

MERCURY CLIMBS FROM 10-MINUS LOW

Bucks, Now on 2nd Rung of Title Ladder, Battle Dowagiac Here Fri.

Sheet of Ice Under Snow Is Threat to Wheat

Now Here's the Proposition

Traffic Rules For Little Children Learn safety rules and follow through. And don't do like the old folks do. Always be sure that you are seen. To wait for red and go on green. But if no signals, high or low. Tell when to stop and when to go. Remember that it always pays to stop a bit and look both ways.

Bucks Win From Niles But Drop One to Bridgman

Locals Favored Over Stove City Five on Basis of Comparative Dope

Local hoop fans will have the opportunity of seeing another hot home game this Friday evening when the Bucks meet the Dowagiac Chieftans on the local court. The locals, by virtue of their 38-35 win over the Vikings, have a definite dope edge over the Stove City boys who lost to the Vikes 40-21. But you can't always tell, and the Bucks may need some good roster support to stay in the winning column.

The local basketball team split two decisions, this last week. They won the important conference game, but lost to the hot Class D school at Bridgman. Their conference win over Niles puts them in second place in the conference, and slowly coming up on powerful St. Joe, who hasn't suffered a "Big 7" set-back this year, in basketball.

In the first game at Bridgman, Tuesday, Jan. 13, the Bucks went down to a loss with a 1 point deficit, 34-35. Don Gray led our scoring with 12 points. Pete Layman led theirs with 17. Bill Lovelady played a fine defensive game, and Dale Rifenberg added 10 points to the offensive side of the score. It was the hottest last few minutes of any ball game ever witnessed by Buchanan fans, but in the last minute they scored a basket to put them 1 point ahead and then stalled out the last 50 seconds. The second team saved the night from a total loss, by taking a 34-27 victory over the Bees in overtime.

Mrs. M. E. Snyder Called by Death

Was Resident of Buchanan Dist. During Entire Lifetime

Last rites were held for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Baker Snyder, life-time Buchanan resident, at the Swem Funeral Home at 2 p.m. yesterday (Wed.), with Rev. W. X. Pohly in charge. Burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery, pallbearers being members of the local post of the American Legion, of which her son, William Baker, is commander. They were Arthur Johnston, Harold Stark, William Zachman, Louis Kavosic, Henry Zupke, Claude McGowan.

Mrs. Baker was born May 1, 1880, on a farm about three miles north of Buchanan in the Miller district, now the George Kelley farm. She was the daughter of William and Arabella Coverdale.

She was first married to Herbert White, who died soon after. She married William Baker, Sr. in Niles in 1902. He died in 1931. In 1938 she married Albert Snyder.

Survivors are her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Grace Sproutle of South Bend and Mrs. Daisy Rumbaugh of Baroda; by five sons, Francis, William, Charles, Felix and Lewis, all of Buchanan, by 18 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, by one brother, Emory Coverdale of Mishawaka. A son, Theodore, was killed in an accident while at work as an electrical maintenance worker in 1920.

IT'S SOMETHING MORE THAN YOUR OWN BUSINESS

It sometimes seems that if the children of Buchanan are to be taught habits of safe walking across streets on their way to school and back and on other occasions, then a lot of us elders will have to mend our ways.

Take this situation: Here's a couple of youngsters, say six and eight years old, standing at the street crossing at Oak and Front streets, waiting for the green light to come on. The eight-year-old is holding to the six-year-old's arm, cautioning "Not yet, wait a minute till the light changes." And all the time the elders are passing them, walking against the light.

That's no rare situation in Buchanan. We'll venture you can see it many times daily at the downtown corners. Just what do the kids think when they see such things happen? Perhaps what the writer of one of the prize-winners in the recent school safety essay contests wrote: "Most any day you go down town, not only children but grown-ups are disobeying the laws."

The light is against you, but there is no traffic approaching. It's safe and you're in a hurry. You just can't wait. And you know what you're doing and it's your business.

When you and I so violate the established rules of safe practices, in part at least forbidden by city regulations, we're doing at least one thing that is more than our own business. Here is public interest and public order in a form so simple and elementary that a five-year-old child can understand it. It is the time when his attitudes toward observance of public law and public obligation are being formed. And you and I are supposed to represent the superior wisdom of age and experience. And we are ignoring the one of the very few regulations in the public interest that the youngster can understand.

Question: What are we doing for that youngster's education in civic obligation and in responsibility? Would it be unfair to say that we are by our own lack of responsibility contributing to the youngster's future delinquency?

