

## DELAY SEAL COAT ON CITY STREETS

### Fire Chief Cramer Calls for Better Water Supply to Fight Farm Fires

### Co. Engineer to Pass Judgment On Pavements

#### Now Here's the Proposition

ADVICE TO BOYS

Lads when you reconnoiter to pick you the girl of girls

Seek not the nesting dimples, seek not the flowing curls,

Trust not the shining angel, trust not the curve and line

Get you a gal with freckles, seek not the form divine,

Pick you a gal with angles; get one with hefty feet—

She will have understanding; she will be kind and sweet

There is a weighty reason, take you a tip from me—

The larger the girl's feet are, the sweeter she has to be.

Wrangle a date for dinner, wear you a loose-fit vest,

Gather some data inner, the kitchen test is the best,

It's not that the fat are lazy, it's not that they really won't,

But they figger they do not have to, and the truth of it is—they don't.

So buy not a model chassis, one that looks well in slacks,

Grab you a gal with muscles, one with a hefty back

You will live long and merry, snug as a bug in a rug,

For the better the bulging biceps, the harder the gal can hug

So much you her home-brewed biscuits, if fluffy and light they be

Grab her around the middle, yell "You're the gal for me!"

Mind not the leg that's spavined, mind not the calf of size,

You will get yours in service, though you must shut your eyes

But if you must pick 'em pretty, don't let me hear you yell—

Starve with your winsome beauty but don't say I didn't tell.

#### Doesn't Care to Watch Fire When Water Plays Out

Lack of Water Handicaps Dept. at Barn Fire on Dill Farm

There's no fun in wheeling \$7,500 worth of fire fighting equipment out several miles in the country and then sit down and watch the fire burn after the water has played out, according to Fire Chief Ted Cramer.

But that was what happened at the James Dill farm three miles north of Buchanan early Monday morning.

While both Buchanan and Buchanan township now have double protection against fire as a result of the purchase by the township of a new fire truck, this protection will not become effective according to Cramer.

The local fire department was called to a barn fire on the James Dill farm which is the first house east of the Miller school on the north side of the road. The local firemen took both trucks out in answer to the call, which came at 1:30 a. m. Monday. The township truck carries 400 gallons of water and the city truck 200 gallons. Most of this water was exhausted in putting out the barn fire. A hay stack had caught fire, and before the blaze was extinguished, the water supply ran out. After that the fire department stood and watched it burn. There was no other water supply in reach.

This situation is one that can be solved only by the precaution on the part of the farmers in having sufficient water with pumping distance. Neighboring farmers could help Cramer stated, if each one coming to the fire would bring as many milk cans of water with them as possible. The milk cans could be used at the scene of the fire to replenish the water in the trucks. But the only effectual way to make provision is for each farm which wishes to benefit by the fire equipment they pay taxes on to build sizeable cisterns, or have streams or ponds close at hand or tanks which hold enough water to count as a fire-fighting supply. Otherwise the township and the city have thrown money away in buying trucks.

#### Rainfall of 1.14 Inches Sends Crops Booming on Way

#### Fred D. Babcock, Former Teacher, Dies in Calif.

Uncle of Charles Babcock Was Teacher at Dewey Avenue School

Charles Babcock received a letter the first of the week with news of the death at Santa Rosa, Calif., June 21 of his uncle, Fred D. Babcock, one time resident in Buchanan and a teacher at the Dewey Avenue school in the 80s of the last century.

Fred Dwan Babcock died in his sleep at the age of 84. He was a charter member and president of the Sonoma County Golden Wedding club. He died at the home of a friend where he had lived since the death of his wife three years before.

He was born in Flint, Mich., the son of Abelno Babcock. He was the youngest of thirteen children. While he was yet a boy he came with a brother, John Babcock, the father of Charles Babcock, to Berrien county. They came to join two older brothers, Dwight and Dan, who had settled in the Galien and Glendora districts. Fred D. Babcock joined a brother who had a farm on the Cleveland avenue road north of Galien.

As a boy he attended the private school taught by California Johnson in the Dewey Avenue school. It was California Johnson's custom to drill some of his more advanced pupils in the practice of teaching. Fred D. Babcock took this normal training and later taught in Johnson's school. While here and throughout his life he was a member of the Methodist church.

In 1898 he went "west" to Kansas, then to Nevada, Oregon and finally in 1898 to California. He was for many years a building contractor. Several years ago Charles Babcock and members of his family visited at his home at Santa Rosa. Following World War No. 1 he came to Buchanan and visited here while on a trip to Chicago to meet the body of a son who had been killed in France. He and his wife celebrated their golden wedding in 1940.

The funeral was held in Santa Rosa June 24, with an old friend, Rev. N. E. Gibbs, in charge. The notice in the Santa Rosa paper referred to him as a man of high ideals and integrity who had drawn about him a large circle of friends throughout Sonoma county.

#### Relieves Crops After Month of Little Moisture

#### McNeal Speaker At Dedication Of Service Flag

Rev. Malcolm D. McNeal, pastor of the First Presbyterian church gave the dedicatory address Monday evening when the American Legion Auxiliary dedicated its service flag, in the legion home. The legionnaires were guests. The Rev. McNeal spoke on the subject "American Succession." Preceding the service the auxiliary held its regular business meeting. Delegates elected to the state convention to be held in Detroit in August, were Mrs. Guy Eisenhart and Mrs. A. Preston Sprague. Alternates elected to the convention were Mrs. Harry Post and Mrs. Warren Juhl. Miss Irma Wright was named as delegate to attend the district meeting in Niles Saturday evening, and alternate, Mrs. W. L. Willard. The 34 stars in the service flag represent the sons, daughters and husbands of legionnaires and auxiliary members who are in the United States service.

#### Churches Plan Business, Labor, Industry Talks

#### Representatives of Groups Invited to 2-Day Meet at Camp Warren Aug. 27

Labor, management and agriculture of southwest Michigan will have an opportunity to send representatives to a two-day conference at Camp Warren, Aug. 27 and 28, to discuss problems affecting their respective groups. An attempt will be made through this conference to clarify some of the vital issues confronting the country and to bring about a better understanding between groups.

Host for the conference will be the Berrien County Council of Churches acting under the sponsorship of the Michigan Council which is setting up these area goodwill conferences throughout Michigan this summer. Agreement to sponsor this conference was reached by the executive board of the county council of churches at its monthly meeting, Thursday evening, at the Eau Claire Community church.

In conjunction with the goodwill conference the Berrien County Council will hold its general quarterly assembly at the camp on Aug. 26, beginning at 10 a. m. and continuing throughout the day. Mrs. W. A. Vawter of Benton Harbor, program chairman for the council is arranging an institute type of program for that day to be held under expert leadership in the field of religious education. This program is set up for the purpose of aiding the council in promulgating throughout the county an effective, vital program for the church schools which shall seek to relate the concepts of religion to the varied problems of the times.

Trustees of the Berrien County Sunday School association, an affiliate organization in the field of religious education, met Thursday evening with the board of the county council of churches to confer on items of mutual interest.

#### Police Chase Navy Deserter in City Limits

#### Eugene Miltroka, Two-Time Leavetaker From Military Service, Is Caught

Chief of Police Paul Kane and Patrolman Ted Cramer had a chase through the northeast part of town Sunday afternoon after a navy deserter, Eugene Miltroka of Mishawaka, Ind., whom they found in an outhouse on Michigan street.

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Police reported that he was badly frightened and ran like a deer although weighed down with a suitcase and a navy overcoat.

#### Cristman to Pull Stumps and Repair Sidewalks

Installation of the seal coat on the city blacktop pavements has been delayed pending verdict by Roy DeHaven, county road engineer, according to decision arrived at by the city commission Tuesday evening.

John Yerrington, Benton Harbor contractor who has the contract for the seal coat, advised the city commission that it would be better to get such advice from a competent engineer in order to determine those sections which have deteriorated too much to warrant the finish coat. Certain street sections, such as the east end of Fourth street and the south end of Moccasin avenue, have already broken up so much that they should be replaced. It is likely that sections of other streets are in a similar condition. Yerrington advised that it would be a waste to seal any pavements that were not likely to stand up. He stated that he will start work on streets fit to finish during the present month.

Action was also taken by the commission to engage Cristman, contractor now in the employ of the Clark Equipment company, to remove the stumps and repair the sidewalks damaged as the result of the June hurricane.

Cristman has a power hoist better adapted to lifting the heavy stumps than was the crane previously used. The stumps outside of the sidewalk line will be removed at the expense of the city, those inside at the expense of the property owner.

Cristman is also to fill the holes left by the trees outside the sidewalk, and to relay the broken walks. The expense of laying the walks will be paid by the property owners, who will be required to sign waivers that if they do not pay within a year the cost may be added to their tax bill with a 25% penalty added.

#### Your Conspiring Reporter Interviews

Well friends and fellow-ratners, your humble reporter, working day and night in your interest, has to announce this week a serious crisis and a major threat which confronts the Buchanan community.

This is none other than the announced intention of the city commission to remove the stumps from the local street-sides and to straighten up the sidewalks.

Never have we known, during our residence here, such a wave of indignation to sweep the town. Mayor Spare Those Stumps" is the slogan and rallying cry. In order to show the extent and the depth of the emotion which this ill-advised move on the part of the street department and the city commission has aroused we went out over the July 4 week end and interviewed a number of leading citizens, and print selected statements.

Mrs. Gustie Gump, housewife, 1517 West Fourth street—"I am certainly opposed to the removal of these stumps. They have been so long a part of the scenery here that they have become very dear to me. They are something different. In what other town could you see a mammoth stump tilted at an angle of 50 degrees splitting the sidewalk in all directions like you can see right in the middle of our driveway? Of course we can't get the car out and hubby has to walk to work. But now I know that he can't take that—I'm hussy home that works on the next machine to his I know he is too lazy to walk her home."

Mr. Percy Pagnree III, air raid warden at corner of Portage and Moccasin—"I am irrevocably opposed to the removal of these stumps. What an asset they could be for the defense of our city if our chief air raid warden had sense enough to know it. Do you realize that viewed five miles from the air these tilted stumps look just like so many big guns ready to vomit shrapnel all over the place? It is my belief that an essential part of our local defense plan would be the organization of gun crews to man every one of these stumps. The effect might be made more realistic by setting off fire crackers at the base. By the way my six-year-old son can give a wonderful imitation of a machine gun."

Mr. Jake McGillicuddy, Republican candidate for congress or any other office lying around loose—"I wish to place myself on record as being 100 per cent for the conservation of these stumps as fixtures of the local landscape, which is a priceless asset they will be in the next political campaign! A stump for every speaker, a speaker for every stump. I got mine all picked out."

#### SPAR Recruiting Office Is Opened at Battle Creek

The United States Coast Guard has opened a SPAR Recruiting Office in Room 615, Post Bldg., at Battle Creek, and is now accepting applications for enlistment.

Requirements for enlistment are: Applicants must be between the ages of 20 and 36. Must have completed at least two years of high school or business college. Must be able to pass the standard physical examinations, which include: Height at least 5 feet, weight at least 95 pounds and vision 20/30. Teeth must be in sound condition.

The school for the Spars is at Palm Beach, Florida. There a Spar starts out as an Apprentice Seaman receiving \$50 a month plus subsistence and quarters. The first month of service is spent at the Spar Training School. Upon completion of this training Spars are assigned where needed. They are then eligible for assignment for special training in the field for which they are best qualified. Upon completion of these training courses, they are then eligible for advancement in rate at a corresponding increase in pay.

All women from Buchanan and vicinity who are interested in enlisting in the Coast Guard Spars are asked to call at the recruiting office. The Spar Recruiter on duty will be pleased to answer any questions and will accept applications. Applications may be obtained by calling in person at the recruiting office or by writing to the recruiting office for application or appointment. Upon filing an application, those applicants found to have the necessary educational and character requirements will be given their physical examination in Battle Creek, thus completing the processing required prior to actual enlistment.

A Spar recruiter will be on duty at the recruiting office from 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. daily, Monday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McDonald were recent guests of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kinney of Lawton, Mich.

Mrs. O. A. Esworthy has returned from Bloomfield, Ind., where she had been called by the death of her aunt Alice E. Taylor.

#### Library Reading Club Is Started

#### Airplane Pictorial Device Stimulates Interest of Many Children

The "Reading For Fun Airplane Club," the summer vacation reading club sponsored by the Buchanan public library, got off to a good start Tuesday under the leadership of the librarian, Mrs. Lillian Vignasky, aided by Miss Pauline Tush.

The meaning of the name is made clear by a chart on the wall indicating the progress of the readers. A large piece of cardboard on the wall represents the ground at the bottom, a long stretch of blue sky, and clouds and airplanes at the top. Each member of the club is assigned a small paper airplane after he or she has completed three books. Then with each additional book completed the airplanes are moved upward until each plane reaches the clouds at the top when the reader it represents has completed fourteen books with satisfactory reports.

At the end of the eight weeks during which the club operates each one who has successfully completed the program gets a certificate and a surprise award.

In other places on the library walls are large sheets of cardboard indicating the different kinds of books reading, classified as to adventure, mystery, history, etc. As each reader completes a book and reports, he or she is required to paste a small slip on the right chart with the reader's name, the title of the book, and the author on the appropriate chart. The plan is arousing much interest.

#### Hold Farewell Fete For Rev. C. B. Hahn

More than 100 members and friends of the First Methodist church attended the farewell party for Rev. and Mrs. Charles B. Hahn Wednesday evening in the church parlors. Garden flowers were used to decorate the tables for the dinner served by the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Farewell addresses were given by Walter C. Hawes and Rev. Malcolm McNeal of the Presbyterian church. Roy A. Pierce showed colored movies of a trip through Canada and of a trip through the Smoky Mountains. Mrs. L. O. Swann sang several solo numbers and readings were given by Mrs. A. S. Boyer.

