirty-Five p. m.—**FAMILY FROM LONGEST DISTANCE**—Prize 50 pounds Morley's Straight Flour donated by M. L. Sands.

Three p. m.—**LADIES' BALLOON RACE**—(Pushing a small balloon with a stick) Prize \$10 Permanent Wave given by Vogne Beauty Shop.

Three Fifteen p. m.—**BOYS' BALLOON FLIGHT**—Six balloons will be sent in flight from the roof of the Princess theater, each bearing a ticket good for one of the following prizes: \$1.75 pair of tennis shoes, given by Glenn E. Smith; six tickets to Princess theater given by Mgr. Homer P. Mowley; hair cut given by Fred Mead; Rugby football given by B. R. Desenberg & Bro.; \$1.00 box of candy given by Princess Ice Cream Parlor.

Three Thirty p. m.—**FARMERS' TUG O' WAR**—Teams of ten men each, Gahen vs. Bertrand. Prize \$7.50 cash. Winning team to pull against Buchanan township. Prize \$10.00.

MINT GROWERS REPORT LOSSES

FARMERS ESTIMATE CROP AT 25 PER CENT LOSS AND HASTEN TO BEGIN HARVESTING

Reports from farmers in southwestern Michigan indicate that the heavy frosts experienced last week were most injurious to the mint fields than any other farm product.

From reports, the mint lying in the lowlands was more liable to be injured although tomatoes and even corn near Buchanan was reported to have been touched. For two nights the frost occurred, the thermometer dropping as low as 37 degrees in some portions of the country, it was reported.

The cold wave swept the entire western coast of the state, doing much damage in large sums.

Estimates were that mint was damaged 25 per cent by the untimely freeze. On the Beebe and Son farms north of Dowagiac and near Decatur and Glenwood, the loss will amount to several thousands of dollars. Ed. Reed, whose farm is three miles north of Dowagiac and on the Pendergrass farm nearby heavy losses were sustained.

Mint growers expect that the damage to the crop, which was general in the Michigan mint districts, will cause a radical increase in the price of mint oil. In the attempt to reduce the

loss, growers are cutting their mint that is blackened and will rush the distilling work in the hopes to extract most of the oil before it is damaged.

A grower north of Dowagiac is quoted as saying:

"We have to fight the bugs, other pests, too much or too little rain, to say nothing of a struggle after the oil is extracted to sell it at a profit, and these things take the pleasure, and the profit from the mint game. And now comes frost in August. Can you beat it?"

BARODA HOME COMING THIS WEEK, AUGUST 9 TO 13

The annual homecoming at Baroda is being held this week, Aug. 9 to 13.

The Max Carnival company that has furnished the attractions for this popular homecoming for the past several years is on hand for the week, and announce an entirely new line of concessions. This organization always puts on a clean and highly entertaining show.

During the week the I. O. O. F. lodge will give a dance every evening in the Odd Fellows' hall. The homecoming at Baroda becomes more popular each year and no doubt this year's festivities will eclipse all past efforts.

Mrs. W. N. Brodick had as her guest today at Indian lake, Mrs. Effie Crane, Mrs. Harry Graham and Mrs. Arthur Procous of Buchanan; Mrs. Richard Dougan, of Berrien Springs; Mrs. Edgar Ugham; Mrs. K. R. Stahl and Mrs. Enid Kammerer of St. Jo.

STATE SHORT OVER FOUR MILLION

AUDITOR GENERAL MAKES REPORT WHICH SHOWS STATE OWES HUGE SUM OF MONEY

A general fund deficit of \$4,014,510.72 as of June 30, last, compared with an administration estimate of \$5,282,000 on April 30 and a deficiency bill of \$4,600,072.81 as passed by the legislature was announced by Auditor General Ormel B. Fuller.

"That is about as close an estimate as I can give over the actual figures of about 13 per cent as anyone could ask under the circumstances," Fuller said in commenting on the culmination of one of the bitterest controversies in the recent legislature.

In addition to 53 items listed in the general deficiency bill, there were seven times of over-draft not previously estimated, which reduced the un-expended balance of the bill by \$33,562.70, or to \$611,999.39.

The largest single item in the deficit was \$663,281.69 for medical treatment of children, compared with a deficit bill estimate of \$500,000.

The Jackson prison industrial fund was second highest with a deficit of \$532,732 against a deficit bill estimate of \$1,334,410.92.

Other items as estimated in the bill fluctuated above or below the actual deficit, although the total deficit was found to have been \$4,014,510.72 on June 30 instead of \$4,660,072.81 as provided by the deficit bill and \$5,282,000 as estimated by Gov. Fred Green in a special message to the legislature in April.

The auditor general explained that the 53 items listed in the deficient appropriation bill "do not apply to appropriations for buildings."

PICKLE FACTORIES HAVE NEW OWNERS

CLEVELAND COMPANY BUYS BERRIEN PLANTS OF THE THOMAS PACKING CO. CONTINUE BUSINESS

The Thomas Packing Co., of Chicago, which has operated pickle factories at Buchanan, Galien, Glendora and Derby for several years has disposed of these plants to the Wilder Company of Cleveland, who have also taken over the plants of the Frame Cannine Co., at Vicksburg and Plainwell, Michigan and Howe, Ind.

A. Lindquist, who has been in charge of the former factories for some time will continue with the new owners as factory superintendent. Mr. Lindquist makes his headquarters at Glendora.

Mr. Lindquist advises the Record that about 400 acres are under contract this year and that the outlook for a good yield of cucumbers is far from satisfactory, due to the late spring and cold nights. The frost in some localities August 1st was also damaging. With the early arrival of rains he predicts that much help would be given the crop and an increased yield would result.

The company is paying \$3 for firsts this year and \$1 for other grades, the same prices that were paid last year.

The new owners, who stand high in the business world and have a reputation for fair dealing, may increase their contract acreage next year.

DAYTON PICNIC COMES SEPT. 5TH

I. O. O. F. GETTING READY FOR ANNUAL EVENT THAT DRAWS HUNDREDS TO SCHOOL GROUNDS

The annual picnic, staged for the first time by the Dayton Lodge of Odd Fellows, will be held this year as usual on Labor Day, which falls on Monday, Sept. 5th.

Committees are now actively at work arranging their program of sports and other events, and getting together a list of prizes to go to the winners. In addition to the sports program there are to be the usual free attractions, a big noon-time basket picnic and plenty of music.

No event in this locality draws quite so large a crowd as does the Dayton picnic. Folks go there to meet friends, of other days, the kids go to see the crowd and enjoy the fun, and the older folks also go for the same reason.

FORMER HOOSIERS PICNIC SUNDAY AT HUDSON LAKE

Hoosier people will gather for a reunion Sunday August 14, when the annual picnic will be held at Hudson lake. More than 150 people who have resided in Indiana during their lives are expected at the reunion, according to H. J. Gowland, who is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

A program of sports and other amusements is being planned with a pot luck picnic dinner at noon. Anyone who is a former resident of the Hoosier state is invited to attend the affair. Both the opportunity to renew friendships and to enjoy the program will bring together many people from Indiana.

THE GULLIBLE FALL FOR OLD SWINDLE

NEGROES WORK OLD TIME SCHEME AND FLEECE WOMAN OUT OF \$4,500; CAUGHT, JAILED

An old threat-bare swindle was successfully worked against Mrs. Mary Perdue, 60-year-old Benton Harbor woman Thursday by two colored men and three colored women who, were later captured in Jackson and taken to Berrien county jail.

The outfit called at the home of Mrs. Perdue Wednesday morning and agreed to give her \$2000 if she would advance them \$4,000 to be used as "hush" money to pay off two men who saw them pick up a package containing \$60,000 in cash and several checks. She fell for the trick and drew her life savings, earnings from doing washings from a bank and turned it over to them.

Later she got panicky and informed the police who were successful in capturing the quintette in Jackson. They are: James Gibson, 32, of Louisville, Ky.; Dury Spady, 23, of Cleveland; Anna Davis, 30, of Cleveland; Ardeth Woods, 27, of Cleveland; Sheriff Fred G. Bryant and Deputy William Barry brought the negroes from Jackson to St. Joseph early this morning and recovered \$4,000 of the \$4,500 taken.

Gibson said at the jail that the Jackson police had taken the other \$500 from the three women, but the sheriff is inclined to believe they had disposed of it before they were captured.

It was said that Spady knew Mrs. Perdue, or had heard she had a large sum of money on deposit, and it was thru this knowledge of affairs that he and Gibson worked their game.

DEATH HUMBLER OLD BILL STORK

TWICE AS MANY DEATHS AS BIRTHS IN BUCHANAN DURING JULY SAY STATISTICS

Death humbled old Bill Stork in Buchanan during the month of July, there being just twice as many deaths as births.

There were 12 deaths during the month, according to the vital statistics recorded by the village clerk, Cress Weldon. Six births are recorded.

The most fatal ages were the decades between 40 and 50 and 70 and 80. Three people between 40 and 50 dying and three between 70 and 80. The youngest person to die was Chester W. Barrett, 2, who was struck by a drill press. The oldest person who died this month was Louise A. Huff, 85. Eight men died during the month and four women.

Old Man Stork showed a preference for the women also during the month; four girls having been born and only two boys. Half of the six births occurred during the third week of the month and one, Margaret Ann Smith, missed having the Fourth of July for her birthday by one day.

NEW BUFFALO ROAD DISPUTE IS SETTLED

In a decree handed down on Tuesday by Judge C. E. White, Charles and Anna Janda, of New Buffalo, are given the right to use a private road crossing the property of James and Emma Nemecek, neighbors, until January, 1928. A temporary injunction secured by the Nemeceks is dissolved, but the Jandas are forbidden to use the road after the first of the year.

The Nemeceks secured a temporary injunction recently prohibiting the Jandas from the use of the road. The Jandas had been using the road since the late 1800s and the Nemeceks had been using it since the late 1800s. The Jandas had been using it since the late 1800s and the Nemeceks had been using it since the late 1800s.

RIVERSIDE CAMP OPENS TUESDAY

CAMP FOR BOYS AND GIRLS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR AND S. S. MEET

The annual Riverside Park assembly of the Kalamazoo district of the Michigan conference opened Tuesday with the camping period for young people on the nearby grounds.

The registration for the opening session was limited to 75 boys and girls, the tents on the St. Joseph river bank being reserved for the boys and the girls living high and dry in the hotel on the bluff. The program through the week is educational as well as recreational in nature, four instructors being present. Camp craft, cooking and Bible study are some of the subjects included.

The Rev. C. A. Spitzer is in charge of the boys' division and Mrs. Spitzer is leader for the girls. The camping season will close August 19 and will be followed by the Christian Endeavor and Sunday School convention of the denomination. The Rev. H. B. Schaeffer, a prominent churchman from Naperville, Illinois, will be the special speaker. The Rev. C. E. Preston will preside at the session. Special singing, convention reports and other interesting features for young people have been planned.

Perceval Rough is president of the board of trustees, John Fowler is secretary-treasurer. Other members are: L. N. Barnhart, A. E. Houswerth, E. Riffer, Daniel P. Neib, Edward Schmitz, L. B. Rough and Emory Rough.

LURE OF WILDS CATCHES LOCALS

RILEY AND MERSON LEAVING AUG. 15 ON AUTO TRIP TO LAND OF GREAT- EST WONDERS

Harleigh W. Riley and Frances Merson will chuck business cares to the winds on Thursday, Aug. 15, and depart in a Chevie for the wild and woolly west, thru the country where the tall corn grows and into the country where even the purple sage cannot live.

They are going to drive thru the Yellowstone National Park and spend ten days or so viewing the wonders of this most wonderful of places. They will tent under the stars at night, eat their own cooking, and enjoy life in the wide open spaces. Their probable route will be to Denver thence up the eastern side of the Rampart range of mountains to Cheyenne, thence to Graybull, Montana, and over the Cody road into the park.

And on the Cody road those little, cold, creepy sensations will play tag up and down their spinal column and until Sylvan Pass is negotiated will be a real longing to get back in Buchanan quick leave them. Looking a mile down and a mile up on a narrow ledge mountain road has its thrills for the initiated and it also has its compensations which we blush to mention.

Of course many from Buchanan have crossed this road, but very few have driven it in their own car. Camping through the park is the way the real American gets the most kick, sees the most, and gets the greatest enjoyment from his trip. Messrs. Riley and Merson have much to look forward to and a great reward awaits them at trail's end.

GREEN MAY REVIVE INSURANCE PLANS

NO MONEY LEFT TO PAY THE STATE FIRE LOSSES; EXECUTIVE WANTS OLD, PLAN RECREATED

Unless the state administrative board revives the old state insurance fund that was depleted in the Groesbeck administration the state department of conservation will establish a fund of its own on all structures owned by the department.

When the question of insurance on the department's buildings and boats was brought up by Commissioner William H. Loutit it was learned there was carried and that there was but \$2,500 in the state insurance fund.

Prior to the Groesbeck administration each institution contributed a sum to the state insurance fund; the state thus carried its own insurance. The fund reached a large total and Groesbeck had it disbursed. It was wiped out the Iowa re-

NO HOPE FOR WRECK VICTIMS

Both D. B. Custer, 70 year old Benton Harbor farmer, and Lily Schwark, 7 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schwark of Benton Harbor, who were seriously injured Sunday in two separate auto mishaps, were still unconscious at the Mercy hospital in St. Joseph Tuesday noon with little hope held for their recovery.

Cluster was injured early Sunday morning while walking on Territorial road when he was struck by a car owned by W. F. Hruby of Berwyn, Ill.

The little Schwark girl was run down at the intersection of Territorial and Hull avenue in Benton Harbor late Sunday afternoon by a car driven by Thomas Carroll of Chicago.

Each driver was exonerated.

VALUABLE BOOKS GIVEN LIBRARY

COLLECTION DONATED BY JACK MILLER'S MOTHER WILL BE OF INTEREST TO CHILDREN

One of the most valuable single collections of books ever made to the Public Library was donated this week by Mrs. Adele Miller, 417 Front street, who has given her son Jack's entire library to the public shelves.

The collection will be known as the Jack Miller Bookshelf and includes many valuable single as well as sets of books. They are of special interest to children, containing many of the classics that every child should know. A complete set of the child's poet, James Whitcomb Riley, is one of the especially noticeable groups in the memorial library. An entire set of encyclopedias and a great many books of adventure and daring are included in the new addition. More than 75 volumes have been donated with the number to reach the hundred mark in the future.

These books will not be put into circulation until they have been properly catalogued. The entire library being recatalogued, more than half of the shelves having been completed.

"Some people in Buchanan seem to be in ignorance of the existence of a good library here. Others know of it but seldom visit it, sending to South Bend or Niles for books, that are to be found here. But the children and many adults are eager readers. All children of the community will thank Mrs. Miller for her generous memorial," said Mrs. C. E. Stevenson, a member of the library board.