If you want to risk your own neck, it's your own business, we'll grant you that. But can you prove you can risk your own neck without violating any rights or interests that others may have? Did you ever really try to figure out exactly the boundaries of the areas of behavior within which whatever you do is entirely your own business?

Buchanan Takes to the Air as Radio, Television Towers Loom Over Town

Buchanan Will Go Nuts Over Television In Next 2 Months Is Forecast

Well, friends and neighbors, if our guess is good for anything there's a new brand of nuts in the offing—wild and nuttier nuts with a new nutty language that it will take the dictionary-makers years to catch up with. It's television nuts we're talking about. Television came to Buchanan, as near as we know, in the latter weeks of 1947, when H. N. Batchelor lined up a set in his show room, and experimentally in bringing in WEKE programs from Chicago.

However the business section is a poor place to receive television broadcasts, owing to the high degree of potential interference in the present stage of transmission. So Batchelor moved his set out to his Clear Lake home, where he installed an aerial only 35 feet over the ground and has been getting excellent reception of both sight and sound. Results are better than are secured in Chicago, near the transmitting station, because of the quiet and lack of sound interference at the late THIS is remarkable, since Station WEKE, operated by the Baligan & Katz theatres on the roof of the State and Lake building, Chicago, estimates that it has an efficient transmitting radius of only about 45 miles. On quiet, clear nights when there is a minimum of interference the Batchelor home inmates can get broadcasts from Milwaukee.

Experimentation has been underway for the past several weeks at the Sexton Furniture and Appliance store to solve the problem of reception down in the hollow where the business section is located, without satisfactory success to date. However the boys have been experimenting with "double three-element folded dipoles with reflectors" and similar mysterious paraphernalia, intent on licking the problem.

About Feb. 1 WGN is expected to go on the air with a station signal only, but with a higher and more powerful transmitter. All that will be transmitted will be the station signal, the idea being that the set owners can work on reception in readiness for the time when the program will be released. First customer in the Buchanan area, as far as this writer knows, is Dr. J. C. Strayer, who reports quite satisfactory success at his home, two blocks up the hill from the business section.

S. S. Training Course Schedule Is Now Complete

Leaders Announce Classes And Teachers' Courses Starts Feb. 2

Attention of teachers and workers in the Sunday schools of the Buchanan district is called to the schedule of classes and teachers that has been arranged for the Buchanan Leadership Training School, to be held in the Presbyterian church, beginning Feb. 2 and continuing six weeks.

1. For teachers and workers with children. Course 210B, "The Growth of Christian Personality During Childhood." Teacher, Mrs. L. G. Ambs, Emmanuel Missionary College.

2. For teachers and workers with young people. Course 313B, "The Churches Program for Youth." Teacher, Miss Thelma Church, director of Christian education, First Presbyterian church, Niles.

3. For adult teachers and workers. Course 141B, "Understanding Our Pupils." Teacher, Dr. Harry E. Edwards, Emmanuel Missionary college.

The above classes can be of vital importance in helping the teachers and workers in their many problems in the Sunday school. The classes will begin at 7:30 and end at 9:30 p.m. Further information on arrangements will be printed next week.

Eva Bowles Found Dead in Apartment

Eva E. Bowles Found Dead in Her Apartment at 131 1/2 Oak Street

Eva E. Bowles was found dead in her upstairs apartment at 131 1/2 Oak street about 10:30 Thursday morning, indications pointing to the probability that she had died the evening before. She was seated in a chair with her feet on a floor furnace register, the radio beside her still playing.

She was born on Sept. 9, 1885, in Chicago, the daughter of Richard and Elizabeth Huggard. She married Henry C. Bowles in Chicago in 1907. He died in June of 1931. Mrs. Bowles moved to Buchanan about 15 years ago, from Chicago. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Tom Furrer of Buchanan and Mrs. May Horgan of Venice, Calif.

She had been ill several years with a heart complaint, and had been worse during the past month. A month before her death, a brother, Robert Huggard, died at the Berrien Center hospital. Funeral services were held at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at the Swem Funeral home, with Rev. W. X. Pohly in charge, and the body was taken to Chicago for burial in the Irving Park Boulevard cemetery.

Jennie M. Smith Dies At 96 Years. Jennie Miller Smith, a resident of Buchanan for sixty years, died at her home at 201 South Oak street, at 4 a.m. Wednesday at the age of 96 years.