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#### Evan. Church Holds Continuation Bible School For 2 Weeks

The Evangelical church opened a vacation Bible school Monday in Albright hall to continue through Saturday, July 10.

There will be classes for the children of the primary and junior Sunday school groups. Mrs. T. E. Van Every is the supervisor and the teachers are, Mrs. John Kelly, Mrs. Raymond H. Kretschmer, Mrs. Chester Collings and Mrs. Allen Pierce. The classes will be held from 9:30 until 11:30 each morning.

#### Rev. Hahn Goes To Clare July 14

Rev. Charles B. Hahn, pastor of the Buchanan Methodist church for the past three years, has at last received definite notice that he is to assume charge of the church at Clare, Mich., on July 18. He will accordingly preach here July 11. He will leave about Wednesday, July 14, for his new location. The best wishes of the community go with him.

The new pastor, Rev. Grant Jordan, will be here for the service on July 18. He has been in charge of the Methodist church at Vicksburg for several years. These changes were made because of the shift of a number of ministers following the death of one minister after conference assignments had been made.

#### Co. Commissioner Of Schools Urges More Tin Salvage

All of the people of Berrien county are again asked to continue to save and prepare tin cans for salvage. The following comments will point out the importance of this salvage. Before the war, Sumatra, the Malay Peninsula, and the Dutch East Indies provided 90 per cent of our tin supply. The remainder came from Alaska and Bolivia. Other sources of tin are Africa and Wales, which at present are partially supplying our allies. While we are developing native tin in the U. S., it is of very low grade and, at present, volumes are of little use in the immediate war effort. In 1941, 99 per cent of our tin supply was imported. Now the major sources of tin are in the hands of the enemy. Our consumption of tin in 1941 was 100,000 tons. But our U. S. production in 1941 was only 4 gross tons, mined for the most part in Texas and Alaska. In certain war uses there is no substitute for tin.

The majority of food shipped to our armed forces and allies must be packed in tin cans. The cold of Iceland and the heat of Libya. It withstands bombing assaults. Tins may be dropped without harm from airplanes to fighting men cut off from their base. Poison gas cannot penetrate tin-sealed cans. Tin is a necessary solder material. A drop of solder is an essential part of every light bulb and is extensively required in wiring cables on tanks, trucks, airplanes and ships. Tin is an absolute essential element of the bushings and bearings for cannon mounts, for airplane motors, it is required for canisters of gas masks. Tin is an absolute essential of electrical machinery and communication equipment. Tin is essential for vital medication purposes. In addition to these uses, tin is used for tube containers for drugs, such as hypodermic injections and sulfuramide ointments. It is used also for blood plasma units. Tin is essential for telephone, telegraph, and all other electric circuits. It is bushings for airplane motors, and as a component of rabbit metal. It also has many uses in chemical compounds and as a lubricant and enamel.

The tin can salvage is a 100 per cent salvage. From every long ton of tin cans we now obtain about 20 pounds of tin and about 2,200 pounds of a very good high-grade No. 2 steel scrap, when the dented cans are baled.

The next tin can collection will be held about the middle of September.

#### Old-Time Actor in Rough Opera House Dies at Port Huron

Earl Dunbar of the Coveny district received an interesting letter last week from Port Huron, informing him of the death of a former acquaintance, Eddie Torrey, a "trooper" in stock theatrical companies over the United States for 50 years. Dunbar met Torrey about 20 years ago. Torrey told him that he had played the Rough Opera House in Buchanan twice. He played the lead part in "A Millionaire Tramp" at the local opera house and in another play, the name of which Dunbar could not remember. He had served in entertainment for the soldiers in France during the First World War. He died in the Port Huron hospital.

#### Mrs. Ruth Zupke Has A-Book Renewal Blanks at City Hall

Mrs. Ruth Zupke, local ration clerk, reports that she received a supply of A-book renewal blanks at the city hall yesterday morning and is now prepared to take care of renewals, which are required before July 21.

All filling stations and tire shops are supposed to have renewal blanks, which applicants may secure and fill out and send in themselves if they choose. The Buchanan clerk serves the Buchanan, Galien and Three Oaks districts.

#### Eleanor Schneider Accepted For WACS

Miss Eleanor Schneider arrived home Saturday from Detroit, where she had been accepted for service in the WACS, having been one of six to be accepted out of 14. She is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schneider, 302 Cecil avenue, waiting call. She has two brothers in service, Gordon in the New Guinea area and Ervin in North Africa. Miss Schneider has been employed at the Reamer Market & Grocery for more than two years.

#### End Drive For Old Jewelry Next Fri.

The Buchanan Navy Mothers Club will close its campaign for the collection of junk jewelry Friday. All who have old jewelry of no value to them because of sentimental reasons or because of actual value are requested to drop such items in the boxes placed in the Clark office, in the Hollywood theatre and in DeNardo's, Rehm's and Boardman's.

#### Ask All Wishing To Aid Recreation Room to Call 569

Individuals or organizations of the Buchanan community who have not yet been contacted and who would be interested in contributing toward the continuance of the Buchanan Youth Council Recreation room for the coming year can make such arrangements by calling Philip Hanlin, Tel. 569, and arrangements will be made to call and get such contributions.

The leaders of the drive now being carried on in shops, offices and other sections report that the canvass is falling considerably short of the mark set last year. The Youth Council realizes the conditions which have caused this drop, and appreciates fully the aid of those who were able to help. However if the service is not to be considerably curtailed, it is very urgent that all who are interested and can help make their wishes known as indicated above.

#### G. C. Martin Wins Big Fish Contest By 2-oz. Margin

In the fishing contest for employees of the Buchanan plant of the Clark Equipment company, Glenn C. Martin of Paw Paw, a spray painter in the local tractor division, sprayed it on real truck by winning the trophy with the catch of a five-pound bass in Reynolds lake.

Second high was Robert Roetziem, an acetylene welder in the River street housing plant. Mr. Roetziem was fortunate enough to weld his hook on a bass weighing 4 pounds, 14 ounces, in Yellow lake. Just two ounces between the two catches. But those two ounces were as good as a ton. They were weighed in the scales at the Allan hardware, which are so accurate that Ralph has to give a nail in two every day to give accurate weights to his customers.

#### Hold Tournaments At Kathryn Park

The first croquet tournament to be held at Kathryn Park was run off Friday by the supervisor, Miss Maude Slate, with prizes going as follows: first, Max Luke, second, Walter Jane.

A horse shoe tournament will be held at the park July 9. The competition is limited to children aged 10-16 inclusive.

#### World War Mothers Cancel 'Funzapoppin'

The play "Funzapoppin'" which the Buchanan unit of Mothers of World War II, was to present this evening (Thursday) and Friday evening has been canceled due to the illness of one of the members of the cast. Persons holding tickets may return them and their money will be refunded.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren of South Bend were guests for the week end at the home of Levi Topash and family.

C. A. Williams, a linotype operator now in the employ of the Chicago Journal of Commerce, visited at the Record office Saturday. He said that he had worked on the Record in 1926 when this paper was putting out a large Berrien County Centennial edition.

Shirley and Rex Smith have returned to their home in Villa Park, Ill., after spending last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Glenn E. Smith.

Mrs. Mary Frame and Mrs. Della Carlon returned Tuesday from River Park, Ind., where they spent several days with Mrs. Walter Wapenstein.

#### River St. Team Leads in Twilight Softball Program

Standing of the teams in the city Twilight Softball League at the end of last week was as follows:

Teams	Won	Lost	Tied
River street	3	1	0
Hill	2	1	1
Hl Grade	2	1	1
Co-ops	2	2	0
F. Farmers	0	4	0

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## Galien News

Miss Norma Bates, Niles, spent Sunday with Miss Carmen Long-fellow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Zimmerman and Mrs. Lizzie Barnhart of Buchanan spent Sunday in the Clarence Huss home.

The Women's Society of Christian Service held a meeting in the Harry Lantier home on Thursday. Plans were made for a bake sale to be held July 10 at Babcock's store. Miss Frank Kelley and Mrs. Ruth Nelson were in charge of refreshments and Mrs. Herbert Goodenough was in charge of devotions.

Mr. and Mrs. George Warnke and daughter Betty of Helena, Ark. have been visiting relatives here for several days.

Jeannette Sheperdson has gone to Harrisburg, Pa. to visit her brother, Sgt. LeRoy Sheperdson, who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen of Vicksburg spent the week end in the Warren Hagley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kubath of Burlington, Wis. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley.

Evil and Mrs. Nicholas Burger of Sheldal, La. were called home by the serious illness of Pvt. Burger's mother, Mrs. Gregory Burger.

George Ohmsky of Chicago is visiting in the Walter Morley home.

Shirley Burns and Gladys Swank visited in the Walter Ender home in Michigan City.

Frank McCarty spent the week end in northern Michigan on a fishing trip.

Miss Lillian Ender and Mrs. R. U. Saur of Niles spent Sunday in the Edna White home.

Miss Geraldine Jochem spent the week end with relatives in Gary, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crandall spent the week end in Laughten, Mich., with Mr. Crandall's parents.

Sgt. Alva Pyle who is now stationed in Kansas, visited in the Jay Pyle home several days last week.

Corp. Marlen Roberts, who is at Western Maryland Engineering University is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Roberts.

Mrs. Jeannette Dietz spent the week end in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Summers of Chicago visited in the Theodore Van Feyma home on Sunday.

Miss Vera James, Mrs. Fred McLaughlin, Miss Ida Heeg, and Mrs. Lillian Hesse, who attend college at Kalamazoo, spent the week end in their homes here.

The St. Peter's Evangelical Ladies' Aid society held a business meeting in the church basement Thursday afternoon.

Beth, Beverly and Barbara Barris of Buchanan have been visiting in the Edna White home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wolford and daughter of Blue Island, Ill. are visiting Mrs. Maude Wolford for several weeks.

Miss Suzanne Prince has returned to her home after visiting relatives in Hartford for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dodd and Mrs. Bertha Hamilton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Dooly in Ecorse Harbor.

Miss Bernice Green of Gary, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Harland Lindner and family of Three Oaks were Sunday guests in the Georgia Hanger home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Germinder of Marquette, Mich., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Cleo McIntyre of South Bend visited her mother, Mrs. Margaret Harrington over the week end.

## Clear Lake

By Fern Inman Miles

Early mist rises from the lake to greet old Sol as he stretches lazy fingers to touch the earth with a new dawn. Great each dawn with courage and the day will take care of itself.

Fred Robert Taylor, who is home on furlough from Camp Belknap, and wife were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ritzler, Saturday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Clarence E. Towers, Camp Swift, Texas, are spending his furlough with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gelow. Also today guests of the Gelows are, Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Warren Smith and daughter, Melanie Sue, Three Oaks.

Mrs. Henry Hergenrader and son, David, have gone to Lincoln, Neb., for a vacation and visit with relatives and friends. They expect to be gone two weeks.

Mrs. Lois Eddy has accepted a position in the DeNardo beauty shop in Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ritzler had as dinner guests, Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gelow and daughter, Madeline, Sgt. and Mrs. C. E. Towers and Mrs. Marian Fritz.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Miles and children have moved to Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinhorst and children, Chicago, have opened their cottage for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tippy and daughter, Dolores, Chil-town, are spending the holidays in the home of Walter Inman, army air corps, is somewhere overseas, according to word received by Mrs. Forrest Miles. Good luck, brother, and happy landings!

Sorry, last week's column was lost somewhere en route to the Record office.

This is my farewell column. I've enjoyed writing the Clear Lake news and appreciate the help given me by those grand people at the lake. I always leave a place with some regrets, maybe we all do, but being raised a city gal—I still prefer the busy places with busy people. Thanking all of you and my editor, Mr. Hawes, I am, Fern

## Portage Prairie

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Korn and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jerguson of South Bend were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Long Tuesday evening.

Mr. Charles Banton, Camp Beauregard, La., came Sunday to spend a 15-day sick leave with his wife, Mrs. Banton, in the home of her mother, Mrs. Charles Cripe.

Mr. and Mrs. William Long had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paruckel of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Widdis of Bridgman, called on Mr. and Mrs. O. B. York Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Eitzen of South Bend was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Long.

Descendants of the late Joseph Korn will hold their reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Long, Sunday when a cooperative dinner will be served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Swartz attended the Fourth of July celebration in St. Joseph Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Long will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rough and Mrs. Martha Rhoades of Portage Prairie, and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rough of Buchanan at a dinner this evening (Thursday).

Mr. and Mrs. George Russell called on Mr. and Mrs. Irving Swartz Monday afternoon.

Miss Eunice Lightfoot of South Bend spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. John Kepler.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pactor were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Norris of Jones.

Alton Pactor of Galien called on his parents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pactor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lisle Korn entertained Mrs. Arthur Newson, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Korn and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Silvers and daughter Shirley Ann at a dinner Sunday.

## Dayton News

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gogle are making an extended visit to College Camp, Wisconsin, which is located on Lake Geneva.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richter last Monday were Mr. and Mrs. James Kider and son of Lansing and Mrs. Lon Matthews of Walnut Grove, Ind.

Pfc. Frank Crooker of Texas visited friends here the fore part of this week.

Corp. Lyle Barber visited with friends in Dayton recently. Lyle is stationed at Ft. Devens, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Banke entertained relatives from Chicago and Buchanan during the holiday.

Henry Kies of Monona, Iowa is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Carl Kotzen.

Mrs. Lee Seymour of Laporte and Pvt. Donald Seymour of Camp Swift, Texas, spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heckathorn.

Mrs. Bessie Eckert and family of New Carlisle are spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eckert.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Conrad and family of Buchanan spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lee and family of Galien spent Sunday with Mrs. Mae Van Lew.

Miss Blanche Sheldon of Buchanan spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sheldon.