Mrs. Georgia Roe and Mrs. R. Burrows have both made substantial additions to the shelves.

NO JURISDICTION TO ABANDON ROAD

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION NO POWER OVER ELECTRIC LINES IN NEW RULING

The state public utilities commission has ruled that it was without jurisdiction to authorize the Benton Harbor-St. Joe Railway and Light company to abandon interurban railway service to Dowagiac and Watervliet.

Act 56 of the Public Acts of 1919 was quoted by the commission to show that whereas it had authority over steam railways in similar situations, interurban lines are specifically excepted from the provisions of the act.

The railway company originally petitioned for permission to abandon the lines, but later applied for permission to withdraw its petition on the grounds the commission was without authority. Commissioner James Bice explained that the probable course of the railway company now will be to take the matter of abandonment up with the local authorities who originally granted the franchise.

Other disastrous state fires followed until today there is nothing left with which to pay fire losses on state property.

Gov. Green has taken up the question of reviving the state insurance fund and has asked the state commissioners of insurance to submit him a report which will go to the administrative board next week.

In the event of a fire at a state institution at this time it would be necessary to call the legislature into special session to make the necessary appropriation to rebuild. The calling of the legislature in special sessions in itself would cost the state many thousands of dollars.

BATCHELOR ISLAND PROPERTY IS SOLD

WILLIAM EILER OF LAKESIDE BUYS 15 ACRES IN ST. JOSEPH RIVER FOR A POPULAR RESORT

Work is to begin at once on the developing of Batchelor Island, located in the St. Joseph river, recently purchased by William Eiler of Lakeside. The deal was closed last week with Postmaster Herbert Batchelor acting for the Batchelor heirs. The total amount of the land involved is estimated at 16 acres or all but 14 lots on Island No. 2. The consideration was said to be about \$25,000.

Immediate work will be begun on the bridge and roads, with a total cost of \$50,000 involved, according to Mr. Eiler. The first bridge project will be an 86 foot span across the river connecting with the old Batchelor homestead. Mr. Eiler was in Buchanan this week completing definite plans with bridge contractors to begin immediate construction.

"I have been to California more than 30 times and nowhere have I seen a spot with such inherent beauty as the island possesses," said Mr. Eiler, who is highly enthusiastic over his purchase. There are already six cottages and two tent houses on lots sold to private holders on the property which lies more than a half mile north and south in the St. Joseph river. The upper end is opposite Moccasin Bluff heights.

It is said that Mr. Eiler is planning to make this a popular playground for Buchanan. He proposes to build roads and bridges so that motorists can gain easy access to the island. An automobile bridge from the right bank to the island, connecting with the Bend of the River road, near the Wyman Batchelor home, will be the first of a series of improvements. If the scenic drive is developed along the old Pere Marquette road bed abandoned four years ago, Mr. Eiler will build his bridge to the west side also.

He has in mind making this a park with winding drives, playgrounds for children and the whole island landscaped to bring out its natural beauty with houses set in ideal conditions.

Asa W. Batchelor, who died in 1876, grandfather to Postmaster Batchelor, is said to have bought this farm including the islands, from Alfred Richards, Sr., in 1856, and it has been in the family for 71 years. Mrs. Frances Batchelor, who lives at 318 Main street, widow of George W. Batchelor, deceased in 1913, son of Asa, and her children, George Herbert, Wyman, Mrs. Esther Hamilton, Mrs. Lucretia Bachman of Niles and Mrs. Rose Denno, are the heirs to the estate, which has not been divided. It used to be farmed, but the Berrien Springs dam raised the water and it was discontinued.

The drive to Batchelor's island is 2.1 miles out River road north-east, down the steep bluff to the bridge above the big dam, then along the deep waters past the electric power plant and by the willow-edged stream to where it turns northward toward Berrien Springs.

Work is to begin at once on the developing of Buchanan's latest summer residence and playground park division. It is freely predicted that the village limits, which already include the hydro-electric plant and houses north of the St. Joseph river, will in a short time be extended to include Batchelor's island division.

COOLIDGE WILL BE INVITED TO ATTEND STATE REUNION

Former United States Senator Wm. Alden Smith, Congressman Carl Mares and Mayor Edwin Swarthout compose the delegation which will go to Rapid City, S. D., next week to present President Coolidge an invitation to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in Grand Rapids the week of Sept. 11.

BARODA WOMAN APPEALS

Cleo Linsenmier of Baroda, has filed an appeal to the state supreme court in the case of Judge C. E. White's recent award of \$1,000 insurance policy with the Detroit Life Insurance Co. to Nova B. Ream. The women both claim the insurance through a transfer of beneficiary shortly before the policy holder's death.

RESIGNS STORE POSITION

Ralph Peoples has resigned his position with the Great American store and has gone with his wife to the home of his parents at LaPorte, Ind. He was compelled to resign because of poor health. Until a new manager takes over the store, J. B. Price of Niles, district manager, will be in charge.

PRISON HOSPITAL IS STATE'S PLAN NOW

A prison tuberculosis hospital with facilities for caring for all classes of prisoners probably will be provided, the state prison commission has indicated.

It was stated the present tuberculosis hospital at the Ionia reformatory is not suitable for housing desperate criminals. It is inadequately protected. Many prisoners from other prisons have not been transferred to the hospital because of the danger of escape. Warden Shean of Ionia, was directed to make a survey to determine the cost on improving the institution or of locating it elsewhere.

SEVERELY HURT IN AUTO SMASH

MR. AND MRS. LEON WOOD SUFFER INJURIES AS MACHINE HITS A BIG TRUCK

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wood were severely hurt Thursday night at 9:30 in an automobile accident on the Niles-Buchanan road, the second severe accident Mr. Wood has suffered in the past few months.

The condition of Mrs. Wood, who is in Clark hospital is considered favorable. She is suffering from a fracture of the right leg and a fractured right wrist in addition to a serious laceration of her broken leg and many cuts about the face and hands, according to Dr. J. C. Strayer.

Mr. Wood has a broken nose, two broken ribs and many smaller cuts. Both were badly bruised in the crash. Mr. Wood's condition warranted his removal from Pawating hospital at Niles on Monday to his home on Charles Court.

The accident occurred about 9:30 Thursday evening a mile and a half west of Niles on the Buchanan road. Wood was returning to his home here. He was partially blinded by passing motorists near the Metzger school causing him to be unable to judge the distance between his car and a large truck ahead. He crashed into the truck full force.

The driver of the truck, George Labruno, of Whiting, Indiana, had stopped in front of the home of Clyde Webber to ask permission to park his truck at the Webber place for the night. His truck was so large he said he was unable to find a place in Niles to leave it for the night.

He had been unable to secure permission to leave his truck there and was just starting again when the crash came. Webber had scarcely closed his door when he heard the noise of the accident.

Two ambulances were dispatched and in the confusion, Mr. Wood was taken to Pawating hospital at Niles and Mrs. Wood was brought to Clark hospital.

Their automobile was practically demolished glass being broken and the body being badly mangled.

This is the second accident Mr. Wood has experienced within the last few months. Wounds about the head were suffered by him when his car struck a telegraph pole at Third and Broadway. His car at that time skidded into the pole, the streets being covered with a treacherous coating of ice.

The Woods had just returned from a motor trip to Illinois here they visited with Mr. Wood's sister. She is here taking care of Mr. Wood at his home on Charles Court.

COUNTY FARMERS TO PICNIC TODAY

NOTED GRANGE AND FARM BUREAU MEN WILL BE SPEAKERS AT GATHERING

The annual Farmers' picnic will be held today when people from all over the county will gather at Berrien Springs.

A program of sports and two noted speakers have been secured for the occasion. The event will last through the day with sports beginning at 10 a. m. A basket dinner will be served at noon and speakers prominent in farm work will talk in the afternoon.

M. L. Noon, president of the State Farm Bureau and George Roxburgh, Master of the state grange will speak. Noon is one of the foremost farmers of the state, having a dairy farm in Jackson county. Roxburgh has been active in grange work all of his life and has been especially interested in legislative affairs for farmers recently.

Ball games, horse shoe pitching contests, games and races are to be included in the sports.

The event is under the auspices of the Grange and Farm Bureau.

1,500 AT FINAL CAMP SESSION

A. H. HILLER ON RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE AT CRYSTAL SPRINGS MEETING OF METHODISTS

Record attendances that have been reported at every session of the Crystal Springs camp meeting were swelled to 1,500 at the concluding services Sunday. The pageants and addresses by men noted in Methodism made up the final programs.

The final sermon was delivered by Dr. Guy Cuthshall, president of Cliff Seminary at Denver. Dr. Cuthshall was the principal speaker during the 10 day session and was invited to return for the full period next year, at a meeting of 220 people on Saturday. More than 1,500 people attended the final sermon by Cuthshall, who is characterized as having the keenness and penetration of a Bishop McConnell and the flashing facility in the speech of the late Bishop Quale.

A sermon, drama "Nason, the Blind Disciple," was presented by young people of the Kalamazoo district Sunday evening. Special lighting effects and music accompaniments accompanied the pageant. Young people of the Parish church of Kalamazoo also presented a pageant Saturday night.

Bishop Nicholson of Detroit, spoke at the Sunday morning meeting when the annual thank offering amounted to more than \$500.

Dr. Meader of the Kalamazoo district, presided over the session this year, Crystal Springs being under the direct supervision of the Kalamazoo district. Heretofore the Niles district was affiliated with the Kalamazoo district.

A. H. Hiller of Buchanan and the Rev. Grant Jordan of Doonagan were on the committee on resolutions. The following resolution was drawn up by them and accepted Thursday:

"Whereas, the Hon. John Ketcham, member of congress and resident of Hastings, in an address at Crystal Springs called attention to the fact that the wet forces, in congress are expressing themselves loudly in opposition to the Eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act."

"Therefore be it resolved that the Methodist Episcopal churches of the Kalamazoo district, assembled on the Crystal Springs camp ground in the annual camp meeting, have been fully privileged in our American citizenship and express our hearty approval of the eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act, and pledge our earnest support and cooperation in furthering the great cause of temperance that will bring nation-wide and world-wide economic prosperity, liberty and peace."

MANY VISIT RESLER HOME. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Resler of Iowa, Miss Hazel Resler, Alexandria, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson of Riverside, Cal., were the guests of the Resler's here. They arrived Saturday and remained until Wednesday.

RECORD LINERS PAY

Tasty Cakes

A NEW VARIETY EVERY DAY AT

Portz Bakery

East Main GARDENS

Cut flowers, plants, floral designs, shrubs and hardy perennials, lawn grass seed for sandy soil, sun or shade; lawn fans, trellises, etc., gladiolus and dahlias of the better kinds.

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Pockets of Town Men Reveal Strange Variety of Things

Collar buttons, automobile keys, string, matches, theater tickets, pencils and even a stray coin all this and much more are some of the things that roll out of laundry bags and unpressed suits when sent to cleaning establishments of the town.

A deep insight into the personalities of men as well as women of Buchanan is indicated by these little odds and ends. Either housewives of Buchanan are a little more careful in emptying their husbands pockets before trying up the laundry bag or the men themselves are more particular about what they carry. The assortments at both tailoring and laundry establishments of the town are smaller than would be expected from a community of a thousand or so homes but the cleanings are quite as varied. Everything from a match stick to a valuable set of cuff links.

Money? It is not very often found in pockets, say tailors and professional laundries. In no instance did anyone mention a sum of money higher than a dollar bill. Pennies, however, do not hold a high place in the male estimation here.

Collar buttons? Not many. It appears that most of these temper provocers have rolled out of sight altogether. One laundryman says it is the advent of the soft collar that has helped to do

away with the collar button. Cuff links are most frequent of all jewelry, if some of the assorted varieties found may be called jewelry.

One of the most valuable possessions in the estimation of housekeepers, at least, are the keys to the flivver. Voices over the telephones are always extremely anxious when they inquire and faces are especially careworn when seeking the ignition switch.

All this pot pourri of articles does not come from pockets and collar bands, it is surprising the number of things a man might carry in his hat, say the cleaners enigmatically.

Strange things hidden in strange places are these contents of the "Valley of Forgotten Things."

STATE INSPECTOR VISITS BUCHANAN CONCERNS

Miss Lizzie Kakebeke, deputy state inspector for the Department of Labor and Industry for the State of Michigan, visited industrial establishments and all places where women are employed in Buchanan Friday.

Working hours for women in keeping with the state laws, proper employment surroundings and other state employment conditions were inspected by the visitor. She returned to Benton Harbor Saturday morning.

While You Are in Town Dollar Day

Drop into Booster's for a good smoke and take some of our good pipe tobacco home with you.

Try Our Lunch Counter Quick Lunches Always Ready For You

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CAMP FIRE GIRLS IN STATE MEETING

OUTDOOR GIRLS WILL MEET IN STATE CONFERENCE PROGRAM OF EVENTS LAST OF AUGUST

Camp Fire girls throughout the state have been extended invitations to join in the state conference at Camp Keewano, Waukegan, Ill., near Holland, which will be in session during the last two weeks of August. This is the second state conference of the Camp Fire Girls and the first to take place at the state camp.

The conference program will consist of a discussion of Camp Fire activities for the coming winter season. Regular Camp Fire routine will be carried on throughout the session. Competitive events such as swimming, tennis, handcraft, games and other activities will be among the attractions for those who attend. Each member of the group having fifty per cent attendance will be accorded special honor.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

- Black Walnut Ice Cream, Regular 50c
- ular 65c bricks 50c
- Tutti Frutti brick 50c
- 3 layer brick cream 45c

AMERICAN ICE CREAM PARLOR

"Parents sending their girls to the conference may rest assured the safety of their daughters," said Miss Marion Gavett, head counselor of the group. "Every precaution is taken to protect the girls from mishap. Two excellent cooks from the Lawyer's club at the University of Michigan are in charge of the kitchen. Pure water coming from wells, scientifically tested by the State Department of Health, supplies the kitchen, dining halls and the tents. A graduate nurse resides at the camp to give immediate attention to any girl needing such care. No girl is allowed outside of the camp grounds without proper chaperonage."

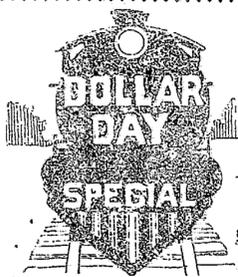
"The regular fee of \$10 a week will be charged of those who attend. The girls may limit their stay to one week if desirable or

remain the full two weeks of the session. Camp headquarters at Ottawa Beach will supply full details on request of parents or Camp Fire Girls.

DRIVING NEW CHEVIES

Last week the Russel Chevrolet Sales sold a coupe to Miss Belle Miller and a sedan to Arnold S. Webb. Jesse Lauver & Son bought a new truck to use on the country oil routes they are establishing and Elmer Weitzel bought a new truck to use in his business.

