

Here's The Proposition

By Hawes

Au Revolt

Good-bye, Sonny—how we hate to see you go! We've gone on so long together, through all kinds of wind and weather—almost seems since we were young! And we're sorry you are shippin' from your merry Irish droppin' from your merry Irish tongue!

It wasn't just the coffee and it wasn't just the pie and not a lovely waitress where the magic seemed to lie—it was just that goldrum Riley with the devil in his eye—it was Riley, always smiling, talkin' fast and steppin' high that really makes us sorry we must say it, your and I—

GOOD-BYE RILEY!

Thar's Eagles in Them Thar Hills!

Relative to the eagle seen by Representative and Mrs. Don R. Pears and Caryl Herman on the Warren Woods road northwest of Buchanan about ten days ago, there has been corroborative evidence that the woods in that section harbor eagles.

Only a few years ago a Michigan conservation officer reported that eagles had been seen northwest of Buchanan and it was believed that there might be a nest in that locality. In this week's chapter on the story of Buchanan (inside section) there is told the story of Andy Carothers' "zoo" in his beer garden where the Ind & Michigan vacant lot now is. Andy had a caged eagle there, which had been captured "from a nest of five" by the Madron brothers. The Madron brothers were the sons of Leonard Madron, whose pioneer farm included the site of the present Madron Lake camp and whose home stood on the Madron Lake Road immediately south of the crossroad which skirts the lake on the south.

Hats Off To A Guy With A Heart and a Soul

A mailman is ordinarily a man who carries and delivers mail. However, the Buchanan carriers occasionally exceed their jurisdiction and deliver both male and female. Now get this straight, we're talking about the mess of abandoned puppies which rural mail carrier, Richardson, delivered at the Buchanan police station this past week.

Carrier Richardson is apparently a man with a heart and a soul, as well as a mail route. He saw five wriggling puppies beside a lonely country road northwest of town, where they had evidently been dumped a short time before. Very few went that way except to get to a couple of farms. The sun was boiling hot, and the pups were evidently suffering but still alive. Carrier Richardson stopped, doubtless muttering under his breath, loaded up the puppies and took them to the police. "If anyone wants to get rid of puppies here's decent ways of doing it," he said. Amen!

Ted Rouse Okels Record Story of Swimming Hole Path

Ted Rouse, resident in Buchanan most of his life and certainly one of the best living sources of information on St. Joe River matters, reports that the route of the path to the "old swimming hole" was correct as given in the Record of last week. The path, said Rouse, extended north from the westward curve of Main street, along the west side of what is now the Gamble farm, and down a ravine on the River bluff, where it then followed the old narrow-gauge railway grade (now the Red Bud Trail route) eastward and then down to the river at a point in the river directly north of the present site of the Dr. Gamble home. There was another swimming hole, says Rouse, about 500 to 600 feet down the river. This would be nearly opposite the north end of the old "swimming hole path."

There was considerable reaction to the call for information on the whereabouts of the old swimming hole on the St. Joseph north of Buchanan. Here is a letter we received.

Dear Editor: Speaking of swimming holes, which one are we trying to locate, the one of the 1830's, 1860's, 1880's or the one that was used in the early part of this century?

That particular swimming hole was almost directly over the bluff from the spot where Dr. Gamble now lives. The route to that one was a dusty road extending from north Portage to the old slaughter house which stood at the point where the road met the Pere Marquette track, or where the P. M. made the turn along the bluff. At that point a path lead down the hill to the river bank and the swimming spot was about fifteen or twenty rods down stream.

One nice feature of this route was the fact that the house which stands just two or three doors north of the Phillip 66 station had at that time, a deep open well with its cool and refreshing water. Of course the modern day health advocates frown on the use of such water, but with the kids see PROPOSITION Page 3

Alter PO Routes In Interest Of More Efficiency

If you have noticed a different city mail carrier or that there is a difference in the time you receive your mail, it is due to route adjustments now being made. The adjustments were necessary due to the closing of the Federal Housing Project on July 1.

A survey made in November, 1942, showed that adjustments were needed in the city carrier routes, action was deferred until after July 1. The changes made were to increase the efficiency of the delivery system and to eliminate deadheading in the business district. The business district is now served by one carrier, and some residential sections were changed from one route to another.

The changes are in line with the Post Office department policy of efficiency and economy.

Postmaster Wesner states that 1,500 stops, residences and businesses, are now being served by the local city delivery system.

The readjustments in the routes have averaged the number of stops to nearly 450 each. The mounted route covers about 270 stops.

New Wheat Crop Price Jump Sets Record

Something happened in the farm price line this past two weeks that has happened very rarely if ever before in the history of Buchanan at least—wheat went up 28 cents per bushel from the beginning to the middle of the wheat crop marketing season. Previously it has been routine that the price for wheat drops when the farmers start selling it. There was a time in 1933 and 1934 that wheat was selling for a little over 30 cents a bushel. Tuesday it was \$1.90 a bushel, having risen there within a few days from \$1.62 when the first wheat came in.

The decline in production might have something to do with it. About half as much has been delivered to Buchanan at this period of harvest as has been brought in last year. Of this 50% drop a 30% cutback is due to reduction of acreage and a 20% cutback to reduction in yield-per-acre. Yet the crop in this area is good in comparison with that of the main wheat producing sections in the west and southwest, which have been stricken by drought. It is fairly certain that this country will dig rather deeply in the much-discussed all-time surplus of wheat piled up in the past several years.

Shippers by the Buchanan Co-ops of local wheat by rail are going to the food manufacturers of Battle Creek. Shipments by truck are going to the Michigan Elevator Exchange through the Cargill Elevator Company in Chicago.

The corn crop at this date is much more promising than the wheat. The crop has from a month to six weeks yet to make and its promise may be greatly reduced by a late-summer drought similar to that of last year. But no finer promise has ever been seen in the Buchanan district at this date.

Good-Bye Riley — Hello Sexton Day All Day Saturday

Next Saturday, July 31, will be "Hail and Farewell Day" at Riley's on the last day it will be Riley's.

On that day the new owner, Philip Sexton, and Riley will corrobate in a "Good-bye Riley—Hello Sexton" program during the entire day, from the minute the doors are open until the last customer is thrown out, perhaps in the wee sma hours.

During the day coffee and doughnuts will be on the house. Next week Riley will start moving out and when he is vacated Sexton will begin alterations on the interior including an opening in the east wall to connect the space with his present furniture store.

H. V. (Sonny) Riley began a business with the purchase of a news and refreshment service from the Chicago Daily Sun, in the quarters at present housing the Coast-to-Coast store. Charles O. Clark, previous owner, had permitted the just-started Chicago Sun for sale on his stand. The Chicago Tribune immediately pulled their papers out. The Chicago Sun then bought the business and later the Tribune permitted its papers on sale there again.

Meanwhile the Sun had no lasting interest in operating the place and sold to Riley. This was in 1942. In 1944 Riley moved to his present quarters, and greatly enlarged his stock, established a restaurant service. In selling to Sexton he states that he has no immediate plans, though he might return to business later.

The public wish both buyer and seller well. Now pass the doughnuts.

VOTE YES—Home for Aged Amendment Ballot.—Adv.



Observers Sweep Sky In Mock Air Raid Drill

Here in this Civil Defense sky observatory built on top of the Buchanan high school building are three members of the local Civil Defense corps, busy sweeping the skies during a recent 72-hour watch by Ground Observer corps in the South Bend area.

Left to right they are George Manspeaker, chief of the Ground Observer corps in Buchanan this past year, William Burkett, Civil Defense corps chief for Berrien county, Eldon Proulx, chief of the Buchanan Ground Observers' corps for the coming year.

The regular Watch Corps through the period were the following members: George Manspeaker, Gary Carter, Dick Proulx and Jerry Smedley.

Each did a stint alone, sweeping the skies with binoculars, for overhead planes. Meanwhile from military airfields, probably in the Chicago, Ill., area, planes were being released, including many jets, some B-36 planes and many small fighters. The boys counted an average of 22 planes an hour overhead during their watch. Each boy identified the planes in type as far as possible and relayed the direction and identification at once by direct wire to South Bend, the "filter center" for this area, where a large force was plotting the courses of planes over the area on large plotting boards.

The Buchanan Ground Observer Corps has a membership of over 40 boys. A number have qualified for special honorary "wings" by serving 30 hours or more as a local ground observer. As soon as the wing emblems arrive, awards will be made.

The need of experienced adult observers was emphasized during the alert. "The boys have been doing a wonderful job," Burkett said, "but need adult guidance." Anyone interested can call 802V or 189.

Troop 41 Camps At Wilderness Near Warren Dunes

Ten Scouts of Troop 41 met at the Methodist church last Friday morning and loaded their gear into three cars. With their Scoutmaster, Leo Slate, they wheeled cross-country to Wilderness Camp, near Warren Dunes. Three groups selected camp sites. The Rattlesnakes and Pioneer patrols formed the first group, Panther and Stag patrols the second and Explorers and Staff the third. Connie Larson and Vic Schaefer arrived after supper.

After a swim in Lake Michigan, followed by supper and a trip to the Dunes, the boys called it a day. Breakfast, a long swim and dinner finished Saturday before the return home.

—George Mills, Reporter

Rev. H. C. Carson Chaplain For Two Weeks At Great Lakes

Rev. H. C. Carson leaves today (Thursday) for his annual two weeks of service as a chaplain in the Ready Reserve of the U.S.N. at the Great Lakes Naval Training School, Great Lakes, Ill.

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE TUESDAY, AUG. 3

Primary Election Tues., Aug. 3 To Name Candidates For State, County; Ballot on Courthouse

Red Bud Trail Resurfacing Is Now Complete

The surface of the Red Bud Trail was scheduled to be completed Tuesday of this week for the entire extent from the Buchanan city limits to its junction with US-31, stated Ralph Hornbeck, manager of the Berrien County Road Commission.

The contract included the laying of a complete new road base over the entire nine-mile extent. The work has been done by the well known Twin City contractor John E. Yerrington, at a total cost of \$147,000, or an average cost of \$16,000 per mile.

The Red Bud Trail had previously had a width of 20 feet from Buchanan to the northern boundary of Buchanan township and of 16 feet from there to US-31. The northern end now has been widened to 20 feet, making a uniform width throughout. Some bad soil conditions that had been responsible for continual surface break-down have been replaced by a more stable base.

The surface consists of two layers, totaling an overall thickness of 1 1/2 inches. Because of previous unevenness the top layer varies from the standard 1 1/2 inches to as much as 5 inches on the sides and to level off uneven spots. The new surface consists of a native aggregate of gravel mixed with asphalt. The first layer, the top or "riding" layer has a less rigid, and more flexible character in order that it may adjust itself to traffic strains without breaking.

It is estimated that under usual conditions this new surface should have a life expectancy of about 25 years.

Hearing Set For W. Chicago Curb Project

The city commission accepted the roll on the West Chicago street curb and gutter project at their regular meeting Monday night Aug. 9 was set as the last date for hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McCauley, 118 West Alexander street, wrote the city commission, requesting that the project for installation of curb and gutter on that street be revived. The commission instructed the city manager to write in answer requesting Mr. and Mrs. McCauley to interest others and then to get them to sign a petition, following which the city would open the project to consideration again. It had been tabled by the city commissioners previously for apparent lack of interest.

City Manager Omans reported that the P.F.W. is now engaged in preparing streets for sealing. Recently the force has been doing some ditching and cleaning of the shoulders of River street preparatory to treatment.

Fuel Oil Spilled On Hot Tractor Ignites

Bill Schoenfeld had a brisk blaze Tuesday morning when his tractor caught fire while he was filling its fuel oil tank, at his farm three miles north of Buchanan on Red Bud Trail. The tractor was quite hot and the fuel oil ran down over the wiring and distributor, suddenly flashing into flame. The Buchanan fire department made the run in the township truck. The fire was soon put out, with an estimated \$50 damage.

Lewis Schroeder Dies At 64 Years

Lewis Schroeder died suddenly Sunday, July 23, at his home at 209 N. Detroit street. Born January 2, 1890 in Sidney, Mich., he came to this area three years ago. He was married in Aberdeen, S. Dak., Nov. 18, 1915, to Lydia Fies, who survives him. Other survivors are a son, Gallen Schroeder, Greenville, Mich., two daughters, Mrs. Harold Anderson and Miss Sharon Schroeder, both of Buchanan, two brothers, Arthur and Albert Schroeder, Sidney, and a sister, Mrs. Maggie Keyt, Lakeview, Mich.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Stanton, Mich., and burial was in the South Sidney cemetery.

Sample Ballots

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Local Candidates In Primary Race

Buchananites have a special interest in the primary elections of Aug. 3 because of the fact that two local men are entered as candidates on the Republican ticket.

Don R. Pears, 104 Lake street, is a candidate for re-election to his third term in the state legislature. Since he has no opposition he is sure of the nomination for the fall elections.

Dr. Russell J. Vastine, popular Buchanan doctor, is also in the race as a candidate for the nomination of co-toner on the Republican ticket. He is opposed by two men from the north end of the county, Harding Dey and Carvel Shaffer, and by Durward Dill of Niles. This is Vastine's first appearance in politics. He has a large number of friends in Buchanan who are doing all in their power to aid in his nomination.

Swimming Classes At Clear Lake To Start Next Monday

Swimming classes under the auspices of the American Red Cross, Benton Harbor office, will be held at the Clear Lake Woods community beach starting Aug. 2, and ending Thursday, Aug. 13.

The first day, Monday Aug. 2, will be taken up by enrollment and formation of classes. All who wish to enter are notified to be there at 1:30 p.m. Classes are open to all who are 7 years old, or older. In charge of the lessons will be Marjorie Atkinson and Carl Kaiser, both of Niles, and working with the Niles recreational swimming program at Barron Lake. Both attended the National Aquatic School, Whitehall, Mich., June 16-26.

Following the registration day, classes will be held regularly at 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. at the Clear Lake Woods community beach.

Poormans Plan Afternoon Bowling For Ladies Teams

Poormans' Recreation is taking entries for a Ladies Afternoon Bowling League, to start in September. Teams will consist of four bowlers each. All who are interested should contact Bill Poorman.

SEXTON'S APPLIANCE SALE Still Going On Buy Now, Highest Trade-ins, on all Appliances—Adv

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Fully as significant and as interesting to the voters of Berrien county as the selection of candidates will be the special ballot on the 2-mill levy for the purpose of financing the construction of a new court house and a home for the aged.

The issue will be phrased on the ballot as follows:

"Shall the limitation of the total amount of tax which may be assessed against all property in the county of Berrien, State of Michigan, for all purposes except payment of obligations incurred before December 8, 1932, be increased, as provided in Sec. 21, Article X of the Constitution of the State of Michigan as amended, by two mills on the assessed valuation as equalized of all the property in said county of Berrien for a period of five years from 1954 to 1959, both inclusive, for the sole purpose of creating a sinking fund to be used for the construction of a county office building and the construction of a home for the aged?"

It is generally agreed that there is a very real need for both constructions, the only debatable issue being the method and timing of finance as proposed on the ballot.

It is estimated that the proposed 2-mill levy over a period of five years will raise \$2,500,000, sufficient to finance the construction of both buildings. In the case of Buchanan the 2-mill levy will be made on the state equalized values of \$12,051,350. This is equivalent to a levy of 2.98 mills on the Buchanan assessor's valuation of \$8,095,850.

Undoubtedly you as a taxpayer of Buchanan are more interested in just what this will cost you. Supposing you own a home which is assessed at a valuation of \$4,000 (on the state-suggested basis of 60% of the sale valuation of the house in 1941).

At the rate of 2.98 mills, which Buchanan would actually pay, you would pay \$11.92 annually for 5 years.

The new courthouse will cost half of the \$2,500,000 and will contain 52,500 square feet of office space, or practically four times the office space of 13,104 in the present courthouse building. This structure was erected in 1895 when Berrien county had a population of 45,000 in comparison with the present population estimated at 120,000. The structure will be built in a U-shape enclosing the present courthouse on three sides. When the new structure is completed the old courthouse will be demolished and the space cleared will be used for parking. The new structure is Continued on Page 4, Section 2

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE TUESDAY, AUG. 3

VOTE YES—Home for Aged Amendment Ballot—Adv

The Republican and Democratic primaries will be held in Buchanan, as in all of Michigan, on Tuesday, Aug. 3, for the election of party candidates for the run-off at the general elections in November.

The primary vote will be handled at the following places: Precinct 1, Buchanan-Fire Station, in rear of city hall; Precinct 2, Buchanan Youth Council, in first block on North Oak street, Precinct 3, at Robert F. Habicht, Inc., 101 South Pointe street.

REPUBLICAN

STATE—Governor—D. Hale Brake, Owen J. Cleary, Eugene C. Keyes, Donald S. Leonard.

Lt. Governor—Clarence A. Read.

CONGRESSIONAL—United States Senator—Homer Ferguson.