Mrs. Gerry Shipman and family, Chain O' Lakes, Mrs. Jay Holm of Plymouth spent Friday at the home of Mrs. Albert Heckathorn.

## North Buchanan

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wallquist will celebrate their 23rd wedding anniversary Saturday.

Pfc. Donald Wallquist of Camp Butne, N. C. came Tuesday evening to spend a five-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wallquist.

Mrs. Lois Gunn of Edwardsburg was a guest of her brother, Glenn Kinney, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wallquist will entertain members of their pinocle club Saturday evening. A co-operative supper will be served at 7 o'clock.

Miss Evelyn Wallquist, Western State, Kalamazoo, will be a guest this week-end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wallquist.

Named After Mother  
 The Montreal melon gets its name from the district around the Canadian metropolis where it first was cultivated.

## Olive Branch

The Happy Homemakers Economic Club summer picnic will be held Sunday, July 11 at the Nye grove.

Duane Smith returned home after spending a week with his father, Leslie Smith and family in South Bend.

Mrs. Gerald Noggle and children of Buchanan spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Truhn.

The Hollister reunion was held Sunday at the John Clark home with thirty-four present. Mrs. Irene Loker of Homer, Miss John Middleboro of Marshall and Mrs. Anna Brewer of Teloksha, Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Jr. and family of Kokomo were those from away. Officers were elected: president, John Clark, Jr., vice president, Mrs. E. Sherman, secretary and treasurer, Miss Laura Mae Clark.

Mrs. Patricia Olmstead of Indianapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Verne Olmstead and daughter of Toledo were week-end guests in the George Olmstead home.

## West Buchanan

Pvt. Henry Kendall of Pass-A-Gull, Fla., and his mother, Mrs. Josephine Kendall of Argos, were guests during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sheldon.

Mrs. Clarence Cripe called on her mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Cripe of Roseland, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilcox were guests of his brother, George Wilcox, of Hamilton, Mich., Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lester Cudney, Niles, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilcox Sunday.

Roy, Peterson of Chicago spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fernwal.

Miss Effie Wilson spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cudney, Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Flener were guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cudney, Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, Chicago, came Tuesday to spend two weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fernwal.

## Bend of the River

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barbour were Sunday guests of their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barbour, at the state line.

Mrs. Charles Tichenor had as her guest Sunday her niece, Mrs. Laura Montague, Buchanan.

Mrs. Robert Soucek of Detroit came Saturday to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Beardsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Royland Brado and family, Buchanan, called on Mr. and Mrs. Claude Demp Monday afternoon.

Pvt. Wyman Denno left Monday for Camp Howze, Texas, after spending a three weeks' sick leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elta Denno and his wife, Mrs. Evelyn Denno, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benick, 316 Fulton street.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Versaw of Three Oaks called on Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bays of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bays of Baroda, Ernest Walkden, Elyria, O., and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blodgett of Buchanan were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walkden.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ditto, Buchanan, called on Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walkden Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bays of St. Joseph were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walkden Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Granger were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker, Berrien Springs Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Lindsay had as guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hague of Gary, Ind.

## Wagner News

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Pratt and children of Chicago came Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mitchell.

Mr. Pratt returned to Chicago Monday but his family will remain in this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stevens of St. Joseph were callers Monday at the Bert Mitchell home.

Carol Ann, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Roundy, underwent an operation Sunday for the removal of her tonsils at the Brown hospital in Beaman Springs.

Pvt. Glenn Krause returned to Rapid City, S. Dakota Thursday, after a visit of ten days with his wife and little daughter and other relatives. He is in the 98th Airborne Squadron at the army air base at Rapid City.

Mrs. Orville Rose and grandson, George Rose, called on Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bachman in Niles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickow have as guests for the week Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quirk, Sr. and Miss Margaret Dickow of Chicago. Mrs. Dickow's mother, Mrs. A. Brouillet, came from Chicago to spend the summer with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Quirk, Jr. and daughter returned Monday to Chicago after a visit in the Chas. Dickow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Donahue of Niles called Friday evening on Mr. and Mrs. Artie Weaver.

## Probate News


Judge Malcolm Hatfield transacted the following matters: Will and the petitions for the probate of the last wills and testaments were filed in the estates of Vasco Roberts and Blanche M. Kellogg, deceased; petitions for the appointment of administrators were filed in the estates of May C. Freeman, George A. Heiment, Elizabeth Phillips, Lena Hagyard, Mike Kamp, Robert G. Liskey and Almon I. Jenkins, deceased; bonds were filed and letters issued in the deceased estates of George W. Switzer, Augusta Zimowska, Chas. D. Cole, Lullie P. Tanager, Joseph Fleck, Joseph Kleier, Lawrence Zobel, Philip Musilek, David F. Gable, George Fredrick Parsons, Dora Toney, Nellie M. Brown, Charles R. Gray, Anna B. Covington, Mary A. Newton and Harry Wenzlaff, deceased, and inventories were filed in the estates of John Rieder, sometimes written Cole L. Hayes, Elizabeth L. Charleston, Chris Nieb, Irene Murphy, Irvin Stemm and Esmeralda Rush, deceased.

Judge Hatfield also entered orders closing the hearing of claims in the estates of Harry Arent, William H. Malone, Ida Jaspei, Dallas John Spinner, Mary Chad, Edwin Kleier, Richard M. Olmstead, Cole L. Hayes, and Charles W. Waldorf, deceased, and orders allowing claims and for the payment of debts were entered in the estates of John Anderson, Winifred G. Steiner, John Rieder and Beatrice Schroeder, deceased, orders confirming sales of real estate were entered in the estates of William E. McCabe, Frank Ebbel and John Heald, deceased, and closed the estates of Anton Kleier, Fred Matti, James Winlack, Hazel Milnei, John Penick, August J. Radtke, Henry Krugel, Helen W. Wiegart, Wanda Lee Bowman, Louis Long, Katherine Molte, Eugene J. Sulivan, John H. Edwards, and known as John-Henry-Edwards, Myra E. Burns, John P. Malmfeldt, Arthur C. Pischke, Thomas E. Abbs, Mary M. Kratise and Ona E. Kendall, deceased.

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- ★ Acid containing foods such as fruits, tomatoes, pickled beets, ripe watermelons and rhubarb may be successfully canned in or near the boiling water bath or open kettle method will prove satisfactory.
- ★ Non-acid vegetables (peas, beans, corn, etc.) and meats must be canned in a steam pressure cooker. With this device it is possible to obtain the 240 to 250 degree temperature required.
- ★ Do not use baking soda or canning powders. Some of these tend to destroy the vitamin content of the foods. Process by heat only.
- ★ Glass jars are recommended. Half pint jars only should be used for jams and preserves. Pint and quart jars only should be used for non-acid foods, tomatoes and pickles.
- ★ Jar caps must be in perfect condition. Do not use them if they show dents, cracks, or chips or if they have loose linings.
- ★ Rubber or composition rings must be new and of fresh material to assure perfect sealing.
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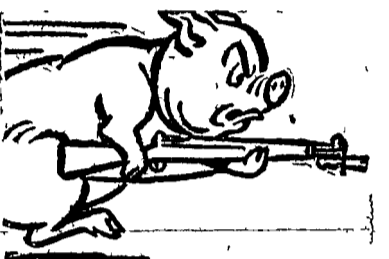
How serious is the threatened feed shortage in Michigan? Will livestock numbers have to be reduced?

Those questions, asked by Michigan livestock farmers, have been analyzed by K. T. Wright, farm management specialist at Michigan State college. Available feed left over from the record 1942 crops on the average farm in the state was, on July 1, twice the amount normally left per head of livestock.

The cow, the sow and the hen are better since last fall than ever before in the state, according to the rate feeds were fed the first six months of 1943. If livestock men are forced to tighten down on rations, that will be the result of reduced feed crop harvest or increased numbers of livestock, according to Wright.

To enable any individual farmer to help size up feed prospects, Wright points out some of the possibilities for the state. If only 70 per cent of the intended oat acreage was planted, as has been reported, and if only 85 per cent of the fields intended for corn got planted, the total feed-grain production in 1943 at average yields of 1932-1941, would be 20 per cent less than normal per animal.

Assuming no change in livestock population, but adding the extra feed now on farms from 1942, each animal unit on January 1 would have 42 tons of feed, a normal carryover. But livestock



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men would not be able to feed as generously as they did in the first six months of 1943, Wright concludes.

If crop harvests fall below estimates because of lower acreage and lower yields, or if livestock numbers increase, hogs will have to go to market next year at lighter weights, poultry feed will be less plentiful, and fatter use of hay and pasture in feeding cattle will be necessary, the summary indicates.

**Thin Apples With Spray**

Thinning apples by means of a caustic spray at time of full bloom takes only one-third as much labor as hand thinning after the fruits have set.

**Chinese Virtues**

Rice culture brings out typical Chinese virtues—thrift, diligence, strict-to-itiveness. Paddy fields range from room-size tracts to acreage requiring the full-time labors of large families. Year by year, generation after generation, little by little, the cultivated area spreads. In the span of centuries a valley becomes a vast network of walled pools, a land where "liquidation" means a new lease on life for hungry millions.

**Put Points in Circulation**

About 8 billion points on the ration stamps, and approximately 6 billion points on the blue stamps are put into circulation monthly by consumers of rationed foods.

**Marriage Legislation**

Most recent legislation on marriage concerns physical examinations and blood tests provided for in 30 states. Scope of these laboratory tests differs, and only eight states, Delaware, Maine, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Utah, Vermont and Washington, prohibit marriage of persons with transmissible diseases in the infectious stage.

**Bomber's Target**

White and very light colors on buildings are more readily visible to enemy bombers than buildings painted in darker tints. White is visible from 6,500 to 10,000 feet in moonlight, while a neutral yellowish gray is visible only from about 1,600 feet or 2,300 feet under flares.

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1 Point	ELF EVAP MILK	Pure, convenient, economical	3 tall cans	29c
4 Points	TOMATO JUICE	LITTLE ELF Rich juice of sun-ripened tomatoes.	tall 46 oz. tin	27c
9 Points	DICED CARROTS	Golden cubes of goodness.	16 oz glass jar	13c
10 Points	CUT RED BEETS	LITTLE ELF Deep red, excellent flavor.	20 oz can	12c
14 Points	GOLDEN CORN	KING BEE Tasty, full pack.	20 oz. can	13c
14 Points	GREEN BEANS	BURSLEY'S FANCY WHOLE Beans. Particularly good in salads.	19 oz. can	22c

ELF CORN FLAKES	Oven toasted golden brown flakes of nourishment	1g. 11 oz. pkg.	9c
BURSLEY'S COFFEE	Finest blend of rich mountain coffees. Always freshly roasted.	(Stamp 21) lb.	33c
BURCO FLOUR	For extra flaky pastries. A favorite with housewives	5 lb. bag	27c
SODA CRACKERS	Ever good. Crisp and fresh.	2 lb. box	23c
NU-CREST SHORTENING	For delicious, digestible foods. (15 points)	3 lb. can	69c
CANTALOUPE	Yellow velvet textured. Vine-ripened. Jumbo size.	each	29c
HEAD LETTUCE	Crisp, tightly wrapped heads	each	15c
RIPE TOMATOES	Firm red ripe	lb.	23c

McCall's Meal-Saver of the Month  
 Cottage Cheese Salad with Mustard French Dressing

The Dressing: 2/3 cup salad oil, 1/3 cup vinegar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons sugar, 2 teaspoons dry mustard, 1 teaspoon grated onion, 1/4 teaspoon pepper.

The Salad: 1 lb cottage cheese, 1/4 cup chopped watercress, 1 head lettuce, 2 tomatoes, 1 green pepper, Watercress sprigs.

DIRECTIONS: Combine salad oil, vinegar, salt, sugar, mustard, onion, pepper and paprika; mix well. Chill. Combine cottage cheese and watercress. Wash lettuce; separate leaves. Cut tomatoes in eighths. Slice green pepper in rings, remove seeds. Arrange lettuce on large plate; mound cottage cheese in center. Arrange pepper rings, overlapping, around cottage cheese. Arrange tomato sections on lettuce around edge of plate. Garnish with watercress. Serve with dressing. Serves 4-6.

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# LOCALS

Miss Jessie Gowland, Phone 230 Local and Social Editor

Mr and Mrs Charles Lightfoot and daughter Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Myer and family and Kay and Teresa Arick spent Monday evening at Silver Beach, St. Joseph.

Miss Edna Nelson spent the week-end at Des Moines, Ia., with friends.

Miss Persis Kelley, who is attending summer school at Wayne University, Detroit, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs Con W. Kelley.

Mr and Mrs Edward Hess had as guests during the week-end, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Carl Haas and family of South Bend.

Ensign Carolyn Webb of the Nurses Corps, Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs A. S. Webb.

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Mrs. Forrest Miller, LaGrange, Ind. was a guest over the week-end of her sister, Mrs. John Cline and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Beard and daughter Marjorie of South Bend were Sunday guests at the Wilbur Dempsey home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. VanHalst of Rome City, Ind., were guests of relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Polley and son Max have returned from a ten day trip, vacationing at Fremont lake, Fremont, Mich.

Miss Shirley Robert of Chicago was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs George Roberts, Cecil avenue.

Mrs. Mary Kolhoff and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lloyd G. Kolhoff of Berrien Springs, are spending several days with Pfc. Lloyd G. Kolhoff, Westchester, Pa.

John Walton of Chicago is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Lindley.

Week-end guests of Mrs. L. E. Peck were Mr and Mrs Robert Hetter and daughter Joann and Miss Roberta Wells of Chicago.

Mrs. William Schultz and infant daughter, Julianne Ann, returned to their home at 101 West Third street, from Pawating hospital, Saturday.

Mrs. H. S. Bristol had as her guest Monday her sister, Mrs. Bessie Garceau of South Bend.