Tales of An Old Town

An Attempt to Reproduce a Cross Section of The American Scene, As Witnessed Here Through the Past Century

Story of Girlhood, Frankie Norris Batchelor in Buchanan 80 Years Ago. Eighty years ago a little ten-year-old girl got off a westbound Michigan Central passenger at the local depot, having just arrived with her parents and her 17-year-old sister all the way from Maine.

They went into the waiting room—same one you can go into today. And it seems likely from her description that the depot, was heated that raw March day by the same pot-bellied stove with the 6-inch high platform in front that served the place now. Pretty soon came George Bird of the Bird family that operated passenger bus service from the depot down town over 60 years. The family took their luggage and got into his bus, a covered tally-ho vehicle with seats on each side facing each other, and were taken to the site of the present American Legion building, where the city hall is.

Wait a minute—who she was, you'd like to know who she was. Well, she was—and is—Francis Norris Batchelor, now living at 316 Main street. That is, she was then Francis Norris, (alias Frankie and Teeny Norris); and now she is Mrs. Frances Batchelor.

Teeny Batchelor looked around Buchanan that day and made up her mind it was "the nicest place." And in 80 years she hasn't changed her mind yet about that. They rented a home two houses south of the old Methodist church on Days avenue.

The social scene then was not as complex as now and much of Frankie Norris's girlhood seems to have centered about that old Methodist church. Classmates in the Sunday school and at day school, as well as Mattie and Emma Smith, daughters of Dr. Seth Smith, who then lived just down the hill on Days avenue. Emma Smith is now Emma Knight, living at Rest Haven, Clear Lake Woods.

When she was 12 years old, Frankie Norris was baptized in the mill race, in what was then Day's pasture, now known as Athletic park. Six little girls were baptized at the time. The others that she remembers were two Bliss girls and Belle Carlisle, leaving two unaccounted for. It was in the summer. The church provided long white gowns that the girls dropped over their dresses. They waded out in the waters of the race—it was a spot where the water was deepest. The minister said the words of the ritual and at the proper time the novitates were bent over backward until completely immersed. It will doubtless be news to many here that the Methodists ever went in for that sort of baptism, but so it was, according to Frankie. That would have been the year 1870, the same year that local churches quit the old custom of tolling the bell for the dead.

One of the greatest treats of the year in Frankie's girlhood was going to campmeeting at Crystal Springs. Camp meeting, in those days, was much more of an event than now. The camp meetings lasted ten days, and during that time people came in thousands by lumber wagons, by "democrat" wagons, and a few by buggies. One side of the grounds was given over to parking space for the wagons and horses.

In the first years there was no tabernacle and a large tent was put up every year. There were no comfortable cabins as now, but some of the campers had set up frames, on which they hung new muslin each year for shelter, taking the mush-down when the session was done and making it into sheets. Others put up tents. A few had small laundry stoves for cooking. Many cooked over a fire set apart each pole, having a fork at the top, over a fire. It must have been quite a sight with the hundreds of fires burning through the campground. In one of the stream beds leading from the big springs the campers had built rudimentary coolers. Along the south side of one stream from the place where the ice-cold water boiled from the ground and for quite a distance along the shaded south side there was a long row of compartments for keeping food. These were fashioned by making long boxes and dividing them into compartments by making slots for sliding in partitions. When the campers congregated at the grounds each family was given one of these compartments, with their name on it. There they kept their milk, butter, meat and other food that needed protection from summer heat.

The camp meetings of the old days had more evangelistic fervor than those of today, and there was more shouting and excitement. A few years after Frankie came to Buchanan she started "going with" a boy by the name of George Batchelor, who lived on a farm near the town. She and George used to drive from Buchanan to Crystal Springs by horse and buggy. That was eighteen miles, or a good three hours drive if the roads were good. You could make it faster if you were in a great hurry, but when young people were out with a horse and buggy those days they were rarely in a hurry.

About four or five years ago Rev. Jordan, then pastor of the local Methodist church, now pastor of a Bible Creek church, called at 316 Main street looking up older members of the church. In the list was the name of Frankie Norris. "I haven't been able to find out anything about this Frankie Norris," said Jordan. "Frankie Norris is me," said Frances Norris Batchelor.

Temperatures Not So Low As To Threaten Fruit Crop

The Buchanan district began to emerge the first of the week from a period of severe cold of almost a week's duration, during which the mercury reached minimums variously reported from 6 to 10 below zero.

Sunday was the coldest day, when a lot of 10 degrees was reported at 6 a.m. The mercury hovered close to the zero mark all that day, climbing little above it. It was again 2 below at 8 p.m. that evening. Mercury readings as low as six under the zero mark were reported Saturday. The mercury first touched zero here late Wednesday evening of last week.