THE SPARTONS ARE COMING!



For Saturday, Aug. 13

- 8 White plates \$1.00
- 10 cups and saucers \$1.00
- 8 rolls toilet paper 25c
- Men's Work Socks, per doz. \$1

- 2 75c books for \$1.00
- 5 story books Boys' & Girls' \$1.00
- 2 Window Shades \$1.00
- 5 yds. Stevens' linen crash, 18 in. \$1

J. C. REHM VARIETY STORE

Dollar Day

Buchanan, Mich. SATURDAY, AUG. 13 Buchanan, Mich.

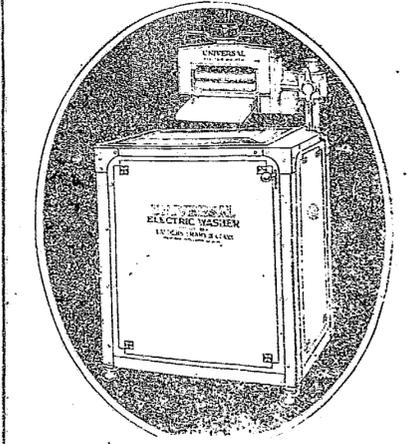
Realizing the REAL BARGAINS are the best trade stimulant and that Real Bargains build lasting friendship for a store, we offer you the following for Dollar Day

SIX 50-WATT LAMPS \$1 Dollar Day Only

Hot-Point Electric Iron You know how good the Hot-point is, how efficient and reliable. We offer you this splendid Electric Iron, Dollar Day only, \$6.00 value for \$5.00 You Save A Dollar

American Beauty Electric Iron Nothing better than the American Beauty, preferred by some to any other. Sells regularly for \$7.50. Dollar Day only \$5.00 You Save \$2.50

Universal Electric Washer



All metal, cabinet model. The cabinet is built of heavy steel, finished in enduring enamel in attractive colors. The wringer, built of heavy steel which will not spring out of shape, has heavy rubber rollers of finest quality, adjustable to any convenient position. The washing cylinder is of ample size, built of rustless metal, does its work most efficiently. It will give us pleasure to demonstrate the Universal in your home. Regular Price \$165 Dollar Day Cash Price \$130

Real Bargains for Dollar Day At the Reliable Store

Come to our store and examine the goods listed below most critically. We leave judgment in your hands as to whether we are offering REAL BARGAINS for Dollar Day.

Men's Socks Good values at the regular price of 25c. SATURDAY ONLY SIX PAIRS \$1.00

Men's Red and Blue Handkerchiefs Liberal size, regular 2 for 25c kind. SATURDAY ONLY EACH 5c

Blankets of Quality Not the small, cheap sale kind. These blankets are 72x80 inches, selling at \$3.50. Colors tan and gray. SATURDAY ONLY \$1.98

Men's Fancy Hose Sell at 50c a pair everywhere. SATURDAY ONLY 4 PAIRS \$1.00

Children's Coveralls The durable kind that save their other clothes and give satisfactory wear. Sizes 2 to 8. SATURDAY ONLY 79c

Ladies' Princess Slips Colors and white. Real \$1.25 value. SATURDAY ONLY 79c

Girls' Dresses Made of good gingham in several styles, real \$1.50 value. Better buy several. SATURDAY ONLY 89c

Men's B. V. D. Style This is the time when the men need them buy for now and next season. SATURDAY ONLY 49c

Men's Work Shoes Extra good and built of good leather. We sell these shoes regularly at \$3.00 a pair. They are made to give service. SATURDAY ONLY \$1.98

Men's Dress Shirts Genuine Broadcloth of extra quality. Well made throughout. Reg. \$3 value. SATURDAY ONLY \$1.49

We believe that we are offering most exceptional values in dependable merchandise. Our sale offers an opportunity for you to outfit the family at a great saving in money. We invite you to the Reliable Dollar Day. We will have a store filled with Bargains for you.

M. GROSS

OUR STORE IS FILLED WITH MANY ATTRACTIVE AND NECESSARY ELECTRICAL UNITS FOR THE HOME. WE ESPECIALLY CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THE DISPLAY OF NEW SIDE LIGHT FIXTURES, NEW OVERHEAD LIVING ROOM BED-ROOM AND DINING ROOM FIXTURES. Berrien County Electric Shop

50 TRAINEES OF COUNTY IN CAMP

BUCHANAN HAS ITS SHARE OF MEN AT CITIZENS' MILITARY TRAINING CAMP THIS SEASON

Among the young men at Camp Custer this year, "Berrien's Boys" numbered more than 50 on the opening day, many of them becoming during their training period prominent in every line of competition and sport.

Company "H" the "mule tenders," claim most of Berrien's brightest young men. In this company about 30 trainees from the southwestern county are members, having a majority of the positions on the varied "H" sport teams and holding other high offices among their fellow machine-gunners.

Other companies who can claim Berrien men are "F," "G" and "E." The number is rather scattered in these companies, however, "H" being the real home of these from the border county.

As well as in official rating, the sporting element has entered into the Berrien county trainees with a firm hold. "H" company's basketball team includes four regulars from the lake county and two subs. In baseball, the heaviest hitters are from this section. Track claims seven of the ten men in "H" from Berrien's cities, while swimming, boxing, wrestling, football and tennis are all highly active with fellows from this section.

Although a larger number of men came from the bigger cities, many representatives are there from the smaller towns. Howard Lentz, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Lentz and Joseph Bromley are among the trainees. Lentz is a member of the band at the camp. He is expected home today, after spending four weeks in training.

Bromley has been selected as one of the platoon leaders for company "H."

All in all, Berrien county has quite a representative body at this year's C. M. T. C. with so many activities and honors. "H" company, where the majority of the men reside, has proven to be one of the best, if not the unique company of the battalion.

Willard Banyon, St. Joseph attorney, has made all this possible, especially in the line of "talking it up" to the men from this section. After three elapsed weeks of camp, those from Berrien are certain he told them no lies and didn't once exaggerate the value of Camp Custer's C. M. T. C.

RECORD LINERS PAY

\$ DAY Bargains

- 5 Brunswick Vocalion Records \$1
- 2 75c boxes Stationary 41
- Milk of Magnesia, bottle 39c
- Ceno Fly Spray, 50c bottle 37c
- 75c bottle 59c

The Wisner Pharmacy

PARENTS SEARCH HERE FOR LOST SON, 11 YEARS OLD

Search is being made in this locality for Edward Van Leeuwen, 11, who disappeared from his home in Royal Oak on July 9.

The boy weighs 90 pounds, has brown hair and eyes and has a mole on his left cheek. When he was last seen he was wearing a khaki blouse, corduroy knee breeches, grey sport stockings, tennis shoes and a yellow visor. The parents promise the boy will not be punished if he returns home.

Anyone learning of his whereabouts will receive a substantial reward by communicating with the Royal Oak police department or the Oakland county sheriff's office.

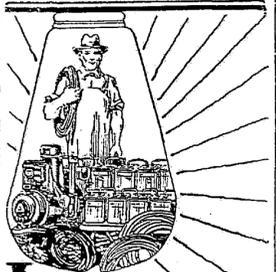
THUG ROBS GALIEN WORKER OF MONEY

\$44 TAKEN FROM BRITTON, WHO SUFFERS BROKEN NOSE WHEN MAN USES CLUB

A mysterious thug struck Leon Britton of Galien and robbed him of \$44 last Thursday evening at Hammond, Ind., according to ord received by friends at Galien.

Britton, who is a worker on the bridge gang for the Michigan Central railroad, had just cashed his pay check and was walking past the string of cars when the robber stepped out from between two cars and struck him. He was knocked down and his nose was broken. His assailant took his money and disappeared between the cars again. Britton was on his way to the caboose to leave his money with the cook for safe keeping when he was attacked.

Mrs. Nellie Boone and Miss Mabel Wagner are among people from Buchanan, who are attending the annual assembly of the Church of Christ at Rock lake this week.



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SCOUTS APPEAR IN HONOR PAGEANT

SPECTACULAR CLOSING OF SEASON ACTIVITIES WILL BE HELD IN SOUTH BEND, AUG. 25

The honor pageant of Camp Bryan, Little Fish lake, Michigan, to be presented in Leeper park, South Bend, August 25, will be the most spectacular and include the greatest exhibit of scoutcraft ever staged in South Bend, according to scout officials. The exhibit there will be under the direction of American Red Cross Life Saving Examiner and Veteran Eagle Scout Horace Winchell. A demonstration in first aid and sanitation will be staged under the direction of Dr. E. V. Stadel, the camp medical officer. Under the direction of Maurice L. Bristol, the camp naturalist, an exhibit of the insect life of south-ern Michigan and the bird life at Camp Bryan, will be explained. The shrub, flower and tree life at Camp Bryan will be explained by Donald Dougall and Charles Barnes, assistants to Mr. Bristol, director of nature lore and wood-craft at Camp Bryan. There will be a special demonstration of

handicraft under the direction of Eagle Scout William Knudson, who has recently been added to the staff at Camp Bryan, with the assistant director at the camp. The demonstration in bridge building, pioneering, knot tying, etc., will be under the direction of Eagle Scout Eugene Irwood. The corral and demonstrations of horsemanship will be under the direction of M. J. Galbreath, the riding master of Camp Bryan, while the covered wagon and the handling of the great ox team will be in charge of Arthur Petrie, who is a regular visitor at Camp Bryan each year. In fact he has been with Chief C. H. Barnes in camp for the past 15 years, never missing a summer together. The cooking and fire building in the demonstration camp will be in charge of the chef, Mose Milan, and his assistants, Ganes Thompson and William Huntley.

At 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Aug. 25, there will be a regular Camp Bryan retreat under the supervision of the staff of the camp. Following this there will be demonstrations and exhibits and at 7 o'clock the Studebaker corporation band, directed by John B. MacPherson, will begin the concert which precedes the pageant. At 7:30 o'clock, another full dress retreat will be held in which all campers from Camp Bryan will participate. The band concert will then

continue until 8:15 o'clock, when the Hiawatha pageant will be staged. This year the pageant is directed by Veteran Eagle Scout Russell Beckwith, who is a four year honor camper at Camp Bryan, took the part of Hiawatha when the pageant was first produced four years ago under the direction of Eagle Scout Franklin A. Hopkins, and who last year directed the production of the pageant entitled "The History of the St. Joseph Valley."

Paul Easton is the only Buchanan scout attending Camp Bryan this year.

ENTERTAIN AT CLEAR LAKE Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Frame, 119, W. Chicago street, entertained with a pot luck dinner at Clear lake Sunday. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith of Almora, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bulzbach, Mrs. Sophia Ashman and daughter, Mr. I. R. Bowers, Miss Mary Gaskill, Miss Pearl Styles all of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. O. Clements and daughter of Mishawaka, Earl Ashman of Gary and Norman Smith of Buchanan.

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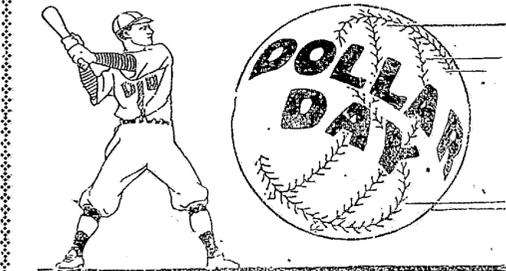
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\$1.75 Trouble and Service Light

\$1.00

A necessity for every car owner, great when you change tires at night. Attach the plug to your dash and the base to your fender or any part of your car. Magnetic contact holds it there. See it and you will buy it.

Two 75c Spark Plugs for Chevrolet or Ford cars \$1.00
Pint can of the new No. 7 Dupont top dressing. This is what you have been looking for \$1.00

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Dollar Day Bargains

EXTRA SPECIALS FOR DOLLAR DAY

Three 75c New Victor Records \$1.00
You Save \$1.25

Two 75c Player Rolls \$1.00
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DOLLAR DAY

The More You Buy The More You Save

Buchanan, Mich SATURDAY, AUG. 13 Buchanan, Mich

We are going to make Saturday, Aug. 13, Dollar Day, the biggest selling, value giving event in the history of our store, on quality merchandise.

The well known Not A Seme silk to the top guaranteed SILK HOSE All colors and sizes, our regular \$1.00 value, Dollar Day 78c pr.	Wilson Bros.' genuine lisle thread Men's Socks Chain knit, good durable Hose 5 Pairs for \$1.00	WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS All colors, sizes 3 to 8. Heavy buck skin soles. Good round the house slipper. 59c pr.
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FINAL CLEAN UP QUALITY LADIES' Slippers, Pumps and Oxfords High and low heels. Come in early, they will not last long at this price. \$1.00 pair	Men's Overalls Men who wear overalls, here is a good buy, heavy weight quality, tobacco brown stripe. Bib or hand style. Suspender back, big, full cut \$1.15 pair
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Children's Tan Calf Lace Oxfords Good solid all-leather school Oxfords, sizes 11 1/2 to 2 **Pair, \$1.98**

FINAL CLEAN UP DOLLAR DAY Ladies' Dress Pumps, Slippers and Oxfords Newest styles, all \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$6.50 high grade, quality styles, all in one group, patent, rose blush, parchment tan and satin. FOR DOLLAR DAY \$3.85 pair	Men's Trousers Men you have been looking for an extra pair of trousers to match the coat and vest or an extra pair for dress. We invite you to come and look at the Keystone line of all-wool trousers. DOLLAR DAY PRICES. \$4.50 Pants \$3.25 \$5.00 Pants \$3.75 \$5.50 Pants \$4.00 \$6.00 Pants \$4.25 \$7.00 Pants \$5.50
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Dollar Day Men's Shirt Sale Dress Shirts, Wilson Bros.' and Arrow quality. In madras, broadcloth and silk, with or without collars, sizes 14 to 18. Our Regular \$2.00 Shirts - \$1.50 Our Regular \$2.50 Shirts - \$1.85 Our Regular \$3.50 Shirts - \$2.65 Our Regular \$5.00 Shirts - \$3.65	GRAB SALE We have placed 50 pair ladies' shoes and slippers, one pair in a box, wrapped so that you can not see them. We guarantee every box to contain one pair shoes or slippers, you get a pair of shoes for 25c. Take your pick of the boxes for 25c
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GLENN E. SMITH

SPECIAL Dollar Day Bargains IN USED CARS

1926 Overland Sedan, good condition	\$498
1925 Essex Coach, big value	\$375
1924 Buick Touring, see this one	\$375
1926 Star Coach, a real buy	\$450
1927 Essex Coach	\$650

This car has been in private use for about four months and is just nicely broken in; perfect condition with spare tire, bumpers, etc.

International 1 1/2 ton truck	\$550
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Equipped with stock rack and dump body.