Mr and Mrs Gaylord Shreve announce the birth of a daughter, Kaylene Jo, at the Kelley Maternity Home, July 1. The young lady weighed eight pounds.

James Fagias, son of Mr and Mrs Gus Fagias left Friday for Oberlin, Ohio, where he is enrolled as a student in Oberlin college.

Carlisle Mayes arrived from Los Angeles, Calif., July 6 at the Harry P. Binns home. He is a nephew of Mrs. Binns.

You'd be surprised to learn the number of items that now we can not buy for our stock! Also at the number we can and do buy and sell Binns' Magnet Store, adv.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kelling, 208 West Front st., have purchased the lot adjoining their property on the west of the W. E. McCabe estate. The purchase was made through Frank Sanders, local attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Becker and house guests Mr. and Mrs. Oris Tatro of Niles are spending this week at Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Strayer's cottage at Clear Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Willard called on Mr. Willard's mother, Mrs. D. F. Willard, of South Bend, who is 92 years old.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Burks spent the week end at Indian lake, near Dowagiac, with Mr and Mrs Glenn C. Vanderberg.

Donald Samuel Jerue, son of Mr and Mrs Ernest Jerue, came home Friday evening from Pawating hospital, Niles, where he underwent an operation last Tuesday.

Mrs. George Hess had as her guest over the week end her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Jennings, of Iowa City, Ia.

Miss Shirley Mitch left Thursday for Fennellton Gap and Jonesville, Va., to spend three months with relatives and friends.

R. G. Rodgers of Chicago, Ill., engineer of the protective construction unit, public building administration federal works agency, spent the week end in the home of Mr and Mrs Joseph Roth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smedley and family spent the week end in Hudsonville as guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Darl Kauter, and her husband and with the former's brother Charles Smedley and family.

Mrs. Elza Smith and Jacob Cooper spent Tuesday in Benton Harbor.

Joseph Dunlap of Decatur, Ill., was a guest over the week end of his wife Mrs. Lyle Dunlap and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Montgomery had as guests over the week end their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs. Jacob Beers of Detroit.

Mrs. Grace Eck of Chicago was a guest during the week end of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Furne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Stark returned from Hillsdale last Thursday, where they attended the funeral of the latter's uncle, John R. O'Mara.

Mrs. Lear Kaye and two children of Battle Creek were guests last week of the former's father and mother-in-law, Mr and Mrs. C. Edwin Kaye. Lear Kaye joined his family here for the week end.

Miss Mildred Wilson of Muskegon is a guest this week of her brother and sister-in-law, Mayor and Mrs. C. J. Wilson.

Nicholas Scandara left last Tuesday for overseas duty after spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Frank Gieger of Chicago.

Mr and Mrs Judson Markham and daughter, Charlotte Smith, are visiting Mrs. Markham's brother and sister in Phoenix and Tucson, Arizona.

Miss Mona Lee Smedley and Dennis Smedley are spending several days with their uncle, Mr and Mrs. Darl Kauter.

John Henry Stoneburner returned Sunday from Plymouth, Ind., where he spent several weeks with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. John Stoneburner.

John Besinger, 3/c, pharmacist mate returned to Great Lakes naval training station after spending several days with his wife, Mrs. Besinger.

Mr and Mrs Charles Morgan spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. C. S. Brown.

Mrs. Susan Curtis was a guest of her aunt Mrs. Emma Vinton of Kalamazoo during the week end.

Freddie and Dickie Hickok, sons of Mr and Mrs Frank Hickok are ill with the measles.

Mrs. B. C. Pascoe and son Louis returned from Kelson, Ontario, Canada, where they spent several days with the former's sister-in-law, Miss Nell Pascoe.

Mr and Mrs. Ray Borntrager and family who have spent the past two weeks with Mrs. Borntrager's brother, Claude Lauer, and family, returned to their home in St. Louis, Mo., Sunday.

Mr and Mrs J. O. Loper of Jackson were week-end guests of Mr and Mrs. Floyd Antsdal.

The Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will meet in the home of Mrs. Jack Bishop, 207 West Front st., at 2:30 p. m., Friday afternoon.

Mrs. T. D. Childs attended a dinner in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Ted Childs, Monday honoring the birthday of her grandson, Ted Childs, Jr.

The Junior Aid of the Evangelical church will meet in the home of Mr and Mrs. Roy Ross, 204 South Oak st., at 6:30 o'clock this evening (Thursday) for a picnic dinner Mrs. Chester Collings is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Robert Montgomery left Wednesday for Pontiac after spending the past week with his parents, Mr and Mrs. B. M. Montgomery.

Mr and Mrs. Drene Ball and family of Drene, Ore., and Mrs. John Swartz of Niles were dinner guests of the former's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stoneburner, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Hathaway were week end guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hathaway and family of Wayne, Mich.

Kenneth Baker spent the week end in Bremen the guest of his wife, Mrs. Baker, in the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Harvey Miller. Mrs. Baker has spent several weeks with her parents helping care for her father who is quite ill.

Barrett Smith of Detroit was a guest over the week end of his parents, Mr and Mrs. Con W. Kelley.

Richard Elmer Stoneburner is a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stoneburner of Plymouth.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Casto spent the week end in Kalamazoo, guests of Mr and Mrs Anthony Behnke.

Miss Georgine Chain came home Friday after spending several days with the latter's sister in Michigan City.

Miss Naline Chain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Chain, returned Saturday from Ann Arbor where she underwent an operation in the St. Joseph Mercy hospital.

Mrs. J. C. Fuiks had as her guests over the week end Mr and Mrs. James Mahoney of Chicago.

Mr and Mrs. James Chain of Chicago were week end guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Ella Treat.

Mr and Mrs. George Chain spent from Wednesday until Saturday with the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Spaulding.

Mr and Mrs Robert S. Russell had as their guests during the week end their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Russell.

Mr and Mrs. Warren L. Willard had as a guest over the week end their daughter, Miss Frances Willard of Niles.

Mrs. Arthur Zangerle of Chicago, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Newberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Waynard Walker spent the week end at Corey lake, near Three Rivers, Mich.

Mr and Mrs Harold Dietz, Mrs. Eary McClellan, Miss Dorothy Gearty, Mrs. Wilma Morgenthau and Miss Catherine Babcock spent the July 4th week-end in Chicago.

Mrs. Goldie Oklah was a guest over the week end of her husband, Pfc. Joseph Oklah of Scott Field, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mecklenberg and daughter, Jeannette and Miss Evelyn Johnson have arrived home from a visit of three weeks with Pvt. Henry Mecklenberg in Biloxi, Miss.

Mrs. Ida Schirmer of Chicago is a guest of her son Walter B. Schirmer and family.

Harry Thompson, 116 1/2 Main street, is a patient in Pawating hospital where he underwent an operation.

Miss Betty Semple and Miss Flora Lee of Wyandotte, Mich., were week end guests of the former's mother Mrs. J. R. Semple.

Cor. Carlton Fletcher of Camp Shanks, N. Y., and mother, Mrs. Arthur Gutschentritter of Niles called on Mr and Mrs. L. O. Slem Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wanda Cavin left Thursday for Camp Hill, Colo., where she will spend a week with her husband Pfc. Robert Cavin.

Mr and Mrs William Thompson and Mr and Mrs Jack Vander Ven were recent guests of the former's sister Mrs. Everett McTaggart.

Mrs. O. D. Brant of South Bend was a guest last Wednesday of her daughter Mrs. Dwight Crumley.

Mr and Mrs Eura Florey and Mr and Mrs Albert Decker returned from Gravel lake near Maecellus, Thursday where they spent the past week.

Mrs. John Florey of Hammond is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ora Edwards.

Mr and Mrs Bonnie Florey are spending a week at Magician lake near Dowagiac.

Major S. J. Stewart of Kalamazoo was a week end guest of Mr and Mrs Paul J. Moore.

Mr and Mrs Fred Wilcox have moved from Petosky, Mich., to the Spaulding apartments house at 404 Main st.

August Baummeister of Benton Harbor was a guest last Wednesday of Ernest Huffman and Mrs. Anna Bolster.

Mr and Mrs Milford Hines of Pennellton Gap, Va., and Mr and Mrs Marshall Byington, Jonesville, Va., left last week for their homes after spending two weeks with Mr and Mrs Martin Mitch.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Metzger and Mr and Mrs Paul Swann were guests Sunday of the former's son-in-law and daughter Mr and Mrs Dale Boyce.

Mrs. Wilma Donley left Thursday to spend three weeks with her husband Aviation Cadet Howard Donley of Sikeston, Mo.

Mrs. Mary Kolhoff accompanied by her daughter-in-law Mrs. Lloyd Kolhoff, of Berrien Springs, left Thursday for West Chester, Pa. to visit - Dr. Lloyd K. Kolhoff.

Mrs. Pauline Donley left Thursday for Sikeston, Mo., to visit her son Aviation Cadet Howard Donley and on to Salina, Kan., to visit relatives. She plans to be gone three weeks.

Mrs. Harry Graham was a guest last Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McCracken of St. Joseph.

Mrs. Pearl Daggett spent Tuesday with her sister Mrs. Rose Swisher of South Bend.

Mrs. Julie Thaming and her cousin, Mrs. Edward Schmidt, of Chicago spent the week end at Duck lake near Gobles, Mich.

## Vast U. S. Sections Are Lacking Tile

### Parts of Five States Make A No Man's Land.

WASHINGTON—Dusty files in the general land office disclose the strange fact that five states contain whole areas which, as far as the country's title goes, are not a part of the United States.

Only one of the states, Colorado, has taken the trouble to do anything about the situation, hosting a flag several years ago and claiming the area "in the name of the federal government."

The land office relates the story of the paradox which has existed for 137 years.

When Napoleon peddled that large subdivision known as the Louisiana Purchase to America he could have used a better surveyor, to say the least.

Broadly, the territory included the western drainage basin of the Mississippi river. The negotiators made mistakes, though.

They believed certain sections drained into the Mississippi when actually they drained into the Great Lakes. So, under terms of the treaty, parts of what became Minnesota, North and South Dakota, are not properly parts of the Purchase.

The same thing happened in Louisiana.

A portion of this state—thought to drain into the Mississippi—turned out to drain into the Sabine river.

A part of Colorado was a little more involved.

A small part near Estes Park was discovered not to drain into the Mississippi, and hence was not a part of the Louisiana Purchase. On the other hand, it was east of the Continental Divide and not a part of what Mexico ceded to the United States in 1848.

## Violent History

Nature has had a share in the violent history of St. Lucia island in the Caribbean. Of volcanic origin, the island has suffered a number of natural disasters, including the 1938 mountain slide that buried scores of people. Its sinister reputation is accentuated by its unhealthy climate and deadly serpents, notably the sudden-striking fer-de-lance, although this "killer" is now considered under control.

## Work Against Subs

Elmops and seaplanes are employed to circle convoys and shepherd merchantmen in coastal waters while amphibians do patrol and rescue work. Navy "Kingfisher" planes spot and report subs that approach our sea lanes. All surface craft are especially fitted to detect and destroy the underwater scudge, and communicate actions to aircraft.

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We're glad to announce to our patrons that after some difficulties because of wartime manufacturing restrictions, we are again stocked up with a good supply of the following:

- Oil Cloth ..... 35c yd. up
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Buchanan, Mich.

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<b>Feet Hurt?</b> Complete line of Dr. Scholl's foot aid accessories at reasonable prices	<b>Guaranteed Ant Killers</b> For small and large ants House or garden use
<b>White Shoe Cleaners</b> Elkays - Mufti Energine 19c - 23c and 25c	<b>We Carry a Complete line of Sun tan and Sunburn preparations</b> Lowest Prices
<b>Hair Preparations</b> 50c Vitalis (old formula) ..... 43c 60c Krem! ..... 54c 75c Fitch Shampoo ..... 59c Halo Shampoo ..... 49c 50c Woodbury's Shampoo ..... 29c	<b>Baby Needs</b> \$1.25 Simlac ..... 94c \$1.25 S. M. A. .... 94c 75c Dextro Maltose 63c 50c Menstrual Oil ..... 43c 15c Johnson's Soap ..... 2 for 15c

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We carry a complete line of Dr. Roberts Live Stock tonics and medicines, also Dr. Hess and Dr. Salsbury

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The Rexall Store  
A Low Overhead Enables Us To Sell for Less.  
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A clog-proof spark arrester installed on chimneys prevents sparks from lodging on old curled wood shingles or prepared roofing that has lost its mineral surfacing.