Considerable snow fell, but drifting winds made it difficult to estimate the total fall. Reports varied from four to eight inches total fall. Ice on the lakes increased to reported depths of from eight inches to one foot. The snow storm began Tuesday of last week, but was preceded by rains that formed an ice coating over the ground, which may be a hazard to winter wheat, since it has persisted under the snow. While a snow covering aids the crop, ice may smother it.

Jim, Hubert Harvel Are Outbound From Great Lakes Station

Mr and Mrs James Harvel, Sr. received letters and a phone call the first of the week from their two sons, Jim and Hubert, stating that they had first been transferred from the Naval Training Center to Camp Bary at the same place, and were to be again moved Tuesday to a further assignment.

Before leaving for naval service last week, the two boys were guests of honor at a dinner given by their parents. The guests from out of town were Master Sergeant and Mrs. B. H. Harvel of Bible Creek, Mrs. Maude Stundt and sons, Clarence and Louis of Niles, Mr and Mrs Fred Best, Mr and Mrs Pleas Harvel, Mr and Mrs Carl Ruisson, and families, Mr and Mrs Randall Couchman, Bill Thomas and Fred Moore of Buchanan.

Hubert Harvel was still in attendance in the senior class of Buchanan high school, when he left. He was a star guard and center and also captain of this year's basketball team, and outstanding football player and track star. His service will be missed.

Navy Club Will Install Officers Wednesday, Jan. 28

Navy Mother's club, Post 288 will have installation of new officers at their meeting next Wednesday night, Jan. 28. Preceding the business meeting, a co-operative dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. with the husbands as guests. Meat, potatoes, rolls, butter and coffee will be furnished by the club and otherwise, each is asked to bring a dish to pass. It is also table service. Mrs. Muriel McKinn of Elkhart, Ind., will be the installing officer, she being a Past Commander of a Post in Boston, Mass. Mrs. Irene Hess will be installing marshal. In charge of dinner will be Kitchen Commande, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Trapp and Mrs. Hall. Dining room, Mrs. Hess and Mrs. Tupple.

Re-elect D. Clark President of The Farm Credit Union

Last Wednesday the stockholders of the Farmer's Credit Union, met in the Buchanan Co-ops auditorium and reelected Dean Clark president for a three-year term at the sixteenth annual meeting of the organization. Also re-elected to a three-year term was Albert Houswerth, vice president. Other officers elected were: Loan, committee member, Harvey Reed, supervisory committee member, Glenn Kinney. A dividend of 16 percent amounting to \$8,900 was paid. The company's assets are \$670,000 and the former membership numbers 950. Profits in 1947 were listed as \$11,000. The reports were presented by O. B. Yoik and George Schaeffer.

Mr and Mrs Harold Bracken of Wabash, Ind., were week-end guests of his mother, Mrs. Mary Bracken, and his cousins, Mr and Mrs Stewart Holmes.

City Treasurer Reports 85 Per Cent Of Taxes Collected

A total of 85.5 per cent of the county and school taxes had been paid in Buchanan as of Tuesday of this week according to Esthet Hamilton, city treasurer. She reports the following payments: county taxes \$30,293.40; school taxes, \$110,105.27, total paid, \$140,398.67. Total tax to be paid is \$158,740.89. Feb. 10 is the last payment date of the sale of 114 dog licenses. Last year she sold 485 licenses by March 1.

That Worried Look In Style This Week At The High School

That serious look on the faces of Buchanan high school students this week means that the first semester exams are on Thursday and Friday. High school students are ordinarily serious twice a year at the end of semesters. With the beginning of the second semester next week sociology, economics, business arithmetic and solid geometry will be added to the curriculum.

Jack McGowan has returned to Detroit to resume his studies at the electronic radio television school, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester McGowan.

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## Galen News

Mrs. Vigil Reese has returned to her home after being a patient at Pawating hospital, Niles. Miss "Clara Pottle" underwent a tonsillectomy at Pawating hospital, Niles.

Henry Smith, who suffered a broken hip recently, is reported to be in a very serious condition in Mercy hospital, Denton Harbor.

Mrs. Myra Hess of Buchanan is visiting Mrs. George Roberts in the Henry Smith home.

Mrs. Ida A. Smith of Saroda is spending several weeks with Mrs. H. B. Maas.

Mrs. Lawrence Cook, district president of Mothers of World War II, installed several officers of the Fidehs chapter Monday night when the group met in the Maccabee hall.

