



These boys represented Buchanan in the Jr. Pro basketball tourney last weekend. They got off to a slow start and lost their game, but everyone reported that they had fun.

Pre-Application For Federal Funds Approved

At a hearing at the high school auditorium, the city commission approved the pre-application for federal funds under the Community Development program. About half of the community development advisory council were present.

At first it had been planned to apply for \$235,900, but the prerequisites for the application changed very recently. The application is based on the awarding of points for the validity of various programs. The original idea to include street paving, curbs, gutters and storm sewers in the Arctic, Victory and Bluff Street areas was deleted from the application.

The total now to be applied for is \$119,600. This would include a rehabilitation low interest loan subsidy, a grant program for elderly low income and hardship cases, the acquisition of unde-

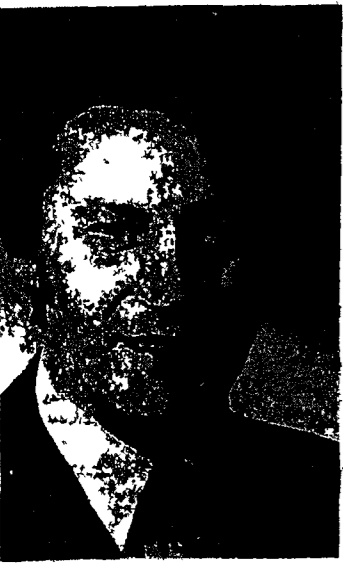
veloped residential lots or vacant derelict structures, tot lots and basketball courts, some park development and a senior citizens center.

It was claimed that in Buchanan there are 36 homes which lack plumbing and that in this city, 30.3 percent can be classed as low income people (earning \$8,045 or less). In the application, which must be in Detroit by Friday, some 60 percent of the budget directly eliminates sub-standard housing in Buchanan.

It was predicted that HUD might look favorably on Buchanan's application because of the good performance record the city has already with federal funds and the good use of them. Some \$339,400 from other funds will be expected to be used by the city in further development of this program, and a great deal of that had already been budgeted by the city.



Lemont Renterghem, vice president of the First National Bank of Southwestern Michigan, presented the Company of the Month award to the 1st J.A. Bank of Berrien County at the February meeting of the board of Junior Achievement. Esther Andrews is teller, Dave Runkewich is president and Karen Kowalski is secretary of the Junior Achievement bank which services other J.A. companies in the area.



Bucks Win In First Round Of Tourney

By Ed Morrissey

The Buchanan Bucks in a physical contest downed the South Haven Rams 61-56 Monday to take game one of District 33 action. Mike Busby hit 11 for 16 for a game high of 24 points with the two for two at the charity line included.

The Bucks fell back in the early going but sparked back and were only down by one, 15-14 to end the first period. However, forward Willie Brown received two quick fouls to hinder him in the Bucks tough man-to-man counter attack of the Rams offense.

In the second quarter Buchanan fell quickly behind 23-14 before Brown set in the Bucks thirteenth attempt from the floor to kill the dry spell. The Bucks defense tightened up and the offense re-established an attack and the half sent the Rams to the locker room ahead by one, 29-28.

At 5:33 in the third, Busby put the Bucks in front for the first time 32-31 and sparked the offense as South Haven called time out with the Bucks holding their biggest margin of the game 40-33. The time out regrouped the Rams and going into the final stanza the Bucks lead was cut to 44-40.

The fourth period South Haven tied things at 48 and Mike Grimes hit to give the Rams a 50-48 advantage, but Ken Garrett's bucket and a pair of free throws by Busby put the Bucks

in front to stay. Walt Vanderbush and Busby hit from the floor again and Vanderbush and Jackson from the line gave the Bucks their total 61.

"South Haven has a tough zone and caused problems for us to penetrate," commented a relieved Bill Wilson. "But the one way to beat a zone is to shoot over it." The Bucks did most of their shooting from the floor at 15 feet and out. "Busby is in his first district play, but it didn't seem to pressure him. He's vastly improved this season and gave us a super job tonight."

The Bucks in resuming their bid for the District Crown face Dowagiac. The Chiefs and Bucks were one and one in season competition. Gametime is 7:30 at Lakeshore High School, the winner goes on to Saturday's encounter for the Championship.

Buchanan (61)	fg	ft	r	tp
McGurt, g	4	2	3	10
Vanderbush, g	4	2	0	10
Jackson, M., c	1	1	3	3
Garrett, f	5	0	3	10
Brown, W, f	2	0	2	4
Busby	11	2	1	24
Totals	27	7	12	61
South Haven (56)	fg	ft	r	tp
Heverman, g	4	2	4	10
Knapp, g	5	1	4	11
Harrell, c	2	0	2	4
Sherman, f	5	0	1	10
Grimes, f	7	1	3	15
Swann	1	2	0	4
Salasky	1	0	0	2
Totals	25	6	14	56
BUCHANAN	14	28	44	61
South Haven	15	29	40	56

Man Who Was Indicted Speaks In Buchanan

On Tuesday morning the Perc Club breakfast was sponsored by Schneider Vending. The speaker was Eugene Blankenheim, who had been sentenced by a judge to make 12 such speeches this year.

Blankenheim, an officer in Diamond International, had been indicted for price fixing. He was sentenced to six months in jail, but his sentence was suspended.

The grand jury investigation lasted from June, 1972 to March, 1974, during which the government demanded that thousands of documents, including stenographer's shorthand note-books, be delivered for evidence. The defense of this case cost thousands of man hours and vast sums of money and resulted in a severe strain on Blankenheim's

family and friends.

He warned that violations of the Sherman Anti-Trust Law can often occur unwittingly. He said that it's difficult to know what an executive's subordinates are doing. Because of the legal risks of casual friendships or conversations, he warned against talking business with competitors.

He said that price fixing used to be classed as a misdemeanor and has recently been changed to a felony. He urged businessmen to be sure that they and their attorneys understand all the ramifications of the Sherman Law and warned that such an experience with the government could happen to anyone.

City Wants Out Of Mollberg Controversy

Although the city really had little to do with the present situation with Mollberg Construction sidewalk controversy, it has now been placed in the position of the villain.

With money owed them by another contractor for work done for Michigan Bell Telephone Company, the Mollbergs had tried to dramatize their plight by threatening to destroy the sidewalks. The city, attempting to protect its property, reacted and issued a restraining order.

Monday night, the city manager, stating that it was not the intention of the city to harrass the Mollbergs, asked that any charges against them be dropped by the city. It was explained to him that it now wasn't that simple because the restraining order had been attached to a suit between Michigan Bell and other contractors seeking their money. Various motions pertaining to that suit will first be

heard on March 3 in court.

The commission, which has been the party receiving all the adverse publicity, expressed hope that they could get out of the whole affair. In the meantime they took a step to eliminate any further such incidents by passing a resolution which would require completion bonds for work done within the city limits by any utility company.

In his letter, the city manager stated, "It was my understanding that the city commission requested, by resolution, that a court restraining order be used to stop destruction of the sidewalk. Contrary to the above, a warrant under local ordinance was served on the Mollbergs, and we have now been maneuvered into the untenable position of taking the Mollbergs to court. Such action helps neither the city nor the Mollbergs."

"I recommend the city attorney be directed to withdraw the charges."

Won't You Help?

We'd like to put in a plug for Buchanan's sister city idea. This whole thing seems to be in danger of dying because of general apathetic conditions here. It'd be a shame to give up on it without making a try to save it.

A group of English persons will be coming here in April. They'll want to stay in American homes and get acquainted with typical American families. They can accomplish so much more by this approach than if they were to take the regular tours of New York or Washington.

These people are mostly from the Cambridgeshire area. Their occupations are varied. Those who have been here before were charming and delightful, and some lasting friendships were made. Those who were hosts to them before report that generally the idea was a fine experience.

Occasionally we in Mid-America need a change of pace and some exposure to people from other parts of the country. To exchange ideas and to learn from others can be educational and stimulating.

The impressions of Buchanan which the last two groups took home with them were favorable and couldn't help but give those people a warmer feeling toward America in general. We have lots to show people and much of which to be proud.

It's possible for two hosts to split up the visits of these guests if that is more convenient. Several things have already been planned for them, so entertaining them will not be a problem.

For an interesting experience in international relations, why not invite them into your home?

Buck-A-Thon Is Planned

A Wild Chase

A wild chase ensued Tuesday morning which finally led to the apprehension of three young men.

The State Police in Niles received word this morning that somebody was breaking into a trailer in a court in Niles. When they arrived, they followed three sets of footprints in the snow. The prints went down Route 31 to Walton Road and to Kruger Road. There the police lost the trail. Later they received a call that the same people were back at the trailer. Again their prints were followed through the snow. This time they went south to the river and followed it. In the vicinity of Walton Road and Smith Road, the Buchanan police started to help. A dog was brought in. Somewhere along the river, police decided that the three had either attempted to swim the river or had stolen a boat to cross. Later, it was discovered that the tracks went through Orchard Hills Country Club and out to the Niles-Buchanan Road. Here three pairs of wet blue jeans and some coats were found in the basement. The suspects were then apprehended. They were Rickie Miller, 21, Oliver Simpson, 19, and Robert Beadle, 20.

In order to combat the winter blais and to fight against growing inflation and talk of recession, most of the Buchanan businessmen have banded together for a special sales promotion.

Next weekend will be a giant Buck-A-Thon in Buchanan. So that everybody can take advantage of the many sales prices to be offered by Buchanan stores, the sale will continue Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 6, 7 and 8, and special store hours will be in effect to accommodate the largest number of shoppers. All kinds of stores will participate. Even some of the automobile dealers plan special sales events for that weekend, and some of the grocery stores will roll back prices in their effort to combat inflation. All this will be advertised next week in the Berrien County Record.

As an added help to shoppers, the Record will pick out various good buys from each Buchanan advertiser next week. Businessmen predict that there will be many.

Realizing that spring is still a long way off, the intent is to stimulate interest in Buchanan shopping with something more sensational than a traditional dollar day promotion.

Open House A Success

The open house at the new middle school was an unqualified success. Cookies, punch and coffee had been prepared for about 750 people, and an estimated 1500 came before the end of the day. There were 575 for the program at 2, and people kept coming steadily until well after five.

The parking lot at school was filled, and so was the lot of St. Anthony's Church. Not only parents came to see the new facility but a good cross section of the community.

The crowd was too large for the tours of the building as had been originally planned, so students and teachers were stationed at various points to direct visitors.

Comments about the open house and the building in general were mostly favorable. Many noted the bright colors inside and the spacious areas provided.

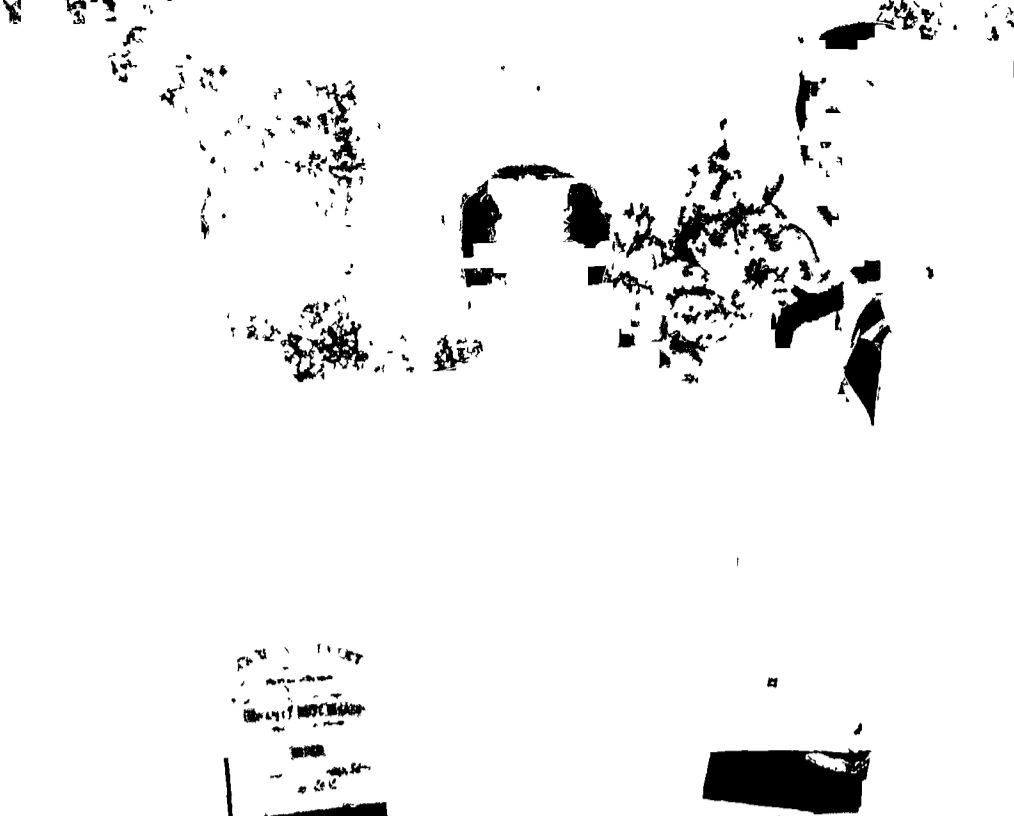
Superintendent Richard Dougherty and middle school principal Richard Proud expressed gratification for all those who had worked so hard to make it a success.



Recently, the Buchanan police have been able to solve several of the break-ins in the area. This caduceus has been taken from the Victor Bigford residence rural Berrien Springs. It and a great deal more stolen goods were found when police arrested Kenneth Phillip and Vicki Ann Babcock and a 16-year old boy from Stevensville in an apartment on Front Street. Officers Jim Ellis and Frank Morley also found stereo equipment which had been reported taken from Bachelor's Appliances. Another recent arrest brought information which may clear up some other crimes.