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FANCY CELERY	BUNCH	19c
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**LORD MOTT FRENCH STYLE**

Green Beans	19-OZ. CAN	15c	11
AMERICAN HOME CUT GREEN BEANS	19-OZ. NO. 2 CAN	19c	11
NATIONAL WHOLE KERNEL CORN	26-OZ. NO. 2 CAN	13c	20
LARSEN'S MIXED VEGETABLES	16-OZ. GLASS	13c	12
VEG-ALL	16-OZ. GLASS	13c	12
AMERICAN HOME GOLDEN BANTAM CORN	26-OZ. NO. 2 CAN	12c	16
PURE-NATURAL FLAVOR Pineapple Juice	18-OZ. NO. 2 CAN	14c	10
SUNSWET PRUNE JUICE	QT. BOTTLE	25c	3
REFRESHING PINEAPPLE JUICE	47-OZ. CAN	34c	22
UNSWETENED GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	46-OZ. CAN	29c	4
AMERICAN HOME TOMATO JUICE	24-OZ. CAN	11c	3
UNSWETENED Grapefruit Juice	18-OZ. CAN	12c	2
VITAMIN RICH TOMATO JUICE	46-OZ. CAN	21c	4
HEinz-IN TOMATO SAUCE	47-OZ. CAN	21c	4
BAKED BEANS	17 1/2-OZ. GLASS	14c	12
NATIONAL UNSWEETENED EVAP. MILK	3 1/2-OZ. CANS	26c	1
UNSWETENED EVAPORATED MILK	2 1/2-OZ. CANS	19c	1
PET or CARNATION	2 CANS	19c	1

**WHEATIES**  
Breakfast of 8-OZ. Champions PKG. 11c

**NEW PUFFED FLAKES**  
KIX ..... 7-OZ. 12c  
DELICIOUS-NUTRITIOUS Cheerios ..... 7-OZ. 12c  
CORN FLAKES  
Kellogg's 2 11-OZ. PKGS. 17c

**CORN FLAKES**  
Fort Dearborn 11-OZ. PKG. 7c

**FORT DEARBORN Wheat Flakes** 8-OZ. PKG. 8c  
H.B.C. Shredded Wheat Pkg. 12c  
CRISP-CRUNCHY Grape-Nuts 2 12-OZ. PKGS. 27c

**JUMBO WHITE BREAD**  
2 1/4-LB. LOAVES 17c  
ENRICHED WHITE Bread 5c  
GOLDEN GRAIN Donuts 10c 13c

COME AGAIN

**Salad Dressing** ..... PT. JAR 19c  
AMERICAN HOME SALAD Dressing ..... 1/2-PT. JAR 13c  
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**POPULAR DOG FOODS**  
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DOG MEAL	2-LB. PKG.	22c
DOG FOOD	8-OZ. PKG.	11c
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Hi-Life	PKG.	5c
WILSON'S VICTORY TYPE	8-OZ. PKG.	9c
IDEAL	PKG.	9c
KELLOGG'S RIBBON	25-OZ. PKG.	23c
GREY-PUP	23c	
DEHYDRATED DOG FOOD	4-OZ. PKG.	15c
Strongheart	2 1/2-OZ. PKG.	15c
NORTH STAR KIBBLER	PKG.	21c
Dog Food	2-LB. PKG.	25c
Friskies	2-LB. PKG.	25c

Buy an Additional War Bond Today

Spaghetti	8-OZ. PKG.	8c
Red Cross Macaroni or Spaghetti	2-OZ. PKG.	11c
National Elbow Spaghetti or Macaroni	1-LB. PKG.	10c
TASTY-NOURISHING Branettas	2 8-OZ. PKGS.	17c
Medium or Broad Noodles-Mrs. Grass	1/2-PT. PKG.	7c
National Fine, Medium or Broad	PKG.	6c
Noodles	4-OZ. PKG.	6c
National Fine, Medium or Broad	PKG.	19c
Noodles	1-LB. PKG.	19c
National Macaroni or Spaghetti	2-OZ. PKGS.	14c

**HAZEL PEANUT Butter** 1-LB. JAR 29c

COME AGAIN PEANUT Butter 2-LB. JAR 54c

National Cider or White Vinegar BOTTLE 8c

National Cider or White Vinegar BOTTLE 12c

Cream Salad Mustard 8-OZ. JAR 10c

National French, Holland or Horseradish Mustard 10-OZ. JAR 10c

**HOUSEHOLD NEEDS**

HIGH TEST Oxydol 24-OZ. PKG. 23c

PALMOLIVE SOAP  
Palmolive CAKE 7c  
SWEETHEART TOILET Soap 3 CAKES 20c  
MILD Camay CAKE 7c  
HAND SOAP Lava CAKE 6c  
28 MULE TEAM Borax PKG. 15c

**NATIONAL FOOD STORES**

**STATEMENT OF CONDITION**  
At the Close of Business  
on June 30, 1943

# UNION STATE BANK

of Buchanan in the State of Michigan

"Published in accordance with a call made by the Commissioner of the Banking Dept pursuant to the provisions of Section 82 of the Michigan financial institutions act"

**ASSETS**

1. Loans and discounts (Including none overdrafts)	\$ 357,282.80
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,166,325.52
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	265,183.97
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	28,219.80
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	569,347.20
7. Bank premises owned \$11,789.00, furniture and fixtures \$5,482.62	17,271.62
(Bank premises owned are subject to none liens not assumed by bank)	
11. Other assets	653.34
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,404,284.25

**LIABILITIES**

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,296,617.72
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	751,305.06
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	53,129.40
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	144,500.22
18. Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	27,203.78
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,272,756.18
23. Other liabilities	2,229.16
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$2,274,985.34

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

25. Capital*	\$ 74,000.00
26. Surplus	15,000.00
27. Undivided profits	21,041.91
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	19,257.00
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	129,298.91
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$2,404,284.25

\*This bank's capital consists of none of capital notes and debentures, first preferred stock with total par value of \$19,000.00, total retraceable value \$19,000.00, second preferred stock with total par value of none, total retraceable value none, and common stock with total par value of \$55,000.00

**MEMORANDA**

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$ 100,000.00
(e) TOTAL	100,000.00
32. Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	53,129.40
(e) TOTAL	53,129.40
34. (a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	272,730.74
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	559,084.02

I, C. E. KAYE, CASHIER, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. KAYE, Cashier

Correct—Attest Ralph Allen, Harry M. Graham, G. C. Vanderberg, Directors.

State of Michigan, County of Berrien, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, 1943, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank

John F. Kobe, Notary Public.  
My commission expires June

# CLASSIFIED ADS

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Tomato plants 10c doz, 3 doz, 25c, 250 \$1.00. Store fixtures 112 acre 6-room house call after 4 p m 119 W Alexander street. 2613p

FOR SALE—6-week-old pigs Clarence Bennett, 4 Gahen, Tel 83-F-22 2613c

FOR SALE—Small cottage and lot for \$600. Walking distance to business section Beautiful city lot, maple trees, 65x98, straw berries, garden space, water, electricity, gas, paved street can be seen by appointment only. Substantial down payment. Terms to reliable people with references. Leave information, etc., at Record office and state time when you wish to see property. 2613c

FOR SALE—Rug, size 8 by 9, practically new, also pointer pups Roy-Letter, 502 North Portage, Phone 732 2613p

THOMPSON BOATS—Old Town canoes, smooth wooden-built. Patrol models \$73.25, 25 F.O.B. runabout models, probably the last for the duration. Berrien Boat Company, Phone 5613, Berrien Springs, Michigan. 2614c

LIVE AND DRESSED POULTRY—gran fed two weeks before dressing. Please order before 10 a m Sat We buy live poultry—Leo Kolhoff, West Front St, Tel 721 365f

FOR SALE—Real estate and insurance of all kinds, including automobile insurance. Also probate bonds. Herbert Roe, 205 West Dewey avenue. Tel 80 29tfc

FOR SALE—Two-burner white enamel stove, coal and wood, slightly used, A-1 condition 18" wide, 24" deep and about 40" high. Price \$25. First dirt road N. W. of M-60, second place on N. Box 313, Route 1 2613c

PERMANENT WAVE, 59c. Do your own permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Fruited by thousands including June Lang, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. Wisner's Corner Drug Store. 26110p

INSULATE—Rockwool "Blown In" for fuel savings and comfort. Estimates free. Cyrus H Atkinson, Cassopolis, Mich. 26112p

FOR SALE—Fryers, dressed if desired. Mrs Valmore Speckline 7140-F3 2613p

FOR SALE—House, cheap. Inquire 212 Sylvan Avenue. Also two cub scout suits. 2811p

FOR SALE—Modern cottage, 4 rooms and bath. \$20 Sylvan Ave. 2811p

FOR SALE—20 bu of seed potatoes and weaned pigs. Ray Travis, phone 7122-F12, Buchanan 2811p

FOR SALE—Studio couch and davenport. Phone 360 or call at 207 N. Detroit 2813p

FOR SALE—A used folding baby buggy, good condition. Inquire 111 Clark street. 2811p

FOR SALE—1928 Buick, good tires, 4-wheel trailer, two 30 gallon steel drums, vacuum sweeper, 2 davenports, 40 rd second hand, steel fence, composted barnyard manure. Clarence Hess, Galien, Mich. Phone 137. 2813p

FOR SALE—One Round table and six chairs and buffet. Call 750. 2811c

FOR SALE—9x12 rug, child's roll top desk and chair. Call 522 after 5 o'clock. 2811p

FOR RENT—House, five miles northwest of Buchanan, near Clear Lake Mrs. Chas Weatherax. 2813p

FOR SALE—Colic pups, natural heaters. Enos Holmes, 113 miles east of Gahen on old M-60. 2813p

FOR SALE—Metal twin beds, complete with inner spring mattress, full size bed complete, with cotton mattress, wardrobe, chest of drawers, small table, 111 W Front, phone 479. 2813c

FOR SALE—Colts, broke, weight 1500-1600. Phone 7127-F2 S. C Sarver 2813p

FOR SALE—Modern parlor suite and twin outboard motor. Call at 115 1/2 North Oak 2813p

FOR SALE—1 set harness, 1 electric pump jack, 200 feet of 1-in. cable, 1 one-horse grain drill, 2,000 bushel crates E F Longworth, 211 North Detroit street. 281fc

## MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—If we have any unpaid bills in community, please let us know at once. Rev. Hahn, Tel 396 2811p

NOTICE TO AUTO DRIVERS—A very stringent law affecting automobile drivers goes into effect in Michigan July 30. Liability insurance in a responsible company is the answer. Price to A-card holders \$11 per year, to B-card holders \$12; to C-card holders \$15. 2811p

Herbert Roe, Insurance 105 West Dewey Tel 80 2616c

LOST—Ration book No 2, name Glenn D Helm. Finder please call 525 3812c

LOST—6-week-old pig, wandered Thursday from my place at 513 West Fourth street. George Seymour, Tel 580 2811p

LOST—3 ration books No 1 and 3 ration books No 2. Return to Lewis G Walden, R R 1, Buchanan 2812p

LOST—Ration book James A Glover 2812c

LOST—Three ration books No 11, for Andrew Eugene Wade, Richard Lee Wade, Dexter Alan Wade. If found, return to Buchanan City Hall 2812p

LOST—Ration books I and II, Ely James, Ruby James, Betty Jean James and Robert Lee James. 2812p

LOST—Ration book 2, issued to Malloy Berget. Finder please turn in at Buchanan City Hall 2812p

Anzac Get U. S. Cars—Under the lease-load arrangement with the United States, Australian civilians now are receiving limited quantities of commercial motor vehicles essential to the war effort. Until the arrival of these vehicles, which are being assembled here, certain civilian industries were badly handicapped.

## WANTED TO BUY

Defective Electric Irons that are repairable and usable.

## HOME MAINTENANCE

Service PHONE 48 105 Theodora Court Buchanan, Mich.

## With The Boys In Service

This week this department will be headed by a verse written by Edwina Marie Trapp, 11-year-old daughter of Mrs Martha Trapp. Edwina has two brothers in the Marine Corps, Arthur who is overseas, and Charles who is in San Diego, Calif. Her sister, Miss Martha Trapp has enlisted in the U S Marine Corps and has been sworn in. She is now at home waiting call.

The poem follows:  
A Soldier's Mother's Prayer  
O God, bless him wherever he may be,  
And when it's all over bring him back to me.  
Forgive him if he kills, for they're the enemies of men,  
O, when he comes back he'll be a Christian again.  
Let him not suffer from hunger, or yet thirst,  
And when they file home, O, let him be one of the first.  
God, stretch out your hand and lead him on this day,  
And keep all kinds of sin far away.  
Keep him—my greatest love and joy—  
The man, who in my heart, will always be a boy.  
—Edwina Marie Trapp, age 11

FOR SALE—Ice boxes, several heating stoves, laundry stove, dining chairs, 5-drawer Hiboy dresser, 10x15 rug, 8 1/2x10 cleaned rug, small kitchen range and electric washing machine. Inquire Ed Hawkins, New Carlisle. 2713p

FOR SALE—Choice young Guernsey cow, calf by her side. C A Walkden, Phone 7120-F3, Buchanan. 2812p

FOR SALE—Seven room modern house, 119 W Smith street. 2811p

FOR SALE—Excellent cottage on Bachelor's Island including furnishings and boat. Water including Harwood floor. Lot 50x150, fenced and shaded. Very reasonable. Herbert Roe, Real Estate & Insurance, 105 West Dewey, Tel 80 281c

FOR SALE—Fine modern homes, on Dewey avenue, Oak, River and Clark streets. Also several other homes at lower prices. See Herbert Roe, Real Estate and Insurance, 105 W Dewey, Tel 80 2813c

FOR SALE—4-room house with two lots 312 Bluff street, Buchanan, Mich. 2613p

WANTED TO BUY—Good used 20 or 22 inch pipeless furnace, Mason Clark, Route 2, Buchanan. 2811c

WANTED TO BUY—One or two 39 in coil springs, also mattress, innerspring preferred, 39 in. Must be clean and in good condition. Mrs. Lester M Huff, 113 1/2 Main street, City. 2811p

WANTED TO BUY—Small cement mixer, hand or power operated (without power). A. B. McClure, phone 646 11f

Middle-aged woman will do house work and wash windows, care for children for 35c an hour. Evening transportation must be provided if late. Send replies to Record office 2613c

WANTED TO RENT—Modern home with at least two bedrooms, in or near Buchanan, by responsible defense worker. Will pay \$10 for information leading to such rental. M R Eddy, Tel 7106-F15 2613c

WANTED—Beef cattle Dan Mereson, Phone 7136-F2 Niles, reverse charges 141fc

WANTED—Custom and garden plowing, also tractor excavating. Kenneth Phillip, 409 Fulton street, phone 645. 141fc

FOR RENT—Sleeping room, suitable for two private entrance. Inner spring mattress. Next to bath. 111 West Front St. or Phone 479 2813c

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, downstairs, utilities furnished. Adults only. 314 Short Street 281c

FOR RENT—furnished apartment. Inquire 101 Lake street or Tel. 95. 2811c

John Meile returned last week to his station at Yuma, Ariz., after a visit of eleven days at the home of his father, Everett Meile, Niles. His address now is—Pvt John Meile, ASN 36414393, 15 Spec. Service Co APO 439 1/2 PM Yuma, Arizona

Mr Meile's other son in service has been transferred to the dress dressing by Cpl. W. E. Meile ASN 3619750 14 Chemical Co., Camp Gordon, Ga

Mr and Mrs Herman Boyer of Kalamazoo, write that Sgt. Joe Krug, formerly employed at the Ind & Mich, headquarters here as a lineman, now has the following address: Sgt Joe Krug, Co B 52nd ET Bn, Camp Abbott, Ore 2811p

First Sergeant Earl Swann has been transferred from Camp Call, N. C. to Fort Benning, Ga, where he has entered an officer's training school. He is in the paratroop service.