The following people, who had not been installed previously at the meeting in Buchanan, were installed: Second vice-president, Mrs. Merton Hampton; treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Nelson; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Ralph Chase.

Plans were made during the business meeting to hold another hospital council meeting on Friday night in the home of Mrs. Ernest James.

Mrs. Manley Roberts, president, conducted the meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Chase and Mrs. Mac Doyle.

Allen Seyfried, president of the local 4-H club, has returned home after attending a three-day leadership training school in Kalamazoo as a result of being chosen a member of the county 4-H club honor roll for 1947.

Members chosen were those who had shown outstanding achievement in junior leadership training projects.

The study club met on Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Frank Kelley. The lesson was given by Mrs. Venus Bauer.

Marjorie Foster conducted the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Esther Cook.

Entertainment was in charge of Mrs. Agnes McDonald and prizes were won by Venus Bauer, Carrie Morley, Rova Roberts and Ora Pankett.

Betty Angeline suffered a broken wrist when she fell while skating.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lawrence Cook and Supt. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson attended the Sonja Henie ice show in Chicago on Thursday.

Mrs. Ward James spent the week in Wayne and Detroit.

Mrs. Wm. Hewitt, who fell recently injuring a hip, is spending several days in Buchanan with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hewitt and family.

Mrs. Max. Moaley was hostess in her home on Wednesday night to the neighbors of Mrs. Jack Prenkert, who was honored with a "pink and blue" shower.

Prizes in games were awarded to Mrs. Prenkert, Mrs. Walter Morley and Mrs. Clarence Marsh.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

About 80 dads and lads enjoyed a party Tuesday night in the school house sponsored by the P.T.A.

George Dick, the boy manager of Niles, was introduced by Supt. H. E. Johnson and entertained the group with many amusing tricks.

Several games

## Health Messenger



Each year thousands of Michigan school children hear the story of good health presented by Princess Watassa, health messenger for the Michigan tuberculosis associations. The Princess is a descendant of a Sioux Indian chief. Her work in the schools, promoting better health for growing boys and girls, is financed by the sale of Christmas seals.

played with the dads against the Lads all resulted in victory for the lads. Superintendent Johnson showed comedy movie shorts which were followed by refreshments served by school board members, George Muddock, Ernest James, A. P. Taylor and Supt. Johnson.

Mrs. Oville Roundy was hostess in her home Wednesday to members of the Social Arts club. Dinner was served at noon by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Dalvin Haines. The final lesson "Lampshades" was presented by Mrs. Lawrence Wolford and Mrs. Eugene Cook.

During the social hour in charge of Mrs. Earl Gilbert, prizes in games were won by Mrs. Earl Swartz, Mrs. Donald McGowan and Mrs. Lester Wanke.

The next meeting of the group will be Feb. 11 in the home of Mrs. Harold Sheeley during which the leaders will present the first lesson on "Dressmaking."

Eleven members of the local five-of-the-Lady Maccabees journeyed to Niles Tuesday night to install the officers of the Niles five.

Miss Leona Wasso presided as installing officer. Mrs. John Welch assisted as director of installation and Mrs. Lois White served as chaplain.

Escorts were Mrs. Clara Patridge, Mrs. James Rodrick, Mrs. Leo Trapp, Mrs. Wm. Klaser, Mrs. Fred Jochem and Miss Corline Welch.

The regular Maccabee luncheon party was held Wednesday night in the hall with Mrs. Klaser, Mrs. Fred Tholson and Mrs. Edward Gillaspay serving on the committee. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Leo Trapp, Mrs. Tholson,

Mrs. Clara Patridge and Mrs. Lunda Swam Refreshments were served by the committee. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell attended the funeral of the former's brother, Jay J. Bell, who was killed in action Dec. 11, 1944 in Germany. His body was returned to New Buffalo where the funeral was held.

Patrick J. Kenney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kenney, spent several days in South Bend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kenney.

Mrs. William Russell, accompanied by the sister, Mrs. Arthur Myers of Buchanan, attended the funeral of their grandfather, Oscar Glessinger, which was held in New Buffalo on Wednesday.

Members of Home Economics club No. 2 met Friday in the home of Mrs. Ernest Renbarger for an all day meeting. Dinner was served at noon with Mrs. C. A. Roberts, Mrs. Renbarger, Mrs. Frank Russell and Mrs. Albert Jannasch in charge. During the afternoon the final lesson on "Lampshades" was given by Mrs. Benard Renbarger assisted by Mrs. Eugene Cook of the Social Arts club.