Participating in the dedication service at the new middle school were David Hanson, president of the school board, Richard Proud, middle school principal, Earl Van Allsburg, architect, and Richard Dougherty, superintendent of schools.



Two Michigan Ford dealerships were honored recently for a quarter century of service to their communities. Heading the two 25-year dealerships, both established in 1949, are Robert F. Habicht of Robert F. Habicht, Inc., Buchanan, (right) and R.J. Horan of Triangle Auto Sales, Big Rapids. Presenting commemorative certificates to the two dealers was J.C. Sutherland, Ford Division's Lansing district sales manager.

Out of the Past

40 Years Ago
February 28, 1935
Plan to open branch of Gallien-Buchanan State Bank in New Buffalo.

965 accounts still unclaimed at First National.

Four musicians, Betty Ann Miller, Janey Kelley, Catherine Wynn and Robert Willard, perform in Niles.

Reamers Market wins basketball tourney Louie and Lauren Morse, Lowell Batchelor, Verl Brewer, Glenn Jesse, Robert Ellis, Marvin Mangold and Aug Topash.

25 Years Ago
March 2, 1950
Wood relieves scarcity of coal Farmers cut trees which were felled by 1943 tornado.

Maurice Nelson honor student at Kalamazoo College

Lawrence Decker falls through ice on Dayton Lake

Clark Equipment 1949 net earnings \$2,654,706

Paul Hushower dies of injuries from auto crash

10 Years Ago
February 25, 1965
Ernest Scroggin dies in auto crash

Clark reports record sales and earnings in 1964 Strike continues

Women Of The Moose

Buchanan Women of the Moose had a Green Cap Day to honor Junior Graduate Regent Genevieve Brant Sunday at the Buchanan lodge Green Caps attending were Ruth Kramer from Holland and Icy Mae Rurka from Coldwater. Guest speaker for the occasion attended by 29, was Marian Friend from Kalamazoo.

Beatrice Dockery was enrolled as a new member of the Buchanan chapter and dinner and a social hour followed.

Chapter Rally Day was announced for March 2 at 2 p.m. in the Benton Harbor Moose Lodge

College Club To Hear Readings

The next meeting of the Buchanan College Club will be Wednesday, March 5 at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Gerald Moulds

Gloria Cooper and Sally Ginter will present readings entitled "Swing Into Spring" The duo is well-known throughout the area for their readings of both drama and comedy

Hostess chairman for the meeting is Mrs. Richard Hayden and her committee includes Mrs. Eugene Benedict, Mrs. Duane Chan, Mrs. David Hanson and Mrs. Kenneth Witt

Band Parents To Meet

Buchanan Band and Orchestra Parents will meet March 3, Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the high school band room.

Happy Birthday

February 28
Jean Burns
Nelson Tucker
Ray Shirley
Danny Mercado
Marlene Zelmer
Ken Robards
James P. Quain
Clara Dillavou

February 29
Thomas Crouch
Mrs. Mildred Heeter
Mrs. Willodine Thurston
Mrs. Adaline Hemple

March 1
Betty Lou Shelton
Chuck Penn
Lea Ann Schmaltz
Marty Kay

March 2
Todd Fernwalt
Beth Hanover
Kim Bennett
Bobby Gonder
JoAnn Gerboe

March 3
Priscilla Kettlehut
Evelyn Davidson
Betty Berget
Jeff Burks
Jarred Reitz
Olive Graffort
Priscilla Birch
David Nekvasil

March 4
Maggie Cauffman
Rene Anderson
Patricia Ann Nespihal
Michael Rosetto
Larry Shelton
Karen Smith
Sue Dougherty
Tracey Elaine Antisdell
John Greening

March 5
Arthur DeFauw
Marilyn Thompson
Brenda Ruth
Derk Jochems
Rev. W.A. (Bill) Blake
Loretta Searfoss
Martin Collins
Drew Bennett
John Skwiercz

March 6
Mrs. Max Cooper
Patricia Tittle
Andrew Dean Bachleda
LaVerna Morgan
Thomatha Birdsong

Letters to the Editor

An open letter to Buchanan Community Schools:

I am a 1974 graduate of Buchanan High School and am now in college. As I went through my last three years in high school, I noticed that literature classes, history classes, creative writing classes, and art and music classes were being taken out of the curriculum and replaced with typing classes, retailing classes, business classes, civics classes and officiating classes. This is a part of a vocational trend in education. The goal has become the teaching of skills that aid the student in conforming to society, rather than the development of the student's mind. Modern education uses devices such as teams, group competitions, and patterns of mutual aid to teach the child how to become part of a group. After he learns to become part of a group, he is taught certain skills so that he can become part of a specific group working to support the status quo of American society. The importance of knowledge and ideas has become minimal compared to the importance of teaching a student to conform to society. This is especially true at Buchanan High School.

This type of education is not in the best interests of the people of Buchanan for three reasons. The first is that the graduate of B.H.S. knows much less than graduates of former years. He knows one skill and virtually nothing about literature, history, and the arts. History itself teaches us that if we do not know history we will repeat the mistakes of previous generations. Literature and art aid the student in maintaining his own creativity, curiosity, and ability to enjoy life. Without these he becomes a robot.

Secondly, if students are taught that they must adapt to society as it is, society will never evolve. That which is wrong with society will never change. If a certain race or group of people are being oppressed by the society, they will continue to be oppressed because the people have been taught that to detach themselves from society in order to change it is improper behavior.

Thirdly, this type of education refuses to allow the student to be an individual. In doing this, education stifles the creativity, inspirations, inventiveness, and curiosity of the student. How can B.H.S. produce great artists, writers or inventors if the students have no creativity or curiosity and know only how to conform to society? How many famous writers, artists or inventors have been people who have conformed completely to society? Very few. Thus, if the system of education at B.H.S. does not change, the graduates will be boring, uninformed and uncreative people.

If school administrators continue to ignore the values of non-vocational education and refuse to produce well-read, knowledgeable and intellectual people, irreparable damage will be done to society. The administrators should realize, as they remove knowledge and idea-oriented classes and replace them with career-oriented classes, that they are hindering the evolution of society and producing skilled robots who will spend their lives struggling to make more money, watching television, and being miserable, rather than informed and creative adults who know how to enjoy life.

A 1974 Graduate
Name Withheld Upon Request

To The Editor

Dear Don,
It is with great interest that I have read of the Mollberg boys attempts to be paid for work performed.

Nowhere have I seen a refutation of their claim that they have money due and can't collect it. These boys are Buchanan born and reared, family men, and service veterans. Why is it that they must resort to an obvious extreme to get the necessary attention to their problem?

It should be newsworthy as to just how they managed to contract the work, who they were responsible to for satisfactory completion of the job, the terms under which they were to be paid, and finally, why can't they get their money?

It appears that perhaps they should be receiving a fairer shake than what they have had so far.

Very truly yours,
Dean Swem

To the Editor

Writing this letter is very important to me as Dewey and Lene Mollberg are my brothers and I am very proud to tell you of that. We grew up in and graduated from Buchanan and feel the town has been a very important part of our lives. We have parents that taught us how important it is to be honest and to do what is morally right. In fact, it was instilled in us by our parents' actions.

It is very difficult for me to understand the justice or the reasoning of treating my brothers as hardened criminals (being finger-printed and arrested by the Buchanan Police). After all, they did notify the public through your paper of their intent if the outstanding bill of \$9,000 was not paid by February 14. I ask you how many businesses can continue to operate in the black with outstanding bills such as this? It is also difficult for me to understand the justice of my brothers having to absorb this bill of \$9,000 because your local telephone company neglected to hand the contractor from Grand Rapids. Besides, if the phone company would have contracted a local firm, this probably would never have happened.

With all due respect to the law, I also cannot understand why Dewey received a ticket for illegal parking on February 14, when the city manager parked right behind him and was not issued a ticket. There was no emergency, so why didn't the manager have to obey the parking signs, also?

I ask you as a true spokesman of Buchanan, are you happy with the way this situation has been handled? And, when a citizen owes a bill to his phone company, does that company let him continue use of the phone, or do they shut off the service plus slap him with a service charge when he wishes to reinstate his phone? In fact, does any business let one buy without paying? I think not, because it just is not good business. Why then, should the small business firm be a "whipping boy" of a larger one? Is that also good business?

Flossie Marie (Mollberg)
Wheaton
28 Terrace Court
Plainwell, Michigan 49090

To the Editor:

Buchanan has finally reached big time political status. The term "Buck" is an appropriate term for the Buchanan High School since so much "Passing the Buck" is going on with the Mollberg Construction Company. The Buchanan area has a history of breaking treaties with the Potawatomi Indians up until 1833 - perhaps breaking agreements is inborn.

I grew up in Buchanan - Dewey and Lene Mollberg are close friends of my older brother Charles and I. Has a census been taken as to how many Buchanan High School graduates stayed in the area? In our family - one out of three children stayed to start a future in Buchanan. Of the four Mollberg children - three out of four children stayed to help the community grow. Most of my graduating class of "1947" have left the area; also, most of my brother Charles' class of "1949" have left. Buchanan should be thankful for families like the Mollbergs, who were willing to be modern settlers and who wanted their children to grow up in the community. Why can't the town council and Michigan Bell Telephone Company help their own people better the situation instead of becoming a small town "Watergate". The Mollberg Construction Company is an asset to the Community - why rip them off?

Helen Ailsworth
2402 Virginia
Benton Harbor, Michigan

Berrien County Record
I have always stated "Dave Casey" is a knuckle brain "lift wit" and now I have proof.

See how the neck yoke is installed. Are the horses going to skip rope over the tie strap. Is Casey Amish from his right hand position. The real camera man takes the picture on the side of "near" horse not from the "off" horse side. The whip socket was always on Right side of buggy, but this was a hang over from jolly old England.

In cent book rigs are shown on Days Ave., tied to hitch rail left side in and thus was correct. When the change came it is quite possible a village board voted the change.

Did he buy worms or horses as these are most certainly loaded with worms, perhaps Casey also.

Ralph Hess
Jolly Dozen Club

The Jolly Dozen Club will meet tonight, Thursday, at the home of Miss Mabel Miles

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Richard Swem

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The claws of worry clutch people everywhere. Some people even worry about worrying too much. Ulcers result from varied causes, but worry has festered as many, if not more, than any other cause. Worry has shoved more and more people to seek relief from psychiatrists. Still more people find themselves with a tight feeling in the pit of the stomach and hit the bottle to "relax". Goodness knows how many people take sleeping pills, trying to bring restful sleep to a restless body caused by worry. All this is a tragedy in modern society. And most of it is so needless.

Any psychologist will tell you 80 percent of the things worried about, never happen. It is said a good way to reduce worry is to write down the worst thing that could happen - if the thing or things you worry about actually did happen. It is claimed that facing the fact in this way can help you reduce worry. Maybe so. But some people simply can not face facts. There is a way though for everyone to overcome worry. Worrying is negative thinking. Replace such thoughts with positive thinking. The best positive thinking the world has ever heard of is the 23rd Psalm - "I will fear no evil, for Thou are with me." Believe it. Keep on believing it. Millions of people have proved it.

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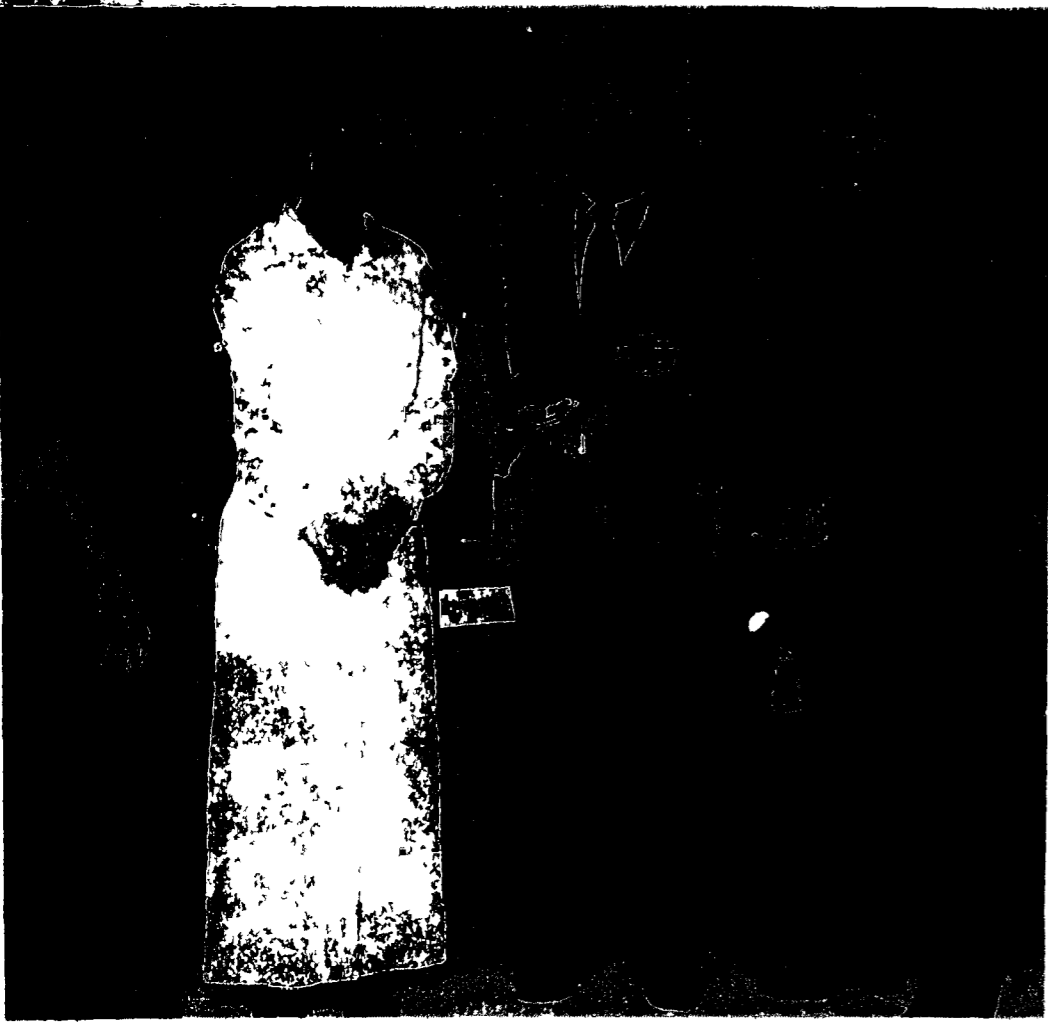
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Pictured at last Friday night's Blue and Gold Banquet of Pack 524 are scout executive Larry Lee, Barbara Sumerix, chairman of the pack committee, Rev. Kenneth Snow, pastor of the sponsoring organization Faith United Methodist Church and Cubmaster Charles Kelley. Rev. Snow holds the pack's charter which was presented to him during the ceremony

Lenten Meditations

from
Buchanan Pastors

By Rev. Ronald Entenman
First United Methodist Church

Several months after Jesus had begun his ministry he was preaching outside a town near the home of his mother. There were rumors that reached his family that there were angry crowds and they were concerned for his life. His mother and brothers went to him in hopes of bringing him back home. When they got to his side, he stopped preaching and turned to them. His words were not meant to hurt but they could not help but bring a flush of embarrassment. He said, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" Then looking at those who sat about him he continued, "Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."