Representative—Clare E. Hoffman.

LEGISLATIVE—State Senator (7th Dist.)—Robert E. Faulkner.

State Representative (1st Dist.)—Don R. Pears.

COUNTY—Prosecuting Attorney—Richard J. Globensky, John H. Spelman.

Sheriff—Joseph J. Anderson, Elwin H. Kybath, Robert M. McCauley.

Clerk—Frank X. Duerr, Jr. Treasurer—William H. Bartz, Al J. Hastings.

Register of Deeds—August Piehl, Catherine Weber.

Drain Commissioner—Carl G. Gale N. Hartline.

County Clerk for 2—Dr. Russell J. Vastine, Jr., Harding A. Dey, Durward L. Dill, Carvel O. Shaffer.

DEMOCRATIC

STATE—Governor—G. Mennen Williams.

Lt. Governor—George S. Fitzgerald, Philip A. Hart.

CONGRESSIONAL—U. S. Senator—Patrick V. McNamara.

Representative 4th Dist.—Edward P. Burns, Gordon A. Elferink, Murle E. Gorton.

LEGISLATIVE—State Senator, 7th Dist.—Merriman G. Williams.

State Repr., 1st Dist.—Al J. Schultz.

COUNTY—Prosecuting Attorney—Mowitt S. Drew.

Sheriff—Russell Halton, Albert A. Romeo, Jr.

Clerk—Bryan E. Jarys.

Treasurer—Michael A. Govatas.

Register of Deeds—Garfield Kullenberg.

Cotons—Irving Bettenhausen, Theodore J. M. Schwab.

Surveyor—Alton W. Howard.



OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roberts of Elm Valley, observed their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday. Over 100 guests visited the Roberts' during an open house period from 2 to 6 P.M. The couple is shown here reading cards received in honor of the event. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts were married on July 27, 1904, and they lived all their married life in Elm Valley in the home where Mr. Roberts was born. They have five children, and eight grandchildren.

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Commission Proceedings

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an, Michigan, held in the City Hall of said City on Monday, July 26, 1954, at 7 30 p m

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Anderson. Roll call showed the following members present: Anderson, Hagley, Smith, Derflinger, City Manager, Clerk and Treasurer Absent Deming and City Attorney

Minutes of previous meetings were presented

Moved by Comm Derflinger, seconded by Comm Hagley, that the minutes be approved as printed and circulated.

Motion carried on roll call

111 Communication to reconsider pe-

tion on Alexander street was presented.

Moved by Comm Hagley, seconded by Comm Smith, that the Manager write Mrs McCauley, requesting her to get others interested to sign a petition to reconsider the Alexander Street improvement and that the Commission will reconsider the matter when the petition is presented.

Motion carried on roll call.

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The matter of compensation for the Board of Election Inspectors was taken up

Moved by Comm Hagley, seconded by Comm Smith, that the compensation for the Board of Election Inspectors be the same as at the previous election, that of \$100 per hour. The election personnel to furnish their own meals.

Motion carried on roll call

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The following resolution was

then offered by Comm. Smith, seconded by Comm. Hagley, that the election Commissioners have recommended the elimination of gate keepers at the General Primary Election to be held in the City of Buchanan, Michigan, on August 3, 1954 and said election Commissioners report that voting of the electors will not be impaired by the elimination of said gate keepers

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the recommendation of the election Commissioners, that there be no gate keepers at the General Primary Election, to be held on August 3, 1954, be accepted, and no gate keepers employed at the election to be held August 3, 1954.

Resolution was adopted by the following vote on roll call, Yea: Smith, Derflinger, Anderson and Hagley Nay: None

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Special Assessment Roll No. 64 in the total amount of \$5,505.00 for the construction of Curb and Gutter on West Chicago Street from North Detroit Street to Terre Coupe Road was presented

Moved by Comm Smith, seconded by Comm Hagley, that Special Assessment Roll No 64 be accepted as presented by the Assessor and that a public hearing for acceptance of the roll be held on August 9, 1954

Motion carried on roll call

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The following bills were presented:

General Fund \$1,142 03

Sewer Disposal Fund 103 49

Water Works Fund 435 63

S A D No 58 45 45

\$1,726:60

Moved by Comm Smith, seconded by Comm Derflinger, that the bills as presented be allowed and orders drawn on the proper accounts for the several amounts.

Motion carried by the following vote on roll call, Yea: Smith, Derflinger, Anderson and Hagley Nay: None

Upon motion by Comm. Smith, seconded by Comm. Derflinger, meeting adjourned at 8 25 p m

SIGNED HARRY A. POST, City Clerk

ARTHUR L. ANDERSON, Mayor

John C. Young

Taken By Death

John C. Young, Hornersville, Mo., father of Mrs Ted Shirley, Arlice Young and Frank Hart, died suddenly in his home Tuesday, July 20. He will be remembered by many as he often visited here. He was 69 years old.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, July 22, in Hornersville. Those from here who attended were Mrs Shirley, Jack Shirley, Mr and Mrs Young and sons, Van and Clarence, and Mr and Mrs Hart

Enough Insurance?

Better Be Sure!

Michigan State College agricultural economists advise checking your liability insurance. There's a good chance, say the economists, that you're not protected well enough against legal risks in accidental injury to another person, on your farm.

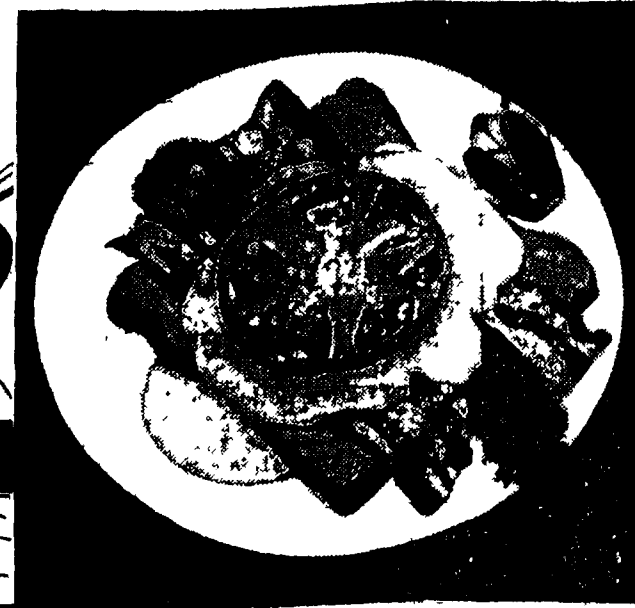
They point out that the heavy increase of power machinery on the farm has boosted the risk of injury to hired help or tenants. And there's increased chance of accidents on the highway. The farmer also has a responsibility to visitors on his farm.

The United States has about 70% more children under 5 years old today than in 1940

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MILK tall 2 cans 23c

Flavor Sweet OLEO 2 lbs. 39c

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GELATINE 2 pkgs. 20c

Hygrade's CHOPPED HAM 12-oz. 49c

Hygrade's CHILI CON CARNE 1-lb. can 2 for 49c

Donald Duck FROZEN ORANGE JUICE 12-oz. can 33c

Carnation MILK 2 tall cans 27c

CHICKEN - TURKEY - TUNA - BEEF FROZEN PIES 3 pies 89c

FROZEN FILLETS SEA PERCH lb. 29c

Fruits & Vegetables

CABBAGE 2 lbs. 9c

PASCAL CELERY large stalk 19c

U. S. No. 1 POTATOES 10-lb. bag 49c

HEAD LETTUCE 2 lg. heads 27c

BANANAS 2 lbs. 29c

-MEATS-

Pan Ready FRYERS lb. 49c

VEAL STEAK lb. 49c

VEAL CHOPS lb. 39c

VEAL CUTLETS lb. 49c

Stewing HENS lb. 39c

GROUND BEEF lb. 39c

Fresh BULK SAUSAGE lb. 39c

Swift's Select ROUND or SIRLOIN STEAK lb. 69c

Swift's Select BEEF ROAST lb. 49c

PORK STEAK lb. 49c

Swift's Oriole - Cello Pack BACON lb. 59c

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CLUB STEAKS lb. 49c

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SPORTS

Merchants Defeat Taylors 4 to 3

In the Men's City League on July 21 the Buchanan Merchants beat Taylors in a close 4-3 game. Bill Hess knocked in the winning runs in the 5th inning with a single.

Bungalow Inn Trims Record 14 to 2

The Record met Bungalow Inn and lost 14-2. Bungalow Inn scored

5 runs in the first and 7 in the 2nd and then were held to 2 runs from there on.
Home run: Gus May; triples: Wm. Geik; doubles: Lintner, May, Harper, Liska.
Record forfeited to Taylors.

Standings			
Team	W	L	GB
Taylors	8	3	
Merchants	6	5	2
Clarks	5	5	2½
Bungalow Inn	4	5	3
Record	3	8	5

LEAGUE LEADERS

Twenty-four and over, times at bat:

Player	Team	AB	H	Ave
May, Bungalow		26	12	.462
Bailey, Record		31	14	.452
B. Welch, Clarks		36	14	.389
Litcher, Merchants		31	12	.387
Blake, Merchants		31	11	.355
Benites, Clarks		26	9	.346
Canfield, Merchants		31	10	.323
Dellinger, Taylors		28	9	.322
Stover, Slarks		9	30	.64

Conrad Pitches No-Hit, No-Run Downs 3 Oaks

Lefty Jim Conrad, who you remember from high school days, pitched a great no-hit, no-run



game against 2nd place Three Oaks. The score was 2-0. Buchanan got 3 hits. Jim struck out 16, walked none and faced 21 batters. He couldn't face any less Dellinger and Bill Karpenki scored the Buchanan runs. Jim struck out the side in the 2nd, 3rd and 4th innings. Jim struck out every Three Oaks player at least once.

Team	W	L
Buchanan	9	1
Three Oaks	7	3
New Carlisle	4	6
New Buffalo	0	10

Hold Tournaments at Kathryn Park

At the park Friday Maude Slate held two tournaments, the horse-shoe and jacks. Many entered and all got candy. In the horseshoe tournament, Allan Fisher got 1st, Carl Rauch got 2nd, David Rotzien got 3rd. In the jacks S. Johnson got 1st, Nancy Hearn got 2nd, C. Johnson got 3rd. This week boys and girls are making other articles of use. Next week there will be a golf croquet tournament.

Archers

We here present the score sheet for the accomplishments of the members of the Bend of the River Archery club, as illustrated by their honors in the Michiana Field Archery League Shoot, held at Constantine July 25. This was an all day shoot with 153 registered archers competing. The next League shoot will be held in Niles Aug. 8.

Here is the really imposing evidence of the growing skill of the Robinhoods and Maid Marjans of the Bend of the River League Free Style Division (With Sights).

Men Expert
First, Jack Sheline, Berrien Bowmen, 711, third, John Earl, Bend of the River, 629.

Men Bowmen
First, Keith Miller, Cobus Creek, 508, second, Art Pudell, Bend of River, 496, third, Perry Bosstick, Bend of River, 475.

Men Archer
First, Bill Vaher, Sturgis, 384; second, George Beaver, Bend of River, 384, third, Emmett Harroff, Bend of River, 380.

Ladies Expert
First, Louise Earl, Bend of River, 429, second, Hannah Stelter, Bend of River, 398, third, Marie Long, Bend of River, 368.

Ladies Bowmen
First, Katie Sheline, Berrien Bowmen, 367, second, Lola Bosstick, Bend of River, 330.

Ladies Archer
First, Margaret Beaver, Bend of River, 183, second, Gertrude Harroff, Bend of River, 166, third, Carol Portlock, Bend of River, 163.

Junior Boys
First, Junior Roberts, Constantine, 374.
Three Oaks, Mich—
Novice Boys

First, Jim Collins, Constantine, 170; second, Dennis Pudell, Bend of River, 168, third, Robert Redding, Bend of River, 132.

Junior Girls
First, Sharon Krepple, Constantine, 92.

Instinctive Division (Without Sights)
Men Expert
First, Ray Young, Constantine, 625.

Men Bowmen
First, Bill Ramsey, Benton Harbor, 440.

Men Hunter
First, John Gunn, Berrien Bowmen, 348.

Men Archer
First, Don McLean, Bend of River, 221.

Ladies Expert
First, Hilda Pudell, Bend of River, 282; second, Dora May Thiel, Bend of River, 240.

Ladies Bowmen
First, Maybelle Hall, Bend of River, 230.

Ladies Hunter
First, Marion Hainey, Twin Cities, 151.

Ladies Archer
First, Mary Ann Pollitt, Bend of River, 91; second, Gertrude Meyers, Bend of River, 76.

Couples—Expert Class
First, Katie and Jack Sheline, Berrien Bowmen, 1072, second,

Louise and John Earl, Bend of River, 1049; third, Marie and Carney Long, Bend of River, 928.

Men's Team
First, Cobus Creek, 2473, second, Berrien Bowmen, 2168; third, John Earl, Art Pudell, Carney Long, Perry Bosstick, Bend of River, 2154.

Ladies' Team
First, Louise Earl, Hannah Stelter, Marie Long, Lola Bosstick, Bend of River, 1516.

O.H.C. Ladies Play At Berrien Hills

Several ladies of the Orchard Hills Country Club played golf at the Berrien Hills Invitational meet at Berrien Springs, Tuesday, July 27.

The following received awards: Championship Flight, low gross, Mrs. R. C. Smith, low net, Mrs. H. Hanlin. The two ladies tied for low putts.

A Flight, low gross, Mrs. W. S. Bohl, Jr., low net, Mrs. A. Perez. Mrs. J. W. Strayer and Mrs. J. M. Christian tied for low putts.

B Flight, low gross, Mrs. F. H. Lindenfeld, low net, tie by Mrs. P. T. Schults and Mrs. H. Henderson. Low putts, tie by Mrs. J. Behrendt and Mrs. T. W. VerValm.

C Flight, Blind Bogey, Mrs. Petrowsky. Low putt, Mrs. Joyce Subbs and Mrs. G. Hussey, Jr.

Mrs. E. G. Dahl received an award for a drive closest to the hole on No. 5.

The Bargain Counter of Buchanan Area Record Want-Ads

Announce Schedule Of Sunday Baseball

In view of the increasing interest in the fortune of Buchanan's league-leading baseball team, the following announcement of coming games is made:

Aug. 1 Here—New Carlisle
Aug. 9 Here—Doubleheader with New Buffalo.
Aug. 15 Here—Three Oaks (league runner-up)
Aug. 22 There—New Carlisle

PROPOSITION

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it hit the spot and they did not worry.

Lester McGowan, Eugene (Mickey) Murphy also corroborates the above story. Mickey states that in his boyhood days, somewhat earlier than those of Lester McGowan, an old sycamore tree extended its branches over the swimming hole.

Another story (we forget by whom) related that a rope was tied to a branch of this tree directly above the water. The boys would take hold of this rope and back up the bank as far as possible, then take a run and swing out over the water and let loose.

Murphy states that there were two swimming holes south of the high school grounds, one on the millrace about directly north, and the other to the west beyond the forks of McCoy's creek and the millrace.

"Perhaps you, as a reader, are not interested in all this concerning the old swimming hole."

The writer knows nothing of all this. We were born out in the arid west and to us water meant only something you guided around with a shovel all hours of the day and night to keep the wheat and hay crops from burning up.

Nevertheless, there is one aspect of the subject that we like—you can argue about it and not get mad. Nothing that you are likely to say about it is unduly controversial, which so many things are these days. It was indeed not important. But it was indeed "period" referring to an era when there was no organized recreation!

Some More Thoughts On A Cooling Theme

(As long as there has been some interest aroused in the old swimming hole, here's another verse on it. It's such a cooling subject after all, and there's nothing in it to get hot over, like national and international politics. How grand it would be if all the hate-mongers would just go and dive in a swimming hole and stay there.)

That old swimming hole, it has all gone to seed.
And the path that led to it is all choked with weed.
For the times have turned else-where—it makes me feel sad.
To think of the past and the fun that we had.

Our skins were buff kidskin, one-piece, and you bet
We were not afraid if those suits would get wet.
They were all guaranteed not to shrink or to fade—
And we went there to swim—not to stage a parade.

The path to the river no longer they take—
They jump in their autos and scorch to the lake.
Where the gay bathing belles are all parked by the gross.
And they say they wear suits but you got to look close.

Their parties are gay and their garments are glad.
But I'm darned if they're havin' the fun that we had.
For the hours we spent there were

devoted to swimmin'—
For we went there for that—not to learn about swimmin'—
—W. C. H.

Orchard Hills Ladies Hold Intra League Day Play

Following are the results of the golf played by the Ladies Intra Club League at Orchard Hills Country Club Thursday, July 22.

Winners—Mrs. J. W. Strayer, Mrs. R. C. Smith, Losers—Mrs. M. J. Converse, Mrs. L. R. Burroughs.