Installation of officers was held Thursday night at the Maccabee hall when members of the guard team met. The newly installed president is Mrs. Clara Patridge, vice-president, Mrs. John Welch, secretary, Mrs. Lois White and treasurer, Mrs. James Rodrick. After the regular business meeting the committee composed of Mrs. Patridge and Mrs. Fred Jochem took charge of entertainment. Prizes in games were awarded to Mrs. Patridge, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. White, Mrs. Fred Tholson, Mrs. Leona Wasso and Mrs. Rodrick.

Mrs. and Mrs. Paul Balko and daughter, Vicki, were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Longfellow.

Miss Ann Hager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hager, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Corp. Harry Lintner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lintner, Galien, were united in marriage in a service performed at 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 13, in the parsonage of the First Baptist church in Eenton Harbor. Rev. Folke Perre, the pastor, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bailey, Benton Harbor, brother-in-law, and sister of the bridegroom were the attendants. The bride wore a royal blue crepe dress and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Bailey wore a black crepe dress trimmed with sequins. Her corsage was of red roses. The bride is a graduate of Kathryn McCauley high school in Brooklyn, Conn. Lintner was graduated in May, 1946, from Galien high school and enlisted the following month for a four-year term of service in the Marine Corps. For the last 18 months he has been stationed in China and on Guam. He left for the latter place on Tuesday and Mrs. Lintner will make her home in Galien until her husband completes his overseas duty.

Galien Soil Unit Meets.

The first annual meeting of the Galien Soil Conservation district was held Thursday afternoon in the high school building. Russ Hill of Lansing, president of the state association, spoke and complimented the members on the progress of the organization during its first year of existence.

The secretary, Clarence Wirth of New Troy, reported the present membership is 114. He also reported a total in excess of 100,000 acres of land to be under the conservation program. There are eight southern Berrien county townships represented in the group: New Buffalo, Three Oaks, Galien, Buchanan, Bertrand, Niles, Wessaw and Chikaming. Anyone owning or living on three or more acres of land in the district is eligible for membership, it was explained. Hill mentioned that this program should be of concern not only to farmers but to everyone who eats.

Ernie Froehck of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, whose office is in Buchanan, also spoke. A vote of thanks was extended to former County Agricultural Agent L. A. Zilman for his help during the last year.

After the meeting, the board of directors re-organized, electing Russell Hill of Niles, president; Clarence Wirth, secretary-treasurer, and the following as mem-

bers of the board: Leo Anderson, Niles; Ed Jelmek, Three Oaks; and Paul Smith, Galien. Mr. Jelmek and Mr. Smith were re-elected to fill three year terms.

Feb. 19, the Elgin Milk Products company of Galien will be host in the evening at the school house to anyone interested in "Better Pastures and Soil Conservation for Dairymen."

Entertainment was presented in

the form of an accordion solo by Caroline Potter and several songs by the high school girls' chorus accompanied by Mrs. Russell Seyfried.

## Olive Branch

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dickey were host and hostess at a square dance, surprise party Saturday

evening for Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fisk who are celebrating their silver wedding anniversary this week. Music was furnished by a recording machine and Mr. and Mrs. Dickey, friends and relatives came from Galien, Niles and South Bend. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fisk will entertain Tuesday evening with a supper in honor of their silver wedding anniversary at the

Waters Farm near Duchanan. Mrs. Anna Hanke of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. John Meary, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cealka and son, Su Bend, Mr. and Mrs. William Engers, Niles, Dick Fisk and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fisk.

Grover and Eleanor Lewin of New Troy and Mr. and Mrs. Lysie Nye were Sunday dinner guests in the Kenneth Dickey house. Mrs. Herbert Raas and Mr. K.

Peterson gave the last lesson of "Lampshades" when the Happy Homemakers met Friday with Mrs. Joseph Muddock.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Ingles spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thumm near Soda.

Miss Laura Mae Clark spent Sunday with Miss Eleanor McCaren. Invest in your country—Buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

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Local News

Mrs. F. E. Thome spent the past two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Montague...

Mrs. Richard Blomberg is a patient in Pawating hospital Niles, following an operation...

Mrs. George Beck returned Sunday from Chicago after spending several weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Thome.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haas, son, on Jan. 17 in St. John's hospital, Cleveland, O. Mrs. Haas was formerly Ruby Conrad...

Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Grant, of Salt Lake City, Utah, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Hayden.