It was a difficult day for Mary, the mother of Jesus, as she walked home with the rest of her sons, yet gradually she came to realize that Jesus was right. How often do we parents think our children belong to us, for we gave them life. Yet they are not ours, they are God's and must discover in their own lives what God has willed for them. Mary knew from that day on that Jesus, her son, belonged to her alone no longer. He belonged to anyone who did God's will. Even though it must have hurt to see men carry through their threats to have him killed, even when he hung on the cross and breathed his last, she knew that the spirit which had given him to her and the world, had not forsaken him. He would come again into each of our lives, and he would come as a continually living spirit who could overcome any death, even death on the cross.

Urge Women To See Self Protection Film

After seeing a film entitled "Woman Beware" a year ago, a group of women from the Buchanan Church of Christ decided to make arrangements to have it shown in Buchanan to share with other women the message they found so impressive.

The movie, put out by lawmen, will be shown Thursday, March 6 at the Church of Christ's Women's Council Meeting by Detective Paul Parrish of the Cass County Sheriff's Department who will discuss it with the audience.

The film deals entirely with self protection for women in today's world and is illustrated in an up-to-date and realistic manner, telling ways to protect oneself from mugging, rape, purse thefts and disaster when one's car is imperatively on a busy highway, how to avoid such happenings and how to make one's home safer from burglars.

All women of the community

are invited and even urged to attend. The business meeting for the circles will begin at 7 and the program with Detective Parrish at 7:30 in the social hall of the church at Moccasin and Third Streets.

Devotional leader will be Vera DeSoma and hostesses are Beth Quick, Bonnie Hudson, Grace Cronin and Dorothy Hawks.

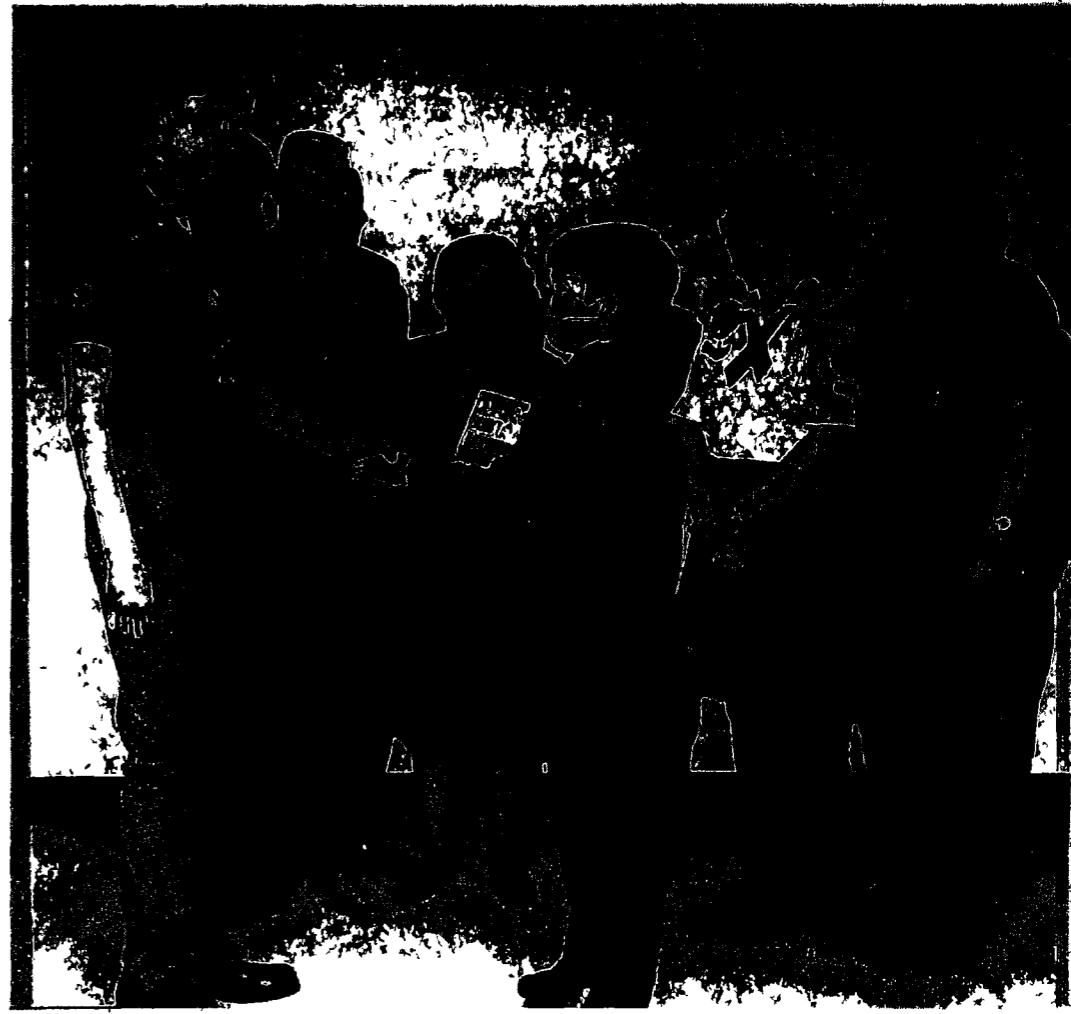
Annual Meeting Of Past Presidents

The Past Presidents Assembly of the Buchanan Garden Club had its annual meeting February 19 at a breakfast in the home of Mrs. Charles Rohde of 320 Terre Coupe.

The club had presented a revolving trophy for Dried Arrangements at the Berrien County Youth Fair in 1973 and each year gives the winner a permanent trophy.

Invited guests for the event were past presidents Mrs. John Zeider, Mrs. Robert Groat, Mrs. Walter Ross, Mrs. Jimmie Morris, Mrs. Ray Borntrager, Mrs. Richard Proud and Mrs. Thomas Reddington.

The next annual meeting will be with Mrs. Walter Ross.



Life Scout Wayne Sumerix of Troop 541 welcomes Webelos Bob Dulin II into the troop at the recent Blue and Gold Banquet of Pack 524. In the background are Bob's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dulin, and his parents, the Robert Dulins. Both the Dulin men are Eagle Scouts and the families represent a total of 68 years in scouting.

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On Honors List

Ferris State College announces that several area students are among 1616 honored for scholastic excellence during the fall quarter by being named to the Academic Honors List. To be so named, a student must earn at least a 3.25 average on a 4.0 basis while carrying a full academic load.

On the list from Buchanan are Kevin J. Barker, Julie Rae Beach, Bruce H. Doughten, Kim I. Moyer and Dawn M. Strigle, from Niles, Sheryl L. Tallman and from Gahen Paula S. Howard and Debra L. James.

Family Services Has Annual Meeting

Child and Family Services of Michigan, a United Way service, held its annual meeting at Wyndwicke Country Club February 18. Highlights of the meeting were the honoring of foster parents who care for children temporarily placed in the care of the agency and later returned to their parents or adopted, and the announcement of new officers for 1975.

Ken Phelps of the Central Office Staff of Child and Family Services, Brighton, spoke about the statewide organization of the agency, its contributions and goals. Joan Smith of the St. Joseph branch introduced the foster parents who serve in Berrien, Van Buren and Cass counties. Hugh McDonald, director of the local branch, introduced the staff and gave some of the statistics for 1974: 28 adoptions, 62 children in foster care with 5,764 days of foster care provided; 301 family service cases and 266 homemaker cases.

Stephen Upton, outgoing president, who will continue to serve on the board, announced the new officers for 1975: Edward Thorne, St. Joseph, is president; Mrs. Richard Welton of Niles, vice president; Dean Lightner of St. Joseph, treasurer, and from Buchanan, Mrs. G.E. Radde, secretary.

Among the 21 other board members from the three county area is Mrs. James Bieneman of Buchanan.

Strictly
Personal
By D.E.N.

Last week's printing was a disaster. After the front section had been all printed, it was noted that a long article had been pasted in at the end of the school board story which made no sense. The whole printing had to be discarded.

Thanks to the caller, but those darned yellow birds aren't grosbeaks. We have them too. Wish somebody would come to see them.

Among the piles of mail received was a request to publicize the National Asparagus Festival in Oceana County. But the editor doesn't like asparagus!

A trip to Chicago to a wedding of dear friends. Then a night at the Executive House which is really quite reasonable and convenient and always treats us well.

The editor's wife didn't object to the reference of a crazy old broad. She knows her spouse considers her the most interesting person he knows.

Last week's paper had an article on how to open buds early on the branches of bushes such as pussy willows. It really works.

We've agreed to have one of the English visitors. Wonder how he'll react to late night calls for fires or the police or how he'll get along taking the bed which old dog Pepper uses so much of the time.

Spring must be approaching. Buchanan High School had its first streaker of the season. Thought that fad had died.

Dinner at a new restaurant in Chicago called Claude's proved to be expensive but very nice. We spent most of the evening there.

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State Representative Harry Gast presents a Certification of Appreciation from Governor Millikin to Committee Chairman Ed Markunas and Scoutmaster Burl Ostrander at the 50th anniversary celebration of the Troop 51 last Saturday in Galien

Portage Prairie

By Mrs. William Shaw
695-6592

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ehninger were the Don Ehningers and their daughter Carl of Bloomington, Indiana, and Rev. and Mrs. Robert Roederer of Grandview, Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Don Ehninger had Carl baptized during the morning worship service with Rev. Roederer, uncle of Mr. Ehninger, conducting the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wesner have returned from a Florida vacation. Mrs. Glenn Vite returned with them, having spent several weeks in their winter home in Orlando, Florida.

On Sunday, March 2nd the Righter sisters will present an evening of music for the 3rd Lenten service. The fellowship hour following the service will be sponsored by the share groups. Everyone is invited to attend these services at 7:30.

The Crusader Class met on February 18 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brayton Yaw. Herman Dyke had charge of the business meeting with 13 members present. Mrs. Robert Kell had the devotions, and Robert Kell the lesson. Plans for the March 23 Lenten service were discussed.

Mrs. Frank Feifar and daughter Julie were guests of Mrs. Steve Renyak. They celebrated Mrs. Renyak's 74th birthday while in Chicago.

The Willing Workers class met Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vite. Ten mem-

bers attended and plans for the Lenten Service on Sunday, March 16 were made. The special guests for the evening service will be the Bell Ringers from Bridgman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kell and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dalrymple spent Sunday in Lansing with their daughter Sandy.

Buchanan Book Club

Buchanan Book Club met at the home of Mrs. Rex Porter Monday. Mrs. Stanley Stromswold reviewed the series by Laura Ingalls, Little House on the Prairie.

The next meeting will be March 10 at the home of Mrs. Donald Ryman.

The Michigan Mirror

By Elmer E. White

Limit by more than 15 miles an hour

Keeping the Land

Ugly, angular metal chunks jutting from the tiny beach at Point Betsie on Michigan's western "coastline" may do nothing for the seascape. But their goal, to cut shoreline erosion, more than balances the bight.

Shore erosion, the loss of land because of the energy of waves and currents produced by large wind storms, has been such a problem in Michigan that the Legislature authorized the Department of Natural Resources to take "action to avert catastrophic consequences" in 1973.

A Demonstration Erosion Control Program, involving the University of Michigan Coastal Zone Laboratory, resulted.

Anyone who owns shore property and has experienced or fears erosion might well take a look at what that program is doing, because one principle aim was to help private land owners make decisions about protecting their property.

In fact, a particular effort was made to find "reasonably effective methods which could be constructed by the property owners themselves."

Research began with selection of more than a dozen sites around the state where there are severe erosion problems.

Then some type of protective method—sand fill, groins, revetments, sea walls, off-shore breakwaters—was installed and its effectiveness evaluated with respect to reduction of erosion rates, cost, construction difficulties and durability.

These evaluations now are available in a comprehensive report, complete with photographs and specific diagrams. Folks who want a copy of that report can obtain one by writing to Water Development Services Division, Department of Natural Resources, Mason Bldg., Lansing, Michigan 48926. Ask for Michigan's Demonstration Erosion Control Program Evaluation Report.

The report cautions that the one-year study cannot come up with final conclusions. "Many shore installations appear to perform well temporarily but fail after several years," it notes.

Thus, the report recommends the monitoring portion of the study continue for five years. But it does contain some clues for property owners who may have taken to the water in bathing trunks to shore up their shores with sand bags.