Marlin Myers, son of Mr and Mrs Carl Patton, has received a call to report Saturday night in Chicago to enter service with the army aviation cadets. He had been enrolled for several months for this service. He expects to go to Keesler Field, Miss., for a few weeks, and then to be transferred to some college for several months of schooling.

Letter From Pfc. Ernest Rauch. Dear Mr. Haves This is a note to let you know I am to be shifted three months for desert maneuvers. I can't tell you where the desert is, but I can tell something about it. We are informed the temperature gets up to 120 degrees in the daytime, and after the sun sets, it falls below 40 degrees. They told us to sharpen up our bayonets as there are plenty of rattlesnakes there. We expect to stay in the desert for three-and-one-half months. We won't be granted the privilege of seeing anyone during the 3 1/2 months. We will be limited to one gallon of water per day per soldier. Right now we are wondering how we are going to bathe and wash our clothes.

I was certainly surprised last week when one of the home town boys paid us a visit. George Fitch had been here in Fort Lewis five weeks and I hadn't known it. George and I spend week ends together. It sure helps to have a friend with me. I only hope that George will be shipped to the desert with me.

We have been having battalion problems which last two and three days. We have closed them as it means no sleep for two days and sometimes three days. We have also begun to eat a soldier's field ration, which isn't much—a small

can of bread crumbs for breakfast, a candy bar for dinner and a small can of beans or corn for supper. When I return from the desert I should be all ready for actual combat.

Sincerely yours,  
Pfc Ernest Rauch.

Lieut Charles Bantmon arrived Sunday from the Camp Livingston hospital, Louisiana, to be a guest for 16-days with his wife and son, and with his parents, Mr and Mrs Kelsey Bantmon. Lieut Bantmon had been confined in the hospital since his return, May 30th, from special duty in Africa.

The following letter was received from Hatold Hittle, F 1/C, M T B S C, Hut 137, Div 40 Eng, Portsmouth, R I.

It seems damn good to read the news about home. I enjoy reading about the rest of the fellows in the service. Jim Heiermann is here at the same base, and he always enjoys the paper too. I will sure miss it when we get out there. We are leaving here Thursday and I really don't know where we are going. We have completed our training in the "Mesquillo Fleet," and are going to meet our squadron wherever it is.

I have passed my test for F 1/C and in three months go up for a mach mate rating. I would just as soon stay where I am, there is not quite so much grief attached to it.

I read in the paper where seven more from Buchanan have left for the navy. I knew of them and sure hope they get along ok. It will seem pretty tough on them at first but after they get through there boot training I don't think they will want any other part of the service. I know I wouldn't.

Well, thanks again for the paper, and I will let you know where I go from here as soon as possible. I remain,  
Harold Oettle

John Montgomery, Jr, son of Mr and Mrs John Montgomery, Sr, has been moved from Fort Francis E Warren, Cheyenne, Wyo, to Camp Cook, about 30 miles north of San Diego, Calif. He was transferred from the quartermaster corps to the replacement division at that place. His new address is Pvt. John J. Montgomery, ASN 36420155, 45 Replacement Bn, 11th Replacement Depot, Camp Cook, Calif.

Miss Ruth Montgomery, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Montgomery, Sr., Cayuga street, reported June 28 in New York City for training in the WAVES. She was assigned to four weeks of boot training at Hunter's College. Her address is Ruth Montgomery A/S, Reg. 9 Bldg A, Apt 2 D, Naval Tng School WR, Bronx, New York City, N Y. After completing boot training she expects to be transferred to another college for further training.

Lt John Strayer has been transferred to Randolph Field, San Antonio, Texas, to Key Field, Meridian, Miss., where he has been assigned as Flight Surgeon, with 250 men under his care.

Mrs. Martha Trapp has received a V-mail letter from her son, Pfc Arthur Trapp, in which he states that he has been transferred to a new island in the Pacific. He wrote that he was in a tent camp within sight of the ocean and that the ocean wind was blowing his papers as he wrote.

Mr and Mrs Ray Travis received two letters in the past week from their son, P.F.C. Raymond Travis. He wrote that he was now in Tunisia, and that his battery was one of the fortunate units which came through without losing a man.

James Hemminger is now in training at the Shippery Rock Teachers College at Shippery Rock, Penn. He is a former student. He is to be transferred to that point in the classification center at Nashville, Tenn., where he will be assigned as pilot, navigator or bombardier. His present address is A/S James Hemminger, AAFCTD South Hall, Shippery Rock, Penn.

Sgt. Dale Kloko, Birmingham, Ala., spent the week-end in the home of Mr and Mrs Ralph Hamilton.

Lieut (jg) and Mrs Richard Schram and son of Glenview, Ill, were week-end guests of Mr and Mrs W. N. Schram. Lieut Schram is stationed at the US Naval Air station at Glenview.

Pfc Arnold Herman of Camp Rucker, Ala., arrived Sunday to spend a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Fred Herman, Sylvan avenue.

John Meile returned to camp at Yuma, Ariz., last week after a ten-day vacation with his father, Everett Meile, at Niles, and with his many friends here.

Mr and Mrs Simon E Hemple received a letter last week from their son, Bob Hemple, which read in part:

"Just a line to let you know I am working harder than ever. I am school-teaching seamen the operation of a machine gun, working on the decks, never a dull moment."

"I was at school in San Diego all last week and saw Ed (Hemple) every day. I went to chow one day and who should I see but Ed. He is Acorn 13 but expects to get in Acorn 11 as they need men of his rating. I have a little while left here and then it's off to an island with heat, rain, snakes, a little disease, etc., for company. I won't see the States again in over a year, so if letters don't

come, I'll be still thinking of you all at home anyway. I am not going on any picnic but I will do my best. So don't worry—I'm no baby!"

Love to all,  
Bob

Clyde Shaffer Writes  
The following letter was received by Mr and Mrs Clyde Shaffer, Sr, from their son, Pfc Clyde Shaffer, Jr., serving with an infantry unit in Africa.

May —, 1943  
Somewhere in Africa

Dear Family,  
I have two letters and six V-mails which I received, from you in the past week.

Now that the African campaign has come to a close we are permitted to write a little more information in our letters as to what we have been doing in Africa, the past seven months.

Two weeks have passed since I left Tunisia where I was located, on the front, when the campaign ended. It was a happy day for all.

The Germans and Italians came in streams down the road, some driving their own trucks heading for a concentration camp under guard of the G.I.s. Some seemed happy, others looked as if the impossible had happened. Several waved as they passed.

I had the opportunity to talk to some of the prisoners who could speak broken English. Some seemed disgusted with the war, some happy that it had ended and others contrary to that mentioned.

One gave me a cigar which made my eye balls spin and my throat felt as if I swallowed bone. I in turn, gave them some American cigarettes which they enjoyed the same as the French, English and Arabs.

For a few days we enjoyed driving their trucks, motorcycles and tanks. The trucks were at home with the horses. Many trucks, motorcycles, guns, etc., had been destroyed by the Germans. So much for Tunisia which has returned to civilization and peace.

I landed in Africa Nov 8, 1942, in French Morocco, and took part in the invasion. I had the opportunity to visit many of the cities which I found interesting. I also saw a great deal of Algeria which is beautiful and reminded me of our west—I visited Oran and rode on the trams (street cars) which look similar to the early American street cars.

I'm sorry, but I cannot reveal my present location. I'm well and O.K. Hope this letter finds all of you the same.

You son,  
Clyde

P.S. This letter is written on German paper.

Dwight Shoupe, S 2/c of Great Lakes naval training station, Great Lakes, Ill, came Thursday to spend a 15-day furlough with his wife Della Mae Shoupe and son Robert Lee.

Mr and Mrs Frederic Hagley, Terre Coupe 1d, received a telegram from their son Frederic, jr, machinist mate 3/c, Sunday evening saying he had undergone an operation in the naval hospital, San Diego, Calif, Saturday morning.

Hagley received his medical discharge from the navy and as soon as he has recovered sufficiently from the operation he will be returned to his home here.

Mr and Mrs. John Holcomb have received word from their son, Clarence Holcomb, North Africa, that he is now in hospital, getting his teeth fixed and his shoulder treated. About four years ago his shoulder was dislocated and he has had considerable trouble with it since.

Cpl. Charles Hess writes Charles Hess writes that he is getting ready to leave Fort Bliss, Texas, for a new camp location. He adds "Last night I was in El Paso at a carnival I saw someone that looked very much like Winston Sands. I did not get a chance to get to him. Do you know whether he is stationed here?" The fellow I saw was a staff sergeant. Who said it doesn't rain in Texas. We had a big shower this evening. They say it is wet enough where we are going. They issued us mosquito netting the other day.

"I'll give you the particulars and my new address when we get moved."

Sincerely,  
Charles.

Lt Henry Knapp, son of Mr and Mrs John Knapp, spent the week-end at Plattsburg, N. Y., where he has been training troops several months.

Henry A. Matthews is in the hospital at Portsmouth, Va., as the result of a fall in which he incurred a double fracture of his left arm at the elbow. He is stationed with the U. S. Navy reserves there. His address is: H. A. Matthews, MM 2/c, US Naval Hospital, Ward 11, Portsmouth, Virginia.

Sgt Howard Dilman writes that he is being transferred from Nashville, Tenn to the following address: Sgt. Howard Dilman, 178th Signal Repair Co, APO 403, Annex, 7, PM, Shreveport, La.

Steve Doak, sailor in training at Great Lakes, is spending a twelve day leave with his parents, Mr and Mrs Sam Rouse. He is to enroll in training for aviation later on his return to Great Lakes.

Staff Sergeant Dan Topash arrived Thursday to visit two weeks at the home of his father, Levi Topash. He is stationed at Maxwell Field, North Carolina.

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# Church Services

ST. ANDREW'S MISSION (Episcopal)  
Rev. H. L. Nicholson, Priest-In-Charge  
Holy Communion, 8 a. m, last Sunday of every month  
Presbyterian Church, Buchanan, Mich

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY  
Sunday service at 11 00 a. m  
Subject "Sacrament"  
Sunday school at 9 45 a. m  
Wednesday evening meeting, 7 45

The reading room in the church is open each Wednesday afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock  
"Sacrament" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, July 11.

The Golden Text (1 Cor 10 17) is "We being many are one bread, and one body for we are partakers of that one bread"

Among the Bible citations is this passage (Psalms 61 1, 2) "Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness"

according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from all unrighteousness.

Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p 241) "The baptism of Spirit, washing the body of all the impurities of the flesh, signifies that the pure in heart see God and are approaching spiritual life and its demonstration"

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Malcolm D McNeal, Pastor  
Sunday school, 10.00 a. m. This is a vital part of the church. All

Boon to Restaurateurs  
The souffe cup has proved a boon to restaurant proprietors, for now they are able to proportionately distribute rationed food stocks via the souffe cup by even, the most experienced personnel.

COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS  
Buchanan, Michigan  
July 6th, 1943  
Regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Buchanan, Mich—held in the City Hall of said City on Tuesday, July 6th, 1943

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Wilson. Roll call showed the following members present: Wilson, Fitch, Deming, Babcock, Bradley, City Clerk, City Treasurer, and City Attorney.

Moved by Commr Fitch, seconded by Commr Deming that the minutes stand approved as published in the Berrien County Record.

Motion Carried  
The finance committee read the bills for the month of June which were as follows:

General Fund \$2,112.96  
Street Fund 1,481.98  
Water Wks Fund 1,208.21  
Contingent Fund 1,333.44  
Poor Fund 275.00  
Sewer Disp Fund 421.19  
Cemetery Fund 122.50

\$1,953.28  
Moved by Commr Fitch, seconded by Commr Bradley, that the bills be allowed and read and orders drawn on the proper funds for the several amounts.

Motion carried by the following vote on roll call, Yea: Fitch, Deming, Babcock, Bradley and Wilson. Nay: None.

The finance committee next read the treasurer's report for the month of June which showed a balance of \$7,842.90

Moved by Commr Fitch, seconded by Commr Deming, that the treasurer's report be accepted and made a part of the minutes.

Motion Carried  
A petition signed by property owners on Hillview Avenue asking for house numbers and a street sign was read.

A petition signed by property owners on Hillview Avenue, asking for a street light on the North End of the street was read and referred to the park and light committee.

The question of Health Officer was discussed by the Commission. It was the opinion of the Commission that in as much as it was the rule to rotate each year, that no exception should be made now.

The Commission then instructed the Clerk to notify doctors Strayer and Brown of the Commission's wishes.

The City Attorney read the contract as prepared by him regarding the keeping of the township fire truck.

Moved by Commr Babcock, seconded by Commr Deming, that the contract as read be approved and the Clerk and Mayor be authorized to sign in behalf of the City.

Motion carried by the following vote on roll call, Yea: Fitch, Deming, Babcock, Bradley and Wilson. Nay: None.

The City Attorney next presented the lease prepared for on Clark Equipment Co., for the lease of City lots north of gas tank on North Portage street.