Rocky Mt. Ramblers Sing For Supper At Dowagiac, Mich. City

The Rocky Mountain Ramblers, a vocal group from Buchanan and herabouts played and sang for an audience of 400 at the Elks Hall in Michigan City last Friday...

Miller School Club Is Meeting Tonight

The Miller school club will meet at 8 p. m. this Thursday evening at the schoolhouse to make plans for a candy box social to be held Feb. 13...

B. & P. W. Club Hears Discussion Of World Problems

Speaking before the Buchanan Business and Professional Women's club at its dinner meeting in the Church of Christ Monday evening, Dr. Clarence S. Field, professor of European history at Emmanuel Missionary college, Berrien Springs, discussed the religious, political and economic condition in Europe and Asia...

Must Report Soil Work to Qualify For AAA Payments

Berrien county farmers are reminded that they should report the accomplishment of soil conservation practices during 1947 to their County AAA Committee before February 1, 1948 in order to qualify for conservation payments...

Modern Homemakers Leaders Appear On B. H. Radio Program

Thursday, the Modern Homemakers extension club members met all day Thursday in the home of Mrs. Clyde Marble Plans were made for their leaders to appear on a radio program on station WHFB, Benton Harbor...

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Kubath Announces His Candidacy For Re-election.

Citing his successful record as the basis for his qualifications, Sheriff Edwin H. Kubath announced his intent to seek re-election as Sheriff of Berrien county...



been followed sincerely and impartially. With full regard to my past and future public responsibilities I submit my record to the voters with pride...

Berrien Woman On 3rd Farm Quiz On WGN Tonight

Mrs. Doris Handy, Sodas, Contest Winner On Jan. 9 and 16

Listen in tonight to the radio program "RFD America," coming tonight (Thurs.) over WGN and the Mutual network when Mrs. Doris Handy of Sodas contests the third time for the title of "Master Farmerette of the Week."

Tonight she will compete against Wilson L. Wright and Mrs. Helen Swartz of Waukesha, Wis., and William A. McKerrow, Pewaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Handy, mother of five children, is the first woman to win the farm quiz contest.

She won for the first time two weeks ago when she defeated Clarence Wirth of Three Oaks, Frank Henderson of Kentucky and Alex Gale of Sodas.

Last Thursday night she won again, defeating two farmers and a farm wife, all from Mountain View, Okla., and winning another collection of prizes.

Buchanan Lions See Colored Movie

This (Thursday) evening members of the Buchanan Lions club will meet in the U. S. O. club-house, Moccasin Court, for a 6:15 dinner. Following the dinner, John Pfeil, Niles-Buchanan road, will show colored movies of the horse show, which was held in Niles last summer...

Blackmunns Observe 57th Anniversary Of Their Wedding

Wednesday—Mr. and Mrs. Dell Blackmun observed their 57th wedding anniversary in their home at 103 North Detroit street.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackmun, who have lived in Berrien county all their life, were married Jan. 21, 1891, in Buchanan, by Dr. Berwick, pastor of the Adventist church and a practicing physician here.

Mr. Blackmun was born on the Blackmun homestead, which his father, Ruel, acquired from the government in 1841, when he came here from Ohio. He is 85 years old. Mrs. Blackmun was born in Weesaw township, the daughter of Hoyle and Evelyn Wright, and is 77 years old.

Invest in your country—Buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

Organize Colored Masonic Unit Here

Harmon De Shazer was installed as worshipful master of the recently organized F. & A. M. lodge, at a meeting in Union hall Sunday night.

The new lodge has a membership of 19 and meetings will be held in Union hall regularly on the first and third Saturdays of every month.

Advertisements For This Space Must Be In By Tuesday BAKED GOODS and FOOD SALE In Oak Street Market Friday, January 30. Starting at 9:30 A.M. Sponsored by METHODIST CIRCLE NO. 2

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During his twenty-six years as a police officer, Sheriff Kubath has not only received national recognition but is considered in highest law enforcement circles as an authority on crime protection procedure and application. The sincerity of Sheriff Kubath's devotion to his life-work is evidenced by his statement: 'I'd rather be the Sheriff of Berrien county than the President of the United States.'

Legion Auxiliary To Initiate Class

Members of the American Legion auxiliary voted \$5 to the March of Dimes, Monday evening, at the regular meeting of the organization, in the Legion hall.

The unit also voted \$25 for the registration of its candidates to Myrtle Gips' State in Ann Arbor in July. Plans were laid for the initiation of a large class of candidates at the meeting Feb. 16.