Points for Speed?

Are penalty points an incentive to slow down?

State Rep. Ernest Nash, R-Dimondale, an 18-year veteran of Michigan's State Police force thinks they are, and he's trying to renew legislative consideration of applying points to drivers caught violating the 55 mph limit.

"Lawmakers thought the 55 mph limit was only temporary when they adopted it almost a year ago," Nash points out. "Its purpose was to save gasoline during the shortage and they didn't want to penalize people for something that was only temporary."

But now that the federal government has made the 55 mph limit permanent, Nash figures it's a different story.

"People didn't pay any attention to the lower limit," he says. "In order for (that) limit to have any affect, it's going to be necessary to put points back in the system."

Nash's proposal calls for two points to be added to the record of any driver caught doing 10 miles or less over the speed limit. Anyone going 10-15 miles over the limit would be penalized three points, and that would be boosted to four for exceeding the

What Lies Ahead?

Michigan needs to look ahead, develop long-range goals and identify potential problem areas—and that's something the Legislature is not equipped to do.

So says House Republican Leader Dennis Cawthorne of Manistee.

Cawthorne says legislative bodies "are primarily equipped to meet problems on a piecemeal, crisis-by-crisis basis." What's needed in addition he says, is a "commission on the future."

Proposing a bipartisan commission, similar to one operating in Minnesota, Cawthorne asks such questions as:

--What should our state be like in 25 years?

--How do we get there?

"A commission on the future could provide our citizens and legislature with specific long-range policy alternatives and give us direction in achieving the selected goals," he says.

The idea is similar to one advocated at the local level by Daniel Kruger, a professor of industrial relations at Michigan State University.

A Minute

With Mary

By Mary Snow
Extension Home Economist

Add Zap to your Vegetables
If your family says "thumbs down" to vegetables, here are a few ways to get those extra vitamins back into their diet.

--Dress up vegetable casseroles by adding cream soups (cream of mushroom, chicken or vegetable)

--Marinate leftover vegetables such as peas, cauliflower, carrots, beans or cucumbers, in French, Italian or Russian dressing. You can serve them as a relish, antipasto or salad.

--Add chopped nuts, pimento or crumbled bacon to vegetables.

--Slice Chestnuts or celery add a crispy texture to vegetable dishes.

--Top vegetables with a cream sauce and parmesan cheese.

--How about serving mother's homemade vegetable soup?

--Or add margarine, seasoned with basil, tarragon, thyme or majoram, to hot vegetables.

--Combining two or more vegetables adds interest. Suggested combinations are:

a peas, onions and mushrooms; b green beans, toasted almonds and mushrooms, c carrots, sliced onions, diced celery and green beans.

--Top casseroles with mashed potatoes.

--For a colorful and nutritious main dish, combine peas, carrots, chicken and rice with salad dressing.

Spring's Just Around the Corner

As you look over the seed catalogs that are arriving in the mails every day now, be sure you take into account just the amount you'll need for your family. Buying too much seed is simply a waste of money and causes an overabundance at harvest time that is often far more than you one family can consume. Even if you give lots away to neighbors and friends, bumper crops can be a problem. And it looks like there may again be a problem with jars and lids this year. The two largest suppliers are actually small in size and have no plans for extensive expansion. This probably means shortages of jars and lids again this year, just when the harvest is in. Already, retailers have been told they'll have to work on a quota system for suppliers and quotas are less than a year ago.



Sawing wood and splitting logs is an important part of the activity during the Maple Syrup Camp currently in progress at Fuller's Resort. These fourth graders from Indian Hills School are helping to provide firewood for the constantly blazing fire needed to convert the sap into delicious syrup. This yearly event is one of many outdoor learning opportunities conducted by Buchanan Community Schools Outdoor Education Program directed by David Casey.

Chairmen Named For Clark Women's Club

The Clark Professional Women's Organization had its monthly dinner meeting at Franky's in Niles February 19. Mrs. Chester Seager, Buchanan school nurse, showed a film on breast cancer and answered questions from the group.

Mrs. Gladys Canfield, president, conducted the business meeting during which she introduced the following committee chairmen: dinner and tickets, Vicky White and Grace Batchelor, Co-Chairman, prize or gift, Cora Collins and Barbara Bedore, Co-Chairman, publicity, Joan Calvert, chaplain, Kathleen Harding, travel, Joanne Davidson, and scholarship, Ruth Hilden, Arlene Wright and Joyce Krause.

The program chairman, Mrs. Sandy Lolmaugh, announced that Frank Sims, president and director of Clark Credit Cor-

poration, will speak at the March 19 meeting, time and place to be announced later. Other events on the calendar include Tom Tyler as speaker for the April meeting and a tour of the CMD Division of Clark in Benton Harbor for the June meeting.

Door prizes were won by Alvena White and Nancy Vaughn. Mrs. Joan Calvert was appointed hostess for the March meeting. Mrs. Betty Bergert is still accepting 1975 dues and new members are welcome!

Free Blood Check

An opportunity is offered to all senior citizens to have a free blood pressure check Friday, February 28 between 1:30 and 4 p.m. in the Community Building at Metea Court.

A registered nurse will be on hand to take blood pressure, and all area senior citizens are invited to come.

Large Crowd Attends Pack 524's Banquet

Cut Scout Pack 524 met for its Blue and Gold Banquet last Friday night at Faith United Methodist Church with Cubmaster Charles Kelley conducting the activities for the record crowd.

A candlelight flag ceremony was given by Den 2, and the invocation by Rev. Kenneth Snow. The potluck dinner was climaxed with the Webelos serving a special anniversary cake, prepared and cut by Mrs. Clare Davis of the Webelos Den.

During the ceremony, Wade Cole was inducted into the bobcats and wolf awards went to Mike Unger and Jimmy Millring. Mike Unger received gold and silver arrow points and silver ones went to Jamie Converse and Terry Kelley. Jon Arend received his bear badge.

Webelos leaders Bob Dulin and Clare Davis awarded the following activity badges: engineering to John Davis, Kirk Dehring, Bob Dulin, Jody Frost, Kenny Noland, Donald Ruff, James Scoggin, Ralph Skinner, Kent Stroud and Carl Wodrich, scientist to Kirk Dehring and Kenny Noland and artist to Ralph Skinner and Carl Wodrich. Donald Ruff and Ralph Skinner were presented one year service pins and two year pins went to Kirk

Dehring, Kenny Noland, James Scoggin, Kent Stroud and Carl Wodrich and a three year pin to Bob Dulin. Jon Arend was inducted into Webelos.

District Scout executive Larry Lee gave a brief summary on scouting, and afterwards the group was entertained with a skit given by the pack committee and the den leaders.

Bob Dulin II was graduated into scouts during a candlelight ceremony, an accompanying picture tells more about.

Leaders Linda Millring, Sue Unger, Tish McBan, Ruby Jo Converse, Clare Davis and Sherry Kelley each received one year service pins and two year pins went to Virginia Scoggin, Marge Kara, Mary Beth Larson, Margie Skinner and Dennis Smedley with a three year pin going to Sally Dehring, John Jeffreys and Barbara Sumerix and a five year one to Bob Dulin.

The evening concluded with the presentation of the pack charter to Rev. Snow of the sponsoring organization.

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Here Are Some Of The Miss BUCHANAN Entries

Time is drawing near for the event that will determine the identity of Miss Buchanan of 1975. Tickets are selling fast and all reserved seats for Fantasy and Folklore - The First 200 Years are already sold out. A limited number of general admission tickets are still available for \$2 at the Stationery Center and the Buchanan High School office. No tickets will be sold at the door the night of the contest March 15, the public is cautioned by the chairman, Mrs. Ron Linde Sponsor of the pageant is the Buchanan Jaycees.

Master of ceremonies for the evening will be Richard Rossow, and in addition to the nineteen contestants he will also introduce the middle school choir to appear with a program of musical selections. The entrants themselves will present a musical number to add to the evening's entertainment.

Last Wednesday night was the pre-contest dinner when all the girls were guests of the Buchanan Jaycees at a pizza party. Wednesday of this week they were all again working with model Sue Kowalski who has been helping them learn to walk with grace and poise for the big night.

Pictures of about half the nineteen contestants appear here and a little information about each of them is given to help readers decide whom they hope will win if they haven't already made up their minds.

In alphabetical order the first entrant is Linda Andersen of 109 Clark Street, who is 18, a junior and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Horton. Linda's school activities include membership in the usher's club and her favorite away-from-school activity is camping. She works as a teacher's aide at Moccasin School and hopes in the future to become a model.

Next is Rosemarie Bowker, a senior as are all the following girls unless otherwise noted. She is the 17 year old daughter of Alice Marie Nelson of Route 2, Box 153 and James Bowker of South Bend. Rosemarie has belonged to the Usher's Club for two years and also to FHA and the varsity volleyball team for two years. Outside of school, in addition to working at Wonderland, she enjoys dancing, sewing and playing the organ. She hopes to attend Patricia Stevens Career College, majoring in fashion merchandising.

Seventeen year old Donna Canfield enjoys sports and music - she is on the girls' basketball and softball teams, in Girls' B Club and is a member of the symphony and marching bands. Outside of school she takes part in the Omega and Alleluia Choirs of the Church of Christ. She plans to become a secretary. Donna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Canfield of 505 Woodland Drive.

Kim Carlson of Route 2, Box 705 is in Ski Club, Girls B Club, played two years of volleyball and had two years on the track team; she is a cheerleader and a member of the Spanish Club. After school she likes skiing - both on water and snow - snowmobiling and walking in the woods. She plans to attend

Ferris State College to study court stenography. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Carlson are Kim's parents.

Dolly Clark is 19, and her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Orville Harrington of 3980 Chamberlain Road. During school she is a member of the symphony and marching bands and after school she is active in 4-H. Dolly also works Co-op at Gulton Electro-Voice where she is a part time switchboard operator - she would like to continue there after graduation.

Next comes Pamela Cottrell, who is 17 and a pom-pom girl. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cottrell of Route 1, Box 206, Pam also likes to bowl and go horseback riding. She works at National Standard as an accounting clerk and hopes in the future to be a secretary and a housewife.

Sarah Dougherty, 17, is on the student council and student review board. She is the daughter of the Richard Doughertys of 1188 Rynearson Road. Her outside interests include skiing and bicycling and working as a check-out girl at Will's. Sarah plans to attend college after graduation.

Susan Klingerman, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Klingerman of 325 Claremont Street works on both the Pines and Buckhorn staffs and plays on the softball team, she also served on the homecoming committee. Her outside activities include ceramics, sewing, softball and swimming. Susan works Co-op at National Standard where she is a clerk typist in accounting. After graduation she plans to work and continue her education.

Brenda Kyles of 314 Richard Street is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kyles. Eighteen years old, she is in Usher's Club where she served one year as president and was named outstanding usher one year. She is also a member of GBBW (Girls Backing Buck Wrestlers). She enjoys running errands for senior citizens in her neighborhood and sings in the junior choir of the Church of God in Christ. Brenda hopes to go to college and major in fashion merchandising. She also works in the community education office after classes.

Donna Mattern is presently practicing regularly as a member of the cast for Fiddler On The Roof. She is a member of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and likes to sew and go horseback riding. Eighteen years old, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mattern of Route 1, Box 534. After Donna graduates in June, she plans to work and possibly go to Southwestern Michigan College.

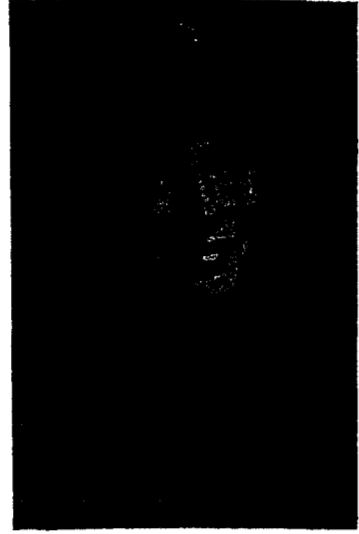
More pictures will appear in next week's Record as the big night draws closer.



Linda Kay Andersen



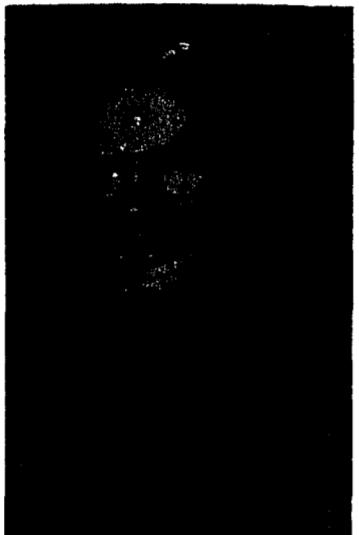
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Board Of Education Minutes

February Board of Education Minutes

The Board of Education, Buchanan Community Schools, Berrien County, Michigan, held its regular monthly meeting Monday, February 17, 1975, at Ottawa Elementary School. Members present: David Hanson, William Moon, Vernon Lubben, Gerald Moulds, Jeannette Mahan, and Richard Rossow, and SRA Delegate Lisa Swem. Member absent: Richard Beistle. Others present Administration, members of the press, and 50 visitors.

President Hanson called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and announced that individual Board Members would meet with small groups of those in attendance to discuss their interests and concerns. The regular meeting was recessed for 30 minutes. President Hanson called the meeting to order at 8 p.m. and introduced Mrs. Joseph Odehnal who spoke to the Board regarding objectives for the Berrien County Exceptional Children's Program. After discussion, the motion was made by Member Moulds, seconded by Member Lubben, that the Buchanan Board of Education go on record as supporting the one-facility concept for the Berrien County Special Education Program, and, further, the Board urges the upgrading of the present facility in the Niles area. Unanimously carried.

In the absence of Board Secretary Richard Beistle, President Hanson appointed Member Moulds as Acting Secretary for the evening.