See these good cars. Take a ride in them. They are good values.

HUDSON-ESSEX MOTOR SALES

HUNDREDS ENJOY ANNUAL PLAYTIME

KIDS SCUFFLE FOR PENNIES AND AWARDS IN I. O. O. F. FUN FESTIVAL FOR CHILDREN

Watermelon, ice cream cones, squawkers, whistles and all those things that hold a high place in the kingdom of childhood were included in the annual Odd Fellows Playtime for Buchanan children Saturday afternoon at Athletic Park.

Not only were the list of awards, donated by the members, the best ever prepared, but the program of sports was acclaimed unequalled by the hundreds of youngsters who attended the event. All children under the age of 14 years were eligible to compete in the races.

The penny scramble when 400 coppers were thrown out for the children was one of the most popular stunts prepared by the committee. A ball game and a girls' backward race were two crowd cheering attractions as was the three-legged race. Harold Bradford, playground director, was in charge of the athletic program. Winners in the races were as follows:

Broad jump for all boys under 14 years of age: First, Robert Montgomery; second, Walter Babcock; third, Lee Wetzel.

Boys' three-legged race: First, Robert Ellis and "Shorty" Mitchell; second, Edward Rolan and Evert Deeds.

Race for boys 14 and under: First, Lee Wetzel; second, Robert Montgomery; third, Donald Wolford.

Race for boys 12 and under: First, Robert Ellis second, Evert Deeds; third, Vernon Alfred.

Race for boys nine and under: First, Richard Ellis; second, John Hillbrant; third, Charles Cronin; fourth, Francis Imus.

Race for boys seven and under: First, Philip Pierce; second, Dana Walls; third, Dale Lyons.

Race for boys five and under: First, Robert Leo Hemple; second, Carl Rough; third, Dick Neal.

Girls' backward race: First, Mary Jane Harkrider; second, Clarisse Banke; third, Dorothy Rothfuchs.

Race for girls 14 and under: First, Mary Jane Harkrider; second, Enid Reams; third, Mabel Meyers.

Race for girls 12 and under: First, Dorothy Rothfuchs; second, Thessel Mitchell; third, Marie Post; fourth, Elizabeth Hess.

Race for girls nine and under: First, Eva Swartz; second, Dorothy Jerue; third, Shirley Rolan.

Race for girls seven and under: First, Mary Wheeler; second, Ruth

Babcock; third, Wanda Topash. Race for girls five and under: First, Eunice Shafer; second, Catherine Wynn; third, Geneva Babcock.

Ball throwing contest for girls 14 and under: First, Catherine Portz; second, Elma Smith; third, Frances Williams, Linda Fatter and Clarice Banke.

POPULAR SPEAKER COMING AUG. 23

SECRETARY OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SECURES G. J. OAKES FOR TALK ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Members of the Chamber of Commerce are to be given a rare treat on Tuesday night, August 23. Secretary A. W. Charles has arranged to hold a dinner in the Legion hall at 8:30 on this date and has secured Gardner J. Oakes who will give an address on the subject, "Community Progress Through Cooperation."

Mr. Oakes comes to us with a broad knowledge of his subject and a reputation as a public speaker. He has spoken to many of the larger civic bodies of the state in the past few months on this and kindred subjects and many complimentary things are being said of him and the splendid work he is doing, particularly in bringing the smaller communities to a full realization that they have nothing to fear from trade absorption by the larger communities if they will but realize their own possibilities and develop through co-operation.

Mr. Oakes says that the trend today is away from the metropolitan centers; that people are coming to a fuller realization that the ideal life can be found only in smaller communities and that in this fact has come a real opportunity for civic progress and commercial advancement which can be capitalized through community co-operation.

Mr. Charles is fortunate in securing this speaker and his coming will be made a real event and of importance to every member of the Chamber of Commerce.

W. M. S. WILL MEET Mrs. D. L. Boardman will be hostess to the Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church in her home, Clark street Friday afternoon at 2:30. The picnic planned for this month has been postponed until a later date.

As her guest Mrs. Wm. Blancy is entertaining her sister, Miss Florrie Noonan, of Toronto, Canada, and Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin of Ottawa, Canada.

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MUST ELIMINATE MORE CROSSINGS

He who hesitates is safe. This is a new twist to an ancient proverb brought about by careless automobile driving at railroad and highway intersections.

Such philosophy, however, is infrequently used, accident figures show. Last year 2,492 motorists lost their lives at railroad crossings while 6,991 were injured, according to a compilation given out recently by a railway committee.

In 1898, when travel was slow by the horse and buggy method, the death figure was 675. The widespread use of the automobile and its high rate of speed account for the increase in crossings.

The continuation of such accing accidents has made it imperative that steps be taken to lessen the possibility of automobiles meeting trains at junction points. Since Federal Aid work was launched in 1916, nearly 1800 crossings have been eliminated through two methods, by separating the grades and by changing the highway routes. Nearly two-thirds of these crossings were avoided by rerouting the roads.

Of the 414 crossings eliminated during 1926 on Federal Aid projects, 202 of them were by relocation of highways. A number of states have also taken steps to eliminate grade crossings. In making plans for pavement building many communities are including funds for the construction of under-passes.

There are 232,755 grade crossings used by motorists in the U. S. Of this number only 27,161 have protection in any form. Highway authorities point out that if the yearly accident toll is to be reduced still more attention must be paid to grade crossing elimination. This is especially urged

near populous communities where Saturday, Sunday and holiday traffic is heavy. Here grade separations are urged inasmuch as they not only provide safety but a continual traffic movement.

A general survey has shown that no real progress toward reduction in crossings accidents has been achieved. Educational campaigns and traffic regulations have succeeded only in holding the death list to about the proportion of the increase in the number of cars.

DEMPESEY WHITE REUNION HELD AT WATERFORD, IND.

The fourteenth annual Dempsey-White reunion was held on Sunday, August 6th at the Earl White home in Waterford, Ind. About seventy members and guests partook of a bountiful pot luck dinner, which was served on the lawn.

Following the dinner a short business meeting was held, after which election of officers took place. John H. Best was elected president, Hattie Penton of Michigan City was re-elected vice president, Marie Dempsey was re-elected secretary, treasurer, Mrs. Will Dempsey corresponding secretary and Hazel Honswerth of South Bend and Edna Penton of Michigan City, were named for the entertainment committee. Mrs. M. Van Horne of Waterford was the oldest member present, she being 85 years old and Vonda Mae Beck, 7 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beck, was the youngest in attendance. The afternoon was spent with games and stunts out of doors until the rain drove them to shelter. Ice cream and cake was served in the late afternoon. The next reunion will be held the first Sunday in August, 1928, at the home of Mrs. Nora Miles.

J. Weaver, who has been ill at his home on Front street is able to be out again.

HESS-TROUTFETTER ANNUAL REUNION HELD ON SUNDAY

The annual reunion of the Hess and Troutfetter families was held last Sunday at the home of Frank Sunday. A basket dinner was served at noon to an attendance of 115 guests from Galien, Buchanan, Niles, Battle Creek, Hobart, Jackson, South Bend, Mishawaka, New Buffalo, Three Oaks, Michigan City, Chrisman, Benton Harbor and from Ohio and Florida.

Following the dinner a rising vote of thanks was given to Mr. and Mrs. Sunday for their hospitality. The annual election of officers took place with Ernest Hess of Galien, president, Andrew Cashbaugh of Michigan City, vice president, Clara Brewster of

South Bend, secretary, treasurer, and Wm. Troutfetter, Andrew Cashbaugh, Ernest Hess, historians, Minnie Sunday, Viola Hess, Edna Calvert, program committee. After the business session the program was carried out by the committee which was enjoyed by all.

The fourth annual reunion will be held next year on the first Sunday in August at Dayton.

ARNEY FAMILY REUNION

The annual Arney family reunion was attended by about 35 members Sunday at Indian Fields, Berrien Springs. Among those from Buchanan who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Arney, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Arney, Emma Rollings, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tuttle, and son, Donald, and Mrs. Nettie Arney.

A short business meeting followed the day of festivities, when officers for the year were elected. Mr. Alanson Brown of Eau Claire, was selected president. Adam Briney of Coloma will be vice-president and Mrs. Earl Tuttle, who is spending the summer here from Kenosha, Wis., will be secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. W. E. Pennell entertained Mr. and Mrs. Emory Thomas of South Bend at her home on Terre Coupe road, over the week end.

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50c FORD FAN BELTS 35c For

\$1.25 CHEVROLET FAN BELTS \$1.00 For

\$2.65 U. S. ROYAL CORD TUBES \$1.75 30x3 1/2 Saturday

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PERCALE Reg. 22c quality .6 YDS \$1.00	VOILES Fast color, fig- ured, 5 YDS . . \$1.00	GLOVE SILK VESTS \$2.00 quality \$1.00	RAYON TEDDIES \$1.50 value \$1.00
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PANGBORN FAMILY OWN MANY RELICS

COLLECTION RECALLS DAYS WHEN WILDCATS WERE NUMEROUS AND LEMONADE GREAT TREAT

Life in a log cabin nearly a hundred years ago, when wildcats lurked in tree tops and people came down to the little village of Buchanan behind oxen to shop, can easily be pictured from a collection of priceless old relics in the possession of Mrs. D. D. Pangborn, West Fourth street.

straw nearly an inch in diameter, bound closely together. Into this strange basket the bread was started at night, the stiff dough being wrapped in a cloth and tucked away on the warm hearth.

a delicately woven willow basket, odd bits of dress material from hoop-skirt days and several cabinets made from solid wood by master craftsmen.

21 TABLES OF BRIDGE AT ORCHARD HILLS GUEST DAY

A number of house guests from both Buchanan and Niles homes were present at the Guest Day party held Thursday afternoon at Orchard Hills Country Club.

Mrs. J. J. Hickey and daughters are on a motor trip into Canada, where they will visit with relatives.

RECORD LENDERS PAY

THE SPARTONS ARE COMING!

RATS DECREASING The Department of Agriculture says rats are probably decreasing in numbers in the United States.

should rat-proof all new buildings. Close all openings through which rats can gain entrance.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

- Exclusive Agency Martha Washington Candies 60c
GRAPE JUICE, regular 50c sellers 3 FOR \$1.00
SANITARY PICNIC SETS, 35 piece to set. A real bargain, 5 SETS \$1.00
HERSHEY MILK CHOCOLATE in blocks, any amount, regular 60c lb. LB. 45c

Hooray For Dollar Day and Thaning's Good Service

Get filled up with gas at our visible pumps on Dollar Day. At our station you see just what you are getting. While you are here buy some of the following:
\$1.00 DISCOUNT
On any tire bought at Thaning's on Dollar Day
Gallon of Mobile Oil \$1.00 Three Champion Spark Plugs, \$1.50 value. \$1.00
Dollar Day \$1.00
Three 50c cans Patching Material \$1.00

Cook in Comfort - -
BANISH HEAT, FUMES, SOOT FROM YOUR KITCHEN WITH A Hotpoint ELECTRIC RANGE
Give yourself the comfort of this modern way of preparing foods. It is cooler, cleaner, more convenient, gives better results, and makes food taste better.

DAYTON I. O. O. F. PICNIC
Labor Day, Sept. 5
Special Attraction
"Chubby" Parker
WLS Broadcasting Station Star will give a program of music and humorous selections
YOU KNOW "CHUBBY" OVER THE AIR. NOW MEET HIM IN PERSON

DOLLAR DAY BARGAINS
30x3 1/2 Regular Firestone Tires \$6.95
10 Per Cent Off on all tires in stock.
CASH PRICES
Fuller's Tire Shop
Phone 191 Days Ave.

BRODRICK'S BARGAINS
Ready to serve you with a store full of good things on Dollar Day
THERMOS BOTTLES 25 per cent off
POST CARD ALBUMS 25 per cent off
SPECIAL—EVEREADY FLASHLIGHTS—Ask
FREE—\$1.00 Week End Package with each \$1.00 purchase of Armand Toilet Powder
W. N. BRODRICK Druggist

To Make Saturday Our Biggest Dollar Day We Contribute

- 7 yards lingerie Nainsook \$1.00
6 yards Pajama check, white and colors \$1.00
4 yards 42 in. linen finish Pillow Tubing \$1.00
6 yards Stevens' or Don's pure linen crash \$1.00
3 American grain sacks \$1.00
8 yards Apron Check gingham \$1.00
7 yards Cheviot Shirting \$1.00
6 yards best quality light or dark percale \$1.00
5 yards 30 in. fine Zephyr Gingham \$1.00
3 yards mercerized Shamting \$1.00
3 yds 50c rayon silk, all the plain shades \$1.00
3 1/4 yds 40 in fine Dress Voiles \$1.00
Plain colors and figured patterns
3 yds guaranteed Everfast suiting or Indian Head Suiting \$1.00
3 yds 50c quality 2 tone Curtain Marquisette \$1.00
2 1/4 yds. 65c rayon Marquisette, good patterns \$1.00
Three 40 in or 42 in Pillow Cases for \$1.00
Two cambric Night Gowns for \$1.00
Two gingham Petticoats for \$1.00
Two 54 in. Japanese Dresser Scarfs \$1.00
Two embroidered Dresser Scarfs \$1.00
Group of four Bath Towels and four Wash Cloths \$1.00
Group of six Household Towels \$1.00
Two 13x36 Chenille Bath Rugs \$1.00
Two 24x36 in. Rag Rugs \$1.00
4 Armstrongs 13x36 Felt Base Rugs \$1.00
Smocks in linene, cretone and chambray styles \$1.00
\$1.98 garments, dollar day
5 piece imported linen luncheon set, 36 in. cloth and 4 napkins, remarkable value \$1.00
45 in. imported heavy Lanch Cloth, \$1.50 value \$1.00

FOR DOLLAR DAY WE WILL GIVE A \$2.00 BASKET OF OUR FINE GLADIOLUS BLOOMS (BASKET IS WORTH MORE THAN \$1.00 ALONE) ALL FOR \$1.00. THESE MAY BE ORDERED BEFORE HAND.