Winners—Mrs. A. J. Behndt, Mrs. E. G. Dahl; Losers—Mrs. T. W. Ver Valm, Mr. Fred Smith.

Winners—Mrs. W. S. Bohl, Jr., Mrs. Ted Lyon, Losers—Mrs. E. W. Farnley, Mrs. J. C. Shick.

Winners—Mrs. Ellen Kerr, Mrs. J. Zander, Losers—Mrs. F. H. Lindenfeld, Mrs. B. E. Huff.

Mrs. George Sullivan, Mrs. H. Kennedy Tied Mrs. H. F. Klute, Mrs. L. G. Baxter.

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Clark Equipment Employees Picnic To Be Held Aug. 14

The annual 1954 Clark-Equipment Employees' Picnic will be held at the Buchanan high school grounds on Saturday, Aug. 14. The committee is now at work on a fine program of entertainment, including WLS talent.

The committee personnel is: William Kohlman, president; Arthur Johnston, entertainment chairman; Fred Mason, secretary; Con Kelley, treasurer; Glenn Jesse, Claude McKee, Raymond Gregory, Warren Hawkins, Adam Kuntz, John Miller, Floyd Green, Roger Welsh, John Bell, Charles Herman, George Eddy, Richard Sutton, Claude Denno, Arthur Anderson.

Mrs. Nora Evans Taken By Death

Mrs. Nora Evans died in the Berrien Center hospital, Saturday, July 24, after a week's illness. Prior to that she was the housekeeper for Will Swartz for several years.

She was born May 4, 1885, in Lakeview, Mich. and came to Buchanan about twenty-five years ago. She was a sister of the late Mrs. Fred Bromley, and the aunt

of Mrs. Albert Herman, Mrs. Earl Kramer, Mrs. Joe Howard and Elwyn Bromley. Other survivors are a sister, Mrs. Esther Walsh, Sibbs, Ill., and a brother, Alton Gould, Everett, Wash.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, July 27, in the Swen Funeral home. Rev. L. E. Lee officiated. Burial was in Oak Ridge cemetery.

E.U.B. Women's Society To Attend Riverside Camp

The monthly meeting of the Women's Society of World Service of the First Evangelical U. B. church was held Tuesday evening in the church, when plans were completed for members to attend Missionary Day at Riverside Park campgrounds, August 4. This will be an all-day meeting and part of the annual assembly program of Evangelical U. B. churches of the Kalamazoo district. The speaker will be Rev. C. W. Leader of Sierra Leone, West Africa.

The group planned a co-operative luncheon for noon that day at the Claude DeWitt cottage. Mrs. Robert Bever was in charge of the meeting and Mrs. Winifred Bennett was the devotional leader. There were reports on activities of the circles, given by the circle chairmen, and Mrs. Claude DeWitt reported on the needs of the hotel at River-

side Park.

An interesting talk on conditions in the Holy Land was given by Rev. Floyd M. Barden, pastor of the E.U.B. church in So-dus, who recently visited that country. He showed colored slides taken while there.

Following the meeting refreshments were served by a committee including Mrs. W. Schultz, Mrs. Charles Wilcox, Mrs. Harry Hartline and Mrs. Wesley Strong.

The next meeting will be held August 31.

Buchanan W.B.A. Meets With Mrs. Howard Barbour

The Buchanan review of the Women's Benefit Association met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Howard Barbour, River Road, for a 6 o'clock co-operative dinner and meeting. Mrs. Eliza Smith conducted the business session, during which tentative plans were made to sponsor a rummage sale in August.

A luncheon meeting of the W. B. A. Officers' Club was planned for August 4, with Mrs. Robert Smith, when Mrs. Ruth Spencer, district deputy, of Adrian, will be an honored guest. The luncheon will be a potluck affair at noon.

Another meeting was planned for Aug. 10, with Mrs. Edward Bicar, with Mrs. Retha Thompson as co-hostess.

After the meeting games were

arranged by Mrs. Warren Boyle and the winners were Mrs. Eliza Smith, Mrs. Harley Squier, Mrs. George Haug, Mrs. Martin Mitch, Mrs. Martha Trapp, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Bicar and Mrs. Lep Huebner.

Hillview Pinochle Club

Mrs. Charles Babcock was hostess Tuesday evening to the Hillview pinochle club. High scores were held by Mrs. Warren Juhl, Mrs. Lee Conrad and Mrs. George Roe.

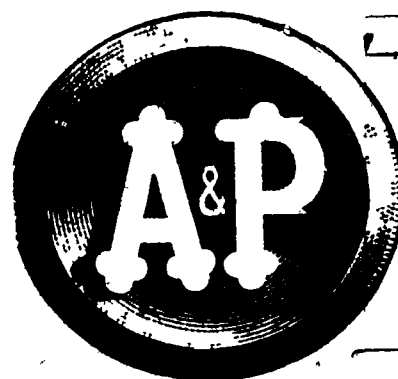
The next meeting will be with Mrs. William Fette on Aug. 10.

Local News Items

D. DiGiacomo will leave Monday night to return to his home in Pacific Grove, Calif., after spending the past three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rudoni and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roti and other friends.

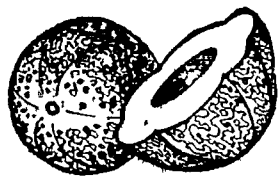
Mrs. Rebecca Sands is convalescing in a rest home and is making good progress. Her son Philip, and his wife are now living in a new home at 4th and Chippewa street which they recently purchased.

Mrs. Paul Scheid and sons and daughter of Jackson, formerly of Buchanan, spent last Wednesday in Buchanan visiting friends.



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Peaches	ELBERTA, 2 1/4-INCH UP, JUST RIGHT FOR SLICING	2 LBS.	29c	Head Lettuce	CRISP AND SOLID, LARGE SIZE HEADS	2 FOR	29c
Apricots	TIME TO ENJOY NOW	2 LBS.	39c	Orange Juice	FRESH FROZEN, FLORIDA GOLD, CONCENTRATED	6 4-OZ. TINS	89c

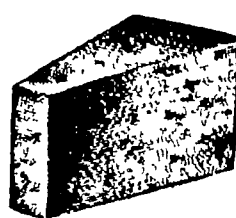


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Shrimp	MEDIUMS	LB 53c 5 LB BOX	2.65	Boiling Beef	MEATY PLATE BEEF	LB	15c

Sliced Bacon	ALL GOOD, LEAN LAYERS	LB. PKG.	55c	Frankfurters	SKINLESS, ALL MEAT	LB. PKG.	49c
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Sail Detergent	"SAIL THROUGH YOUR WASHING"	19-OZ. PKG. 23c	Cigarettes	POPULAR BRANDS, REGULAR SIZE	CTN \$1.99
Daily Dog Food	NEW LOW PRICE—DIET 1 AND 2	6 16-OZ. CANS 49c	Heinz Ketchup	NEW LOW PRICE	2 14-OZ. BOTS 49c

Roman Cleanser	BLEACH 1/2 GAL.	31c	Pure Lard	SUNNYFIELD	1 LB 24c 2 1-LB PKGS. 45c
Trend	GRANULATED DETERGENT	2 LGE. PKGS. 39c	Chum Salmon	NEW LOW PRICE, PERFECT STRIKE	16 OZ CAN 39c
Realgold Orange Base	2 6-OZ. TINS	35c	Chopped Beef	ARMOUR'S	3 12-OZ. CANS \$1.00
Rinso Blue	GT. PKG. 60c	LGE. PKG. 30c	Sandwich Spread	ANN PAGE, NEW LOW PRICE	16 OZ JAR 29c

Waxtex Waxed Paper	100-FT. ROLL	21c	Salad Dressing	SULTANA, NEW LOW PRICE	QT. 35c
Northern Toilet Tissue	3 ROLLS	25c	Sta-Flo Starch	SEND 2 QT. BOT. LABELS TO STA-FLO—RECEIVE 50c CHECK	2 QT. BOTS 39c
Grapefruit Sections	A&P 2 16-OZ. CANS	37c	Facial Tissues	ANGEL SOFT	PKG. OF 200 10c
Prune Plums	SULTANA 30-OZ. CAN	25c	Cream Style Corn	IONA, YELLOW OR WHITE	16 OZ CAN 10c
dexo Shortening	ALL PURPOSE, PURE VEGETABLE 3 LB. CAN	77c	Potatoes	BUTTERFIELD, SLICED, 16-OZ., WHOLE, 14-OZ.	CAN 10c
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Dayton News

Dayton Ladies Aid
The Ladies Aid society of the Dayton Community church will hold its regular meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ivan Ferguson. Miss Blanche Sheldon will conduct the business session.

Dayton Community Church Honors Rev. DesAutels
About 40 members of the Dayton Community church attended the family night co-operative supper and reception, Sunday evening in the Dayton schoolhouse, honoring the new pastor, Rev. William DesAutels and Mrs. DesAutels. The supper was held at 6 o'clock and was followed by group singing led by Rev. DesAutels.

Alden Brown welcomed the honored guests, and a talk on "Future Plans of the Dayton Church" was presented by the minister. Today (Thursday) a potluck picnic will be held for the children of the church at Hudson Lake. Those wanting to go will meet at the church at

10 a.m., where transportation will be provided. They will be returned to the church at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Arden Brown and Mrs. Kenneth Peterson are in charge of arranging the affair.

Oscar (Perry) Richter and Mrs. Richter returned to their home in LaPeer, Mich., the fore part of last week after visiting relatives here for a few days. The postmistress, Rose Rotzien, is back on her job again after taking a two week's vacation. Her husband, Billy, substituted for her during her absence at the postoffice.

Fred Richter made a business trip to Niles last Friday morning. During his return trip he called at the L. S. Allen store in Niles. The Kendall family, living in the Cauffman home here, have returned from a motor trip to visit relatives in Illinois. They were gone a week.

Basel Rotzien of Westville, Ind., uncle of Billy Rotzien, came Monday afternoon to go on a fishing trip with the latter destination unknown. The Dexter family, which had



The Reverend and Mrs. William DesAutels, of Galien, formerly of Kalamazoo, were guests of honor at a Family Night potluck supper held recently in the Galien Methodist church. The Rev. Mr. DesAutels is the newly-appointed pastor of the Galien Methodist church and the Dayton Community church.

as guests relatives from Tennessee for the past week, have returned to their home in Knoxville, Tenn.

Fred Richter spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the Howard Wilson home and also at the home of Mrs. Bill Leiter on route 1, Buchanan.

Our newsboy, David Lee, was taken to the Children's Hospital in South Bend for a tumor operation on his knee. We hope his absence will be only for a short time.

At long last—the high pile of dirt on the west side of the church has been leveled off. The dirt, of course, has much clay in it, and when wet will, no doubt, make driving over it impossible for some time to come.

This correspondent has recently received a letter and also a circular from Maurice F. Gogle, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Dayton, O., stating that Maurice has resigned as general secretary after serving in that capacity there for 15 years. Before going to Dayton, O., he had already served 25 years in Chicago, besides holding secretary posts in Jackson and Detroit, Mich. His resignation will be effective as of Sept. 1. Maurice

will enter another line of work but will continue to make Dayton, O., his home. Maurice is well known here by a few of our older residents and they will be wishing him much success in his future work, whatever it may be.

Olive Branch

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hendrickson of Hamlet were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith Sunday.

Mrs. Katherine Glade and her daughter, Eulah, of Benton Harbor, were Sunday afternoon callers in the Lysle Nye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Bowker, Mr. and Mrs. Max Bowker of Silver Springs, Maryland, called in the Harry McAllister home recently.

Robert McLaren was a member of the judging team that attended the Swine convention at Charlotte, Mich.

Mrs. Jay Frame, Miss Minnie Bohn and Miss Edith Straub visited Mrs. Irvin Davis in LaPorte Sunday.

Miss Murne VanTilburg, Miss Pearl Day, Miss Beatrice Pickrel, Miss Esther Rinker of South Bend

have just returned from a three week's vacation trip through West Virginia, North and South Carolina and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Odean Roberts and family attended the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roberts of Elm Valley.

Mrs. Emma Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Chandler and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Norris and children attended the open house for Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Glenn VanTilburg and daughter, Linda, spent last week with relatives in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bowker and son, Don, Mr. and Mrs. Max Bowker of Silver Springs, Maryland, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Newitt and son, Jimmy, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Newitt spent Sunday at Indian Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Norris and children and Mrs. Emma Norris were Sunday evening callers in the Clifford Young home near Buchanan.

Max Bowker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bowker, has received his discharge from the navy. He lives at Silver Springs, Maryland.

Miss Wayne Newitt and son are spending this week at Indian lake.

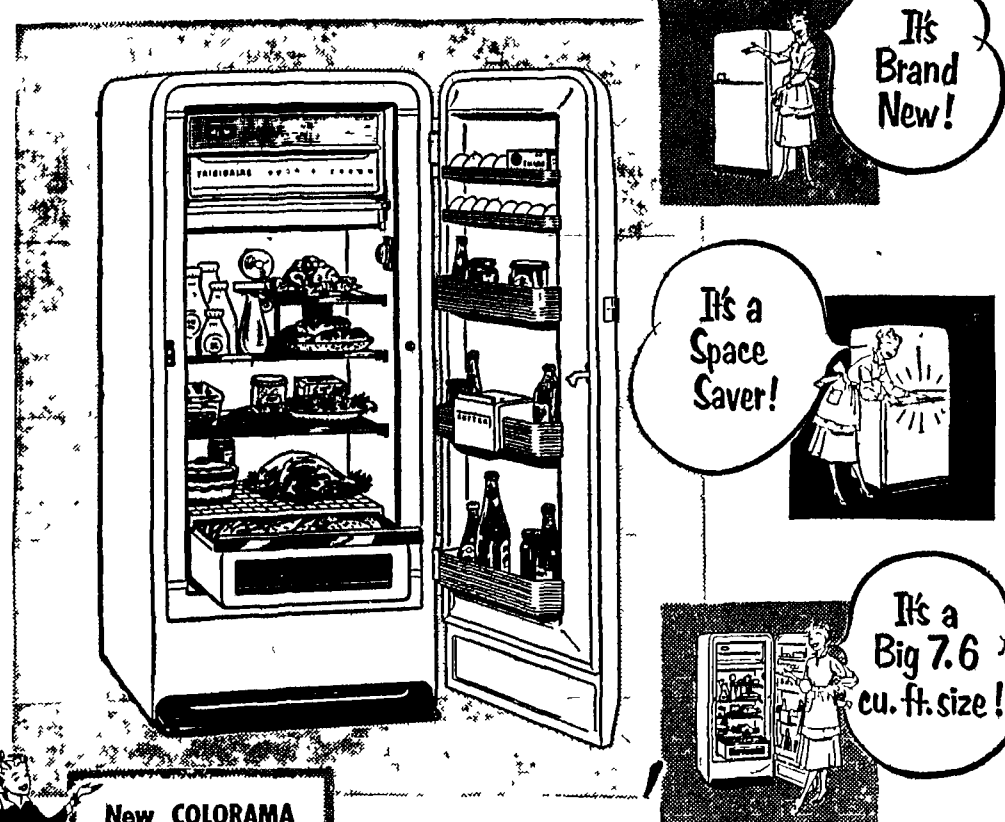
Margaret Plambeck Reported Better At Decatur, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Riley were called Wednesday night of last week to Decatur, Ill., by news that their granddaughter, Margaret Plambeck, aged 10, was suffering from an attack of polio. They were accompanied to Decatur by their son, George Mr. Riley, Sr., and George Riley returned home Thursday but Mrs. Riley stayed. The little girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Plambeck, nee Ione Riley. She was one of three cases of bulbar polio among Decatur children. All of the children she played with have been quarantined for three weeks. She was seized with the illness Monday, July 19. On Thursday, July 22, her illness was positively diagnosed as bulbar polio.

Monday night, July 26, she was reported somewhat improved and able for the first time to take nourishment.

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4. Eighteen uniformed patrolmen cover some 6,250 miles of county roads each week of the year.
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1. Born and raised in Berrien County.
2. High School graduate and attended Western Michigan College at Kalamazoo.
3. Has never touched liquor of any kind and has never gambled.
4. 13 Years Police Experience in Berrien County. Have gone up thru the ranks as motorcycle and radio patrolman and then detective for five years. Have had equal amounts of criminal investigation and traffic work, also experience in organizational and supervision work.
5. Overseas veteran of World War II. Graduated from the U. S. Gov't. criminal investigation school, trained with and by F.B.I. agents in a 14-week's course and graduated with mark of 92. Worked in the C.I.D. on the Mexican border with the U.S. Border Patrol and the Texas Rangers. Was sent to Manila (P.I.) and work in homicide and rackets squads of the criminal investigation

division of the U.S. Army, worked on 39 murder cases and received a commendation for excellent work.

6. With other Special Agents helped reorganize and restaff and train new Manila (P.I.) Police Dept. which had been annihilated by the Japanese during the invasion.