Minutes of the January 20, 1975, regular meeting were approved as presented.

Motion by Member Lubben, seconded by Member Rossow, that bills in the amount of \$261,319.81 (of which \$177,016.85 is for two payrolls) be approved for payment. Unanimously carried.

Asst. Supt. Kreager reported that he has received no answer to date from Industrial Appraisal, Inc., regarding the cost of a new appraisal of school facilities. He will report at the next Board meeting.

Supt. Dougherty reported that a joint committee of City Commission members and Board members had met to study ways of better handling vehicular and pedestrian traffic at the Middle School. He also announced the dedication and open house at the Middle School facility which is scheduled for Sunday, February 23, 1975.

Motion by Member Moulds, seconded by Member Lubben, that the request for an Assistant Principal at the Middle School be tabled at this time. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Rossow, seconded by Member Mahan, that the Board support the 62 cents-per-pupil charge back to the Intermediate School District for data processing for the 1975-76 budget. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Lubben, seconded by Member Moon, that the Board not support the Riverwood Community Mental Health Center program for the 1975-76 school year. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Lubben, seconded by Member Moulds, that the Buchanan Board of Education supports the Student Representative Assembly in becoming a member of the Blossomtime Student Council. Unanimously carried.

At the recommendation of Supt. Dougherty, the 1975-76 school calendar was tabled until the next meeting.

Motion by Member Moulds, seconded by Member Moon, that Mr. Donald Forbes of Bertrand

Township be appointed as the Board's representative to the Area Recreation Board for a one year term, to expire June 30, 1976. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Moon, seconded by Member Rossow, that David Rifenberg, having successfully completed the number of credits required for graduation, be certified for graduation and granted a Buchanan High School diploma. Unanimously carried.

Reports were heard as follows: Michigan Assessment Results and Interpretations (Mr. Fischer); Annual Transportation Report (Mr. Spaulding); and the Ottawa Building Report (Mr. May).

Phyllis Zawisza (Ottawa third grade teacher) spoke to the Board in behalf of the Ottawa staff, commending the excellence of their building principal, Ellis May.

Motion by Member Lubben, seconded by Member Moulds, that the Buchanan Board of Education wishes to commend Dr. Vanderbush for his work on the Moulder hearing. Unanimously carried.

Meeting adjourned at 10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Gerald Moulds, Acting Secretary, Buchanan Board of Education.

(These minutes subject to approval at next regular Board meeting.)



Menu in Buchanan Schools for the week of March 3-7

Monday. Country Fried Steak, corn-off-the-cob with margarine, rosy tropical fruit, enriched bread, fortified margarine, milk.

Tuesday. Meatballs with Tomato Sauce, whipped potatoes, garden vegetables with margarine, enriched bread, fortified margarine, milk, cookie.

Wednesday. Sloppy Joe, cut green beans with margarine, french fries, hamburger bun, milk, cookie.

Thursday. Frankfurter, tater barrels, carrot cubes with margarine, hot dog bun, catsup, milk, cookie.

Friday. Cheeseburger, french fries, garden vegetables with margarine, hamburger bun, milk, candy.

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I understand that interest rates on Government insured mortgages have been lowered recently. Can you tell me what the rate is now and what that means for the average home buyer?

—F. L. Warren

The maximum allowable interest rate for mortgages insured by the Federal Housing Administration was lowered from 9 to 8 1/2 % in January. A similar decrease was ordered in the maximum rate for GI home mortgage loans.

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I was so glad that Congress finally did something about pension reform. Where can I find out more about how these changes in the pension law affect me?

—C. J., Birmingham

A new 33-page booklet is available that explains the new pension reform law and how it applies to employees, employers, labor unions, banks and other financial institutions. It's entitled "News About the Employee-Retirement Income Security Act of 1974," and you can get a copy free by writing to the Labor Management Services Administration, 234 State Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

In addition, I'm sending you several speeches I have delivered in the Senate which include information about the new law.

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By Mrs. Adolph Rychly
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Mrs. Fred Canfield announces the dates for Vacation Bible School at the Oronoko Methodist Church will be July 21-25, under the direction of Uncle Rob of the Rural Bible Mission Volunteers will be needed for teachers.

Forty-five young people from many local churches spent last Sunday afternoon at the Oronoko Church preparing for the Bible Quiz-O-Rama at the Teenarena II in Benton Harbor. The Little League Quizzers will compete there Friday, February 28 at 7 p.m. with the Varsity on Saturday, March 1 at 7:30 p.m.

Sandy Stewart, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Dargus, is a patient at Memorial Hospital, St. Joseph; she has a broken leg.

The Pioneer Farm Bureau Group held its February meeting last Wednesday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harroff. Chairman William Schwab presided over the meeting and although "Estate Taxes" was the discussion topic - taxes in general were taken into thoughtful consideration - including inflation - which amounts to a decreased value form of taxation against one's earnings.

The settlement of estates in Michigan can be a time-consuming, costly and demoralizing process.

The staggering appreciation of land values shows up in increased valuation of estates.

Present exemptions and deductions are unrealistic and

should be increased consistent with inflationary pressures.

The discussion pointed out the effort of present laws on estates and the need for making wills and other plans to transfer property.

Some plans suggested in addition to wills were By Gift - Transfer by Trust - Transfer by Contract - and setting up a family corporation limited to members of the family and only one class of stock.

This would simplify passing equal ownership as stocks are easier to divide than land and buildings and would provide a significant tax advantage. Conditions and situations would vary from farm to farm but each plan is worthy of attention and consideration.

The next meeting will be March 19 with Mr and Mrs Schwab.

Mrs Harroff, representative to the Berrien County Farm Bureau Women's Committee, announced that the committee will honor Mrs Alma Foster of Niles at a cooperative dinner at noon, Monday, March 3 at the Youth Memorial Building, Berrien Springs. Mrs Jean Sparks of Cassopolis, who was a delegate to the meeting of the Country Women of the World in Australia in 1974, will be the speaker.

Guidance Notes From B.H.S.

The Counseling Office is pleased to announce the following items of interest to both Buchanan High School students and their parents:

A. Scholarship - Lake Michigan College. Each area high school is awarded a \$300 annual scholarship, renewable for a second year to an outstanding senior boy or girl. Applicant must be enrolled as a full time student this coming fall term.

B. Summer Honors Seminar - Indiana State University. Any junior boy or girl who wishes to explore an area of their academic interest and earn two semester hours of college credit may do so this summer at I.U. Applicants must rank in the top 25 percent of their class. Cost is \$130 for the two week program including room and board. Scholarship money to help defray program cost is available. Honors program covers such academic areas as History, Science, Archeology, Radio-TV-Films, Spanish, English, Art and Computer Science.

Another program similar in scope and intent is offered by Michigan Technological University at Houghton. The cost of this program is slightly less than that at I.U.

C. Scholarships - Lake Michigan College. Twenty one divisional scholarships valued at \$300 each will be awarded to full time L.M.C. students this fall. Scholarships cover the areas of Vocational-Technical, Health, Math, Science, Secretarial-Business, and Art. There are no specific academic or financial need requirements necessary to apply for one of these awards.

D. Basic Educational Opportunity Grant. This federal program provides financial assistance to those students beginning their post-secondary education during the 1975-76 academic year. Basic Grant awards are unrestricted grants, and unlike a loan, do not have to be repaid. It is estimated that awards will range between \$50 and \$300. Applications must be submitted before March 15, 1975.

Any person planning to enter college next fall should submit one of these applications regardless of their supposed financial situation.

Students or parents wishing to know more about any of the above items of interest are invited to contact the High School Counseling Office by phone or drop in for a visit.

Bend Of The River Has All Day Meeting

The Bend of the River Home Extension Study Group met last week with Mrs. George Haag for an all day get-together with fifteen members present.

The business meeting was conducted by the chairman, Mrs. Dale Nelson, and it was decided to contribute \$10 to Meals On Wheels and to the Niles School for Exceptional Children. Following a discussion on a spring tour, Mrs. Irvin Jesswein, Mrs. George Letz and Mrs. Haag were appointed as the committee.

The mystery gift was won by Mrs. Haag. Following the potluck dinner the lesson on Think Metric was presented by Mrs. Letz and Mrs. Bee Wolkins.

The March 19 meeting will be in the Community Building at Metea Court with Miss Irene Denno as hostess and Mrs. Berdella Peters as co-hostess. It was decided to sew cancer pads at the next meeting using material to be supplied by Mrs. Charles Oxender.

Present Night Of Music This Sunday

This Sunday, March 2, the Omegan Youth choir will present a night of music at the Buchanan Church of Christ. The 7 p.m. musical program will include such numbers as "I Believe" and "The Savior Is Waiting" plus a medley of "He's Got The Whole World In His Hand" and "Put Your Hand In The Hand". The program will also include some of the numbers from the musical "Alleluia", recently presented by the combined choirs.

This program of music will be presented by the Omegans throughout the spring and summer at various churches and will include a singing tour in June through the eastern states.

The accompaniment will be provided by Mrs. Charles Day and Robert Mahan Jr., on the piano, Chuck Day, guitar, Kurt Bratzler, drums, Janus Metzger on the tamborine and Don Hansen, the bongos. Soloists will include Tim Sexton, Martha Rifenberg, Donna Canfield, Jane Montgomery and Buddy Holmes.

The program is under the direction of Mrs. George Merrill and the public is invited to attend.



Die Fledermaus by Johann Strauss is to be presented Saturday night, March 1, at 7:30 in Niles High School auditorium. The Ann Arbor Comic Opera Guild's production is being brought to this area by the Niles Music Club. A cast of over 30 voices singing in English, accompanied by a 30 piece orchestra, will transport the audience to Vienna of the gay 1860's.

Here (l to r) are Mrs. Richard Gault of the Niles Music Club, Eric Samson and Chris Lolmaugh, two lucky Buchanan High School choir students, who as winners of a drawing were given tickets to attend, and Mrs. Susan Durant, director of the BHS choir.

Tickets may be purchased at Wisner-Beck Drug Store or at the door, but Mrs. Gault suggests arriving by 7 to assure having the best seats.

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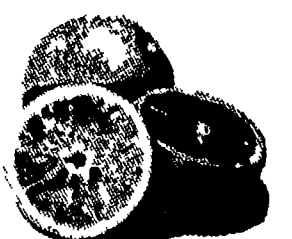
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Buchanan Wins Blossomland Conference Title

By Ed Morrissey

Buchanan took top spot in conference by downing River Valley 66-59 in a hard fought contest. From the outset both teams showed their desire for the victory, but a 10 point rally in the final minutes of the fourth by the Bucks produced the gap needed to win the championship.

Both teams keyed on the others big gun as River Valley concentrated on Ken Garrett and the Bucks put defensive stand-out, Mark Jackson, on Mitch Coffman to keep the big men down in scoring, but the rest of the team came through and the Bucks came out as winners.

Buchanan fell behind on a pair of free throws by Mike White with 5:44 left giving Valley the advantage 51-50, but the Bucks went to work with their tough press and defense plus offensive sparks by Jackson, Willie Brown, Mike McGuirt, and Walt Vanderbush pushed the Bucks ahead 60-51 with time in favor of the Battling Bucks. "They lost their poise," Wilson commented,

"But they remained patient and rebuilt their lead. Garrett did some good rebounding for us, and Brown played some fine defense, Jackson and McGuirt did an all around good job, and Busby lifted us in momentum. Vanderbush's ball handling was very helpful against their press." They are a fine group of young men and everybody in Buchanan should be proud of them." Congratulations to the 1974-75 "Blossomland Champs," the Buchanan Bucks.

Buchanan (66)				
McGuirt	7	0	4	14
Vanderbush	7	4	0	18
Jackson	7	0	2	14
Brown, W.	2	0	2	4
Garrett	3	0	2	6
Busby	4	0	4	8
Carson	1	0	0	2
Virgil	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	4	15	66
River Valley (59)				
White	6	2	4	14
O'Connell	2	2	0	6
Coffman	2	0	2	4
Johnson	11	4	4	26
North	2	5	1	9
Totals	23	13	11	59

Jayvees Finish A Strong Season

By Ed Morrissey

Buchanan finished their Junior Cager season last Friday with a 52-47 victory over River Valley. The Junior Bucks are 17-3 in competition and won their last 11 consecutive games. All losses suffered this season were one point decisions.

Buchanan won their first three games, which included a come-from-behind victory over Niles, before losing their first one-pointer to Lakeshore, then a victory over an undefeated Cass crew started another three game streak, but two one point setbacks to Lake Michigan Catholic and Berrien Springs put their record at 6-3 at the mid-way mark.

Buchanan, from that point on, started their long line of victories. Though during the streak they were challenged by many good clubs, they fought hard and preserved the streak that ended at 11.

Against River Valley, Gerald Busby scored 17 and Joe Kyles 11. The other double figure Buck

was Greg Frazier with 10. Kevin Vanderbush ended with 8. Moe Kyles didn't play because of injury, but Rick Lahyer filled in and contributed 4. Bob Luke off the bench produced 2.

"They are a good group and a super team," Sexton commented. "Lahyer and Mike Wregelsworth did a good job filling in for Moe. I'm very proud of the whole team." All of Buchanan should join Sexton in this pride. Buchanan's varsity brought a Blossomland Title to our town and by seeing the JVs it looks like it just might stick around for awhile.

During the season, the junior varsity team scored 1422 points. The team had a 71 point average per game and a 41 percent shooting average. Their opponents scored 1239 points. The Buchanan defense held their opponents to a 62 point average per game.

Greg Frazier scored 299, Gerald Busby 280, Moe Kyles 277, Kevin Vanderbush 216, Joe Kyles 207, Bob Luke 73, Jeff Swank 26, Ed Smith 24.