Moved by Commr Deming, seconded by Commr Babcock, that the Clerk and Mayor be authorized to sign the lease in behalf of the City.

Motion carried by the following vote on roll call, Yea: Fitch, Deming, Babcock, Bradley and Wilson. Nay: None.

Upon motion by Commr Deming, seconded by Commr Babcock, meeting adjourned.

Signed  
C. J. Wilson, Mayor  
Harry A. Post, City Clerk.

are urged to come, boys and girls, young people and adults.

Morning worship, 11.00 a.m. Sermon, "The Renewal of Strength" Special music for July has been arranged by the director, Mrs. Kaye July 4, a beautiful solo was sung by Charlotte Banke with Marjorie Wolkins at the organ.

July 11, a solo by earl Hamville with violin obligato by Mary McNeal, with Mrs. McKinnon at the organ July 18, a solo by J. A. White and July 25, a solo by James Houseman.

Session meeting Wednesday, 7.30 p. m. at the manse

We urge all Americans to realize the great importance of religion in saving our country and its democracy. Go to church somewhere.

METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev. Chas. B. Hahn, Minister  
Church school at 10:00 All are invited  
Morning worship at 11:00, Sermon subject "Are You Taking God Into Account?"

Youth Fellowship at 7:00

LEGAL NOTICE  
1st insertion July 8, last July 22 STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St Joseph in said County, on the 3rd day of July A. D. 1943

Present, Hon. MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of William Doyle, Mentally Incompetent Geo H. Batcherlor having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 2nd day of August A. D. 1943, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

### Buchanan Youth Council News

#### Youth Council Employment Service

The employment service has been quite busy this week arranging to get raspberry and currant pickers for the farmers in the near vicinity Tuesday a group of seventeen youngsters went out on the Wagner road to pick currants at one farm and another group of four went out that direction to pick raspberries. By the end of this week and the beginning of next week we expect that even more pickers will be needed to help out in the farm labor shortage. If the youngsters do good work during this fruit season, we hope that by the time tomatoes and other crops come on, we can supply workers as readily as we have been able to do at this time.

In this work of hiring out to the different farmers, we have been only slightly disappointed in the attitude of the youngsters. The word has been letting up on the job of being punctual and dependable. However, we would like to see the youngsters realize more seriously that punctuality and dependability are two of the most necessary assets to any worker, no matter what his job. Surely these youngsters will come to see that in fairness to the employment service and to their employers, they must learn to be on time for the job and dependable to the last degree. In fact, to teach dependability, resourcefulness, and ability to take responsibility is one of the basic aims of the employment service as well as the Youth Council.

In a lighter vein we might add that to date we have succeeded in placing about half a dozen young people for steady employment for the summer. We feel that this is somewhat of a record for an organization of three weeks active work.

As well as this, we have found lawn-mowing and cleaning jobs which the youngsters do every week. Gradually the number of steady jobs will be built up for these people until they will have, practically speaking, steady, full-time employment.

#### Meeting of Youth Council, Monday, July 5

On Monday evening, July 5, several of the Youth Council members held their regular meeting in the basement of the Methodist church. Although the group was somewhat smaller than usual due to the holiday week end, quite a bit of business was discussed and voted upon.

A lengthy discussion was carried on concerning the possibilities of having the Youth Council recreation hall open to the young people of Buchanan more evenings during the week. Mr. Hawes, who presided at the meeting, said that the only way this could be managed would be for the Youth Council members to supervise the recreation hall on the additional nights themselves. At present the hall is open two evenings a week — Tuesday night for recreation and supervision lessons under the direction of Maude Slate, and Friday for the weekly Youth Council dances.

It was proposed that the hall be open one additional evening a week for two or three weeks as a test to see whether the Youth Council will be able to supervise the recreation hall themselves. As the matter stands now, Wednesday night will be the night supervised by the Youth Council and the test will be started a week from yesterday, Wednesday, July 14, subject to the approval of the Youth Council board.

The members also talked about the possibility of the Youth Council being able to buy a juke-box for a small sum instead of the present arrangement of renting one. In this way the Youth Council could have access to the total receipts brought in by the use of the juke-box. The money that the Youth Council would make from this would go into the general fund used for upkeep and supplies.

Also the matter of notifying the Youth Council members of the meetings was brought up. As it is now, post cards are sent out every two weeks as a reminder of the meeting. It was suggested that the Youth Council buy index cards to write the notices on and then have some members of the Youth Council deliver the notices, thus relieving the hard-worked post office staff. This would also cost the Youth Council less than the present use of post cards.

The meeting was then adjourned.

**Biggest Dance**  
The Buchanan Youth Council had its best dance of the summer to date at the recreation room Friday night. In all \$21 were taken in. The music was again dispensed by the Youth Council orchestra, with a new virtuoso in the violin section by the name of Barre Heim. The admittance price is 16 cents, which tallies about 130 paying guests attending.

**Milk Production**  
Average production per cow for the U S April 1, 1943, was 148 pounds of milk daily.

### Buchanan - South Bend Bus Schedule

Effective May 2

Leave Buchanan (CWT)

- 6:55 A. M. EXS
- 8:55 A. M. EXS
- 12:25 P. M. EXS
- 12:35 P. M. Sun
- 3:00 P. M. XXX
- 4:20 P. M. EXS
- 5:25 P. M. EXS
- 6:20 P. M. Sat., Sun., Holidays

Leave South Bend (CWT)

- 8:20 A. M. EXS
- 10:50 A. M. EXS
- 11:55 A. M. Sun
- 2:15 P. M. XXX
- 3:40 P. M. EXS
- 4:50 P. M. EXS
- 5:45 P. M. Daily
- 9:30 P. M. Sat. Only

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## THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

**AIR-COOLED GLOVES PREVENT WORKERS FROM BURNING THEIR HANDS WHILE WORKING ON HOT GLASS FOR AIRFIELD LANDING LAMPS**

**FOOD RATION CARDS USED IN ATHENS IN 490 B.C. WERE MARBLE SLABS WHICH HAD TO BE PRESENTED IN PERSON IN ORDER TO GET FOOD.**

**A TOMBSTONE MANUFACTURER ACTING AS A SUBCONTRACTOR IS USING HIS SANDBLAST CHAMBER TO FINISH 10 TONS OF TOMBSTONE WEEKLY FOR A TOTAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT**

**AMERICAN BOMBERS HAVE SPANNED THE ATLANTIC AND REACHED LONDON IN THE RECORD TIME OF 6 HOURS AND 40 MINUTES**

**ORDINARY CLEANING FLUID HAS BEEN ADAPTED BY A CHEMICAL MANUFACTURER TO CREATE CHEMICAL SMOKE SCREENS FOR MILITARY OPERATIONS**

### HOLLYWOOD

#### Bob Hope's Radio Announcer Makes Bow in Aldrich Film

The man whose voice you heard on the radio with Bob Hope's show for three years, makes his movie debut in Paramount's comedy "Henry Aldrich Gets Glamour," which will be shown at the Hollywood theatre Friday and Saturday, July 8-9.

He is Bill Goodwin and he plays the role of a press agent to Francis Gifford who appears as a sarong-wearing movie queen. Bill is a tall, attractive man with a great personality and his performance in his debut picture is any indication, he ought to have a very active and successful movie career.

In "Henry Aldrich Gets Glamour," Jimmy Lydon as Henry becomes involved with Miss Gifford and Goodwin when he wins a movie contest. Others in the cast of this highly entertaining Aldrich Family set-to are Charles Smith, John Latel, Olive Blakener, Diana Lynn and Vaughn Glaser.

**Ann Summers Plays Holt's Leading Lady**  
Ann Summers who appears as Holt's leading lady in "The Avenging Rider" is a girl who knows what she wants, sets her course for that goal and makes every move toward that objective. As a small child she intended to become an actress. She never swerved from that ambition and her studies and activities were all aimed at joining the ranks of

screen players. She went in for dramatics at high school and in college. She gave dramatic readings, she modeled clothes, all with the hope that opportunity would knock at her door. When she finally was signed by RKO Radio, she did not rest on her laurels but immediately began the study of screen technique. When she was in a western as her first picture, she began to take riding lessons. She also learned to swim, fence, dance expertly, play tennis, golf, badminton, to operate a motor boat and to drive a team of horses. "The Avenging Rider" will appear on the Hollywood screen Friday and Saturday, July 8-9.

**Red Skelton an Ardent George Bancroft Fan**  
George Bancroft photographed a 16-year-old photograph of himself, inscribing it to one of his most ardent fans.

"The pictures, a production still 'Old Ironsides,' made in 1926, from Bancroft's great production, autographed himself, 'To Red.'"

**Red Skelton, star in M-G-M's "Whistling in Dixie,"** coming Sunday and Monday, July 11-12, to the Hollywood theatre, in which Bancroft has one of the principal supporting roles. The photograph is one that Red had saved and cherished ever since he was in knee pants in Vincennes, Ind. Bancroft was Skelton's outstanding hero of the screen.

**Benny Rochester Mark Anniversary**  
Jack Benny and Rochester recently sliced into a big chocolate cake, after blowing out six candles, to observe an important anniversary.

The party, which took place on the set of 20th Century-Fox's "The Meanest Man in the World," the rollicking comedy to be at the Hollywood Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, July 13-14-15, marked the sixth year of the hilarious collaboration between the nation's foremost comedian and his gravel-voiced heckler.

Present at the unsolemn ceremony were Priscilla Lane, who is co-starred in the film, Director Sidney Lanfield and Producer Wilham Perlberg. When Edmund Gwenn, Anne Revere, Helene Reynolds and other cast members called for a speech, Benny responded with:

"Our association has been a happy one because it gives me a chance to take in it Rochester as a prince of a fellow to me and I've always tried to be more than fair with you, haven't I, Rochester?"

"Yes indeed, boss," Rochester agreed. "You're like a father to me and I don't mean because, instead of paying me, you just give me an allowance!"

### County War Board Announces a New Committee For Meat

Martin H. Kretchman, chairman of the Berrien county war board announces that a war meat committee has been appointed by your Berrien County USDA War Board. The war meat committee consists of the following personnel:

- L. R. Boyer, R 1, Watervliet, phone Watervliet 5-F8
  - Floyd Sommer, Eau Claire, phone Eau Claire 3062
  - Dr. Wendell E. David, Territorial rd., Benton Harbor, phone B H 8381
  - Edward Wytgard, 531 LaSalle ave., St. Joseph, phone St Joe 3325
  - Jess M. Lindsay, City Hall Bldg., Niles, phone Niles 1194
  - Joe E. Wells, 1051 Pavone St., Benton Harbor, phone B H 52505
- These men are in a position to understand the necessity and importance of stamping out the black markets and violations of OPA order No. 16 on the distribution of meat.
- The meat situation is critical. We must obtain meat for our soldiers, sailors and marines, and for our allies, as well as assume

that meat is made available in legitimate channels of distribution to meet civilian rationing requirements. To do this in the face of increasing demand from civilian consumers and to avoid black markets, it is necessary:

- 1 That livestock be routed into normal legal commercial channels, preferable to inspected plants. The war food administration purchases are limited to federally inspected meat, the volume of which in proportion to the total volume of slaughter has been falling off despite the fact that more plants than at any time in our history are now under such inspection. To be sure you are doing the patriotic thing, sell to a buyer who has a federal permit or at a federal plant.
- 2 That on slaughter permit system and the consumer rationing program are made to work effectively.
- 3 To promote sanitation in the slaughtering and handling of meat, to prevent waste and to conserve meat by-products.

The committee feels it is the patriotic duty of every producer of cattle, veal, hogs, or sheep and all citizens of Berrien county to see that their meat products get into the hands of licensed dealers and legal distributors, also to report any irregularities in the handling and distribution of meat to some member of the above committee who will in turn report findings to the proper officials.

Your cooperation in this effort will be invaluable to the committee and they are counting on you.

### Women Recruits to Aid Farmers

Non-farm women in Michigan have begun answering the call for recruits for emergency farm labor in five Michigan counties, reports Miss Ruth Peck, assigned by Michigan State college as assistant state emergency farm labor supervisor in charge of the Women's Land Army.

Recruitment in Grand Traverse and Manistee counties is being handled through specially-appointed committees, while in such counties as Ionia, Kalamazoo, and Oakland the state office is working directly through the home economics extension councils already cooperating with Michigan State college.

In Grand Traverse county, Mrs. Carl Anderson of Traverse City is heading a sub-committee of the farm labor advisory committee to handle Women's Land Army activities. Local OGD authorities have extended the use of their files of local women's organizations. Members have been contacted urging enlistment. The committee is also listing women for seasonal and emergency cherry picking, or for duty as squad leaders for Victory Farm Volunteers.

Local business groups are cooperating in setting up "call-in" stations where growers can contact home canners to move small surpluses of fruit and vegetables. Farmers phone in to such centers as Traverse City chamber of commerce building, and listings are posted prominently on bulletin boards or in show windows. The individual canners then pick the surpluses.

Call-in stations have also been set up by the Manistee board of commerce and in Manistee county, where Miss Ethel Larson is heading the W. L. A. committee. Miss Larson is also chairman of both city and county Victory Garden programs, and the committee is working through those programs and the OGD lists in recruiting the women's groups.

Miss James Vary, county emergency farm labor assistant-at-large, is conducting recruiting in Ionia county through the home economics extension groups, and Miss Margaret Linsell, county home demonstration agent, is acting in the same capacity in Kalamazoo county. In Oakland county 46 home economics extension groups are recruiting within their own memberships, and all have set up plans to pool efforts and equipment for such peak-season jobs as group canning and cooking for threshers.

### With The Boys in Service

Lester Hanover left last week for report for service in the U S Marine Corps. He had been attending the University of Grand Rapids, and lacked only nine weeks of completing a four-year pharmacy course. He had been enrolled in the Marine reserves for some time and was called to report on July 1. He was sent to Dennison University, Ohio, for special training.