7. Was investigating officer during the war crime trials after the war.

8. Investigated the Philippine communists (Huks) after the war.

9. Graduated from the Detroit Police Dept. drunkometer school with average of 96 and was entitled to and did train other police officers in its use in connection with drinking and driving.

10. Graduated from U.S. Dept. of Interior Bureau of Mines first aid and life saving course and the American Red Cross first aid course.

--- PLATFORM ---

1. More effective and extensive road patrols for traffic in heavy hours and property inspections in low traffic hours.
2. Police schooling for the men, thereby giving them the advantage of my own schooling and experience.
3. Complete cooperation with the Civilian Defense and the Ground Observer Corps. These two groups must be put back on the active list due to our dangerous position in world affairs.
4. Larger and more active Sheriff's Posse. This can be a very useful accessory to any sheriff's department if used to its full potentialities instead of for vote getting. They will be used in cases of

lost children, man hunts, parades, etc.

5. Cooperation with other local police departments.

6. Organization of Little League baseball teams in each and every town and community in the county. Little League is for boys 9-12. Records prove that athletic activities are the No. 1 weapon for combating juvenile delinquency. I have a genuine interest in Little League, proven by the fact that I have been active in it for the past two years before I had intentions of running for any office.

7. "Ticket fixing" has got to go. This is the mark of an inadequate police department and causes laxity and dissention in the department.

IT'S TIME FOR A CHANGE. . . HE ASKED FOUR YEARS WE GAVE HIM TEN — THAT'S ENOUGH!

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East Glendora
Rev. Charles Optiz, Minister
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Young People, 6:45 p.m.
Evening Service, 7:45 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m., followed by choir practice.

Church of The Brethren
Third and Cayuga
Rev. George Stull, Pastor

First Presbyterian Church
H. Carlyle Carson, Minister
9:30 a.m. Worship. Sermon by the Rev. Mr. George Wampler, Jr., assistant pastor of our First Church in Kalamazoo.
10:30, Church school. Mrs. Evelyn Dokey superintendent.
Thursday, 7 p.m., Trustees meeting. E. R. Pazder chairman.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Youth Choir, Mrs. Claude Imhoff director.

Bethel Temple
113 W. Chicago Street
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Sunday evening evangelistic services at 7:30.
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Young People's service.
Friday, 7:30 p.m., Bible study.
Olive Branch Church of the Evangelical United Brethren
Lloyd E. Hansen, Pastor
Church school, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Junior Christian Endeavor Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

Buchanan Missionary Baptist Church
Pastor Eld. G. C. Gean
C.I.O. Hall, Fifth St., Buchanan
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.

The Church of Christ
112 West Third Street
W. Robert Palmer, Minister
Bible school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:45; The Lord's Supper; Sermon.
Christian Youth, 6:30 p.m.
Evening service, 7:45.
Mid-week prayer meeting and Bible study Thursday, 8:00 o'clock.
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St. Anthony's Catholic Church
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Rev. Charles H. Hare, Minister
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Thursday night, 7:30, gathering to pray.
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The second Saturday night of each month the church board meets.

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10:00, Church school, Mrs. Ward James superintendent.
7:30, Intermediate and Senior Youth Fellowship.
7:30, Second Sunday Evening service.
7:30 Tuesday Prayer and Bible study meeting.
4:00 Wednesday, Youth Choir rehearsal.
7:30 Wednesday, Senior Choir rehearsal.

Dayton Community Church
Dayton, Michigan
William W. DesAutels, Minister
9:45, Morning Worship. Nursery for pre-school children.
10:45, Church school. Arden Brown superintendent.
7:30, Intermediate and Senior Youth Fellowship.
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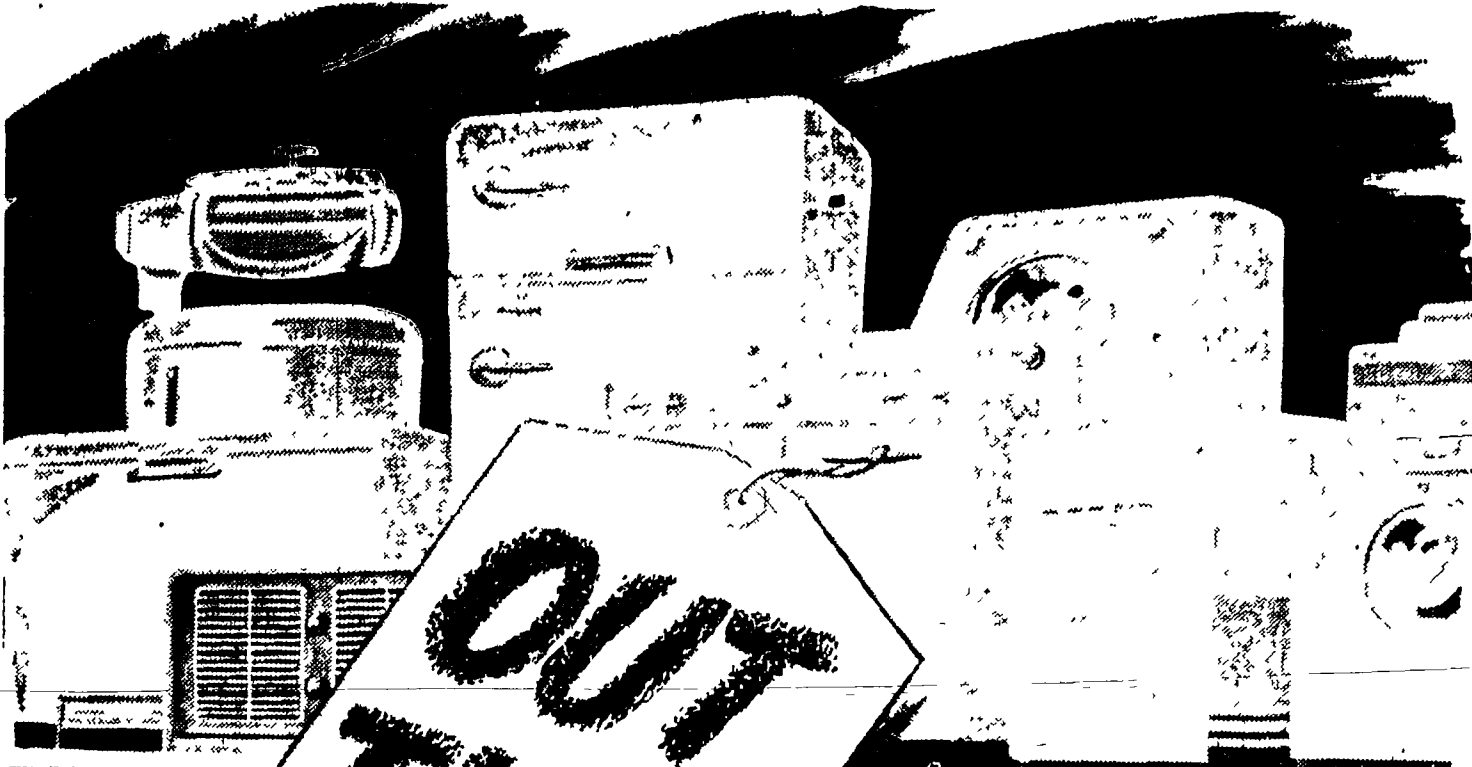
Christian Science Society
Sunday service, 11 a.m. Subject "Love"
Golden Text, (Zephaniah 3:17) "The Lord thy God in the midst of thee is mighty, he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing."
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45.
The reading room in the church building is open every Wednesday afternoon, except holidays, from 2 until 4 o'clock.

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The television program "This is The Life," each Sunday, WKZO-TV, channel 8, 11:00 a.m.; consult your paper for time and date for this program over WGN-TV, channel 9.

Adventists
Building for good citizens through Christian education was the theme of the worship service at the Buchanan Seventh-day Adventist church at 11 a.m. Saturday.
The challenge of 20th century youth in an era of world uncertainty was discussed by the pastor, L. C. Caviness. A panel will consider the church's responsibility to maintain schools where its young people can receive a secular education fitly balanced with Christian principles as set forth in the Scriptures.
The program, designed to stimulate interest in the schools of the church, was scheduled for all Adventist churches throughout the county in recognition of Christian Education Day, the pastor said.
The Adventist educational system now totals 4,788 schools, with 274 above elementary level. There are 232,087 students enrolled.
Children of this area attend either the elementary school in Niles or in Berrien Springs. For those graduating from the elementary school, the Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists maintains an academy at Berrien Springs. Graduates from high school or the academy in this conference usually continue their education at Emmanuel Missionary College in Berrien Springs.

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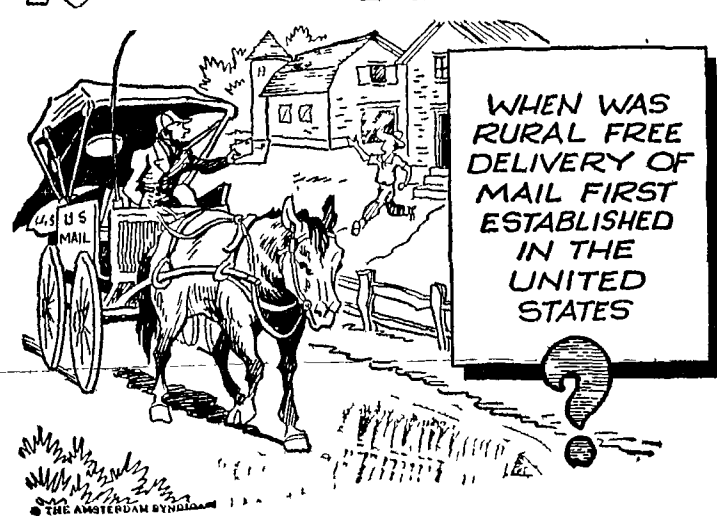
BUCHANAN SOCIAL EVENTS

45 Members Of Wells-Herkimer Family Reunite

Forty-five members of the Wells-Herkimer families attended the 49th annual reunion held Sunday in the Bertrand township hall. At the business meeting following the pot luck dinner, Dr. Robert Wells, Chicago, was re-elected as president for the 1955 reunion, and

Mrs. Dwight Gillette, Niles, was elected secretary-treasurer. It was planned to hold the reunion next year at the same place, on July 31. Memorial services were held for Mrs. Martha Tichenor, who died last winter. Fred Tichenor was the oldest person present, and Marjorie Wells, year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wells of Fortage Prairie, was the youngest. Dr. and Mrs. Wells attended from the greatest distance.

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The bride-elect was graduated last month from Buchanan high school and is employed in the office of the Clark Equipment company. Her fiancé was graduated from the local high school in 1953, and is a student at Michigan State College, East Lansing, where he is studying veterinary medicine.

Presidents Past Parley

Of V. F. W. Meet
The monthly meeting of the Past Presidents parley of the American Legion auxiliary, was held Monday evening in the Legion home, when plans were made to honor each president of the unit as she retires from office. Mrs. Milton Vigansky was named chairman for the next meeting August 23. The unseen gift was presented to Mrs. Warren Juhl. Games were arranged by Mrs. T. R. Stephens and the winners were Mrs. Vigansky, Mrs. Juhl, Mrs. A. Preston Sprague, Mrs. Warren Willard, Mrs. William Baker and Mrs. Guy Eisenhart.

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Miller-Walter Wedding Last Saturday

In a marriage ceremony performed Saturday in the First Methodist church, Niles, Miss Minnie Miller became the bride of Sharon Walter of Buchanan.

The Rev. L. George Beacock, pastor, performed the ceremony before 200 guests.



Mrs. Sharon Walter

Mrs. Helen Mitchell, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Norma Probst, Miss Phyllis Conner, and Miss Wanda Lipp. Eugene Stineback, Buchanan, was best man, and Clair Davis was groomsmen. Ushers were Robert Clubb, Edward Ashcraft of New Carlisle, Ind., Clifford Walter, Buchanan, brother of the bridegroom, and James Miller, brother of the bride.

After August 1 the couple will be at home at 612½ S. Lincoln, Niles. The bride is a graduate of Niles high school and the bridegroom is a graduate of Buchanan high school, class of 1954. He is employed at Stelter's Grocery in Buchanan.

Warren Dunes Park, near Sawyer this (Thursday) evening. After the supper there will be a business meeting with the president, Loretta Phiscator, in charge. Assisting the president in arranging the affair are Donna Phiscator, Donna Racine and Sharon Thompson.

17th Reunion Of Bromley-Redding Clan Held Sunday

The 17th annual reunion of the Bromley-Redding family was held Sunday at Potawatomi park, in South Bend, with fifty members attending. These were descendants of William Bromley and Nelson Redding and there were four children of William Bromley present. Fred Bromley, Jr., of Dowagiac, was elected president. Richard Bromley, Niles, was elected vice-president, and Mrs. Oscar Bromley, North Liberty, Ind., secretary-treasurer. Plans were made to hold the 1955 reunion at the same place on July 31. Mrs. Zoie Storms of Niles, age 74, was the oldest member present, and the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kujawa, South Bend, was the youngest. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bromley, Pontiac, Mich., attended from the greatest distance.

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ordion music and the women will provide prizes for games and serve refreshments. They will also distribute cigarettes and candy to the patients. This is one of the projects held annually by the auxiliary, as a part of its rehabilitation work in veterans hospitals.

Hills Corners Home Economics Club Enjoys Outing

Fifteen members of the Hills Corners Home Economics club enjoyed an outing and noon luncheon at Island Park, Niles, Tuesday. During the business meeting, conducted by the vice-chairman, Mrs. Jack Haroff, a donation was made to the Berrien county Home Extension Council, earmarked for the Youth

Fair booth fund. It was voted to omit the August meeting and to hold an all-day meeting with Mrs. Guy Coffman Sept. 21, when the club starts its new year. There will be a co-operative dinner at noon and the new officers will be seated.

Contests provided entertainment for the remainder of the afternoon and the winners were Mrs. Frank Rumsey and Mrs. Haroff. Mrs. Coffman was chairman of the entertainment committee.

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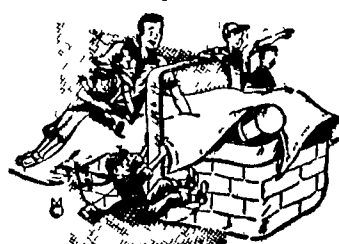
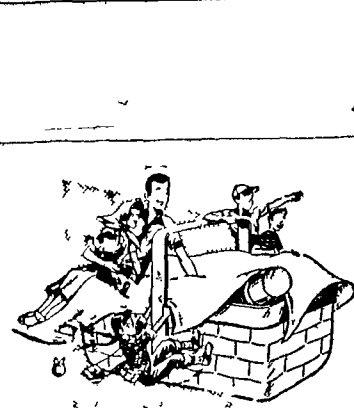
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Republicans Harmonious, Democrats Upset By Loss Of Moody As Primary Looms

Stunning news of Blair Moody's death brought renewed public interest in the primary election Aug 3.

It was a tragic loss to the Democratic party. One that was felt deeply and personally by many party leaders.

It was also a loss that presented some practical political problems.

There seemed little choice. Patrick V. McNamara, Moody's only primary opponent, seemed almost certain of nomination.

There was some talk about a possible sticker candidate, but Gov. G. Mennen Williams refused

to make any statement about this subject for several days after Moody's death.

Michigan law is not clear about such cases as Moody's. According to one section, the Democratic State Central Committee could pick another candidate and order his name pasted over Moody's on the ballot. Another section mentions that voters can write in names.

Relations between Williams and McNamara had been formal, almost to a point of being stilted. In early stages of the campaign McNamara had accused Williams of making a "vest pocket" candi-

date out of Moody. He made bitter statements about favoritism by Democratic Chairman Neil Staebler. He has been associated with AFL and has remarked pointedly about "the present ADA, CIO boss and egghead leadership."

Democratic leaders gave silent thanks that their relationship with McNamara had improved since the caustic comments at the beginning of the campaign. Their problem would have been infinitely more complex if the relationship had been one of open warfare as exists in the Lieutenant-Governor race.

"The first I knew about it was what I read in the papers," said the Governor when asked about the report that Moody had tied to withdraw from the race because of ill health.

The story was quickly and vehemently denied by Blair Moody, Jr. He said that his father wanted nothing more in life than to continue the campaign and that he never considered withdrawing. Neil Staebler said, "The inference that Mr. Moody wanted to withdraw from the senatorial race and was prevented by party leaders is completely untrue. It defames the integrity of a great senator."

Harmony in the Republican camp, on the other hand, was so much in evidence that the campaign could be considered dull. As one Capitol reporter put it: "All of them are in favor of good roads, good schools, lower taxes, etc. I don't hear much talk about how these things will be paid for, or specific steps candidates expect to take."

This is a new situation for Republicans who consider they lost several elections because such vigorous campaigning took place in primaries that the party could not unify itself behind the winning candidate.