- \$2.50 and \$4 embroidered linen bridge luncheon sets, fine for gifts \$1.98
2 1/4 yds mercerized Table Damask \$1.00
2 yds \$1.50 quality pure linen Table Damask \$1.00
2 3-8 yds \$3 Table Damask \$4.00
This is one of the best values we offer.
Fancy summer dresses in large variety of styles, including the new basque styles, priced for Dollar Day, each \$1.00
2 13 piece Sanitos Lunch Sets for \$1.00
Two stamped ready to embroider and applique, linen finish dress patterns, all colors and white, 79c each, 2 for \$1.50

Hosiery
3 pair Boys' 50c fancy Sport Sox for \$1
2 pairs Misses' 75c mercerized fancy plaid Sport Hose, just the thing for school wear \$1.00
4 pairs Ladies' 59c quality silk hose and they wear well \$1.50
3 pairs of our regular \$1.50 chiffon or Service Weight Hose \$3.50
3 pairs \$2 quality Chiffon or Service Weight Silk Hose \$4.50
3 pairs girls' or boys' 50c 3-4 mercerized hose for \$1.00
Rugs
At Dollar Day Prices
Grass Rugs, fine for porches, bedrooms, etc.
9x12 size Dollar Day Price \$5.00
8x10 size Dollar Day Price \$3.49
6x9 size Dollar Day Price \$2.79
4 1/2 x 7 1/2 size Dollar Day Price \$1.49
9x12 Axminster Rugs, \$42.50 quality, Dollar Day \$29.75
11 3x12 Velvet rug, \$57.50 qual. Dollar Day \$37.50
11 3x12 Brussels rug, \$47.50 qual. Dollar Day \$29.75
9x12 Wilton rug, \$75 quality, Dollar Day \$59.75
9x12 Royal Wilton, \$87.50 qual. Dollar Day \$69.75
\$7.50 Oval French Wilton Dollar Day \$5.00
\$6.50 Oval French Wilton Dollar Day \$4.00
\$1.00 off the regular price for any Congoless Rug in 6x9 size or larger \$1.00 off each \$5.00 Congoless and Congoless by the yard Dollar Day
All Ladies' Coats for Dollar Day Half Price
\$5.50 Rayon Dresses, Dollar Day special \$2.75
One dozen \$12.50 Georgette and other crepe dresses, all new, light and party shades, Dollar Day price \$6.75
D. L. BOARDMAN

TRAINING SCHOOL STARTS AUG. 15

FARMERS FROM MID-WEST TO GATHER FOR BIG WEEK SESSION AT CEDAR LAKE

Farmers in this locality are planning on attending the mid-west Farm Bureau's Training school to begin Monday at Cedar Lake, Indiana.

Authorities from Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan and as far west as Nebraska will appear on the program. In addition to demonstrations and lectures on the latest phases of farm life, there will be talks on schools, salesmanship and other allied subjects.

Wednesday, August 17, will be especially set aside for Farm Bureau work. The program for the day includes: Charles E. Hearst, president of the Iowa state Farm bureau who will talk on "General Administration of Farm Bureaus" and C. M. Neizer, President of the First National Bank of Fort Wayne, speaking on "Principles of Business Administration."

Lloyd S. Tenney from the United States Department of Agriculture will speak on "The Service of the Farm Bureau to Co-operative Marketing" on Thursday, which will be dedicated to co-operative marketing and merchandising. Dean J. H. Skinner of Purdue University will speak on "The Service of the Farm Bureau to Educational Forces."

Dr. George Roberts from the school of education at Purdue will speak the same day on "Teacher Training for Rural Leadership." Dr. Fred Eastman from the University of Chicago on "The Rural Church—Today and Tomorrow" and Lucius Wilson on "The Ultimate Aim of the American Farm Bureau Federation." The training school will close Friday, August 19.

TRY RECORD WANT ADS

WOMAN WINS HONORS AT SOUTH BEND SHOW

At the Fall Flower Show given at the First National and Union Trust Company Bank in South Bend last Friday, Mrs. D. L. Boardman received first prizes for the three best spikes of blooms of any variety, for the vase of the finest twelve or more varieties and for the most artistic basket of pink gladioli combined with other cut flowers.

OPERATION FATAL TO WOMAN HERE

MRS. JOHN ROBERTS DIES AFTER SEVERE ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS AT CLARK HOSPITAL

Mrs. John Roberts died Thursday afternoon following an acute attack of appendicitis and operation at Clark hospital.

Mrs. Roberts was born in 1897 and came to Buchanan from Marcellus, Michigan. The Roberts family had been living on the Robert Atkinson farm, south of town, for only a year. In addition to her husband, Mrs. Roberts is survived by two small children. Her mother and a sister also survive.

Funeral services were held on Sunday at Marcellus, her former home.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Effie Crane during the past few days have been Mrs. K. R. Stahl of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Schultz and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Boyington and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mitchell and family of Chicago.

THE SPARTONS ARE COMING!

INCREASE MADE IN MAIL DELIVERIES

INCREASE IN POPULATION WARRANTS MORE HELP ON CLERICAL AND CARRIER DUTY

Increase in business at the Buchanan post office has been of such an amount that new additions have been made in the office force this week.

Sarah Gilman, who has been employed in parcel post delivery, is now working as a full time office clerk. For delivery of mail

in the business section of Buchanan, Harold Mann has been engaged. Mr. Mann will also make the parcel post deliveries.

The two mail carriers, Kenneth Blake and A. E. Matthews, will now limit their deliveries to the residential districts of the town, where they will make the usual two deliveries.

Determination of the increase in number of employees was the result of a mail census taken by the carriers who were assisted by Postmaster Batchelor, the latter covering all territory not included in the two regular routes. The figures showed the town to have 3,652 residents, a sufficient number to warrant the new additions to the force, according to

advice from post office headquarters at Washington. The number of employees is determined according to the population. The census taking required about a week's time.

BARNHARTS SEE COOLIDGE DURING 3,350 MILE TOUR

A glimpse of President Coolidge and a long drive thru the Bad Lands of South Dakota are some of the experiences of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Barnhart, who have arrived in Buchanan after an automobile tour of 3,350 miles. The president was seen by the Barnharts on the highway as he drove along the road near his summer home. Many miles of

drive thru the Bad Lands with the famous rock formations were also toured by the local people. One of the interesting places they saw was the marker of the center of the state, which also is not far from the spot said to be the center of the line running east and west across the United States.

A catch of rare fish was also accomplished by Mr. Barnhart, three of the famous fish with

pearls back of their eyes being included in his catches.

Before returning here the Barnharts visited at the home of Mrs. Barnhart's sister, Mrs. John Nolan, at Brookings, South Dakota, and brought back their nephew, Johnny Nolan, for a visit. He will visit here two weeks.

Printing—Prompt—Record

Mrs. Cora Sunday of Detroit, Mrs. Lena Parkton of Berrien Springs, Mrs. T. H. Andrews and Mrs. Sanford Carpenter were guests at the home of Mrs. Sadie Raymond the latter part of the week.

Mrs. R. H. Snowden with her mother and daughter, Virginia, have returned from their trip on the Great Lakes.

BUCHANAN DOLLAR DAY, SATURDAY, AUG. 13

BUSINESS BACKING---

If you hope some day to engage in a business of your own—NOW is the time to establish relations with this bank.

HERE you will find a bank large enough to serve your needs yet not too big to appreciate the small account.

THE BUCHANAN STATE BANK

Dollar Day Only We Offer

\$100 Radio Set

Complete for **\$80**

This is a five tube set adapted to use the latest type power tubes, single dial control. This is a peach of an outfit and comes to you complete at this price.

'NOTHER GOOD ONE

30x3 1/2 Tubes	\$1.00
Dollar Day only	

We have Tires and Tubes of all sizes and can fit Your car at money-saving prices. See us on Dollar Day for Tire Bargains.

RADIO SERVICE BATTERY SERVICE

Earl F. Beck's Tire Shop

Everything to Wear for Men & Boys

Dollar Day

BIG SAVINGS

Everything to Wear for Men & Boys

Right NOW when you need the clothing we are presenting you this opportunity to get Real Quality Merchandise at a decided price reduction. This is not a lot of out-of-season merchandise or odds that nobody wants. Everything is seasonable and offered at most astounding price cuts. Read the list carefully, come to B. R. Desenberg & Bro. store Saturday and help yourself to this FEAST OF BARGAINS.

Extra Specials

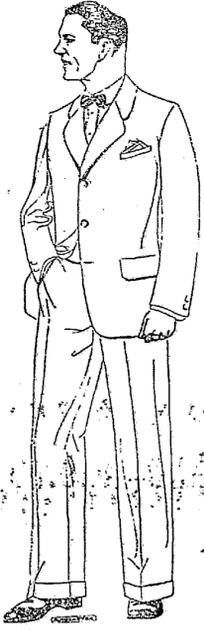
Men's and Young Men's Suits

Thrifty Buyers Will Find Real Values Here

SUITS - Values to \$25.00 for Dollar Day
17 One Dollar Bills

SUITS - Values to \$37.50 for Dollar Day
22 One Dollar Bills

Plenty of firm, fine-wearing worsteds. Plenty of fashionable light tone tweeds. Business suits, college styles and sport models. Get your suit Saturday that you can wear the year round.



DOLLAR DAY BARGAINS!

UNUSUAL BUYS

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| MEN'S AND BOYS' NAINSOOK UNION SUITS, 3 suits for | \$1.00 | MEN'S RAYON SOCK, fibre silk, fancy colors, 3 pair | \$1.00 |
| MEN'S DERBY RIBBED UNION SUITS, short sleeves, ankle length | 73c | MEN'S & BOYS' MUSLIN NIGHT SHIRTS, 1 for | \$1.00 |
| BOYS' DERBY RIBBED UNION SUIT short sleeves, knee length | 39c | MEN'S HEAVY COTTON SWEATER, coat style, gray only | \$1.00 |
| MEN'S LISLE THREAD, No button athletic style | \$1.00 | BOYS' KHAKI LONGIES pair | \$1.00 |
| BOY'S ROUGH & READY STOCKINGS, black or tan, 4 pairs | \$1.00 | BOYS' FINE PERCALE DRESS SHIRTS, neck band style, 2 for | \$1.00 |
| MEN'S ST. JOE WORK SOCK 6 pairs | \$1.00 | MEN'S FINE PERCALE & SILK stripe madras and broadcloth | \$1.00 |
| MEN'S FINE COTTON SOCK, all colors, 3 pair | 25c | MEN'S WORK PANTS, values to \$2.50 | \$1.00 |
| MEN'S PURE SILK SOCKS, plain and fancy colors, 2 pair | \$1.00 | MEN'S EXTRA QUALITY, 220 blue denim OVERALLS | 97c |

28 Boys' Suits
Sizes 14 to 18; values to \$16-50, knicker pants, Cortly Jr. make, for Dollar Day
\$6.45

B. R. DESENBERG & BRO.

10% off
On any pair of Men's and Boys' Shoes and Oxfords

SIX VIGILANTES TO GUARD BANKS

SHERIFF TO NAME SEXTET OF LOCAL CITIZENS TO FRUSTRATE THUGS' OPERATIONS

Buchanan is ready! Let the bandits come! Berrien county has not been a safe area for the successful operation of the bank bandits' trade in the past.

The society consists of 22 units of armed and trained vigilantes, consisting of three men in each unit, which will soon be ready to send a shower of bullets against bandits who dare to invade the county to ply their nefarious trade.

Buchanan will have two units of three men each and each man will be armed with a Krag rifle, .45 calibre revolver and plenty of ammunition.

At the present time over \$40,000 in rewards have been posted over the state, according to Joseph Rylands, director of organization for the bankers.

These rewards to anyone who will tip off the vigilantes that a raid is to be made by bandits as well as to those who aid in capturing or killing them.

"Unless we concede at the start," said Paul J. Ulrich, chairman of the bankers' state protective committee, "that a literal state of warfare at present exists between the bandit and the banker, we will not get very far in our plans."

"We have already organized a belt of vigilantes clean across the state and have surrounded all the larger cities with a network of armed men who will frustrate any effort of the bandits to seek refuge in the metropolises."

In Grand Rapids and Hastings we have stationed two airplanes manned by experienced pilots who will be able to fly at a moment's notice to any part of the state where a robbery is reported.

More vigilantes than would form a battalion and a half of infantry have already been enlisted in thirty-seven of the eighty-three counties of the state to combat bank robbers.

Each vigilante will have the powers of a deputy-sheriff as their duties pertain to the apprehension of bank robber suspects. In other respects they will have no police authority.

There were 39 bank robberies in Indiana in one year. The year following the inauguration of the vigilante system there were but seven and in two of these the bandits were captured and one was killed.

Berrien county has a most enviable record as regards bank robberies. In the last six years there have been but four robberies, and in all but four instances the bandits were arrested and convicted.

The Eau Claire bank robbery occurred four years ago. A still alarm was sent out and a farmer seeing the car of the bandits approaching at a high rate of speed turned his heavy lumber wagon across the narrow country road and the bandits were compelled to drive their car down a cross road.

The bandits in the Millburg robbery occurring two years ago, were not so easily captured. They fled south toward Indiana and in Gallien shot their way through a posse that had temporarily cornered them.

pursuit dashed over the state line into Indiana. Near New Carlisle the trail was lost for a time but the posse came across the bandit car south of New Carlisle and a bloody revolver battle followed, in which all four bandits, badly shot up, surrendered.

Cashiers Walter E. Shoop and Herbert Roe, of the two local banks are highly optimistic relative to the success of the vigilante plan and believe it will prove most successful here.

As a special precaution, officers of the Olney National bank, of Hartford, have included in the plans of remodelling the interior the installation of bullet-proof glass around the bank cage.

BENDIX BRAKES TO MEET BLUES HERE

NAPPANEE INDEPENDENTS DEFEAT MEAD'S TEAM IN CLOSE GAME; SCORE 9-10

Predictions of baseball fans for Sunday's game with Bendix Brakes are varied, with the 2-0 victory over the Hoosiers earlier in the season unforgotten.

The lineup for the Brakes will have Belt, Kertis and Bartz as pitchers and Stapes, rf; Daniels, 2b; Claussen, 3b; Bejma, cf; Bleding, 1b; Hordaker, c; Guzik, ss; and Aftowski, lf.

He is a former star player for the South Bend Singer team and will play third base. The Blue lineup will be: Zeigler, c; Stover, p; Nash, 1b; Miller, 2b; Baile, 3b; Connors, 3b; Gallagher, lf; King, cf; Crouch, rf; Bradbury and Marris p.

In last Sunday's game the local team was defeated by the Nappanee Independents 10 to 7. Hamilton pitched for the Blues, walking two and hitting one batsman. After uncorking two wild pitches he was jerked with the bases full and only one out. He was replaced by Stover who was no more successful in bringing in a victory.

Miller got four hits in his four times at bat. He made half of the Blues' errors. The score by innings was as follows: Buchanan ---212 000 110---9 Nappanee ---315 000 100---10

FOUNDRY BUNCH BEAT DRILLERS

The game waxed fast and furious last Tuesday night when the speedy Drillers met the speedy Founders at Athletic Park in the Twilight league championship game.

The Drillers had no defeat up to this game and the Founders had gone down but once. The Founders took this game, however, by a score of 22 to 12 and by this token the game did not decide the championship. They will play off the tie next Tuesday night at five o'clock.