Men's BB League

Men's Basketball League started tournament play last Sunday with the following results:

Division I	
Clark No 5	98
Aalfs	62
Buchanan Steel	73
Brown Construction	72
Division II	
Thompsons	54
Clark No 8	45
Red Raiders	61
Over the Hill Gang	50

Finals will be played this Sunday, March 2 with Clark No 5 playing Buchanan Steel at 5:30 for the Division I championship. Division II playoff will start at 7 with Thompsons meeting the Red Raiders.

Girls VB Teams Face Full Week

In the third outing of the current season the girls' volleyball team went to St. Joseph last Thursday for a three way match with Edwardsburg.

In playing Edwardsburg, the varsity lost both games 1-15 and 7-15. Against St. Joe, the lady Bucks dropped the first game 2-15 and won the second by 15-11 with Brenda Mottl getting six and Cindy Prenkert adding three. In the final game Buchanan lost again but just by 2, 13-15. Janet Hess had 4 and Karen Aalfs 5.

The jayvees dropped both their matches that night. To Edwardsburg they lost 2-15 and 3-15. Scores were closer in the St. Joe event as they lost 10-15 with 4 of those by Kindra Blake and 11 to 15 including Cathy Prenkert's 6.

Next week brings a full schedule for the teams as they go to River Valley Monday, to Dowagiac Tuesday for a three way including Brandywine, to Niles Wednesday and on Thursday are to play host to Coloma and Lakeshore.

Two Named All-Americans

The names of Don Fields and Dan Kreager will be included in the PREP ALL-AMERICA FOOTBALL Yearbook, 1974-75, as announced by COACH & ATHLETE magazine and Coach Dave Shoemaker, Buchanan High School.

These athletes were nominated last December and are representative of the most outstanding football players in their school and community.

Nominations for the Prep All-America Football Program are made each year by high school coaches, sportswriters and college recruiters across the country. Upon receipt of his athletic record, each nominee is included in the PREP FOOTBALL Yearbook and each was considered by the judges for COACH & ATHLETE's Prep All-America Football 100 Team. This national all-American team (as chosen by the Awards Selection Committee) will name the country's top 100 high school football players. Announcement of the All-America 100 Squad will be made at the end of this month.

Criteria by which the local athletes were nominated for the program include athletic ability, statistics based on outstanding performance, and sportsmanship and personal leadership displayed during the current season. The athletic achievements of the local nominees will be presented in the 1974-75 edition of the PREP FOOTBALL Yearbook to be published in July, 1975.



The Buchanan Bucks won their first game decisively over South Haven Monday and will play Dowagiac Wednesday night.



Mark Jackson and Willie Brown are shown in their last game of the regular season.

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Carpenters, masons, and painters, whose work is carried on in a stooped or semi-stooped position, are more likely than others to have kidney pains.

If we were to enumerate a list of all the necessary duties and occupations, the followers of which are required to carry on their tasks for any period of time in positions which are not normal posture for the healthy person we could easily understand why there are so many ailments caused by occupations.

In stooping continually over a desk or a work-bench, the vertebrae in the workers' back are thrown out of alignment. They pinch the important nerves which pass through every spinal joint and shut off the nervous force that carries health and life to different parts of the body.

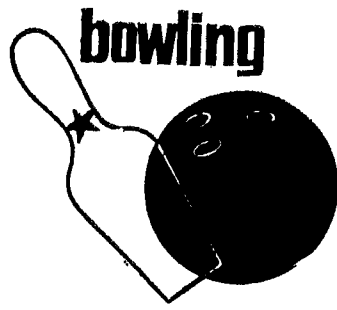
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In addition to gathering sap and firewood and keeping a watch on the simmering vats as they skim off undesirable portions the fourth graders have a fine opportunity for nature walks as they spend the day out-of-doors learning all the processes of making maple syrup. It is cold out there but a hot lunch of soup, continual activity and occasional cocoa breaks help everyone keep warm. The day ends with a supper of pancakes and syrup before the homeward bus trip



Men's Friday Fours
February 21, 1975

Standings	Won	Lost
Strohs	224½	150½
Pabst	210	165
Hammer & Saw	207	168
Midwest	202	173
True Value	181½	193½
Timber Lanes	177	198
Herb's Place	175½	199½
Hamm's	174	201
Fabianos	170½	204½
Poorman's Rec	154	221

High Games: L Padgett 651; K. Everly 610; L. Wesaw 168-503, R Lukasiuk 198-512, R Furner 197-519, J. Hanback 185-539, S Miller 222-578, J. Swaim 187-491, J Pearson 232-559; R Piechocke 180-472

600's: L Padgett (208-229-214) 651, K Everly (200-201-209) 610; J Mullins (209-203-196) 608

200's: F. Poorman 210

Strohs 13 pts. - Hamms 2 pts; Pabst 7 pts - Midwest 8 pts, Hammer & Saw 7 - Timber Lanes 8, True Value 7 - Poorman's Rec 8, Herb's 6 - Fabianos 9

Tuesday Night Moose
February 18, 1975

Standings	Won	Lost
Welsh's Carpet	45	24
Poorman's Rec	38	31
Unity Hospital	38	31
White's Lanes	36	33
DeWitt's Shell	35	34
Smitty's Marine	33	36
B&W Village Inn	33	36
Falo's Auto Parts	30	39
Stroh's	29	40
Aalfs Standard	28	41
Welsh's 3 - F Jasper 230-634 - Aalfs 0 - N Davidson 234-617; Poorman's 2 - B. Tyus 209-593; DeWitt's 1 - D Flenar 218-559; Hospital 1 - J Slezak 211 - A J Pohja 552 - White's 2 - F Poorman 236-599, Smitty's 1 - I Swihart 224-224-607 - Strohs 2 - G Pearson 245-601, B&W 2 - J Coffel Sr 212-549 - Falo's 1 - D Bunker 202 - D Sutton 534		

Thursday Night Ladies
9:00 p.m.

Standings	Won	Lost
Wisner-Beck	72	24
Bungalow Inn	62	34
Falo's	54	42
Reed's	49	47
Poorman's Rec	44	52
Clark Credit Union	38	58
Gay Hose	34	62
Carpenter Fuel Oil	31	65
High Games: B Good 200, F Barlett 200; D. Zebell 199, R Barrett 188, E. Mark 178, V Reed 174; D Bennett 172, S. Bobbitt 172		

Golfers To Organize

An organizational meeting for a Men's Association of Brookwood Golf Course is planned for this Sunday, March 2 at 3 p.m. in the Buchanan Moose Lodge. Anyone who is interested, but unable to attend, is asked to contact Jim Crouch or Bill Tomlinson, both of Buchanan

Weather

The temperature and precipitation as recorded at the city weather station.

Date	Precip	High	Low
Feb. 18	1 2" snow	33	30
Feb. 19	1 1" snow	34	22
Feb. 20		38	20
Feb. 21		45	25
Feb. 22	5 5" rain	40	34
Feb. 23	4 4" rain	36	32
Feb. 24	1 1" snow	37	26

Spare Time
February 19, 1975

Standings	Won	Lost
Boettchers	62	30
DeWitt's Shell	56½	35½
Kennedy's	53	39
Clark Lafers	51½	42½
Poorman's Rec	43½	48½
Team No 4	37	55
Rot-Roti	35½	56½
Clark No.2	31	61
High Games 206 Wilma Jesse, 202 Della Nosker; 198 Carrel Keller, 194 Terry Habel; 192 Carol Gorbitz; 183 Patty Rolston, 182 Virginia Samson, 180 Martha Simmons; 179 Jackie Tilly, 173 Becky Chubb		

Ladies
February 19, 1975

Standings	Won	Lost
4 Lanah Leach	63	29
5 Bea Good	58½	33½
3 Bonnie Cauffman	50	42
1 Audrey Hayden	49	43
8 Sally Dehring	46½	45½
7 Jean Ruckerman	44	48
9 Jane Moulds	40½	51½
6 Sharon Hand	38	54
10 Beverley Mottl	35½	56½
2 Ellen Bradford	35	57
High Games: Charlene Medich 190, Joy Vergon 176, Anna Bumstead 181, Fran Barlett 176, Ellen Bradford 173, Lanah Leach 187, Marion McNeely 169		

Tuesday Night Owls
February 18, 1975

Standings	Won	Lost
Nettie's Cafe	64	28
Herb's	53	39
Lakeview Lounge	51	41
Carbon's	49	43
Just Gene's	45½	46½
Buch Police Assoc	41	51
Poorman's Rec	37	55
Red Bud Cleaners	26½	65½
High Games: D Zebell 472-167; B Jesswein 417-151, M Leets 478-165, N Mori 386-140, D Curtis 401-150; M. Stratton 401-143, B Davidson 467-168, C Wade 374-149		

Hockey Schedule

March 1, 1975

Elementary Girls
11:30 north, Clarks vs. Gambles, south, DeWitt's Shell vs. Inter City Bank; 12:15 north, City Glass vs. Electro-Voice, south, Lions vs Gambles

Middle School Girls
1:00 north, Schneider Vending vs Clark; south, Lettering House vs Wisner Beck, 1:45 north, Lions vs Clark

Elementary Boys (Maroon)
1:45 south, Inter-City Bank vs. Wisner Beck, 2:30 north, Moose vs Sexton's, south, Schneider Vending vs Habicht

Elementary Boys (White)
3:15 north, Lions vs DeWitts, south, Kechkaylo vs Stationary Center, 4:00 north, Rangers vs Clark

Middle School Boys
4:00 south, Jones vs. Kennedy Motors, 4:45 north, Clark vs. Samson, south, Moose vs. Mollberg, 5:30 north, City Glass vs LaSalle

Jr Pro Schedule

Junior Pro basketball games scheduled for March 1 are

High School Gym
9:00 - B3 vs. B4
10:15 - B5 vs B6, Court 1
10:15 - B1 vs B2, Court 2

Moccasin Gym
9:00 - A3 vs A4
10:15 - A5 vs. A6
11:30 - A1 vs A2

Jr Pro All Stars

Lose In Tourney

The Jr Pro All Stars played in the district tournament Saturday at Lansing losing to Three Rivers 25 to 37

David Karpinski was voted most valuable player in the tourney making 17 of the 25 points, John Ehler added 4, and Nick Ferrell and Eric Koenig each had 2.

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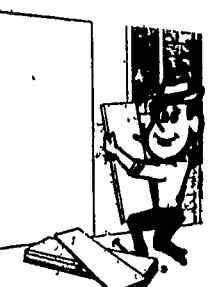
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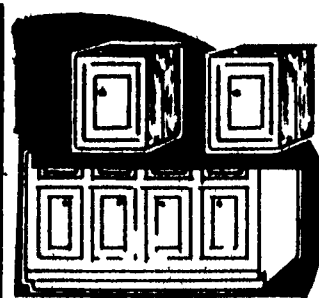
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Last Friday elementary students from all four schools spent a short time out at Clear Lake helping prepare for this week's Maple Syrup Camp. These youngsters from Stark have just drilled a hole and prepare to hang one of the unnumberable buckets needed to collect syrup for the yearly event looked forward to each year by Buchanan fourth graders

Over 600 students from area schools out of this district including Baroda, Bridgman, Niles Westside and Central, Stevensville and Three Oaks, in addition to some Buchanan kindergarteners, will visit the syrup camp to share in this unusual learning experience provided by Buchanan Schools Outdoor Education Program

Indoor Hockey Action

Hockey Results

Clarks	4
Lions	0
Poorman's City Glass	4
Electro-Voice	5
Inter-City Bank	0
Gambles	3
DeWitt's Shell	2
Lettering House	3
Lions	1
Wisner-Beck	2
Clark	1
Schneider Vending	3
Shrider	2
Moose	5
Inter-City Bank	2
Wisner-Beck	3
Habicht Ford	0
Schneider Vending	5
Sexton's	0
Lions	6
Kechkaylo	5
Stationary	3
Clark	2
DeWitt's	5
Rangers	2
City Glass	3
Mollberg	2
Kennedy Motors	4
LaSalle Federal	2
Jones	4
Samson	1
Clark Equipment	5
Moose	1

Hockey Standings

Team	W	L
City Glass	6	0
Jones Churo Life	5	1
Kennedy Motors	4	2
Samson Builders	3	3
Clark	3	3
LaSalle Federal	2	4
Moose	1	5
Mollberg Constructon	0	6

Middle School Girls

Schneider Vending	5	1
Shrider's Mart	5	1
Wisner-Beck	3	3
Lettering House	2	4
Lions	2	4
Clark	1	5

Elementary Boys (White)

Clark Eagles	5	1
DeWitt's Shell	5	1
Stationary Center	4	2
Lions	2	4
Kechkaylo Real Estate	1	5
Rangers	0	6

Elementary Boys (Maroon)

Schneider Vending	5	1
Moose	4	2
Inter-City Bank	3	3
Sexton's Real Estate	3	3
Wisner-Beck	3	3
Habicht Ford	0	6

Elementary Girls

Clark	6	0
Gambles	5	1
Lions	4	2
DeWitt's Shell	3	3
Poorman's	3	3
Electro-Voice	2	4
Inter-City Bank	1	5
City Glass	0	6

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Boy Scout Troop 51 Observes 50 Years



Russell Babcock is shown receiving Boy Scout Troop 51's original charter from Basic Scout Tim Longfellow on behalf of the Galien Public Library where it will be displayed. The charter, dated February 19, 1925, names Babcock's brother Ray as Galien's first Scoutmaster. The presentation took place at the troop's fiftieth anniversary celebration Saturday.

Boy Scout Troop 51 of Galien observed its fiftieth anniversary last Saturday with a celebration in the high school cafeteria. Present scoutmaster of the troop is Burl Ostrander.

Of the twenty-one boys in the original troop in 1925, five were present for anniversary celebration - Emmett Harroff, Ernest Morley, Carlton Renbarger, Junior Woolford, and Galien Village President Robert James. Woolford is Village Clerk of St. Ignace, Illinois. Another member of the original troop, Warren (Fryd) Swem, made a pre-arranged phone call from his home in California in order to talk to his comrades during the celebration.