Men In Service

Pvt. William G. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Miller, 604 S. Oak St., Buchanan, re-



Pvt. William G. Miller recently arrived at Ft. Hood, Tex., and was assigned to the 701st Armored Infantry Battalion, 1st Armored Division.

Pvt. Miller entered the service in January 1954 and took basic

training at Ft. Knox, Ky.

Pvt. Miller joins the 1st Armored Division as it prepares for another advanced cycle to maintain its combat-ready status. The "Old Ironsides" Division is famed for its World War II action in Africa and Italy, which included such battles as the Kasserine Pass, Salerno, and Anzio.

chance high school, his alma mater.

Clarence likes the friendliness of Texas, where everyone says "howdy" when they meet you. However, the heat there has been terrific. Add to that, his job as cook at the camp, serving 700 men and WAC's each day.

Thomas E. Huebner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Huebner of Portage Prairie enlisted in the U.



Pvt. Thomas E. Huebner

S. Army Airborne Div. July 1st. He graduated from Buchanan high school in June. He is receiving basic training in Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., and will be happy to hear from his friends. His address is: Pvt. Thomas E. Huebner, RA 16464338, Bty. A, 253rd Arm'd Fa. Bn., 2nd Plt., 6th Armored Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Pfc. Lawrence Marsh

Pfc. Lawrence Marsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Marsh, Arctic St., recently enrolled in the Machine Operations course conducted by the U. S. Forces Institute in Korea. He is one of 297,000 servicemen now enrolled in the USAFI correspondence and self-teaching courses throughout the world. Lawrence is a graduate of Buchanan high school.

While serving with the 17th Rgt., 7th Infantry Div., he is participating in the American Forces assistance to Korea program. He, with other members of his battalion, are constructing more than 20 public works projects, including schools, roads, and irrigation facilities. Lawrence keeps up with Buchanan by reading his weekly copy of the Berrien County Record, but mail from his friends will be welcome. Address: Pfc. Lawrence Marsh, EA 16422828, Hdq Co., 1st Bn., 17th Inftry Regt., APO 7, % P.M., San Francisco, Calif.

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And it presents different problems. Much less campaign money has been made available to candidates than in other years. "Everyone seems to feel it doesn't matter which of the men is nominated," said a GOP figure. "They don't see much advantage to backing any of them now — or risking the support of one who might not win the nomination."

Expectations are that once the primary is over, much support will materialize. Something else is expected to materialize when the primary is over: maneuvering for positions of the state administrative board. Candidates for those offices are selected by state convention of each party. Democrats hold their get-together in Grand Rapids on Aug. 14, the GOP meets in the same place a week later on Aug. 21.

Much speculation can be made about both situations, but the more interesting is the GOP. Positions open include: secretary of state, treasurer, attorney general, auditor general, and superintendent of public instruction. Owen J. Cleary, present secretary of state, could make another try at the position if he were unsuccessful as a candidate for governor. D. Hale Brake, present treasurer, could do the same. Will Donald Leonard want another post if he loses?

Not to be forgotten is George Higgins.

He is the able senator from Royal Oak who withdrew from the governor's race and announced himself as a candidate for the Republican secretary of state's chair.

Days leading up to the primary are important to political leaders. Candidates tend to be judged more by activities of the final hours. Their conduct before the voting will have much to do with their fate afterwards.

State conventions are often noisy, unpredictable affairs. Delegates can be headstrong or capricious. No one can be sure when one starts what will take place before it is adjourned.



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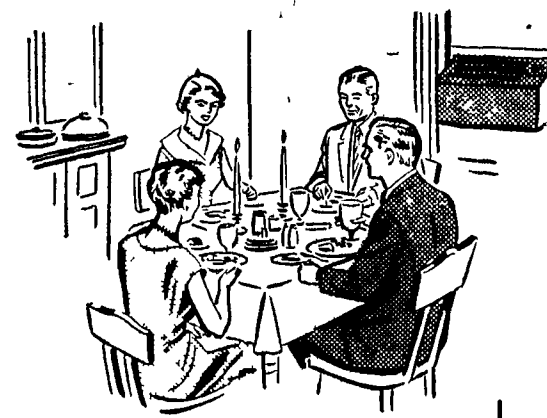
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The Story of Buchanan



Buchanan Brick Monuments Of The Civil War

Business both in industry and trade began to prosper throughout the north and in Buchanan in 1857 and continued in high gear until the panic of 1873. The prosperity of the merchants and industrialists of that era is still manifest in its monuments—the 3-story brick buildings of the business section and the palatial (for Buchanan) brick residential

constructions. Prices became high and there were few or no brakes or controls during the Civil War. There were no railways north of the Michigan Central in the county then and Buchanan enjoyed a wider scope of trade than ever since. Settlers to the north and northwest came as far as 20 miles to trade in Buchanan, a long and all-day trip on dirt roads, even in the best of weather. Roads were best in summer and winter and worst in the spring and fall.

Prices were high, in part to cover the high percentage of loss, when merchants financed the poorer farmers from one year's harvest to another. However, during the war prices paid farmers were high, particularly for wheat. The merchants consequently handled a great deal of money, and, as usual, suffered under the illusion that their prosperity would be permanent. So they built large store buildings and fine brick residences that later contributed to their ruin.

The first 3-story brick store building was erected about 1860 by John D. Ross, Charles Clark and L. P. Alexander at the corner of Main and Front, where the Shanahan Insurance Agency now (1954) is, but known for many years as the First National Bank building. This we know for certain because not long after we came here we placed Ross's 3-story brick where the Allen Hardware now is, and soon got a letter from Holmes at Cedar Rapids, Ia., correcting us. Ross's first store, wrote Holmes, was indeed a frame building which stood on the present site of the Allen Hardware, during the 1850's.

This first 3-story brick fronted on Main street and extended east to include the present site of the Goodie Drug store. It was entirely destroyed by the big fire of 1862. It was then replaced by a 2-story brick containing three store fronts on Front street as it is today. Holmes wrote that when he first bought the Record it was housed partly in the second floor and partly in the basement of that building. For a time during the Civil War the paper, then owned by the firm of Lloyd & Turner, was housed in the third story of the present Buchanan Hotel building.

The Hotel Buchanan, a 3-story brick, was erected by Leander P. Fox in the early part of the Civil War. As first built it fronted on Front street. It was later bought by Archibald and Silas Dunbar, who had just sold an 800-acre farm and invested the returns in the 3-story brick, converting it into a hotel. William R. Rough later bought the building, and in 1890 sold it to Andy

Carothers, who also bought the three lots to the south, now still vacant and owned (1954) by the Indiana & Michigan Electric Co. and the Tomlinson Brothers.

Carothers cleared and sodded the three lots and converted them into a sort of beer garden (or wine garden). He planted flower beds, built a fish pond which he stocked with ornamental fish and placed tables for his customers under the large willow trees that once shaded the area. He also had several cages housing a small zoo, including two wildcats from Oklahoma, and an eagle which had been captured by the Madron brothers northwest of Buchanan from a nest of five.

The present Russell building with the Koenigshof Dry Goods in the corner room of the first floor, was built about 1862 by the hardware firm of Nathaniel M. Collins and Philander M. Weaver. Collins and Weaver had operated a hardware store in a frame building on the site of the present Donley Brothers Tavern. Collins & Weaver had been buying their stock from the wholesale firm of Hubbard, Spencer & Bartlett & Co. of Chicago and that firm financed the construction of the 3-story brick by the local firm. They first bought the corner lot from Mary Arthur, who had a bakery there. In addition to the brick they built the frame structure at the south, separated from the brick by an alley. This now houses the Cramer Market.

The original firm of John D. Ross, Charles Clark and L. P. Alexander, who built the 3-story brick at the corner of Main and Front facing on Main, dissolved and went their separate ways. Clark and Ross lost their fortunes in later years. Alexander, a leading politician and builder of Buchanan, fared better as far as this writer knows. His home was the beautiful old mansard-roofed brick which was torn down in 1942 to clear the ground for the present Buchanan postoffice building.

During the early 1930's this writer weaved his way in and out through the various tales told by old timers regarding the above building, accepting as rule the

Vastine Seeks Job Of County Coroner

In view of the fact that Dr. Franklyn Rice of Niles, is not a candidate to succeed himself as one of the two county coroners to be elected at the November polls, friends of Dr. Russell J. Vastine of Buchanan, have, with his consent, entered his name for nomination for that office on the Republican ticket at the Aug. 3 primaries.

There are two very important reasons for his candidacy. 1. One of the coroners should live in the southern part of the county in view of the fact that when death occurs when a physician is not present, a coroner must view the remains before they are moved. 2. It is in the public interest that the office again be placed in the hands of a medical doctor, whose training and experience will render him much more competent to give a decision where cause of

verdict of John Holmes, who died in 1936. He was born about 1850 on a farm east of Buchanan, and bought the Record in 1876. His story, as we have related it, was disputed in at least one particular, as to who built the building now housing the Hotel Buchanan.

Jacob Luther, who operated a store in Dayton in the years of early settlement, came to Buchanan and built a 2-story brick store and a brick mansion. The store building now houses the Castle Jewelry & Gift Shop. The brick mansion lost a story by fire during the 1930's and is now the 2-apartment building owned by William Fette. The eaves were trimmed by a very ornate scrollwork. A classic story of the times was that James Reynolds, the money-lender and banker who had large landholdings near New Carlisle, was passing the house while the carpenters were hanging the scrolls. Another observer asked what the scrolls were for. Reynolds replied that they were to hang the mortgages on. That was indeed the fate of most of the mansions. Mr. Reynolds, the holder of many mortgages, knew about that.

death is in doubt. Dr. Vastine measures up very admirably to both requirements. His offices in Buchanan place him near the center of the southern part of Berrien county. He is a graduate of Brown University of Providence, R. I., served as a laboratory technician in the U. S. Navy in World War II, and was later graduated with the degree of M.D. from the medical department of Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

Wagner News

The police departments of St. Joseph and Buchanan held a picnic at Weaver Park, Wagner Road, Sunday evening.

Mrs. George Marsh had a narrow escape recently while driving on Madron lake road. The driver of a car from the opposite direction crowded her off the road. Fortunately the car did not tip over, so it was not damaged and she received no injuries, as she was able to get help at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mitchell, son, Larry, and daughter, Barbara, left Saturday for a trip around the lake, driving through Wisconsin and the Upper Peninsula.

The Hills Corners Mome Ec club held a picnic at Island Park, Niles, Tuesday.

Wagner Grange will meet this Friday night, July 30.

A 50 bushel crop of corn removes 60 pounds of nitrogen, 27 pounds of phosphate, and 55 pounds of potash. This is equal to a plant food of 600 pounds complete fertilizer, or 8 tons of manure.

Just as the foundation of the church building is in the soil, so is the foundation of life itself.

Congress made certain the stripes in the flag of the U. S. would not exceed 13 in July of 1818.

Political Advertisement

DON'T FORGET

If you approve of the ending of the war in Korea, of refusing to send our troops into Indo-China, and of a policy which will keep us out of war everywhere, unless we are attacked, don't fail to vote in your local precinct on Tuesday, August 3, which is primary election day.

In addition to supporting the policy outlined above, I have consistently and vigorously voted, as well as talked, in favor of a tax reduction, the limiting of the number of Federal employees, the lessening of Federal expenditures, the necessity of conducting our Government so as to promote the welfare of our people, the security of our Nation.

Substantial progress has been made in all of the above.

Following the suggestions which many of you have sent me, digging into the facts, the situation of our Government as it is administered here in Washington and voicing my own convictions which have been endorsed by the people of the District generally, it is encouraging to note that despite the enormity of the clean-up task which confronted this Administration, the Congress is well on its way on the task of giving the people the kind of government they want.

Though I have no opposition in the primary, don't forget to vote. There are other candidates and the responsibility of endorsing those who are unopposed, of selecting the most worthy where there are several candidates, rests upon the individual citizens of every community.

Remember the day, Tuesday, August 3rd.

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Political Advt.

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General Primary Election

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Notice is hereby given, that a

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Township of Buchanan

Berrien County, State of Michigan, at

Wagner Grange Hall

4 mi. N.W. of Buchanan, within said township on

Tuesday, August 3, 1954

for the purpose of placing in nomination by all political parties participating therein, candidates for the following offices, viz:

STATE Governor, Lieutenant Governor
CONGRESSIONAL: United States Senator, Representative in Congress
LEGISLATIVE: State Senator, Representative
COUNTY: Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Drain Commissioner, Coroners, Surveyor, and such other Officers as may be nominated at that time.

And for the purpose of placing in nomination, candidates participating in a Non-Partisan Primary Election for the following offices, viz:

Circuit Judge, Circuit Court Commissioners.

Relative To Opening and Closing of the Polls

The polls for said election will be open at 7:00 o'clock A.M., and will remain open until 8:00 o'clock P.M.

Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof, shall be allowed to vote.

CLAYTEN SPAULDING, Buchanan Township Clerk
1st insertion July 22; last July 29

Court house round-up

ST. JOSEPH—The pride of the Berrien county register of deeds office perhaps would not look out of place in a modern technical laboratory.

But in Berrien's 60-year-old court house, it sticks out like a 30-inch television set in a migrant shack.

"It" is the new photostat machine—the latest thing in taking out all the guesswork and much of the labor in copying the reams of official documents which constitutes much of the work in the register of deeds office.

Indeed, it put the once tedious operation on a modern pushbutton basis, at the same time saving

both money and time and insuring high quality reproductions.

Miss Catherine Weber, the register of deeds who, of course, wasn't around in those days, recalls that Berrien county has used four methods of recording since recording became a vital part of county services back in 1831.

"Originally, records were copied with a pen, later a typewriter saved labor and permitted extra copies," Miss Weber explains. "Then in 1837, the first photostat machine was installed and spread over 20 years, it's cost proved less than the cost of replacing worn-out typewriters."

"The cost of the new machine,"

she reports, "based on 20 years of service, will amount to less than one-third the salary we would have to pay for an additional clerk, which otherwise would have been necessary."

It seems that what with all the World War II and Korean War servicemen wanting copies of military discharges together with the increased demands upon the probate and chancery courts, the demands upon the register of deeds office in recent years have been mounting by leaps and bounds.

"Our volume last year numbered 16,000 instruments," Miss Weber reports, "and many more thousands pages because one document may contain a dozen, 150, or even 200 pages."

"In 1953, we copied 6,200 deeds, 3,300 mortgages, 2,800 discharges,

500 orders and decrees, 300 easements and over 2,000 miscellaneous documents and approximately 1,000 land contracts, leases, affidavits, liens and assignments. In addition we copied over 2,500 documents for the probate court and some 1,250 pages for the chancery court."

What is even better, as far as Miss Weber is concerned, is that "copies made on the machine are exact reproductions of the original, including seals and signatures and requires no proofreading. There is no chance of failing to include a date, omit a technical description or misinterpret a name."

The machine, monstrous and complicated as it looks, requires but a single operator. It photographs, prints, dries the reproductions without further manual effort on the part of Miss Weber's staff. It even sorts them according to their classification, saving even more time for the staff.

In case you're dubious, just ask Miss Weber. She'll tell you the photostat is one modern contrivance that is here to stay.

To Leonard Hill, Berrien county 4-H agent, goes this week's citation for being the county official most considerate of the taxpayer's pocketbook.

Seems Hill took several hundred Youth Fair premium books to the post office to mail this week, only to find that if each one of the 148-page books was just one-eighth of an ounce lighter, it would cost 20 cents per each less to mail.

Hill packed up the several hundred books and hauled them back to the basement of the Berrien county courthouse. There he ran each one through a paper cutter, trimming off that eighth of an ounce from around the edges of each book.

The 1954 Youth Fair at the Berrien county Youth Fair grounds at Berrien Springs, comes off Aug. 18 through 22. The books had to get into the mail to help promote the fair.

And into the mail they got, sans the eighth of an ounce and with 20 cents less postage each than would have otherwise been required.

Maybe Bill Nestle simply has an unusual amount of compassion for the poor unfortunates who get themselves incarcerated in the Berrien county jail.

Maybe Bill Nestle has nothing better to do than sit up in his office in Lansing and think of ways to make life a little easier for the poor unfortunates who get themselves incarcerated in the

Berrien county jail.

Whatever the motive, Bill Nestle came up with a dilly of a suggestion this week.

Nestle is Michigan's jail inspector. He was one of the men who told Berrien county, when it set about to erect a new jail, how big it should be, and how many square feet of cell space should be allotted to each prisoner whether there was a prisoner there or not.

He even told Berrien county that prisoners should be made real comfortable with mattresses on their bunks.

Now comes his latest brain-storm. He wrote a letter to Sheriff Erwin H. Kubath recently commending the sheriff for improving the quality of food being fed the prisoners.

But he thought that food should be served in partitioned plates! Maybe the poor unfortunates who don't get themselves incarcerated in Berrien county's jail have been wrong all these years. There'll probably be a big rush on Berrien county stores to buy partitioned china.