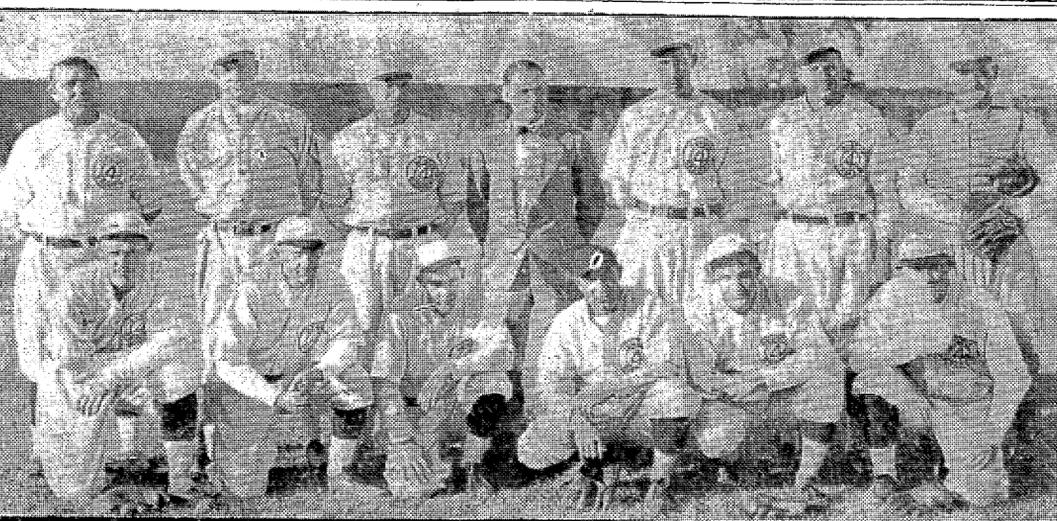
The Drillers were having an easy walk-away up to the fifth when the foundry boys came to and batted around the circle piling up a nice string of counts. Hickey and Pfingst each made a home run.

The game furnished plenty of excitement and entertainment throughout. The next game will draw a big crowd.

"NEGLECTED PEOPLE" IS TOPIC AT W. M. S. MEETING An interesting program on "America's Neglected People" was given at the annual pot luck meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Church of Christ held Tuesday at the home of Albert Sherwood.

The program was in charge of Miss Lily Abel. A letter from Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Rothermel, missionaries in India, was read. Mrs. Lydia Dempsey and Mrs. Mabel Cooper sang a duet. Life in a logging camp was related by Mrs. Ira Wagner and Mrs. Agnes Proud read a poem: "Mrs. Henry Blodgett told of conditions among the mountain people of Kentucky, West Virginia and Tennessee, and stressing the condition of the schools and other educational phases of life there. She also read from Boswells' "Recollections of a Red Headed Man." Mrs. J. Terry read a poem "The Circuit Rider" and Mrs. A. Glover read a story taken from an old scrap book.

A paper on the negroes was read by Mrs. John Moke and "The Alien Immigrant" was described by Mrs. William Bohl. There were about 80 women at the meeting, 25 being there for dinner. The business session and program followed the pot luck dinner.



Bendix Brakes Who Meet Blues Here Next Sunday Afternoon

FORMER RESIDENTS IN AUTO ACCIDENT

MRS. FLOYD O'MERA INJURED WHEN CAR STRIKES POLE NEAR ORCHARD HILLS COUNTRY CLUB

Several automobile accidents occurred over the week end on highways near here, when motorists including former Buchanan residents, were hurt.

Mrs. Floyd B. Omera, 2317 Ernsburger street, South Bend, and her niece, Leona Kramer, 10, were severely cut and bruised when the car in which they were riding ran off the highway and smashed into a telephone pole.

Their car left the road near the Orchard Hills Country club on the Niles-Buchanan highway and snapped off the telephone pole. Mrs. Omera and her niece were cut about the face from flying glass and the child suffered a wrenched knee. Mr. Omera escaped unhurt. His wife and niece were taken to Pawating hospital where they remained until Monday. The car was considerably damaged.

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Jerome Sebasty has sold a 15 acre tract of land on the Terre Coupe road to Enos Schram. The land lies next to the Sebasty home.

This week saw the removal of the Armstrong lunch room from the Merson building on Front street to the Hattenbach store formerly occupied by the Gombosi Tailoring shop. The repairs on the Merson building, have been begun with a new floor, new stove front and other improvements being made. The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea company will occupy the Merson building, their growth in business requiring larger quarters.

The Gombosi tailoring shop has moved to the Gombosi residence on Days avenue. Work is progressing on the new Barr store also.

Two hundred invitations have been issued for the annual alumni banquet to be held Saturday, August 27, when grads from the local high school will get together at Legion Hall.



Watch for this Symbol, it Signifies Bargains

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NEW FORD CAR READY AUG. 15

LOCAL DEALER HAS NAMED NO DEFINITE DATE; DETROIT MEN HAVE SET DEFINITE TIME

Rumors of the new model Fords grew into definite news this week with August 15 set as the date of delivery, according to Detroit automobile dealers.

The Foresman Sales and Service, local dealers in the new car have no definite date for release, although they are waiting expectantly for word from headquarters. Orders are being taken for the new model but no guarantee is given by the Buchanan dealer for delivery.

Detroit dealers are informing their prospective buyers, however, that the new deliveries will be made August 15. Although officials at the Dearborn plant deny they know the date, the dealers are accepting deposits under the tacit agreement that the car will be satisfactory in every way and that if the car is delivered too late, the deposit will be refunded.

Although nothing definite as to specifications were able to be given by Mr. Foresman, detailed descriptions as well as a definite date from Ford himself are becoming more substantial. He said Saturday, his 64th birthday, that he would announce a complete description of the car "within the next few weeks."

"I think the price will be a big surprise as the car itself," Ford said. He was amused over the rumors about his new car. "There's the matter of price. We didn't build this new Ford to fit a price but we certainly are not abandoning the low price field."

Ford has designed his new car personally, surrounding his experts' plans with the greatest secrecy. For weeks the financial and business world have been eager to learn about the new Ford. The preponderance of reports are that the new car will perhaps be \$50 cheaper than the present Ford. There will be more room inside and the motor will be sturdier, it was indicated.

The cylinder block, for instance, was reported to weigh 16 pounds more than the cylinder in the present car. Ford's persistent denial that he has joined "the sextet" indicated that there was no truth to the rumor that it will be a six cylinder car instead of four. The simple operation features of the present day, it was said, will be maintained.

Some alterations have been taking place in the factories and as there are almost complete it is believed that everything is nearly ready for the manufacturer's master stroke. Ford's birthday Saturday found him more devoted than last year at this time to his great motor corporation.

Two hundred invitations have been issued for the annual alumni banquet to be held Saturday, August 27, when grads from the local high school will get together at Legion Hall.

A program and other features are being planned by the committee. Mrs. John Russell is president of the organization. Frank Ferguson is treasurer and Mr. W. H. Bess is secretary.

The regular meeting of the Sylvan Chapter No. 74, Order of Eastern Stars was held last night.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT MAY BE LOCAL AFFAIR

The efforts of Athletic Director Harold Bradford to get out of town entries in the Berrien County Tennis Tournament he has planned to be held here on August 16 to 20 has met with little response to date, too many of the players being on vacations.

There is time yet for teams to enter the meet and probably some will do so since invitations have been sent to all towns in Berrien county.

Should they fail to respond Mr. Bradford will hold the meet as a purely local event and has planned several good cards. The four courts are now in good condition and are being made use of, all courts being filled each night from five till dark with several players usually there during the early morning and afternoon hours.

MARRIED AT 13, SUES FOR DIVORCE

LESTER PAUL ALSO FILES AGAINST WIFE CHARGING CRUELTY, TEMPER AND EXTRAVAGANCE

Suit for divorce from her husband to whom she was married when she was 13 years old has been filed by Mrs. Mabel Rousseau.

Mrs. Rousseau and her husband, Lester Paul, were married in 1922 when she was but 13 years old. They have two children. She charges that he is shiftless and indolent. The suit was filed through Mrs. Emma Burger, an aunt of Mrs. Rousseau.

One year ago the couple appeared before Judge C. E. White for a divorce but a reconciliation was made. Charging cruelty, extravagance and being a contemptible temper, Lester Paul has begun suit against his wife, Adeline. They were married in 1913 and have five children ranging from 12 to one year. They live on Chicago street. Attorney S. B. White of Niles is acting for Mr. Paul.

HANLIN SCORES HIGH IN TOURNEY

46 PLAYERS COMPETE IN ANNUAL INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT AT PLYM PARK

Players from Orchard Hills Country Club ranked high in the annual invitational tournament held at the Plym Park course on Saturday.

Harry Hanlin made a strong hit for honors after the first round when he struck trouble in one hole turning in a score of 43. His second round was a 38 and the third was a 41, giving him 122 points.

There were 46 players competing on the Plym Park course Saturday. In Flight A, E. S. Roe got a score of 136 making 46, 44 and 46 in his respective rounds. In Flight B, J. F. Vicle scored 148 with 49, 47 and 48 as his points in the rounds.

Says 1927 Will Duplicate Cold of Almost a Century Ago

Oceanic changes have a material effect on future weather conditions, as demonstrated by the recent change in temperatures in the great ocean currents of warm and cold water, in the opinion of Herbert Janviri Brown, long distance weather forecaster.

That these changes, caused by the sun reaching the maximum sun spot period, have had effect on the climatic conditions for the past six months throughout the northern hemisphere, is shown in the serious weather fluctuations.

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Apportionment of the primary school interest fund of \$15,396, 998.50 was made among 33 counties of the state on a basis of a total school population of \$1,198,210, according to Auditor General O. B. Fuller.

CIVIL WAR VETS TO RALLY SEPT. 1

100 OLD SOLDIERS WILL ATTEND ENCAMPMENT OF BERRIEN COUNTY GROUP

Buchanan will probably have its representatives at the G. A. R. rally to be held at St. Joseph on Sept. 1 and 2. Although it has not yet been definitely decided just who will go from the local Civil War veterans, there will probably be men attending.

An attendance of 100 is expected at the annual meeting of the county battalion of soldiers. Speakers, music and other entertainment will be included in the two days program.

Comrade C. D. Holmes of Benton Harbor and known by many here has been selected as the colonel of the encampment. Comrade Wood of Covert, will act as lieutenant colonel. Comrade Thos. Stevens of Eau Claire as major, Comrade August Morlock of St. Joseph as officer of the day.

Comrade Chortening will be chairman of the committee to secure a speaker and Comrade A. S. Roe of St. Joseph is in charge of publicity. Mrs. Oscar Olson will secure music and entertainment. All of these officers are well known by veterans of Buchanan.

Memorial hall will be headquarters for the three days.

300 SEE FRUIT TREES OF COUNTY

Caravan of growers to make Berrien orchards equal to those of California. A motor caravan of 300, including members of the Michigan Horticultural society made a tour over the orchards of the county last week.

Berrien county is vying with three California counties for the honor of being the three richest and most important agricultural sections in the United States. The members of the society are making an especially strong effort to have the fruit receipts of next season surpass those of the rich California counties.

The orchard tour left Jean Kicko park early Thursday morning and stopped first at the John J. Gard farm near Niles avenue. Going on from there they stopped at the Henry Bartz farm on Lincoln avenue and inspected one of the most modern and best farms of the county.

Just before noon the caravan of cars stopped at the John Warsco farm and lunch hour was spent in Niles. The afternoon was spent in similar visits, the tour ending at the Benton Harbor Fruit market.

GOLF DAY FOR WOMEN SET Thursday, August 18, has been set for the Ladies' Golf Day at Orchard Hills Country club. Pot luck luncheon will be served at noon. The day is in charge of Mrs. G. E. Smith and Mrs. L. W. Ward.

ASK ME 'NOTHER' CRAZE LATEST FAD

WRITER IN THE AUXILIARY WRITES INTERESTINGLY OF HISTORY OF NEW WHIMSICALITY

It didn't do Mr. Average American much good, says Elmo Scott Watson in the Publishers' Auxiliary, to find out what meaning "A species of ox found in Central Asia" or another three-letter word meaning "An Arctic diving bird, now extinct," because no sooner had he enlarged his vocabulary to undreamed-of proportions in his efforts to solve the cross-word puzzle than along came this "Ask Me Another" craze to torment his mind with its impudent demand for a type of information which he had been called upon to furnish before and to make him realize just how little he did know and how uncertain he was about what he thought he knew.

Since the questions and answers game is the fad of the hour it is appropriate enough to ask a question or two about the fad itself. How did it start? When will it end? Why do they do it? What is its value? Although there are probably as many answers to these questions as there are persons who would attempt to answer them, as good a guess as any is that this whole business of interrogation started when psychology gave to the world the intelligence test and out of that product of the scientific laboratory developed this popular and nation-wide indoor-and-outdoor sport. But the center of gravity of it did not come about until two graduates of Amherst college, Lucien Esty and Justin Spafford, began asking each other another as a time-killer while they were loafing around in New York, out of a job. They were the first to see the commercial possibilities of a book of questions and answers and how good their guess was is shown by the fact that they have already received royalties on a nearly two hundred thousand copies of their book.

"When will it end?" There is not one answer to that. "Ask Me Another." "Why do they do it?" Since the psychologists started asking, let them answer that question. "It results from the fad of fatigue of modern life. It is only a new form of stimulation," says one. "It is a product of the machine age. Man is inventing ways to exercise his mind," says another. "The craze perfectly natural and as old as the oldest games," says still a third. "It is not a higher but a sadder form of mental activity in the cross-word puzzle. The suit factor—the desire of the user to achieve a certain end, perhaps not so strong, but by giving the rating of some bitty as a mark for us to shoot

the value of the game, here the opinions of the experts; will not harm anybody nor do body much good." "It is interesting but unimportant psychologically." "It is a new outlet for the mental energy of man; he is denied an outlet for physical energy. One psychiatrist—a psychologist, you is a product of the psychologist in the fact that a certain value in ing is overcome the inferior-complex and, in explaining, he makes use of the newest word of the psychologists—sympathy. Sympathy is feeling into ing, empathy is feeling into ing to such an extent that you are part of that thing yours. So Mr. Average American a lot of empathy out of this far diversion. When he sees some prominent citizen has a grade of 70 or 80 per cent of these quizzes and then ahead and makes as good a guess as even as better one, he that he is just as smart as prominent citizen and is therefore one of the "best minds" and rest thinker."

a matter of fact this questions and answers business is "old" They used to do it away in the Middle Ages. But different the quizzes of today are from the ones of today town by the following examination from a list compiled by some he learned men of the Twelfth the Fourteenth century: "Why did God not will that man be hungry only once a

Answer: Hunger is one of the necessities brought on man by sin of Adam. "What makes beasts go mad? Answer: Looking at a certain r in the east on the twenty-first of the March moon. "If my father and mother had existed, how should I have been born? Answer: The number of living things was foreseen from all eternity; consequently if your father and mother had not been born, you would have been born in another way and another time. "The men who conduct a questions and answers department in newspapers for the purpose of giving readers desired information will tell you also, that all of this is "old stuff" for them and if you compiled a book of questions from the inquiries that come to them and apply a test from it to the wisest men in the world it would probably result in a grade of

minus zero. Here is what one of them has been called upon to answer: "What is the best thing I can do when I want to do something and don't know what it is? I have a radio, but it sounds spooky. What shall I do? Why are we in America instead of Europe? Why doesn't President Coolidge answer my last three letters? How can I apply to the Carnegie benevolence for an act of heroism?"