A. D. Adams (Tex) former high school student and football player here, is spending a 12-day leave from July 1 to July 12 at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Valmore. Speaking—He entered the navy April 27 and is stationed at Great Lakes. He will enter special training for qualification as gunner's mate on his return.

Robert Backus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Backus, is now located at the U S submarine base at San Diego, Calif. He entered the service for training at the submarine base at New London, Conn, three years ago next December.

Plant After Frost  
When danger of frost has passed it is time to get on with planting beans, butter beans, squash, cucumbers, okra, green peppers and to matos.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Bonds

### Tomatoes Provide Valuable Vitamins

Gardens turning out their war production of tomatoes offer literally a wealth of health under the attractive red skin of the fruit, according to home economics extension specialists at Michigan State college.

There's the vitamin C, best known of the tomato's health offering. But there also are worthwhile supplies of vitamin A, some riboflavin, niacin and minerals.

During the summer months as the fruit comes out of the garden, more of the health is available to those who eat tomatoes fresh from the garden, more of the health is available to those who eat tomatoes fresh from the garden — and that means fruit that

is plump and ripe and with skins still on. Tomatoes sliced for the table lose some of their vitamin C unless kept cold.

Earliest peeling, experts report, follows dipping a tomato quickly in hot water and then in cold. Fresh tomato juice cocktails are recommended for a summertime refreshment. Ripe tomatoes should be washed, chopped and forced through a fine sieve. Cooling is suggested and some recipes call for additions of a little sliced onion, or some lemon juice, horseradish or other flavoring.

Some cooks receive applause for tomatoes baked, fried or broiled. Even when cooked there still remains a fair supply of vitamin C in tomatoes. Broiled tomato on toast is made tastier by sprinkling a little cheese on the tomato before it goes under the broiler.

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You must be the judge as to whether your call is sufficiently important to justify its being placed on the war-

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Please make only the most necessary calls.

If you must call by long distance, be as brief as possible.

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But, man, oh man, how she can handle her huge and heavy press!

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now we Americans are producing far more power than all the Axis countries combined!

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INDIANA SUMMIT

# SOCIETY

Miss Jessie Gowland, Phone 230 Local and Social Editor

Royal Neighbor Lodge  
The semi-monthly meeting of the Royal Neighbor lodge will be held in the R.N.A. hall Friday evening

Jolly Dozen Club  
Mrs Eldon Kingery entertained the Jolly Dozen club last Wednesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Edna Helms, Mrs. John Jennings and Mrs. Glenn Hushower. Mrs. Martha Hayes will be hostess to the club July 14



## NOW! "REUNION IN FRANCE" Starring Joan Crawford

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TIM HOLT in  
a Thrilling Drama of the Old West

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With "Ukulele Ike" Edwards  
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**WHISTLING in Dixie**

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GUY KIBBEE MAMA LEWIS PETER WHITNEY

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LAIRD CREGAR

**I WAKE UP SCREAMING**

Added Doctor at War

ANOTHER WEEK NEARER TO VICTORY

### Cpl. John A. Schultz Marries Dowagiac Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Kelso, 519 W. R. street, Dowagiac, Mich., announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Cpl. John A. Schultz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Schultz, of Buchanan, Mich. The wedding took place on June 23, 1943, at 8:30 p. m. in the First Baptist church at Hattiesburg, Miss., with Rev. T. D. Brown reading the single ring ceremony.

The couple were attended by Sgt. and Mrs. William F. Fleeger of Hattiesburg, Miss. The bride wore a street-length dress of blue with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations. The bride's attendant wore a blue street-length dress with blue accessories, also a corsage of white carnations.

The bride was a member of the 1940 graduating class of Dowagiac high school and is now employed in the offices of the Kawneer company at Niles, Mich.

The bridegroom and his attendant are members of the newly-formed 68th infantry division at Camp Shelby, Miss. After the ceremony a dinner was served for the two couples in the dining room of the Forrest Hotel, Hattiesburg, Miss.

**Dayton Rehearsal**  
Mrs. Lilian Townsend, Mrs. Alva Best and Mrs. Viola Wilhans form the entertainment committee at the regular meeting of the Dayton Rehearsal lodge Wednesday evening.

**Hoos-Hi Club**  
Mrs. Oscar Swartz entertained members of the Hoos-Hi Bridge Club in her home at 406 West Front at Wednesday afternoon. Honors went to Mrs. M. L. Ihrie of Bradenton, Fla., a guest, Mrs. Harry Bestle and Mrs. T. D. Childs.

**4th Anniversary**  
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bristol celebrated the fourth anniversary of their wedding at their home at 412 Arctic, Sunday, with 15 guests present.

**Dinner Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot were dinner guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Myers Sunday evening.

**Victory Club**  
Mrs. Helen Smith entertained members of the Victory club in her home at 312 Liberty street, Monday evening. Contest prizes went to Mrs. John Luke, Mrs. Ralph Hannton, Jr., and Mrs. Jesse Leggett. Mrs. Elva Smith will be hostess to the club Monday evening, July 19.

**Norris Family Reunion**  
Mrs. W. F. Runner attended the Norris family reunion at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Norris of Gaiden, Sunday.

**Surprise For Pastor**  
Forty-nine members and friends of Bethel Temple joined in a surprise birthday party Tuesday evening at the William Thurston home, to honor their pastor Rev. Gladys Dick. Following a 6:30 cooperative dinner a mock wedding was enacted by a cast including Mrs. Irma Bowerman, Mrs. Dorothy Benton, Irene Cauffman, Barbara Jean Walters, Jeannette Pitts, Doris Hemmen, Claradene and Evedene McCarty and Col. Davis. Mrs. Dick received several nice gifts.

**Dinner Party**  
Mrs. Anna Bolster entertained at a dinner last Wednesday evening. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peoples, Mrs. Mack Mulder and Mrs. Al Huffman of Benton Harbor.

**W.B.A. Meeting**  
Buchanan review of the Women's Benevolent association will meet Tuesday evening in the W.B.A. hall, with the president, Mrs. James Gray, in charge of the business session. The entertainment committee includes Mrs. Frank Chain, Mrs. Leonard Dalenberg and Mrs. Eva Slate.

**Ramblers Club**  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Imhoff were hosts Sunday, July 4, to members of the Ramblers club, at their cottage at Gravel lake near Marcellus.

**G. A. R. Circle**  
The regular meeting of the Carlisle-Hanley-Bunker circle of the G. A. R. will be held Monday evening in the American Legion hall. Mrs. Carrie Kean Starr will be in charge of the business meeting, and Mrs. H. P. Binns, of the entertainment.

**Contract Bridge Club**  
Mrs. J. C. Fulk will be hostess Monday evening to members of her Contract Bridge club.

**Sunflower Club**  
The July meeting of the Sunflower pinocle club will be held in the home of Mrs. W. B. Ryneason Saturday evening.

**Kum-Joyn-U's Class**  
Members of the Kum-Joyn-U's Sunday school class of the Methodist church will hold their business and social meeting this evening (Thursday) at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ritter, River rd.

**P. N. G. Club**  
Members of the Past Noble Grand club of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge were entertained in the home of Mrs. Cora Howe, Wednesday evening. Favors at contests went to Mrs. Jessie Lees, Mrs. Mollie Proud, Mrs. Hanley Squier, Mrs. Fred Bromley and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot. The July meeting will be held with Mrs. Lightfoot on the 28th.

### Mrs. James Boone Has 92nd Birthday

Mrs. James A. Boone, one of Buchanan's oldest residents, observed her 92nd birthday anniversary today (Thursday). Nearly 70 years of her life has been spent in her present home at 205 Berrien street. She enjoys good health and is mentally very alert with a sweet and happy disposition. She leads quite an active life, helps with the household work and attends services at the Church of Christ, where she has been a member for nearly 70 years.

As Martha Myler, Mrs. Boone was born July 8, 1851, in St. Joseph county, Indiana, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Myler, pioneer farmers, who settled there in 1836. She is one of the few remaining persons who remember seeing Lincoln in Buchanan. She shook hands with him when she was a small child, when he spoke at the old fair grounds on Portage road.

Mrs. Boone was one of a family of 10 children born in the log cabin where her parents started housekeeping. The large farm house her father built later to replace the cabin still stands. When Mrs. Boone was 18 years old she was married to James A. Boone in her parent's home. For a number of years they lived on a farm, later moving to Buchanan. In 1932 Mr. and Mrs. Boone celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary. Mr. Boone died in 1933 and since then Mrs. Boone's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Nellie Boone, has made her home with her. On her 90th birthday Mrs. Boone took her first ride in an airplane, which she said was very thrilling.

Mrs. Boone is head of four generations, including a granddaughter, Mrs. John Conner, great-grandson John Nagle, in army service and a great-great-grandson Charles Nagle, Martinsville. She has an only grandson, Jack Boone, Buchanan, and a brother Charles Myler, St. Louis, Mo.

**Hi-Lo Bridge Club**  
Mrs. George Roe, Mrs. William Thompson and Mrs. Pearl Daggett held high score Wednesday afternoon when the Hi-Lo Bridge club met in the home of Mrs. Jack VanderVen. Plans were made to celebrate Mrs. Tompson's birthday when the club meets with Mrs. Gay Hardebeck July 14.

**V.F.W. Auxiliary**  
The Veterans of Foreign War Auxiliary will meet this evening (Thursday) in the V.F.W. hall for the regular business meeting.

**B. & P. W. Club**  
The July meeting of the executive committee of the Business and Professional Women's club will be held Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Gladys Remington.

**Buchanan Dancing Club**  
The Buchanan Dancing club members staged their monthly dinner-dance Saturday evening at the Orchard Hills Country club house. The cooperative dinner was served at 8. Leo Weiser and his band from Niles played the dance program. The entertainment committee was headed by Mrs. Edward Thompson.

**Baptist Jr. Girls**  
The junior girls of Grace Baptist church held an outing at Clear Lake Saturday from 10 a. m. until 2:30 p. m. with a picnic lunch at noon. The group was accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. Neil Pease. Swimming instructions and simple first aid instructions were given by the pastor.

**Entertain at Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kelling entertained at a dinner party in their home, 208 West Front st. Saturday evening.

**Dessert Bridge Club**  
Mrs. William Broderick entertained members of the Dessert Bridge club Friday afternoon. Honors went to Mrs. Susan Curtis. The club will meet July 15 with Mrs. Curtis.

**Ramblers Club**  
Twelve members of the Ramblers club gathered at the Frank Imhoff cottage at Gravel lake, near Marcellus Sunday for a picnic and social afternoon.

**Mother's Study Club**  
Members of the Mother's Study club met Tuesday evening for a picnic dinner on the banks of the St. Joseph river.

**Navy Mother's Club**  
Members of the Navy Mother's club will meet in the First Methodist church Friday evening for their regular business meeting.

**B. G. U. Sorority**  
The Beta Gamma Upsilon sorority of Buchanan, one of the four chapters of this province will attend the province meeting and the cooperative dinner in the home of Doris Hunziker, of Niles, this evening (Thursday).

**Rebekah Lodge**  
Bayleaf Rebekah lodge met in the Odd Fellow club rooms Friday evening and voted to contribute \$5 to the Buchanan Youth Council and \$5 to the cigar fund sponsored by the Odd Fellows of Michigan for the boys at the fighting front. Bunco and pinocle provided entertainment during the social hour, and prizes went to Mrs. Floyd Antsdel, Mrs. John Bowman, Mrs. George Barmore, Mrs. Florence Woodson, Mrs. H. E. Squier, Mrs. Charles Lightfoot, Mrs. Robert Reamer, Mrs. Fred Bromley, Mrs. Eura Florey and Mrs. Mollie Proud. The unit will meet Friday evening, July 16.

### Doris Clinker and Joseph Mitch Wed

Mrs. Doris Clinker, daughter of Mrs. Harold Hinkler, Mishawaka, Ind., became the bride of Joseph Mitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mitch, 106 Arctic street, at 4:30 p. m. Sunday, in the Baptist church, Niles. Rev. Clyde Rothrick read the single ring service. The couple were attended by Mrs. Blanche Fockel and Rev. Harold Forbes of Niles.

The bride wore a brown tailored suit with matching accessories and a corsage of gardenias and rosebuds. Mrs. Mitch graduated from the Buchanan high school with the class of '43. Mr. Mitch graduated from the Green Township, Ind., high school in 1940 and is employed at the Clark Equipment Co. The young couple will reside with Mrs. Mitch's grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bates on the Red Bud Trail.

**Entertain at Pinocle**  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kovas entertained at three tables of pinocle in their home Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dempsey.

**Province Picnic Tonight**  
Members of Epsilon chapter, B. G. U. sorority will attend the annual Michigan Province picnic to be held this Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Doris Hunziker, Niles. Annual election of officers will be held.

**Fire Losses**  
All losses due to fire paid by fire insurance companies, three-fourths of them amount to only \$100 or less per loss.

**Clean Well Water**  
Care should be taken to see that good, clean well water is given the cows instead of allowing them to drink from stagnant ponds and dirty, disease-contaminated streams. Salt should be provided constantly, once a week is insufficient.

**Chinese Black Pottery Culture**  
The Black Pottery Culture of China (sometimes called Lung-shan after the name of its place of discovery) was developed by Neolithic farmers, who often surrounded their villages with walls of pounded earth and established them in clusters in river valleys. This culture belongs to the great plain of eastern China as shown by tiny black pots placed on the map where Black Pottery sites are known. These people had learned to use the potter's wheel and made a distinctive jet-black pottery, in addition to ordinary gray and brown wares. Usually they decorated their pottery only by incised lines. They specialized in making tools from shell, although they also made the more common stone and bone tools.



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