After all, responsible residents certainly want to keep pace with the standard of living of its jail inmates.

What next, Bill, television sets for bunnies?

Standardized Construction Of Schools Advised

M. S. C. Local Government Forum Discusses Problems Of Township Government

EAST LANSING—Standardized school buildings and township problems received attention of the ninth annual Forum in State and Local Government at Michigan State College.

Standardized school buildings would fit 90% of the requirements of Michigan public schools and save the taxpayers money, according to Louis H. Schummel, director of the Municipal Advisory Council.

Schummel argued that public school districts often are not getting their money's worth in building new schools because they hire architects who don't understand school-building procedures and architects who often "have never built anything more than a gas station before."

He said school construction costs are ranging from \$12,000 to \$30,000 a room. Opposition to school standardization comes mainly from local pride and the architects," Schummel said.

Dr. Clyde M. Campbell of the M. S. C. department of educational administration said that standardized building might lead to standardized school systems.

More equal representation and better cooperation were cited as needs by panel members to improve fringe problems in Michigan's townships. Other needs are better laws to succeed "antique" measures still in effect, and better public relations between citizens and public office holders.

William H. Form, M. S. C. socialologist, said that fringe areas are continuing to grow in size and are becoming more city-like.

Harry DeMaso, Battle Creek township supervisor, pointed out "some cities are just too crowded. People have to move someplace and the logical place is fringe areas. Problems that have come up haven't been problems that can't be licked. But you've got to have cooperation between the city and the outlying area."

Midland city manager Ray Fry said that the need for organized government is based on the basic reasoning "that you can do things together in a group that you can't do individually."

Report of an area study at Flint was given by Homer E. Dowdy, staff writer for the Flint Journal. He said the No. 1 problem as listed by the people themselves was sewage disposal. Next were streets and highways, zoning laws enforcement, schools, financing, water supply, etc.

Fry said one of the greatest problems in fringe development "is the question who is going to pay for trunk service to an area to be serviced." He said the only solution is "for everyone to sit down and say 'We have a problem' and try to solve it."

DeMaso said he would place "poor public relations at the head of the list of what's wrong. Unless you have a good contact with the people you can't do anything about a lot of problems."

He urged that "antiquated" laws be updated by the legislature. Wyoming township supervisor Louis Vos and Dowdy both said a "basic problems" is representation on the board of supervisors. Dowdy said that unless the board equally represents different population groups "the balance of power can be held by the area not affected by proposed improvements."

Dental Health

(Published in co-operation with the Tri-County Dental Society.)

The Dental Pulp. When that toothache flares up in the middle of the night, it signifies that the decay has reached the "nerve" or heart of the tooth, properly known as the pulp.

The pulp is a specialized tissue containing not only nerves, but arteries and veins. It has several functions, but the most important is to form dentin, the body proper of the tooth.

Not only does the pulp produce the original dentin of the teeth, but it continues to lay down secondary dentin when the teeth become worn down through use in

later years.

The health of the pulp is maintained by keeping decay away. At one time it was believed that once the pulp was infected, it was necessary to extract the tooth. Now it is known that the tooth sometimes can be saved, particularly single-rooted teeth in the front of the mouth.

Treatment consists in removing the infected portion and sterilizing the tooth. The root canal is then filled with a non-irritating material.

When the pulp has been partially removed, the tooth often has been called a "dead" tooth. But this term is not correct.

When the tooth pulp is no longer able to create new dentin, the tooth continues to receive nourishment for this purpose by way of the cementum, which is the bony layer covering the roots. Many such "dead" teeth remain serviceable for years.

Occasionally, a devitalized tooth becomes discolored. When this becomes unsightly, dentists use a bleaching process. In those cases where a tooth won't respond to bleaching, dentists can place a porcelain jacket over it.

Not all devitalized teeth are a result of tooth decay. Sometimes the nerve and blood supply of the tooth can be interrupted by a blow resulting from an accident.

Free Baby Sitting Offered At 1954 Mich. State Fair

There'll be a free baby sitting service offered to the public at the 1954 Michigan State Fair.

The project will be sponsored by the Southern Oakland county Girl Scouts and will enable parents to leave small children (age 3 minimum) at the center free of charge for a period of two hours.

The service, the first of the State Fair public service events, will have an hourly capacity of 32 children. It will be housed in a 12'x18' enclosed area set in a 50'x100' fenced area. The children will be in the care of trained Girl Scouts, who have completed a series of special training sessions set up in advance, and there will be one Scout to every four children. The project will be under the supervision of three adults at all times, a registration clerk, a registered nurse, and a Scout leader.

Craft materials, playground equipment, and games will be supplied. With the permission of the parent, each child will be given a snack of milk, cookies, and ice cream.

The Bargain Counter of Buchanan Are Record Want-Ads

Civil Service Test Announced For Local P.O. Substitutes

A Civil Service examination for permanent appointment in the Buchanan post office to positions as Substitute Clerk-Carriers has been announced by J. A. Connor, director of the 7th U. S. Civil Service Region. Starting pay is \$161½ an hour with opportunity for advancement. Additional compensation is provided for night work and for authorized overtime. Competition in this examination is restricted to residents of Buchanan, and persons now employed in the Buchanan post office, who are between the ages of 18 and 50. These age limits are waived for veterans. Persons now holding temporary or indefinite appointments should file for this examination if they wish to be considered for permanent appointment.

The duties of these positions require physical exertion and applicants must be physically fit to perform these duties or they will be rejected.

A written test is required of all applicants.

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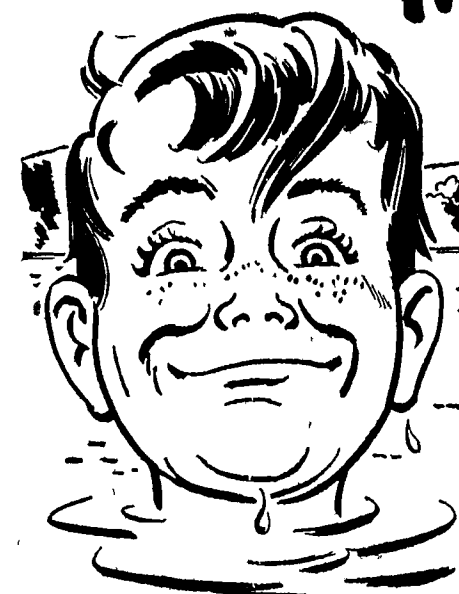
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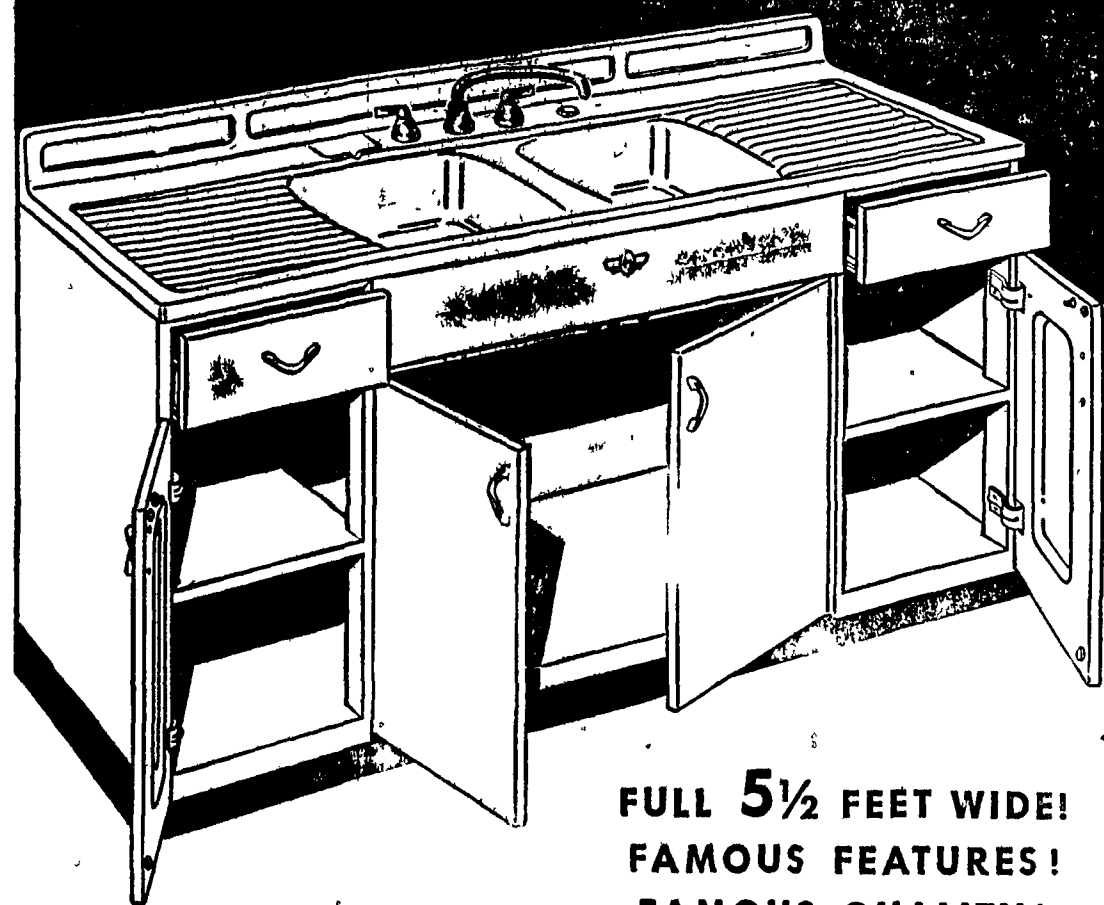
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First insertion June 3, last Aug 26

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of one certain mortgage, dated February 7th, A.D., 1939, and recorded at Liber 200 of Mortgages, page 529 on February 8, 1939, made by Laura Williams Alexander to Union State Bank, a Michigan Banking Corporation, with principal place of business at Buchanan, Michigan, and on May 23rd, A.D. 1941 assigned to Harold S. Bott, by assignment, recorded at Liber 13 of Assignments, page 344 on July 11, 1941, and on December 15, A.D. 1943, assigned to Lulu McKnight by assignment, recorded at Liber 14 of Assignments, page 370 on May 15, 1944, and on July 9th A.D., 1946, assigned to Lott Logan by assignment recorded at Liber 15 of Assignments, page 37 on July 10, 1946, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of June 3rd, 1954, the date of this notice, on principal and interest, including taxes paid by mortgagee and added to such principal, the sum of \$685.32 with interest accrued per day thereafter at 11 cents, and no proceeding at law having been instituted to recover said debt.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 30th day of August, A.D. 1954, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph, Berrien County, Michigan, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public sale to the highest bidder, of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due, as aforesaid, and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

Beginning at a small black oak tree on the South line of depot lands of the Michigan Central Railroad Company in the Village of Dayton, thence southerly on a line with the road fence in front of the house owned by the widow of Philip Redding 270 feet, thence easterly 169 feet to the pond of water, thence northerly by 210 feet to a red oak stump about twelve (12) inches in diameter, thence westerly about 178 feet to the place of beginning, together with the privilege of flowing all the water on said 1/4 section that may be necessary for mill purposes, same being the Northeast 1/4, Section 7, Township 8 S, Range 18 West, and known as the Dayton Mill property, excepting therefrom that part of the above described land sold and conveyed to Byron Redding March 6, 1906, by deed recorded at Volume 156 of deeds, page 579, records-of-Register of Deeds office, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Mill Lot, thence north 87 feet, thence easterly 80 feet, thence southerly along the line of highway 77 feet, thence west 30 feet to place of beginning.

Also known as Com 213 S 75° W of NE corner of Block 75, Plat of Village of Dayton, Section 7, Township 7 South, Range 18 West, thence S 160° S 65° 30' E 82.5 to Hwy. NE 1/4, along Hwy 171 S N 72° W, 170' to beginning, being part of Block 3. Dated June 3rd, A.D., 1954.

Signed Lott Logan
B. R. Desenberg, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage
Business address: Box 72, Buchanan, Michigan

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of one certain mortgage, dated December 22, 1949, made by Alene Crumley and Dwight Crumley, husband and wife, to Clyde E. Wire and Hazel Belle Wire, husband and wife, residing at 309 Bluff Street, Berrien Springs, Michigan, recorded on December 22, 1949, at the Register of Deeds Office at Liber 271, page 291, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of May 27th, 1954, the date of this notice, on principal and interest, including taxes paid by mortgagee and added to such principal, the sum of \$1,176.31 with interest accrued per day thereafter at 20 cents, and no proceeding at law having been instituted to recover said debt.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 23rd day of August, A.D., 1954, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph, Berrien County, Michigan, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public sale to the highest bidder, of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due, as aforesaid, and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

Lot Number One (1) in Block "D" in A. C. Davis Addition to the Village (now City) of Buchanan, Berrien County, Michigan, except the East thirty-four (34) feet thereof.

Dated: May 27th, A.D., 1954.
Signed: Clyde E. Wire
Signed: Hazel Belle Wire
B. R. Desenberg, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage
Business address: Box 72, Buchanan, Michigan.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
In the Matter of the Estate of Clara Hennepin, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 2nd, A.D. 1954.
Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.
Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Gertrude Herman the executrix of said estate, praying that the said estate be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons named therein, will be heard at the Probate Court on August 2nd, A.D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, that notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

Certified to by: MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
In the Matter of the Estate of Clara L. Trawbridge, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 1st, A.D. 1954.
Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.
Notice is hereby given, That all persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at the Probate Court on August 2nd, A.D. 1954, at ten A. M., to show cause why a license should not be granted to Don C. Trawbridge, administrator of said estate, to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate described in his petition, for the purpose of paying debts.

It is Ordered, That notice be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

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NOTICE OF TAKING BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Education of Buchanan School District No. 1 Fractional, of the City of Buchanan and a part of Niles and Buchanan Townships, will open bids on the 10th day of August, A.D. 1954, at the hour of 7:30 P.M. in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, in the High School Building, in the City of Buchanan, for the sale of the following described premises, to-wit:

Lots 63, 64 and 65 in A. B. Staple's Addition to the Village (now City) of Buchanan, according to the plat thereof recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan, at Volume U of Deeds, page 645, on December 24, 1951.

Said premises above described being popularly known as the Dewey Avenue School.

Conditions of Sale

1. Taxes and utilities to be assumed by purchaser from date of transfer.
2. Present insurance policies will be cancelled forty-eight (48) hours after transfer.
3. Sale is to be cash on completion of transfer of said title with a ten percent (10%) earnest money payment to be submitted in the form of cashier's or certified check or bank money order, payable to said School District.
4. Abstract of Title, Warranty Deed and Revenue Stamps to be furnished by the School District.
5. The School District reserves the right, on objection to title, to return any earnest money deposit and cancel any contract or agreement which may result from any bid.
6. All bids shall remain firm for a period of thirty (30) days, the School District reserving the right to reject any or all bids for any reason or no reason, at the end of said thirty (30) day period all bids and earnest money deposits to be returned to the unsuccessful bidders.

Dated this 14th day of July, A.D., 1954.
Board of Education, Buchanan School District No. 1 Fractional, of the City of Buchanan, and a part of Niles and Buchanan Townships.
H. C. Stark,
Superintendent of Schools

July 22 August 5
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
In the Matter of the Estate of Earl D. Helmick, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 16th, A.D. 1954.
Present, Honorable Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Virginia M. Wright praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself, C. Hamilton or to some other suitable person, and that the heirs of said deceased be determined, will be heard at the Probate Court on August 16th, A.D. 1954 at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

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State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
In the Matter of the Estate of John H. Myers, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 17th, A.D. 1954.
Present, Honorable Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon the Administratrix of Niles, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on September 27th, A.D. 1954.

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August 5

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
In the Matter of the Estate of Libbie Huff, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 16th, A.D. 1954.
Present, Honorable Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon the Administratrix of Buchanan, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard at the Probate Court on September 27th, A.D. 1954, at ten A. M.

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August 5

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
In the Matter of the Estate of Edward Loui Van Tilburg, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 17th, A.D. 1954.
Present, Honorable Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Niles Mac Van Tilburg, the administratrix of said estate, praying that her final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on August 16th, A.D. 1954, at ten A. M.

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July 22 August 5

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 on said County, on the 9th day of July, A.D. 1954.
Present, Honorable Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of Janet Marie Clark, Minor.
Evelyn Clark having filed her petition in said Court, praying that the Juvenile Court take jurisdiction of said child and commit her to the Michigan Children's Institute in order that legal consent may be given for her adoption.

It is Ordered, That the 10th day of August, A.D. 1954, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to James R. Clark and Evelyn Clark by depositing a copy of this order in a postoffice in an envelope addressed to them at their last known postoffice address, duly registered and postage prepaid at least fourteen days previous to said day of hearing, the time of such service to be increased one day for every hundred miles or fraction thereof, between the place of deposit and the place of address.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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July 22 August 12

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
In the Matter of the Estate of Wilma Hathaway, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 23rd, A.D. 1954.