So numerous have the questions and answers books become that the latest development is to burlesque them. Perhaps the inspiration for this was the questionnaire published by P. P. A., the famous newspaper column in the "City" "Tower" in the New York World in which the answers were supplied by Lovelace of "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" fame, who started off by answering "What was the Diet of Worms" with the information that it was "Weeds, grass and dirt." "H" Phillips, another newspaper humorist, has contributed his share to the business of not taking these quizzes too seriously with a "Foolish Question Book." Here are some of his questions and answers:

Q. What famous former President of the United States is buried in the United States Supreme Court? A. William Howard Taft. Q. Do you know what the artist said when he looked at the newly completed skyscraper and movie palace? A. Yes. "Harry Thaw shot the wrong architect."

Q. For what are the ruins of ancient Rome noted? A. Fallen arches. Q. What is the name of the Japanese skirt designer whose influence is most reflected in present styles? A. Osai Kan U-see. Q. What is an eunuch? A. A dog. An eunuch is a animal bred exclusively for crossword puzzles.

Q. Why did Rip Van Winkle go to the Catskill mountains to sleep twenty years? A. There were no movies in those days. Q. What was it Michelangelo said when he first saw the Venus Di Milo? Give this little girl a hand. Q. What are archives? A. Archives.

Q. What is necessary in most states of America to get a divorce? A. About \$1,000. Q. What are the six most exasperating words in the English language? A. "What number did you call, please?" Q. What is often found in a lettuce? What kind of milk is obtained from contented cows? A. Cow's.

R. F. D. NO. 3 Mr. and Mrs. John Sellers, Mrs. Wallace McLane of Union Mills, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sobasay over the week end. Mrs. Annis visited with Mrs. Harry Banke last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kean and Helen, Mrs. A. J. Heim and Je, spent last Thursday in South Bend. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Annis were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. B. Davis, the occasion being in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Annis.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bellamy, Miss Marie Hesson of Chicago, returned home Saturday afternoon, spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dressler. The Perry sisters returned to Chicago Tuesday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith and family.

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CITY PETITION SIGNED BY MANY

NEARLY 30 ELECTORS ADD NAMES IN ONE DAY TO LIST SOON TO BE COMPLETED

Indications are that within the near future the required number of names will be secured to the petition for establishing city government for Buchanan. The petition is being circulated this week with people of the village responding rapidly, according to Mrs. Cress Weldon, who is securing signers. Nearly 30 residents placed their signatures on the papers Tuesday.

As soon as the 350 names of voters in Buchanan are secured the question will be referred to the council. They will call a special election on the question. Need of a more consolidated form of government with a city manager, whose business will be the efficient upkeep of the town, and the reduction of township taxes are the main talking points of the circulators.

Ruby Boltz, Mrs. Ida Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson attended camp meeting at Crystal Springs Sunday. Maurice Gogle and Mr. Shaw of Chicago, spent the week end with their families here all re turning to Chicago, Sunday afternoon.

C. D. Sheldon and Claude and Blanche Sheldon and Miss Mary Peterson and Mrs. Gerie Gowland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forgue and daughter, Wanda, spent Sunday at Hudson lake. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ernsberger entertained Lloyd Galbreath, of Cleveland, Ohio, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ernsberger were business callers at St. Joe Saturday. Word was received here of the marriage of Miss Florence Hartline to Clarence Ravish, Saturday afternoon. Congratulations. Dr. C. L. Budde and his mother, and sister spent the week end here with Mrs. Budde.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lange of Michigan City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dregat. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ganitt and family of Three Oaks, spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lida Batten.

The Heckathorne reunion was held at Hudson lake Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Heckathorne, Claidie Alshpre, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heckathorne, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Babcock and two sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Will Heminger, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Heckathorne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Diekey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wells and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Sebasty, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heckathorne and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heckathorne, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Heckathorne and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. John James, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cauffman.

An annual feature connected with the tobacco industry in the United States is the fact that the Government derives a greater revenue from the manufactured product than the growers receive for their crop. The farm value of tobacco in 1925 was \$24,253,000; the taxes on manufactured tobacco collected during the fiscal year 1925 amounted to \$345,247,210.96.

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FIFTY YEARS AGO

Papers from Roxbury, Mass. say that ladies in that town are making practical use of the telephone. They extend from house to house a wire that is hardly visible and covered with silk. A ground connection is secured by running a wire from the gas burner to the mouth piece and communication is easily had by applying the mouth or ear to the telephone. Vocal and instrumental music is really transferred by the wire.

Potatoes are worth 20 to 25 cents a bushel and we have heard of them even as low as 15 cents.

We have the most preserving lot of croquet players in this town, in existence. They will stay out on Ross' ground and play when it is hot enough to roast eggs. Would they work as hard in the harvest field or garden?

"Peter" the old sorrel horse owned by Dr. McLin died last Tuesday of sunstroke or some other fatal disease. The doctor feels as if one of the best citizens had gone and can almost shed tears as large as a hay stack.

One of the most pleasant parties ever assembled in Buchanan came together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Plimpton on Saturday evening, last, the occasion of the 25th anniversary of their wedding. Below we list the presents and the names of the donors:

Mr. Plimpton's brothers of the bay gave him a water set, a handsome silver tea set consisting of teapot, creamer, sugarbowl, butter dish, spoon holder and cake dish. Those who gave this gift were: Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Redden, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Howe Mr. and Mrs. George H. Richards Mr. and Mrs. John DeArmond and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Whitman. A card receiver and fruit basket were presented by the following: Mrs. H. Worthington Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Binns, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Nobles and others.

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COUNTY GETS ROAD FUNDS

BERRIEN STANDS HIGH IN LIST OF PAYMENTS MADE FROM LANSING FOR WINTER WORK

A check for \$12,014.65 has been mailed to Berrien county from Lansing as this county's share in the payment of extra maintenance work done here.

The total amount sent out from Lansing was \$321,000 to 13 counties in payment for the work done at the request of the state between 1924 and 1926.

Not all of the counties participated in the payments, which was authorized by the state administrative board last March 7. The work was requested by the state after its regular budget allowance had been used up.

Included in the counties receiving checks were: Berrien, \$12,014.65; Calhoun, \$1,773.70; Cass, \$348.94; Cheboygan, \$10,582.59; Genesee, \$4,176.97; Grand Traverse, \$1,477.17; Kent, \$32,000.68; Manistee, \$1,044.92; Mason, \$611.62; Otsego, \$3,272.98; St. Joseph, \$718.52; Oakland, \$26,840.87; Wayne, \$93,533.18.

TEN COMMANDMENTS FOR CO-ED SEEKING HUSBAND Ten Commandments designed to make a girl popular with men have been listed for the co-ed preparing to pack her trunk and go to school this fall. They were drawn up at the Alpha Delta Theta national convention held at Mackinac Island by Virginia Barnes, Butler college senior at Indianapolis.

A monthly census of waterfowl at selected points throughout the United States is being planned by the Biological Survey of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The purpose of the census is to obtain through volunteer co-operators more definite information regarding the numbers, distribution and migration of waterfowl throughout this country, Canada, and Mexico. It will be an aid in administering Federal regulations for the protection of the birds that migrate between the United States and Canada.

Mrs. William Hess is entertaining her niece, Mrs. Caroline Webster of Berrien Center for a few days.

SEE Ty Cobb & Eddie Collins With PHILADELPHIA ATHLETICS vs STUDEBAKER ATHLETICS At PLAYLAND PARK So. Bend AUGUST 23RD. GAME CALLED 3:15 P.M. General Admission \$1.00 including war tax Grand stand 25c extra Come Early and Get a Good Seat

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PURE LARD 7 Lbs. for \$1.00

CERTO (Sure Jell) bottle 29c GRANDMOTHER'S Flowery Pekoe Tea, 1/2 lb. 39c

COFFEE 8 O'Clock Brand 4 Lbs. for \$1

CIGARETTES, 8 pkgs \$1.00 PEANUT BUTTER, 1 lb pail 19c

SUGAR Pure Cane 15 Lbs. for \$1

WELCH-GRAPE JUICE, Qt. Bottle 31c HYDROX PALE DRY GINGER ALE, 2for 25c

CHIPS Large Package 5 for \$1

JAR CAPS, dozen 25c

JAR RUBBERS, dozen 7c

MASON JARS PINTS 69c QUARTS 79c

Refined Curtains, fancy styles, 5-piece set \$6.00 value \$1 bill

Men's Dress Pants, \$3.50 value, pair \$1

Ladies' Silk Dresses, all styles, limited number, \$10.00 value, 3 \$1 bills

Fancy Turkish Towels, 25c value \$1

Ladies' Silk Hose, various colors, all firsts, \$1.00 value, 3 for \$1

Ladies' Silk Princess Slips, Chemise, Night Gowns and Bloomers, \$2 value \$1

Ladies' Gingham House Aprons All colors, 75c value, 3 for \$1

Curtain Goods, 15c yd. value, 12 yards \$1

Unbleached Muslin, 20c yd. value, 10 yds \$1

Ladies' Street Dresses, all kinds of materials, colors and styles, \$2 to \$3.50 val. \$1

Children's Dresses, all styles, Sizes 8 up \$1 to 14, \$2 value \$1

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Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Thumm are entertaining Mrs. Albert Oelscheig and two children from Savannah, Georgia. Mrs. Oelscheig is a daughter of Mrs. Thumm.

A number of Buchanan people attended the Spiritualist picnic Sunday in the grove at Cable lake near Dowagiac.

A picnic dinner was served at noon followed by a program of lectures, messages and music.

Miss Marian Peacock is visiting at the home of her father, A. F. Peacock.

Mrs. J. R. White is visiting relatives at Sturgis. She left Buchanan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roe are spending a week at the home of Mrs. Roe's sister, Mrs. S. Nelson, in Rock Island, Ill.

Mrs. Ida Atherton of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Otto Hansen of Sparta, Michigan, have been the guests for two weeks of Mrs. I. E. Atherton in her home on Chicago street.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nolan of Eranton and Mr. and Mrs. Rest, on Nolan and their family were guests Saturday and Sunday at the Newton Barnhart home, Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Burdett entertained their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherwood of Benton Harbor, Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Drew and daughter, Mary Louise, left Sunday for a vacation in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dale and John have returned from a stay at Beachmont on Lake Michigan, at Douglas.

Mrs. W. B. Torrance of Cleveland, is here visiting her brother, Chas. King.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Romig, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Canfield and Mrs. Dora Poulson visited over the week end with relatives at Manaton Lake, Ind.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Viele and Mrs. Jennie Burbank were visitors in Jonesville last week, where they were guests of Mrs. Burbank's sister.

Dorothy Bruce of Berrien Center is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ned Cook on River street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Pangborn are entertaining their granddaughter, Elizabeth Fowler from Hersey, Mich., at their home on East Fourth street.

Miss Pauline Eggert has returned to the home of her aunt, Mrs. King, on Terre Coupe road, after visiting relatives in Indiana for some time.

Mrs. R. J. Burrows is visiting with Mrs. L. J. Schneider of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mullen entertained Mrs. William Otto and son of Chicago, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Mullen and daughter, Marjorie, who have been visitors at the Mullen home left the latter part of last week for the east. They came here from Minneapolis.

Mrs. N. Beilhab entertained a small group of ladies at her Dayton home Friday afternoon at a bridge luncheon.

Burton Daw of Elyria, O. was in Buchanan for a short while on Friday, a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Currier.

Mr. and Mrs. Forbick and son, Robert, have returned to their home in Oak Park, Ill., after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Jane Wright is spending a few days in Three Oaks, visiting with her daughter, Mrs. B. Klute.

After visiting his daughter, Mrs. Russell Atherton, at her home on Alexander street, L. Fehn has returned to Evansville.

The St. Mary's Guild met last week with Mrs. Chas. Smiles.

Miss Sadie Oman of St. Louis, is a guest of Miss Ada Rouch. Miss Oman was a former resident of this place, spending her girlhood here.

Mrs. Mary Hawkins will go to Elyria, O., next week to attend the annual family reunion of the Walkden relatives, to be held at the Irving Walkden home.

Mrs. John Montague was a guest of her son, Rollo, of South Bend on Tuesday.

Mrs. Cress Weldon is expecting her aunt for a few days visit, coming here from Hebron, Ill.

Marjorie Campbell will go to Grand Rapids tomorrow to spend a week with relatives in that city.

After visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rynearson, Lester Rynearson returned to Chicago on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nutt returned Wednesday from a two weeks vacation spent with their son, Rev. Will Nutt and family at Cloverdale and with friends at Hastings and Kalamazoo.

Sheldon Ryan was brought in from Clear lake Wednesday night suffering severely from a pain in the head which came just after he made a dive in the water. Indications were that water had entered the sinus. He is reported better today.

Miss Doris Peck, of Chicago, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Peck.

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Bathing Suits at one-third off on Dollar Day at Boardman's.

Clarence and Kermit Mikelson, who have been spending the past two weeks visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dempsey, returned to their home at Mason City Tuesday.

Mrs. Leon J. Campbell and her two daughters have returned from a visit at the home of Mrs. Campbell's brother, Charles Haas, at Stryker, Ohio.

Miss Lulu Moyer has left for a visit with her cousin, Adam Arme, who lives in Mantion, Canada. She expects to be gone about three months.

Miss Belle Miller is entertaining Mrs. J. A. Adams of Morenci, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffman and their daughter, Anna Jane, and son, Robert, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Del Bolster Friday, coming here for a few days from St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman visited with their son, Earnest, at Benton Harbor, Sunday.

Herman Brown of Chicago, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. August Ugam.

T. E. Pemberton of Jackson, and family spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Morris in their home on Days avenue. Little Miss Mary Louise Morris returned to Jackson with her aunt, Mrs. Pemberton to spend the remainder of her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. August Ugam, Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and Herman Brown were visitors in South Bend Tuesday.

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Mrs. Harlan Matthews and new daughter are expected home Saturday. They have been at the home of her parents at Hinchman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edson James of Detroit, Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger and Curtis Van Tilburg were the Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Renbarger.

Mrs. Zelma Houswerth and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ernest Houswerth, and son of South Bend, spent Sunday evening at the Dempsey-Swank home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Drumheller and daughter of South Bend, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth James of Detroit and Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Renbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sheeley were business callers in Buchanan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Swank attended the Dempsey-White reunion held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl White at Waterford.