State Representative Harry Gast led a list of dignitaries who addressed the group of over one hundred who attended the celebration. Representative Gast presented a message of congratulations to Committee Chairman Ed Markunas from Governor Milliken. Other speakers included Southwest Michigan Council Chief Executive Robert Durgin, Council Vice-President Chuck Bolton, long term Buchanan Scoutmaster Unk Slate, Sawasabee District Advancement Chairman Victor Gutschentritter, and District Executive Larry Lee.

A commemorative plaque was presented to the Lions Club for their thirty years of sponsorship to the troop and plaques went to Dr. George O'Malley and Hal Fein for their long term support of the troop. Three of the twenty-five Scoutmasters who have served the troop were present - Graydon Bauer, Ernest Chase and DeVon Hibschnman. Hibschnman served the longest term, seven years, and is still a member of the troop committee.

It was impossible to determine from available records how many boys reached the rank of Eagle Scout during the fifty years. Eagle Scouts present at the celebration included Phil Hibschnman, Steve Hibschnman, Jim Newitt, Dean Shepardson, Duane Markunas, Jim Trapp, Joe Chase, Larry Norris, and Wesley Ostrander. The Camp Madron Indian Dancers, under the direction of

Joe Chase, presented selected portions of their dance routine. The evening closed with an hour of visiting among the people present. Coffee and cake were served.

Galien Loses In 2 Overtimes

A determined Watervliet team hung in there Friday and upset Galien in a double overtime victory. In spite of that, the Gaels ended with a 10-4 conference record to claim a share of the title with Berrien Springs. For the whole season Galien was 16 and 4. Watervliet had only won three other games.

The Gaels had a lead at the end of the game until Jim McVay stole the ball and went the whole length of the floor to tie it up at 50-50. The two overtimes were thrillers, and the outcome was 50 to 58.

Don Kooy was high for the game with 16 points. Dale Luther got 14, and Craig Schau and Dave Rock each got ten. The Panthers had a slight edge on rebounds, which is unusual for Galien.

Watervliet (60)	G	F	P	
M McVay, f	5	1	4	
J McVay, f	7	0	2	
Banasik, c	3	1	0	
B Young, g	6	0	3	
Sabadin, g	3	0	1	
Hutchinson	1	4	2	
Hinkleman	0	0	1	
Brock	2	0	1	
Totals	27	6	14	
Galien (56)				
Kooy, f	8	0	1	
Rock, f	4	2	4	
Kuntz, c	2	0	4	
Luther, g	5	4	4	
Schau, g	5	0	2	
Snyder	1	0	0	
Totals	25	6	15	
Score by Quarters				
Watervliet	11	12	16	11-45 - 60
Galien	6	14	20	10-42 - 56

Galien Study Club

The Galien Study Club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Gordon Clark with Mrs. Ora Prenkert presenting the lesson "Australia Where the Good Old Days Are Now".

Mrs. Prenkert and Mrs. Gladys Seyfred were appointed to serve on the nominating committee. Mrs. Gordon Clark had charge of entertainment and prizes were won by Mrs. Frank Burns, Miss Lena Luther, Mrs. Gladys Seyfred and Miss Agnes Luther.

Mrs. Marjorie Foster will host the March 5 meeting with Mrs. Gordon Clark arranging the lesson and Miss Lena Luther the entertainment.

Lavinia Ladies Aid

Members of Lavinia Ladies Aid of the Olive Branch United Methodist Church met recently in the home of Mrs. Lawrence Kellogg. Plans were made to serve the annual Easter Sunrise Breakfast at the church with Mrs. Lawrence Kellogg, Mrs. Duane Smith, Mrs. Odean Roberts and Mrs. Lucille Clark to serve on the committee. Mrs. Odean Roberts will be the hostess for the March 13, 1:30 p.m. meeting.

RLDS Will Host Community Service

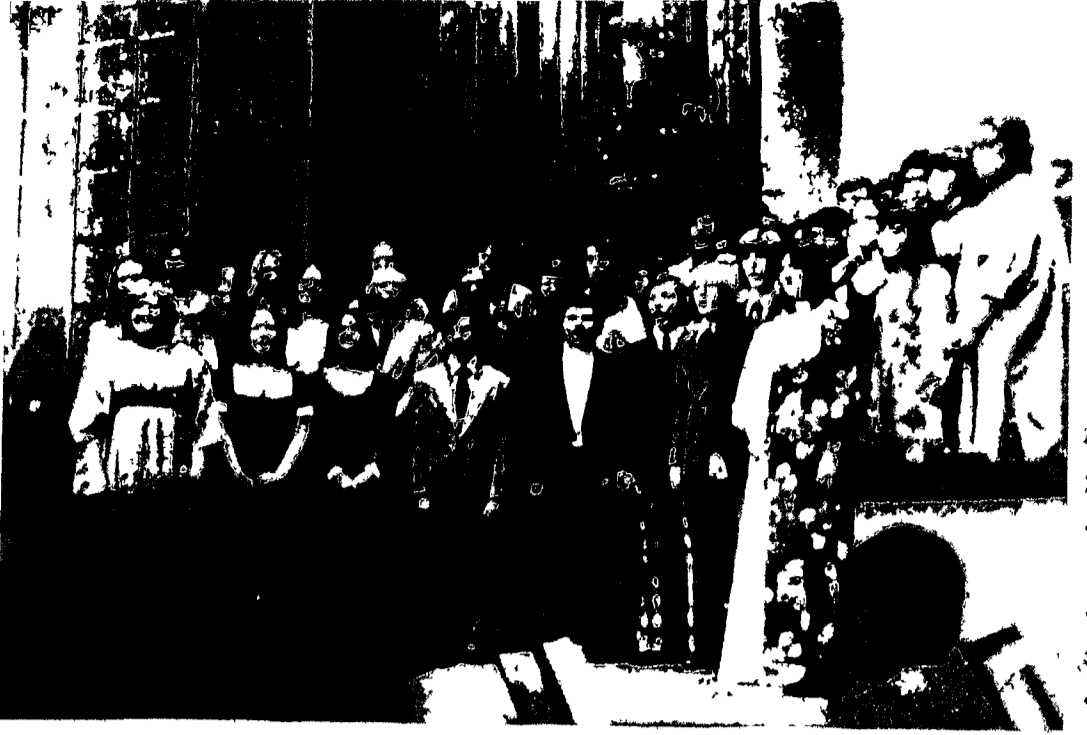
The March 2 Lenten service will be at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints with Rev. Arthur A. Beadle of the Galien and Olive Branch United Methodist Parish as speaker. These community services are at 7:30 each Sunday night.

Earns Straight "A's"

Northern Michigan University at Marquette has announced its Dean's List for the fall semester. Cited for receiving all A's, a perfect 4.0 grade point average, is Deborah Rock of 306 North Cleveland Avenue, Galien.

To Hawaii

Army Private Bruce J. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Anderson, 1171 Rynearson St., Buchanan, is assigned as a gunner with the 25th Infantry Division at Schofield Barracks in Hawaii.



The Concert Choir of Great Lakes Bible College of Lansing was created because of the powerful medium of music. Forty-four young people studying for some phase of the leadership ministry make up this mixed choir which sings grand hymns, spirituals, and contemporary anthems, using their talents to glorify their Maker.

This year's repertoire centers around classical, contemporary anthems with a special section of spirituals telling the life of Christ. The choir will sing Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 at the Buchanan Church of Christ, Third and Moccasin Streets. The public is invited to attend.

The Concert Choir will tour a four state area and plans to sing at two state penal institutions, directed by Shockley Flick, a graduate of Lincoln Christian College with a Bachelor of Sacred Music Degree, now in his first year at Great Lakes Bible College.

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The senior citizens to get an additional income with dignity, dignity because they are not receiving charity and are earning money while making a useful contribution to the needs of the community.

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Several persons and institutions here have offered their help including the city of Buchanan, the Buchanan public library, the Berrien County Record, and Unity Hospital. Anyone interested in more information may write Mr. Blair, State Bank in St. Joseph or call 983-0411. Mr. Blair will then arrange for an appointment in Buchanan at one of the spaces offered him.

Some of the jobs which will be available in Buchanan are the area of clerical, maintenance, janitorial, housekeeping, kitchen and perhaps others.

A new program has been developed to enable senior citizens with fixed low incomes to find something to do for which they can be paid. Buchanan is now in the process of offering support to this program.

The Senior Community Service Employment Service is sponsored by both the National Retired Teachers Association and the American Association of Retired Persons. Ansley Blair, director of the program in St. Joseph, said that originally the Senior Aides Program in Berrien County was allotted forty slots, more than half of which are currently used up. Now 25 additional slots are now available, and the Niles-Buchanan area has an opportunity to benefit from these slots.

There are several opportunities for jobs opening up in the Buchanan area in non-profit organizations. If there are any senior citizens in Buchanan who qualify, it is possible that jobs can be obtained for them. Blair said that this will enable

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Child Study Club Votes Donations

Buchanan Modern Mothers Child Study Association met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Dennis Pudell with Mrs. John Letcher as co-hostess. Speaker for the meeting was Mrs. Anne Sidmore from the Niles Sheltered Workshop who showed a film strip and discussed with members the problems of mentally retarded and mentally ill children.

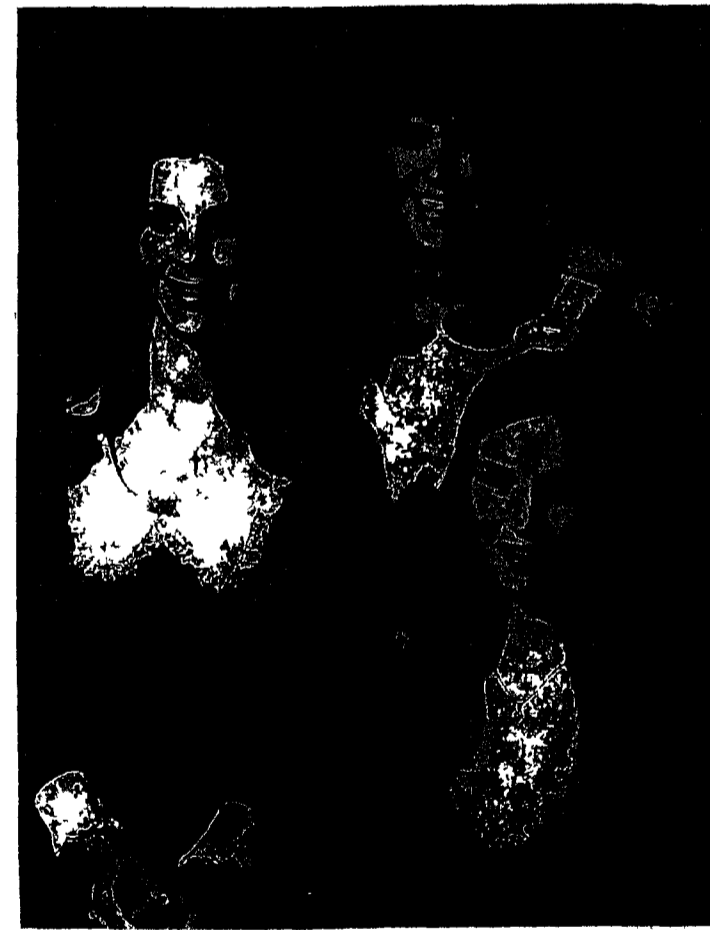
Mrs. Charles Faulkner called the meeting to order. Nine members were present and two guests, Mrs. Kathy Kinghorn and Mrs. Charlene Porrell. Plans are being made to elect officers at the March 20 meeting at Mrs. Luke Dellinger's home and installation will be May 15 at a dinner meeting at Portofino's. Plans are also being made for a money-raising luncheon.

Mrs. Jerry McCarty is chairman of the Vision and Hearing Clinic. Members voted to donate money to replace toys in the Berrien General and Unity Hospital toy chests. Funds were also voted for toys and clothes for a child in Niles.



Eric Samson, a sophomore at Buchanan High School and son of Mr. and Mrs. David Samson, won the Excellence in Acting Award at the recent District 10 Michigan High School Drama Contest held here. He earned the award in competition with 40 other actors for his performance in "The Typist and the Tiger", the BHS contest entry.

Portage Northern won the contest with their performance of "You Can't Take It With You". Six district schools were competing in the event.



Sunday, at 7:30 p.m. the Righter Sisters Trio will present a program in song at the Portage Prairie United Methodist Church, located at 2450 Orange Road, just south of Chicago Road, southeast of Buchanan.

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Buchanan Township's Board Of Review Meetings

To the taxpayers of Buchanan Township, the Board of Review will be in session to review the assessments on properties with whom may seek information as to their property assessment, for the tax year of 1975. The Board of Review will be in session at the Buchanan Township Hall on the following dates:

MONDAY & TUESDAY, MARCH 10 & 11, 1975 from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M.; FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 14, 1975 from 6 to 9 P.M.; WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1975 from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M.

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Notice
Meeting Of Board Of Review City of Buchanan

Notice is hereby given that the 1975 Board of Review will meet in the City Hall on:

March 4, 1975 9:00 to 12:00 noon, 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.
March 5, 1975 9:00 to 12:00 noon, 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.
March 17, 1975 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

The purpose being to review property tax assessments in the City of Buchanan, Michigan, and hear any objections thereto. Real Tentative factor 1.47 Personal Tentative factor 1.71 (Will be attempting) 1.00

HERBERT D. RUSSELL, City Clerk

Publish February 26, 1975 March 6, 1975

Board of Review Meetings
BERTRAND TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Bertrand, County of Berrien, State of Michigan, that the Assessment Roll of said township as prepared by the undersigned will be subject to inspection at the Bertrand Township Hall in said township, on Monday and Tuesday, March 10 and March 11, 1975.