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August 12

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In the Matter of the Estate of John M. Knapp, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on July 26th, A.D. 1954.
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Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Roy E. Knapp praying that the instrument filed in said Court be admitted to probate as the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, that administration of said estate be granted to Roy E. Knapp or some other suitable person, and that the heirs of said deceased be determined, will be heard at the Probate Court on August 23rd, A.D. 1954, at ten A. M.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kesler and son, Jimmie, of VanWert, O., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Kohn.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pierce of Chicago, spent the weekend with the former's mother, Mrs. William Pierce.

GM 3/c Clare Davis came home Wednesday from Norfolk, Va., to spend a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Davis, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pierce of Ann Arbor, were weekend guests of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pierce.

A James Behrendt, administrator at Baraga county Memorial Hospital, L'Anse, Mich., returned Monday after spending several days here with Mrs. Behrendt and son, George.

Mrs. Florence Ayers has returned to her home in St. Louis, Mo., after spending the past two months with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Baker. Mrs. Baker accompanied her mother and will spend

several days there

Mrs. Lillian Hunter suffered a badly sprained right ankle in a fall, Friday evening, at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen D. Sanford, N. Cayuga St., with whom she makes her home.

Mrs. Hazel Widing has returned home from the Osteopathic hospital, South Bend, where she spent a week under observation and for special treatment.

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Shriver and the former's mother, Mrs. Pearl Shriver, of Chicago, visited friends in Buchanan, Thursday. The latter formerly lived in the North Buchanan district.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude McNeely, former well-known Buchanans who recently moved to Jacksonville, Ill., were visitors from Monday to Saturday last week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Arnold Backus and family of Hunchman. While there they also visited friends in Buchanan.

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Portage Prairie

The Christian Pals class of the Evangelical U. B. church held a basket picnic dinner at 1 o'clock Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gamble, with about 40 members and their families attending. Following the dinner the group went to Cherry beach, near Sawyer, for a swimming party and watermelon feast.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bellaire of Tecumseh, Ontario, Canada, are spending this week with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bellaire, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Miller of Stroh, Ind., were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Merrifield. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Chapman of Battle Creek, and grandchildren, Barry and Sherry Chapman, of Lawrence, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chapman and daughter, Ann, of Lawrence, were Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Klees and family are spending a week with the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Keepers, Nekosia, Wis.

Patsy Jane Sellaite returned Sunday from Tecumseh, Ontario, Can., where she spent the past two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Wall.

Clear Lake Woods

Thanks to Ivan Price and the Road Commission for installing a tube on the Clear Lake gravel road. It makes for safer driving, since it will eliminate the wash-outs on that curve.

Lots of activity on the Clear Lake Road these days. Ben and Helen Callahan are making excellent progress on their new home. Doing a lot of the work themselves, too. Another new home is almost complete and will be occupied by the owners, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eis, and their family.

Gene Shepherd, Jr., was home from Ft. Knox, Ky., recently. He and his wife called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shepherd, Sr., and family.

Clayton Paige, Milwaukee, Wis., visited here with his sister, Joan, and his uncle and aunt, the Gene Shepherds, last week. Mrs. Grace O'Malley is vacationing here at the home of her brother, Bob Mitchell. Other guests are Miss Virginia Brill, Mrs. Virginia Reid and family, and Mrs. Betty Watson.

The movies of Sweden, shown Saturday night, were loaned to Mrs. O. K. Christensen by the Swedish-American Steamship Line. The attendance was very good.

Eleven ladies met with Mrs. Christensen, Saturday afternoon to discuss social activities. Plans were made for a games party, white elephant sale and bake sale at the pavilion, Saturday evening, Aug. 7. These ladies will be calling on you for their contributions to the sale: Mrs. Carl Berghult, Mrs. Christensen, Mrs. Joe Freid, Mrs. C. Stull, Mrs. H. Mueller, Mrs. Lawrence Rosenquist, Mrs. James Brewer, Mrs. Willis Healy and Mrs. Carroll Leidberg. Articles may be left with Mrs. Veronica Trucci at the pavilion, if you wish.

Are you interested and will you attend a Hard Times square dance, Saturday, Aug. 21? Planned for the property owners and their guests, there will be record players, plenty of square dance albums and Mrs. Bob Antonidas will assist in instructing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Koerner are vacationing at their place Doris and Dave Pierce were here for the weekend. Doris plans to be here next week.

Nick Skupnik, Jr., is spending his vacation here with his family. Mrs. Jim Grande and daughter, Jean, will occupy their home until September.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mori were weekend guests of their daughters, Mrs. Pat Zanni and Mrs. Wally Young. Mr. Mori assisted Pat in putting in a large cement porch in back of his home. The other men of the family helped also.

Charles Balkenstein was very busy over the weekend putting in a new 40-ft. pier. He had the able assistance from friends and neighbors. One of them had a ducking when he missed a step and fell in the lake.

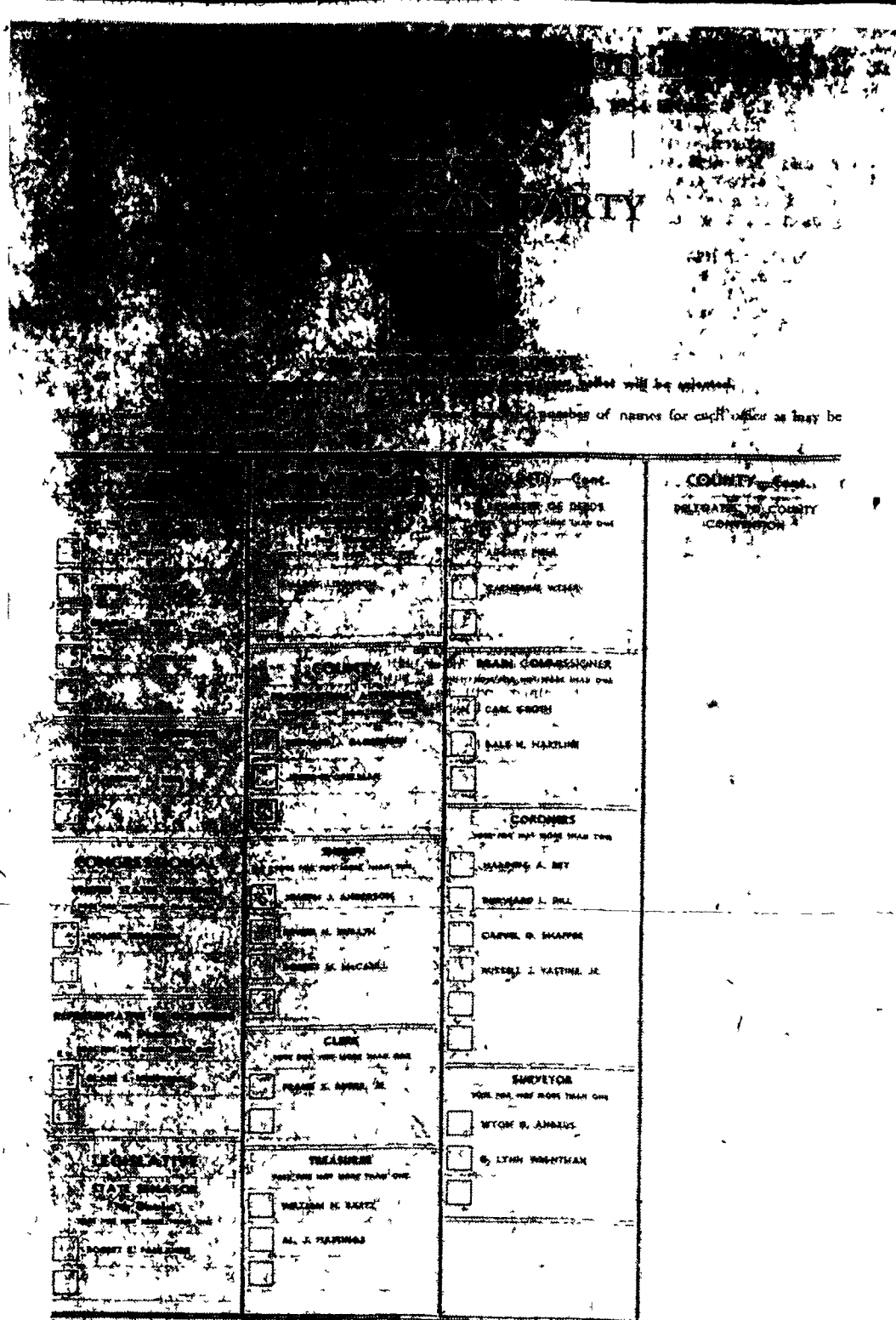
Lee and Emma Munster spent a day in Chicago, Ill., last week. Rudi Mori came in with a 19 1/2-inch bass the other evening. Quite a thrill after pulling in small ones all of the time.

Araby Blinn is improving after surgery in the Presbyterian hospital, Chicago. She will be at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Hostler, for a short time, but plans on returning here a week from Saturday. Mr. Hostler and a friend were here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pierce entertained several of their friends Saturday evening. The most popular guests at the Petrie home Saturday afternoon, were 6-month-old twins, Patty and Penny, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gallagher, Gary, Ind. Their brother, Connie, was here also. Mrs. Gallagher is a niece of Mrs. Petrie and Miss Florence Olson.

George and LaVonne Sullivan drove to Sisters Lake, Saturday evening with friends. Mr. and Mrs. John P. Giver are making their home here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Giver. Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Frickh, Miss Lillian Fleischauer and Dick Houder, both of Eerwinn, Ill., are guests of Lynette Giver and her family this week.

Mrs. Betsy Peterson, Chicago, Ill., spent several days over the weekend with her son, Bernie Peterson, and his wife. Her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Sni, accompanied her.



were Sunday guests of Mrs. Strunk's sister, Mrs. Shuman Barver.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Liska and family and Mr. and Mrs. Max Mooley and family, Galien, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Doughten.

Only female mosquitoes bite people. The males have poorly developed mouth parts. They drink water and feed on flower nectar.

The head and body of the Sphinx of Egypt are carved out of solid rock, but the paws and legs are built of stone blocks.

Meat and milk production from rotation grazing proved no better in two tests than continuous grazing.

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The call had come just in time. Both church and parsonage were on the same

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Miss McLeod rang the alarm siren. As volunteer firemen all over town called in, she told them where the fire was. Thanks to the alert operator, firemen were able to save the minister's home and nearby houses.



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Bend of the River Home Ec. Club

Elected Officers
The monthly meeting of the Bend of the River Home Economics club was held Wednesday evening with Mrs. Clyde Penwell, when Mrs. Cleland Eagley was re-elected chairman for the coming year.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. Howard Barbour, vice-chairman; Mrs. Penwell, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Robert Rose and Mrs. George Haag, project leaders; Mrs. George Eckelbarger, assistant project leader. Officers will be seated at the meeting Sept. 16, which will start the new year. This will be an all-day affair with

Mrs. Walter Copeland and a co-operative dinner will be served at noon.

Plans were made to entertain members' families at an outing and potluck dinner on Aug. 15 at the home of Mrs. Calvin Bachman. Named on the arrangements committee were Mrs. Bachman, Mrs. Eckelbarger and Mrs. Barbour.

Because of the picnic there will be no regular meeting in August.

The largest known opal, found in a Hungarian mine in 1770 and now in the museum at Vienna weighs 1 pound and 5 ounces.

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Notice is hereby given that the
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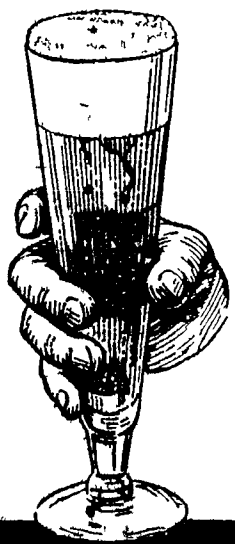
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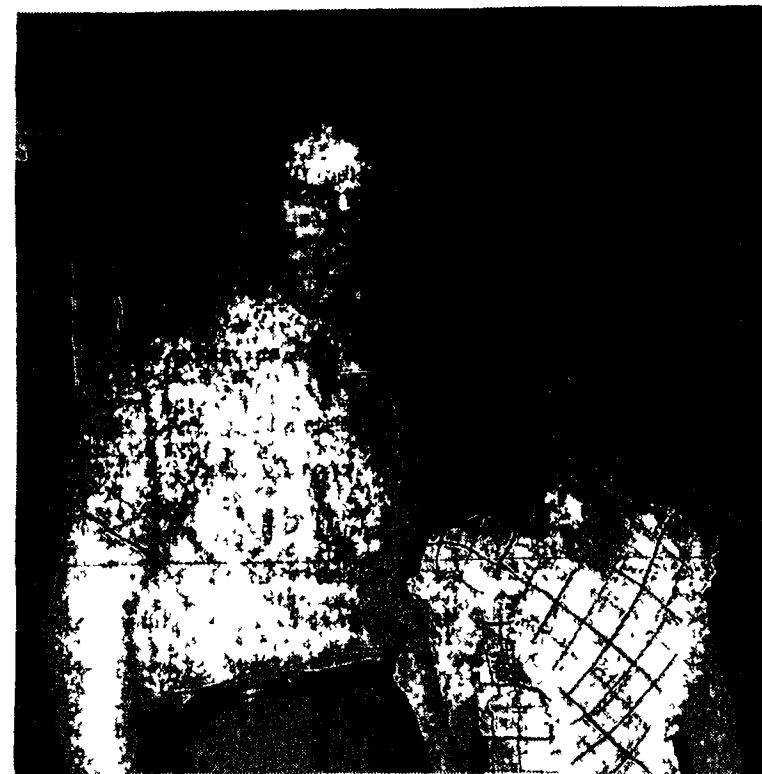
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Meet Mr., Mrs. M & M Restaurant

This week the Record presents Mr. and Mrs. Calvin McIlroy, co-partners in the M & M restaurant, one of Buchanan's main filling stations for sustenance for the inner man.

The refilling of the inner man is generally supposed to be one of the contacts where you do not always meet people at their best. But it hasn't been that way at the M & M, says Calvin. "I've been lucky that way, because I have been fortunate in having restaurant help—with a lot of know-how and experience. Because of that we really don't get complaints about food very often."

Mr. McIlroy bought the restaurant from Mike Yusko in 1952. The place had always been operated under the name of D's Cafe, given by a R. E. Detrick, who started it 20 years ago. But McIlroy immediately changed to the present name. He has had a steady run of business since the opening.

The two partners operate the restaurant from 5:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., 7 days a week. That assurance of convenient service has helped build their trade.

In addition to their regular restaurant service, the M & M has a club room where dinners are served for various organizations

including the meetings of the Optimists, Clark Equipment Foremen, Buchanan Business Association, Buchanan Steel executives and others.

Dr. J. Tennant Speaks Sunday At Crystal Springs

Dr. John Tennant, outstanding speaker of the Michigan Conference and pastor of the First Methodist church of Albion, will preach this coming Sunday, Aug. 1, at the Crystal Springs Assembly.

There will be three services with the Rev. Richard C. Miles, superintendent of the Kalamazoo district of the Methodist church preaching at the 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship service. Dr. Tennant preaching at both the 3 and 7:30 p.m. services. Rev. Paul Patterson, pastor of the Edwardsburg Methodist church, will preside at the piano and Rev. William L. Stone of the Constantine Methodist church conducting the congregational singing. There will also be special music furnished by the Benton Harbor Methodist church at the afternoon service, and the Niles Methodist church in the evening.

Crystal Springs is located mid-

way between Dowagiac and Niles, just north of the village of Sunnerville. Crystal Springs, with its inviting scenic groves and flowing wells, along with its interesting religious program, makes an attractive place to spend the Sabbath day.

Table facilities are available for those who care to bring their picnic baskets and stay through the day or evening for the religious services.

North Buchanan

Orville Harner, who underwent surgery in Memorial hospital, Benton Harbor, the latter part of June, and was taken back to the hospital July 15 for more treatment, returned home Saturday much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamilton were Sunday guests of the former's brother, Dale Hamilton, and family, formerly of Gary, Ind., now residing in Chester, Ind.

David Handley, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Handley, who fell from a swing July 18, underwent surgery in Memorial hospital, South Bend, Saturday. It was found that he had chipped the elbow bone of his left arm and will be confined in the hospital for several days.

Mrs. Blanche Melnick, Chicago, spent the weekend with Mrs. Ralph Shaber and Mrs. Melvin Lolmaugh and their families.

Arthur Rohl returned Saturday after spending two weeks with his mother, Mrs. Bessie Reed, Frankfort, Ind.

Mrs. Ida Lolmaugh spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Cora Belle Hills, Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brockway and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Brockway and daughters, Jane and Doris, Galien, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Georgia Mitchell.