Miss Murnie VanTilburg is spending this week with Miss Marion Pennell at Reed City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Springsteen, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Springsteen of Chicago, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Best.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Dever of South Bend were Thursday callers on Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger.

Harold Storm was a Monday caller in Mishawaka.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seams of South Bend, were callers Sunday evening on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Tilburg.

Mrs. Bert Ede is entertaining her sister from Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Roundy were Saturday callers on Mrs. Clemmy Roundy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Rishel of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. D. Beal of New Troy, were the Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Best.

Ernest Pearson of Chicago, and Max Zeachan of Indiana Harbor, were arrested Sunday by the deputy game warden, Cleve Horner, for fishing without a license in Clear Lake and were brought before Justice George J. White. They plead guilty and were fined. They also held in their possession undersized perch and black bass.

Miss Murnie VanTilburg spent several days last week with relatives and friends in Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Lavina Hollister returned home Saturday after a visit at Homer, Kalamazoo and Ecksford, where she attended the family reunion.

Miss Mabel Truhan and brother, Alfred, attended the Baroda picnic held at Singer's lake Sunday.

The Heckathorne reunion was held at Hudson lake Sunday. A pot luck dinner was served at noon and enjoyed by the 65 present. Games of different kinds and contests were the afternoon's amusements.

The Maple Grove picnic will be held at Ernest Jeffery's grove on Thursday, Aug. 11.

Mrs. Lester Smith and baby spent the week end with relatives in South Bend.

Mrs. Chris Andrews and son, Bob, were South Bend callers on Monday.

J. F. Barnes from Greeley Center, Neb., is a guest at the J. A. Sheeley home and will attend the Sheeley reunion held at Hudson lake Sunday Aug. 7.

Miss Madeline Smith met with quite a serious accident Saturday morning on her way to Three Oaks, on M. 60, which is under construction. She was struck by a piece of wood which fell, striking her on the head with such force as to render her unconscious. She was taken to the office of Dr. Higbee where her injuries were cared for.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Frizzo and sister, Miss Gladys Chapman of Niles spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Phillips entertained at Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walters and family, Mr. and Mrs. Timm Powell, Mrs. Effie Longfellow and daughter and Mrs. Sarah Powell, of Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sizer of Sawyer were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vinton.

Mrs. Carrie Mell of South Bend, was a Friday guest of Mrs. Clara Partridge. In the afternoon they called on Mrs. Clemmie Roundy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Storm were business callers in South Bend on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sheeley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark and J. F. Barnes spent Monday with relatives and friends in South Bend.

Mrs. N. Kirer and mother, Mrs. Briggs, were Monday callers in South Bend.

Mrs. Clemmy Roundy is very sick at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrene Washburn.

Mrs. Henry Klanser and son, Frank, and daughter, Mrs. Clara Partridge, motored to Chicago, on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMasters.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rogers and family from South Bend were the Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Andrews.

Oscar Hess writes that he is at present at Manistee lake with his boat.

PORTAGE PRAIRIE

Rev. H. C. Heise and family left Monday for Elkton, Mich., where they will spend two weeks visiting friends.

Mrs. Alina Letcher and sons are spending a few days in Aurora, Ill., visiting relatives.

Miss Lena Houswerth returned home Friday after spending eight days at Camp Warren.

Carlson Houswerth attended the three day school at Lansing last week for radio dealers.

A goodly number of our young people attended the E. L. C. E. picnic at Barcon lake last Friday evening.

A number from here attended Crystal Springs camp meeting last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert N. Spink of Rochester, N. Y., were guests last week at the Wm. Eisele home.

The All Star monthly class meeting was held at the home of Oliver York, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Albert Doer of South Bend, spent Wednesday at the M. H. Vite home.

Mrs. Grace Letcher of Buchanan, an is keeping house at the Atlas Letcher home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. York entertained a number of friends at dinner Sunday.

Miss Florence Mitchell figured in an accident Sunday evening in South Bend. She with her brother, Lawrence and the Kuntz boys were blinded by bright lights of another car, drove directly into a car parked along the curb with out the necessary red light. No one as seriously hurt but a number of stitches had to be taken to close wounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sheehan of Waynesville, Ohio, spent several days this week visiting at the home of Mrs. Sheehan's cousin, Mrs. Wm. Eisele, also at the M. H. Vite home.

The Arney reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eisele Sunday. There were 77 relatives present from Michigan, Indiana and Ohio. The officers for the coming year are: E. S. Heims, president; Mrs. Ada Finch, secretary-treasurer. The next meeting will be held at the home of Joshua Arney at Wabash, Ind., on the first Sunday of August, 1928.

The E. L. C. E. will hold its regular monthly business meeting in the church basement Friday evening.

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Miss Esther Rhoades entertained at her home Friday evening in honor of Miss Ruth Flora of San Diego, Calif. Miss Flora accompanied Mrs. Elmer Whitmer on her trip. They are spending a few months with the latter's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Ehning, of

Miss Lulu Moyer left Tuesday for Nanton, Alberta, Canada, where she will spend a few months visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Arney.

SHAWNEE DISTRICT
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dunkelberg returned Wednesday evening from a pleasant vacation and fishing trip with relatives from Buchanan. They were at Gun Lake, Mich.

An infant came Tuesday evening to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Secht.

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All roots which taint milk should be fed immediately after to turnips and similar roots.

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SHORTAGE IN GRAIN CROPS

SHLOS-LIFE SAVERS OF CORN

A marked shortage in the grain crops fed to farm animals is shown in a survey on the feed situation just completed. This coming year, because of the grain prices likely to prevail, will call for the use of more intelligent feeding prices than are ordinarily used during average crop years.

During the next twelve months he who feeds best will profit most. The outlook for corn is the worst feature in this situation. The acreage has been cut materially. Most of the planting was from two to four weeks late and the weather has tended to retard its growth. The crop had a poorer start than in 1924, when only 2,309,000,000 bushels were produced. The best that can be expected this year is 2,200,000,000 bushels. That would be the smallest crop since 1901.

Oats and barley are five to seven per cent under the ten year average, but about as good as last year. Cottonseed probably will be under last year's figure. Hay and pasture crops, however, are better.

In this summary of the feed crop situation of the country the Institute points to the following salient features:

1. Grain crops promise to be smaller, especially corn.

2. Carryovers of grains are light.

3. The small cottonseed crop, higher prices for fed grains and stronger demand from mixed feed manufacturers probably will result in higher prices for protein feeds than last year.

4. Supplies of hay and other rough feeds may be ample.

5. The decline of 161,627,000 head of cattle and 500,000 horses on farm compared with a year ago will be counterbalanced by the increase of 481,000 hogs and 2,045,000 sheep. As hogs are great corn consumers, the shortage of this crop will be further accentuated.

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PRINCESS THEATRE

The feature for Saturday is a splendid western with Art Acord. Sunday's picture is a hilarious comedy, "Prisco Sally Levy" starring Sally O'Neil, Bob Custer appears Monday in a fast action western, "The Border Whirlwind". Cullen Landis also appears in the serial "On Guard", that is increasing in popularity with each episode.

The name Jesse James needs no introduction. His exploits and adventures have been told and retold. On Friday afternoon and night you will have the opportunity of seeing these adventures on the screen. Throughout the picture, Jesse James, Jr., plays the part of his father in "Jesse James Under the Black Flag" and you will find the picture a thrilling, authentic, historical drama of his life. On account of only being able to secure this picture for the one day there will be a matinee at 2:30 p. m. and all those who can should take advantage of the afternoon show to avoid the crowds at the evening performance.

BEND OF THE RIVER

John Nolan, Jr., of Brookings, S. D., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Huss Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Herman of Chicago, is visiting her son, Arthur Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Brouch and children of Three Rivers visited in the Andrew Huss home Sunday. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nolan of Chicago, called.

Floyd and Howard Smith attended the South Bend Fair on Thursday.

Mrs. Ernest Spodgrass and son Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis are taking care of the Arthur Mead farm during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Mead and family, who are visiting relatives at Jackson and River Junction.

Margaret Kline of South Bend, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bunker of Milwaukee, Wis., who have been spending the past two months here with the former's mother, Mrs. Celia Bunker, left Monday for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Koch attended the fair at South Bend on Thursday.

Mrs. Riley Zerba who has been attending the State Normal returned to her home from Kalamazoo last week.

REGULAR MEETING OF BUCHANAN COUNCIL

Regular meeting of Buchanan Common Council held in council chamber, Aug. 2, 1927.

Meeting was called to order by Walter Shoop, president pro tem. Trustees present, Smith, Merrifield, Pierce, Boyce and Shoop. Absent, Trustee Riley.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Bills against the village were read by the finance committee. Moved by Trustee Merrifield and supported by Trustee Boyce that the bills be allowed. Roll call, all trustees voted yes.

Trustee Boyce gave a report of the condition of the streets and after much discussion it was decided that an inspection of the roads of the village be made and the street committee be authorized to act on same.

President Shoop instructed Mr. Dunbar to take care of the gutter in front of Louis Shimkovsky's place on Portage street.

Trustee Pierce presented a resolution, supported by Trustee Boyce, to extend the time for the collection of village taxes thirty days. Resolution accepted.

Trustee Boyce reported on the Polis and Glaser sub-division and upon fulfillment of certain conditions within ninety days the same would be accepted by the village, a copy of which is attached to the minutes. Moved by Trustee Boyce, supported by Trustee Pierce, that the president and clerk be authorized to sign the same. Motion carried.

President Shoop pointed out that the traffic control on Front street from Oak to Moccasin should be taken care of as heavy traffic on this section has caused several accidents. The street committee was instructed to establish "no parking" signs on the south side of Front street from Oak to Moccasin.

Moved by Trustee Smith, supported by Trustee Pierce, that the meeting adjourn.

General Fund \$494.82 Mich. Bell Tele. 11.21 Ralph Allen 3.21 Steve Roudine 12.50 A. F. Howe 10.00 John Camp 60.00 C. V. Dunbar 62.50 Bch. State Bank (note) 3,060.07 1st Nat'l. Bank (note) 522.95 W. W. Treat (note) 3,120.00 Wilson Leiter 300.00 Buch. Fire Dept. 13.00 Pearl Paul 23.50 Cemetery Fund 30.00 A. E. Clark 30.00 Water Works Fund 3.14 So. Bend Supply 17.85 E. M. Shinn 4.80 W. F. Rynearson 4.80 Standard Oil 15.30 Jim Luke 27.80 Fred Gonder 12.45 Marion Shinn 150.00 C. E. Clark 150.00 C. E. Dunbar 152.23 Ind. & Mich. 423.73 Highway Fund 3.50 Hagedorn & Webster 6.05 Kolhoff garage 4.30 Clark Equipment 4.30

Table with names and amounts: F. W. Howe (note) 2,672.58, Jim Luke 31.00, Fred Gonder 58.50, C. Dunbar 62.50, W. J. Walls 100.00, Runner Bro. 15.43, Thanning Bro. 33.82, Berrien Co. Electric 51.43, Fred Gonder 45.00, C. Waldon, Clerk.

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Said mortgage will be foreclosed by a statutory sale of said premises by public auction to the highest bidder at the court door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph in said county, on August 15, 1927, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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In Chancery. In the case of Prier P. Smith, if any, wife of widow of Charles B. Smith, if any husband and wife, plaintiffs, vs. Kate M. Smith wife or widow of Horatio Ropp and Barbara Ropp, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, defendants.

Spit pending in the Circuit Court for the county of Berrien, in Chancery, at the city of St. Joseph on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1927.

In this cause it appearing from the bill of complaint and affidavit on file that the defendants last place of residence is unknown and it cannot be ascertained in what state or country said defendants or any of them reside or whether or not said defendants or any of them are living or dead.

On motion of Frank R. Sanders, plaintiffs' attorney, it is ordered that said defendants cause their appearance to be entered within three months from the date of this order and in case of their appearance that they cause their answer to the plaintiffs' bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof to be served on plaintiffs' attorney within fifteen days after the date of this order.

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THE SOCIAL CIRCLE

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Evangelical Church
Bible school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Rev. G. A. Spittler, a former pastor of Battle Creek, will bring the message.
E. L. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.
Evening sermon at 7:30. Rev. A. C. Bowman of Benton Harbor, is expected to occupy the pulpit.
The girls and boys camps at Riverside camp grounds will attend services and Bible school at this church in a body and will be brought in and returned by local autos. There are at present 14 girls and these are in charge of Mrs. Spittler, assisted by Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Bowman and Jennie Sattler. There are 14 boys and Rev. G. A. Spittler is in charge, assisted by Rev. A. C. Bowman, Rev. L. E. Burgess, Rev. L. F. Woodward and Rev. F. E. Putnam.
W. H. Camfield, pastor.

Hills Corners Church
10 a. m. church school, Jesse G. Boyle, Supt. Classes for all.
11 a. m. communion and preaching service. Rev. Hubert L. Barnett will preach on the theme, "The Art of Living."
7:30 p. m. Sunday Evening club. There will be a discussion on the Problem of Poverty.
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There will be no Friday night community program at the church this week on account of the proposed over night trip of the young people to Lake Michigan. This project was inaugurated last year and proved so fruitful that by unanimous decision it was made annual. The Young People of the church, with their chaperones, will gather at the beach at Tower Hill at 4:30 in the afternoon. Eats, games and worship will constitute the program of the evening. Everybody will be his own leader in eating. Mr. Barnett will lead the games and Lois Boyce will have charge of a resper service. Early Sunday morning Mr. Barnett will conduct a sunrise worship service. The group will return in plenty of time for the church service Sunday morning.

The monthly board meeting as held last Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Laurer. Matters of general importance were discussed. Sunday, Oct. 2, was designated as home-coming day for this year, and it was also decided that the every member canvass shall be concluded on that date.
Last Sunday night was a record-making one for Hills Corners church. The Daily Vacation church school presented the program which comes each year at the conclusion of the school session. A very unique plan was carried out and as a result, the mothers and fathers in attendance were able to see just what their children have been busied with for the past three weeks. An assembly program, such as was conducted daily was presented by the children. The pupils did all the work—older girls served as leaders. All this was valuable experience and points to the fact that the adult leaders used the best teaching technique throughout the school. The outstanding factors were songs by the boys and the Be-ginners, a dramatization of the story of Ruth by the Junior girls, a dramatization of a Christmas story by the boys and a striking action picture of the story of Queen Esther.
A who were connected with the school deserve high commendation. The director and teachers worked hard and long but the results compensated for this. Miss Lois Boyce served as director and was the guiding spirit and inspiration of the whole school. She was ably assisted by Mrs. Jesse G. Boyle, Miss Agnes Spaulding, Miss Marion Boyle, Miss Anita Boyle and Herbert Beardsley.

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