At which place, and on each of said days, said Board of Review will be in session between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. of each day, and upon request of any person who is assessed on said roll, or of his agent, and upon sufficient cause being shown, said Board of Review will correct the assessment as to such property in such manner as will in their judgment make the valuation thereof relatively just and equal.

After said Board shall complete the review of said rolls, a majority of said Board shall endorse thereon, and sign a statement to the effect that the same are the assessment rolls of said township for the year in which it has been prepared and approved by the Board of Review

BRAYTON YAW, Bertrand Township Supervisor.

Publish February 27 and March 6

Board of Review
GALIEN TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Galien, County of Berrien, State of Michigan, that the assessment roll of said township as prepared by the undersigned will be subject to inspection at Galien Township Hall on Monday and Tuesday, March 4, 10 and 11, 1975.

At which place, and on each of said days, said Board of Review will be in session between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon, and 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. each day, and upon request of any person who is assessed on said roll, or his agent, and upon sufficient cause being shown, said Board of Review will correct the assessments as to such property in such manner as will in their judgment make the valuation thereof relatively just and equal

After said Board shall complete the review of said roll, a majority of said Board shall endorse thereon, and sign a statement to the effect that the same is the assessment roll of said Township for the year in which it has been prepared and approved by the Board of Review.

The tentative figure for equalizing real property is 1.340839.
The tentative figure for equalizing personal property is 1.498064.

FRANK JAMES, Galien Township Supervisor

Feb 27; March 6.

City Commission Has A Long Session Monday

It was a long meeting of the city commission Monday. Other action in addition to the pre-application for federal funds included a rejection of the park board's request for funds. They had a chance to apply for federal funds. They were going to ask for \$18,000 with matching funds from the city to provide lighting for the baseball field and to improve the diamond and backstop. They had a Friday deadline to make this application, and the commission voted against it, feeling that they needed more time to get more information on actual costs.

The city also approved reducing the retamage on funds withheld to John Yerington for four different projects on which they are now working.

The Michiana Area Council of Governments had requested participation of communities in a wastewater treatment management system. The commission was unsure if they still had any association with MACOG.

and tabled action until they had more information on what was entailed.

They introduced an ordinance which would comply with the State's demands that each city water supply be protected by the rules regarding cross-connection possibilities.

Final bills from Clyde Williams for additional work on the wastewater treatment plant were approved in the amounts of \$519.20 and \$984.76.

The commission will meet with members of the school board to discuss the contract with I&M for the lighting of the Magic Square. There have been some requests to turn those lights off at night, and there is presently no way to do that.

Men's Luncheons Continue

The Men's Lenten Luncheons continue each Wednesday noon at the RLDS Church on North Oak Street starting at 12 and ending promptly at 12:50 to enable men to return to work. Men are urged to attend in work clothes.

Speaker for the February 26 luncheon is Vern Lubben and for March 5 it will be Dr. William Spencer, Dean of Students at Southwestern Michigan College.

These weekly meetings are sponsored by the Buchanan Area Fellowship of Churches and the host pastor, Arville Armstrong, arranges the program. Luncheon is furnished by the ladies of the church who ask for donations to cover the cost.

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February 19 Emma Collins, 409 Fulton, Margorie Patterson, Benton Harbor, Cheryl Swift, 318 1/2 Main, George Devine, 215 Meadorview Dr; Wanda Craft, Berrien Springs; Annice Senff, South Bend, Gladys Scoggin, Rt.1 Box 570, Ann Jarmy, New Carlisle.

February 20 Donald Huffman, Dowagiac, Naomi Pierce, Stevensville; Mary Morgan, Benton Harbor

February 21 Evaristo Hernandez, Niles, Pauline McMullen, Rt.1 Box 758; Jacklyn Chadwick, Rt 1 Box 629, Ammie Hollingsworth, Rt 1, Galien.

February 22 Ewald E Woodrick, 303 Main St., Galien, William Flesher, Martinsville, Indiana, Josephine Wakes, Niles.

February 23 Cathy Ann Nugent, Benton Harbor; George Rainey, Bangor, Donald Davenport, 105 Fulton St, Melvin Miliken Jr., Berrien Springs, Thelma Jean Fox, Galien

February 24 Harry Dilley, 309 N Detroit, Michael Hines, 102 Elizabeth, Edna Jackson, Niles, Mildred Kelley, 105 E Grant, Galien, George Schaefer, Rt 1 Box 537, William Bowker, Rt.1, Galien, Vernell Cason, 521 Michigan

Discharged
February 19 Joe Jackson, Jr, Niles, Clara Lang, Union Pier, Richard Knoll, New Buffalo, Emma Woodard, Benton Harbor, John Bailey, Benton Harbor.

February 20 Emma Collins, 409 Fulton, Melissa Kuhl, Galien, Teresa Kuhl, Galien; Muriel Deas, 804 Red Bud Tr. N; Brenda Galaske, 201 Grant St, Galien, Darold Galaske, 201 Grant, Galien; Hattie Thomas, 126 W Alexander, Darrell Cauffman, Niles, Joanna Ruff, 1865 Bakertown Rd

February 21 Catherine Jackson, Niles, Selena D Riggins, Berrien Springs; Bessie B. Walter, 312 Chippewa St; Henry Nelson, Berrien Springs; Nora Bell Schwem, Stevensville; Patricia K Spaulding, New Buffalo.

February 22 Margerie Patterson, Benton Harbor; Donald C Huffman, Dowagiac, Raymond Wawrzynski, Rt.1, Galien, Timothy Stephen Boyd, Dowagiac, Brenda Sue Pruit, Rt.1 Box 537, Annice Marie Senff, South Bend; Vilorus Wooden, 904 Commercial St

February 23 Josephine Wakes, Niles, Lydia Mori, Rt 1 Box 681, Tony Faye Maefteld, South Bend, Clayton Flanagan, Niles; William Flesher, Martinsville, Indiana; Wanda Fay Craft, Berrien Springs
February 24 Cheryl Swift, 318 1/2 Main, Dawn Hill, Galien, Lola Killin, Union Pier, Donald Davenport, 105 Fulton.

Pawating Hospital

Admitted
February 18 Karla Sue Reeves, 204 S Oak St, Raymond Spears Jr, Rt 2 Box 440, Edward Thomas Vigansky, 409 Chippewa, Robert L Hollingsworth, Rt 1 Box 29E Galien.
February 19 Clois Melton, 506 Michigan St, Mrs Carl Ward, 707 E Smith, Mrs Dore Kromis, 1207 Red Bud Tr

February 20 Willard Dixon, 117 Elizabeth, Mrs Donald Longworth, 308 Moccasin
February 21 Mrs James F Rundborg, 306 E Smith
February 23 Mrs Loretta Fields, Rt.1, June Bodine, Rt 2, Mrs Clarence Goins, 808 1/2 Commercial

February 25 Lowell Swem, 309 W. 4th St, Arthur Wray, 113 Lake St, Miss Kathy Ruggins, Rt 1 Box 538, Carl Harroff, 5390 US 12 West

Discharged
February 18 Willard Dixon, 117 Elizabeth, Mrs. Jack T Hemminger, Box 27, Rt 1, Mrs Henry Reed, Rt 2 Box 848, Mrs George Sullivan, 116 N Cayuga, Mrs. Larry Schmidt and daughter, 312 Harlan

February 19 Mrs Edward J Hall, Rt 2 Box 620, Mrs Andrew Anderson, 811 Rynearson, Metea Court, Apt 6

February 20 Mrs Clair Baldwin, 4170 Curran Rd, Mrs William Cronin, Rt 2 Box 100, Elm Valley Rd, Earl Glessenger, 1075 W 4th St; Leon C Clifton, 708 W Roe, Brian Kenneth Jackson, 1003 Chippewa, Banks B. Childers, 926 Terre Coupe, Karla Sue Reeves, 204 S Oak St

February 21 Raymond Spears Jr, Rt.2

February 22 Mrs Carl R Ward, 707 E Smith; Shonita Robinson, 804 Victory, Mrs Jackie Ward, New Troy

Births

Pawating Hospital
February 23 Mr. and Mrs David Draw, Route 1, Box 455, Buchanan, a daughter, Sandra Lynn, 7 lbs 5 1/2 ozs

Stitch And Chatter Club

Stitch and Chatter Club met last week at Phoebe Best's on Clear Lake Road. Following the roll call, during the business meeting it was decided to return to the original meeting date, the third Thursday of each month rather than Wednesday.

The next meeting will be March 20, Thursday, at the home of Eula Stout with Helen Ann as co-hostess. Supply the games and refreshments.

The unseen gift went to Nelson who also won second prize. First prize went to Gevie Schwartz and third to Helen Mann.

Plan New Program For 4-6th Graders

Starting today, February 27, at 5 p.m. and to continue for four Thursdays is a new program for 4th, 5th and 6th graders at the First United Methodist Church.

It is called Learning About Christians in Latin America and will start each time with a lunch served by the ladies of the church. Learning activities planned include audio visuals, games and discussions.

Commissioner Is Critical Of Welfare System

Berrien County commissioner, Nancy Clark, is a severe critic of the ADC welfare system. Quoted recently in the Herald-Palladium, she said that it is destroying the American way of family life. She said that it has turned Benton Harbor into a city where over half of the homes are without husbands or fathers.

She laid the blame directly on the State, which spent \$1.6 billion last year on welfare. She said that this cost to a taxpayer earning \$12,000 a year was \$45.92. She said that this tremendous financial burden will break the state.

On the other hand, she registered pride in Berrien County's department of social services which attempts to find employment for welfare applicants and which has developed an effective welfare fraud support unit.

Mrs Clark urged everybody to contact the governor and state legislators urging implementation of the Carlson report, which recommends a change in attitude of state officials toward the welfare problem. Robert Carlsson developed a successful welfare reform program in California which is getting considerable national attention.

Youth Breakfasts Start

Wednesday of this week was the first Youth Breakfast in a program initiated by the First United Methodist Church. The free 7 a.m. breakfasts are planned for each Wednesday morning and are to start promptly. Coach Bill Goodman will be present to lead some special thoughts.

The young people of the church are invited to bring their friends and middle schoolers, will be provided transportation to school.

Redbud Seniors

The March meeting of Redbud Seniors will be this Monday at 12:30 in the Faith United Methodist Church starting with a potluck meal. Hazel Smith and Waletta Lounsbury are on the committee for the meeting.

All senior citizens in the area are invited to attend the meeting, taking a dish to pass. Entertainment is planned but not yet announced.



Timothy Heinan will speak at the Youth Memorial Building in Berrien Springs Friday, March 7 at 8 p.m. His topic is "Why Washington Wants to Control Our Police". Heinan was formerly a police undercover operative in the intelligence unit of a large metropolitan police department.

The public is invited to this program which is sponsored by local chapters of the John Birch Society.

Honored At CMU

Central Michigan University of Mt. Pleasant has announced its honors list for the fall semester. Named for having straight A's for the semester is Donna K. Shreve of 209 West Thurd Street, a senior.

On the honors list for achieving a cumulative B average or better for their entire college careers to date are these students from Buchanan, seniors, Mabelle Brownfield of 3117 Chamberlain Road, Joan M. Casey, 4955 Buffalo Road and Ann M. Montgomery of 116 North Detroit Street; juniors, Peggy Lyn Ender, 1380 Woodside Drive and Rosalie K. Ferris, 110 Howe Lane and freshman, John E. Hagey, 302 Sylvan Street.

World Day Of Prayer March 7

World Day of Prayer services will be Friday, March 7 at the Oronoko United Methodist Church on Glendora Road at 1:30 p.m. The United Methodist Women of the Oronoko congregation are hosting the event and all Buchanan area residents are invited to attend.

The theme for this 89th celebration of World Day of Prayer is "Become Perfectly One" -- a search for the meaning of Christian unity in the broader context of a pluralistic society. The worship service has been prepared by the Women's Ecumenical Prayer Fellowship of Egypt.

Royal Neighbor Lodge

The Royal Neighbor Lodge met last week with Mrs. Eugene Adolph and Miss Mabel Miles on the committee.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. John Jennings and plans were made for a 6:30 potluck at the next meeting March 6. Everyone is asked to bring a dish to pass, a prize and something for a silent auction.

Games were played with prizes going to Mrs. Melvin Millers, Mrs. Gertrude Sheldon, Mrs. Everett Baughman, Mrs. John Letz, Mrs. John Giver and Mrs. Lena Mitchell.

To Show Film On Conservation

Indian Hills School is having its Community Club meeting March 10 at the school.

Immediately afterward they are to show the film Decisions, narrated by John Wayne. A conservation film put out by Ducks Unlimited, it is recommended by Michigan Out-of-Doors.

The public is invited to attend and the movie is expected to start at 8 p.m.

Reviewers 20 Club

Reviewers 20 Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Robert Faulhaber with Mrs. William Schwab as co-hostess. The book review was given by Mrs. Rex Milhon on Look To This Day, written by Nardi Reeder Campion with Rosamond W. Stanton, telling the lively story of the education of the famous woman doctor, Connie Guion.

The next meeting will be March 20 at the home of Mrs. Gerald Tichenor on Glendora Road with Mrs. C. L. Hubbard as co-hostess. The reviewer is to be announced later.

Golden Age Club

The Golden Age Club will meet this Friday at 1 p.m. for a potluck dinner at the Niles-Buchanan YMCA. Those attending are asked to bring items for a white elephant sale.

Youth Power To Take Applications

Miss Jeanne Roti, director of Youth Power, announces that she will be at the Buchanan Middle School next week, March 3 through 7, each morning taking applications from young people. The following week, March 10 through 14, Miss Roti will be at Buchanan High School each morning to take applications from students there.

Youth Power, directed by Miss Roti, will be ready for the public beginning March 17 with the telephone number and location to be announced in next week's paper.

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