Morgan Lolmaugh, who underwent eye surgery for the second time recently, came home Thursday from Memorial hospital, South Bend.

Ted Dellinger, Dayton, is spending a week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamilton.

Melvin Lolmaugh, who has been doing carpenter work for Hubert Horner at Bertram, had the misfortune of cutting the thumb of his left hand at the first joint while using an electric saw, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Blakeman, Orlando, Fla., were Monday guests of Mrs. Charles Mutchler.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lolmaugh and son, Robert, accompanied by Miss Norma Caps of Berrien Springs, were guests during the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hoerner at Paw Paw.

Bend of the River

Mrs. Howard Ketchum

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rauchenbarger and daughter and Mrs. Earl Kerr of Chicago visited at the W. J. Lynch home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mead, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and son were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dickey Wednesday evening. The affair honored the Dickey's on their 6th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Lynch of Hammond and Mrs. Gertrude Cowell of Chicago had dinner on Saturday with their father and sister, W. J. Lynch, and Magdalen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pudell and son, Dennis, returned Sunday from a week's vacation in Chicago and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Penwell spent the week end in Detroit as guests of the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Colquist. David Penwell returned with them after visiting a week in the Colquist home.

Miss Magdalen Lynch entertained Sunday in honor of her father's birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lynch of Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. William Lynch and daughter, Three Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fitch and family of Toledo, O., were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Fitch Sunday. Little Tommie Fitch is spending the week with his grandparents.

Donald Carbon has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Carbon, from Ferris Institute at Big Rapids, for his summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barbour were week end guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gary, Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oxender and family attended the picnic on Sunday at Indian Lake for members of the Jolly Dozen club and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lyddick attended the Berrien County Farm Bureau picnic at the Memorial building in Berrien Springs Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Andrew Lyddick, Mrs. Mary Young and Mrs. Ada Burger were dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyddick, Bainbridge.

Mrs. Teresa Clark, St. Joseph, visited at the home of her brother, W. J. Lynch, and daughter, Magdalen.

Miss Donna Cole spent the past week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis, Goshen, Ind.

Officers Elected

Mrs. Cleland Eagley was re-elected chairman for the coming year, Wednesday evening at the monthly meeting of the Bend of the River Home Economics club. The meeting was held with Mrs.

Large Number From Here To Hear Talk By Benson, Aug. 5

At least a hundred farmers and their families from Berrien county will be at M.S.C. on Thursday, Aug. 5, according to county agricultural agent J. P. Hoekzema.

The occasion is a speech by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson. The talk is a part of the tenth anniversary program of

Clyde Penwell. Other officers elected were Mrs. Howard Barbour, vice chairman, Mrs. Penwell, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. George Eckelbarger, assistant project leader. Officers will be seated at the meeting Sept. 16, which will start the new year.

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Named on the arrangements committee were Mrs. Bachman, Mrs. Eckelbarger and Mrs. Barbour. Because of the picnic there will be no regular meeting in August.

the Michigan Artificial Breeders Co-operative and the annual Orchard Day.

A visit to the dairy farm is part of the day for the Breeders. Fruit growers, meeting at 10 a.m. will find out what M.S.C. researchers are doing for their industry.

Vegetable growers, meeting at the same time, will view variety trials, hormone experiments and other research.

Families will get picnic tables at noon. The MABC is furnishing milk and ice cream.

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BUCHANAN SOCIAL EVENTS

85 Members Attend 40th Reunion Of Williams Family

The 40th annual reunion of descendants of Levi and Jack Williams was held Sunday at Potawatomi Park, South Bend, with 85 members present. Of these 75 were descendants of Levi Williams.

Officers and committees for the 1955 reunion were elected as follows: LeRoy Williams, Buchanan, re-elected president; Mrs. Lester Kuhl, Niles, vice-president; Mrs. DeVoe Smith, South Bend, secretary-treasurer; DeVoe Smith and

Miller-Walter Nuptials Solemnized

Lighted tapers in candelabra and baskets of multi-colored gladioli decorated the altar of the First Methodist church, Niles, for the wedding of Miss Minnie Pearl Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Miller, Niles route 1, to Sharon Lee Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Walter, Sr., 525 Michigan street, Buchanan. The rites were performed at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon with the pastor, Rev. L. George Beacock, officiating.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of Charilly lace and nylon tulle, over white satin, with basque waist, full-length sleeves and sweet-heart neckline. Her fingertip veil of silk illusion was held in place by a crown of seed pearls. She carried a Colonial bouquet of white gladioli and asters, centered with a white orchid. Her only ornaments were white beads and earrings, a gift of the bridegroom's grandmother Mrs. Helen Mitchell, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and she wore a gown of blue net over satin, designed with a blue satin bodice, with matching net stole. Bridesmaids were Miss Norma Probst, Miss Phyllis Conner and Miss Wanda Lipp. Miss Probst wore a gown of lavender net over satin, Miss Conner, blue net over satin, and Miss Lipp, orchid net over satin. The brides of the gowns were ruffled and all were ballerina-length. They wore matching stoles and carried Colonial bouquets with matching streamers.

Eugene Shneback, Buchanan, served as best man, and Clair Davis, Buchanan, was groomsman. Ushers were Robert Chubb, Niles, Edward Ashcraft, New Carlisle, Ind.; Clifford Walter, Buchanan, brother of the bridegroom, and James Miller, brother of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a blue print dress, with matching accessories. The groom's mother also wore blue, with white accessories. The groom's mother, Buchanan, grandmother of the groom, also was attired in blue, with white accessories. All wore corsages of red roses.

Following the ceremony a reception for 200 guests was held in the Potawatomi township hall. The bride was a graduate of this year's class of Niles high school, and the groom graduated this year from Buchanan high school, and he is employed at the Stelter & Schneider Grocery in Buchanan. They will be at home after Aug. 1 at 612 1/2 South Lincoln Ave., Niles.

Lilhan Club Meeting
Mrs. Leatha Treat will be hostess to members of the Lilhan club Wednesday evening, Aug. 4.

Women Of Moose Plan Initiation

The Women of The Moose met Thursday evening in the Moose hall when plans were made to initiate a class of candidates at the Aug. 12 meeting. Observance of Moosehaven chapter night will be held the same evening with Mrs. Frank Chadderton in charge. Mrs. Keith Everman conducted the business session, during which it was announced that the new high school, at Mooseheart, Ill., will be dedicated on Aug. 22. The Good of the Order award went to Mrs. Onofrio Morrell, and the attendance award went to Mrs. Henry Aalfs. Mrs. Lyle Burrus received the unseen gift.

A party following the meeting honored members with July birthday anniversaries. Mrs. Robert Dill and Mrs. Everman were the hostesses.

F.D.I. Club Will Meet On Aug. 12

The F.D.I. club of Bayleaf Rabekah lodge, meeting Thursday evening in the Odd Fellow club rooms, made plans to hold a garden party and picnic supper on Aug. 12 at the home of Mrs. Merl Brown.

Following the business meeting cards and games were played. Winners included: Mrs. Orrin Stearns, Mrs. Joseph Forgue, Mrs. Mollie Proud, Mrs. Phoebe Paxton, Mrs. Albert Decker, Mrs. Harris Simpson and Mrs. Brown.

W.C.T.U. Officers Back From 3-Day Training School

Mrs. Howard Otwell, district president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and Mrs. Howard Walker, district secretary of children's work, returned Saturday from Bay View, Mich., where they attended the three-day session of the Bay View training school for temperance workers and school teachers interested in teaching narcotics education. Mrs. Glenn Hays, Evanston, Ill., was the guest speaker and Mrs. S. J. Houle, Evanston, Ill., general secretary of the National Loyal Temperance Legion, was in charge of the workshop for children's workers. Mrs. Eva May Rowley, Flint, national secretary, chairman, instructed the teachers group. Bishop Raymond J. Wade, (retired), president of the Bay View association and head of the Albion College summer school sessions, which are held at Bay View, was the speaker at the service Friday afternoon, marking the anniversary of the W.C.T.U. dormitory on the Bay View campus.

Accompanying Mrs. Otwell and Mrs. Walker were the former's sister, Miss Nellie Miller, a teacher in the Lansing public schools, and Miss Blanche Denton, a teacher at Lawrence.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet Aug. 2
The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, Aug. 2, in the Legion home, with Mrs. Jack Pinkerton in charge of the business session. Mrs. Mary Kolhoff, Mrs. Harry Banke, Mrs. Thomas Burks and Mrs. Helen Podner are arranging the social hour program.

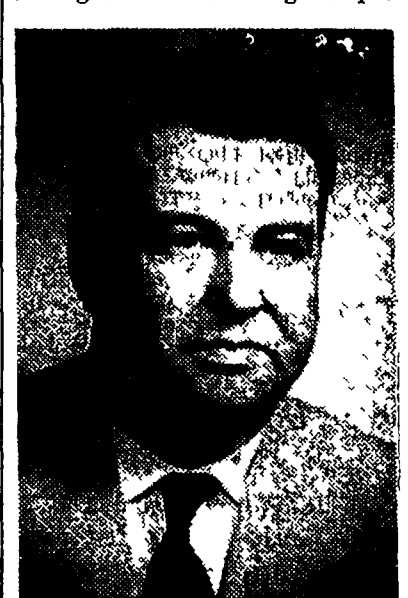
Royal Neighbors of America
Primrose camp of the Royal Neighbors of America will meet Thursday evening, Aug. 5, in the R.N.A. hall. Miss Mabel Miles will preside during the business session and Mrs. William Langley and Mrs. Gerald Mitchell will arrange the social hour.

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Dual Purpose of Both Groups Explained

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ductivity of the industrial worker and farmer, but little to their second, or dual purpose, that of the consumer. Knowing that farmers and industrial workers are the largest domestic market that America has, I promise to devote as much time as possible to keeping this market healthy and ever-expanding, if I'm elected Congressman from the 4th District to replace Mr. Hoffman.

Hold Surprise Farewell For Gordon Quick

Thirty young people of the Church of Christ held a surprise farewell party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Quick, Wednesday evening, honoring Gordon Quick, who leaves Aug. 1 to enter the Cincinnati Bible Seminary, Cincinnati, O. A welter roast and polka supper featured the affair, with the following the supper there was a miscellaneous program of entertainment. Rev. W. Robert Palmer was in charge of planning the affair.

V.F.W. Auxiliary To Sponsor Ft. Custer Ward Party

The Women's Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, held a dinner meeting Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Ross Lohmeyer, when the group set July 29 as the date for the unit to sponsor a ward party at Veterans Administration hospital, Ft. Custer.

Presbyterian Women's Association Porch Party

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian church held a morning porch party Wednesday with Mrs. George Bennett, Red Bud Trail. Featuring the program was a review of a booklet on prayer, written by Frank Laubach, a missionary, which was published under the title "Letters By A Modern Mystic" and given by Mrs. Leland G. Fitch.

Mothers of World War II Name Delegates To District Meet

Buchanan unit of Mothers of World War II meeting Wednesday evening in the Royal Neighborhood hall, made a donation of \$5 to the Save the Children Foundation for the fund to aid crippled and needy children in the United States. Mrs. Clare Davis conducted the business meeting during which plans were completed.

Mrs. Elsie DeNardo, Mrs. Kelsey Banke and Mrs. Clyde Marble to represent the unit at the district meeting in Benton Harbor on Thursday.

A paper party was planned for Aug. 18 and it was voted to invite the Niles and Gahen units to attend the affair. Appointed as hostesses were Mrs. Harry Banke, Mrs. DeNardo and Mrs. Banke. Mrs. Gay Hardebeck was appointed chairman of the calendar project. Tentative plans were discussed for sponsoring a picnic for patients in the Veterans Administration hospital, Ft. Custer, later this summer.

The next meeting will be held Aug. 4 with Mrs. George Roberts and Mrs. Hardebeck as hostesses. Following the meeting Mrs. Charles Zimmerman and Mrs. Mary Kolhoff were in charge of the social hour.

Wagner Grange Meets Friday Night

The regular meeting of Wagner Grange will be Friday evening in the grange hall. Ralph Hess, master, will preside during the business meeting and Mrs. Orval Newport will be in charge of the lecture hour.

Buchanan Jayshoes Meet On Thursday, August 5

The Buchanan Jayshoes will meet Thursday evening, Aug. 5 in the home of Mrs. Rodney Hoadley with Mrs. Richard Post and Mrs. Dale Florey as co-hostesses.

E.U.B. Mary Elizabeth Circle

The Mary Elizabeth circle of the Women's Society of World Service of the First Evangelical U. B. church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. James Dillman, when the group sewed on sheets for the Haven Hubbard Memorial Home for the Aged at Hamilton, Ind. Mrs. Louth Rothfuchs conducted the business session, during which plans were made to purchase material for table napkins, which will also be sent to the Haven Hubbard home. Another work meeting will be held Aug. 26.

George Manspeaker Accepted At M. S. C.

In a list released recently of Buchanan high school 1954 graduates who have been approved for entrance by Michigan State College, the name of George Manspeaker was accidentally omitted. He has been accepted and plans to enter this fall, taking first a general course and then, according to present plans, to take up some branch of engineering.

Stitch And Chatter Club

The picnic planned by members of the Stitch and Chatter club for Wednesday afternoon was cancelled, and the group met instead for an afternoon party with Mrs. Chalmers Luke. Plans were made to meet with Mrs. Charles Hoffman on Aug. 18 for a co-operative dinner at noon and an afternoon of entertainment.

30 Descendants At Annual Reunion Of Pierce Family

The 33rd annual reunion of the Pierce family, held Sunday at Potawatomi Park, South Bend, was attended by 30 descendants of Capt. Michael Pierce, who piloted the Mayflower on one of its trips to America.

Following the basket dinner president Lee Pierce of Buchanan, was in charge of the business session. Neal Kempf of South Bend, was elected president for 1955. Other officers elected were Harry Cooper, Battle Creek, vice-president; Mrs. Dean Kempf of South Bend, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. William Pierce of Buchanan, historian; Richard Pierce of Ann Arbor, and David Pierce of Chicago, grounds committee. The group voted to meet at the park again next year.

During the last year there were six births and two deaths in the family. Mrs. Mary Phoenix, Armour, S. D., was a guest. A letter from Mrs. Edward Pierce, Kodiak Island, Alaska, was read.

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Squires and daughter, Lorie Lynn, returned to Battle Creek, Sunday, after spending several days with the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eisenhart.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Harmeling of Chicago, and Mrs. Mildred Ford of Evanston, were weekend guests.

of the women's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Behrendt. Sunday they were guests at a dinner in the home of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Burroughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Potter and children of Battle Creek, returned home Sunday after visiting for a week with the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Meiton Hanlin.

Mrs. George Vandenberg is spending several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Cpl. and Mrs. Richard Allen, in Augusta, Ga.

Cpl. Allen is stationed at Ft. Gordon, near Augusta. On July 9, Cpl. and Mrs. Allen became the parents of a son, Richard Lee. Mrs. Allen was the former Marjette Vandenberg.

Miss Irene Isenminger of Michigan City, is spending two weeks with her cousin, Diane Ritzler, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritzler.

Basil Squires, Jr., who spent the past week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eisenhart, returned Sunday to his home in Battle Creek.

NOTICE NATURAL GAS USERS

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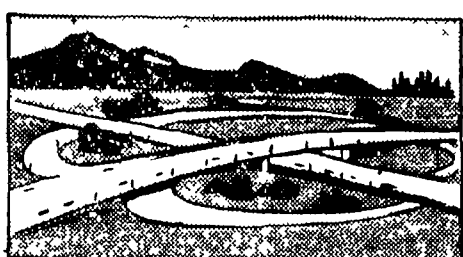
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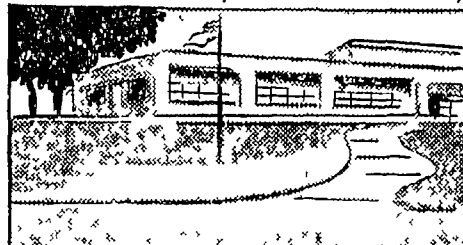
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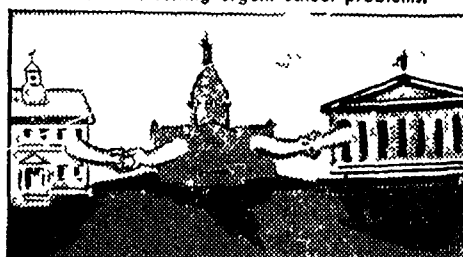
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- Administration of state government to provide efficiency and economy of operation.
- Restoration of an efficient and orderly prison administration.
- A state program of participation with the federal government and Michigan communities in the development of St. Lawrence Seaway projects.
- Maximum encouragement of agricultural enterprise. Support of conservation projects which will develop and reestablish our vast natural resources.
- Encourage the development of industrial and tourist facilities.
- Recognition of individual human rights and fair administration of Michigan labor laws.

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