All past presidents of the unit will take part in the ceremonies. A report on the Fourth District Legion meeting in Three Rivers Sunday, was presented by Mrs. Smith. The unit decided to write our congressmen in behalf of universal military training program.

Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. Mollie Proud and Mrs. Elmon Starr will be on the entertainment committee for the meeting Feb. 2.

After the business session, games were played. On the hostess committee were Mrs. Ward Morley, Mrs. Gerald Mitchell and Mrs. William Pierce.

School Board To Present Program At PTA Meet Wed. Eve

The Buchanan Parent-Teachers association will meet at the high school building next Wednesday evening, Jan. 28, when representatives of the board of education will review the business of the district and present a picture of present problems.

GIRL SCOUTS

Members of Troop 3, Girl Scouts, motored to South Bend for a swim at the natatorium on Tuesday evening. Later on hamburgers and cookies were enjoyed. The troop will meet at the home of Georgetown No. 2 Detroit street, on Thursday evening, Jan. 22.

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Bend of the River

Friday evening, the regular meeting of the Bend of the River... Mr. and Mrs. Max Morley and children, Galien, called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Doughten called on Mrs. Schantz's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Wiegell, South Bend...

Bayleaf Rebekahs To Type Blood For Transfusion Bank

A contribution of \$5 was voted to the March of Dimes by members of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge at the regular meeting of the organization in the Odd Fellow hall Friday evening. Forty-five members were present.

West Buchanan

Jerome Sebasty entered Pawaing hospital at Niles Monday for treatment. The regular meeting of Dayton Rebekah lodge will be held Wednesday evening in the Odd Fellow hall.

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Traffic Dept. Of Mich. Bell Opens Doors to Public

Why do Buchanan people make more local telephone calls during the hour 5 to 6 p.m. than at any other time during the day? That they do is one of the things some of us learned who attended the "open house" sponsored by employees of the traffic department of the local Michigan Bell headquarters for their families and friends Thursday evening.

Bell headquarters, for their families and friends and other guests Mrs. John Gonder, chief operator, was among those in charge. Guests were conducted through by six guides, including Mrs. Ruth Sult, Mrs. Opal Bowling, Mrs. Laurene Rutan, Miss LaVerne Miller, Miss Wanda Hart, Miss Mary Ellen Snyder.

may not see for a minute the additional call on the board. To the outside the operation of the stations seems complicated no end, but it is quite simple when you know how, states Mrs. Gonder. However a book could be written about it, for which this writer hasn't the time, space or know-how. One thing that strikes the tenderfoot is the quietness of the place. The traffic operations are practically noiseless, as the operators peg the calls with rubber plugs, the signals glow without sound from the boards before them.

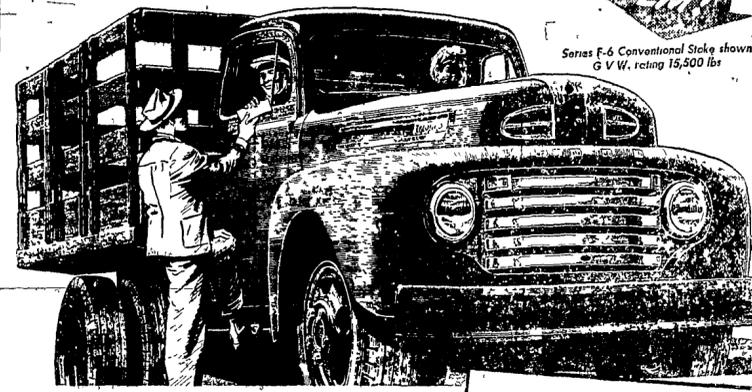
Hold 4-H Leaders Training School In Berrien Springs, H.S.

The Berrien County 4-H Service Clubs is planning a 4-H Junior Leaders Training School as their regular January meeting to be held at 8:00 p.m. this evening, January 22 at the Berrien Springs

high school, according to J. D. Johnson, Berrien County 4-H club agent. Newly elected officers for 1948 will also be installed, they are President, Victor Wyant, Berrien Center; vice-president, Dale Foster, Niles; secretary, Allan Sey-

fred, Galien; treasurer, Janyce Seyfred, Galien and reporter, Howard Siekman, Buchanan. Plans for the meeting include a discussion of such Junior Leader Activities as, 4-H club organization, project-work, recreation, program planning and community activities. Service club members have invited all 4-H members enrolled or interested in the Junior Leadership project, to attend this meeting. Allan Seyfred is chairman of the committee in charge of the program.

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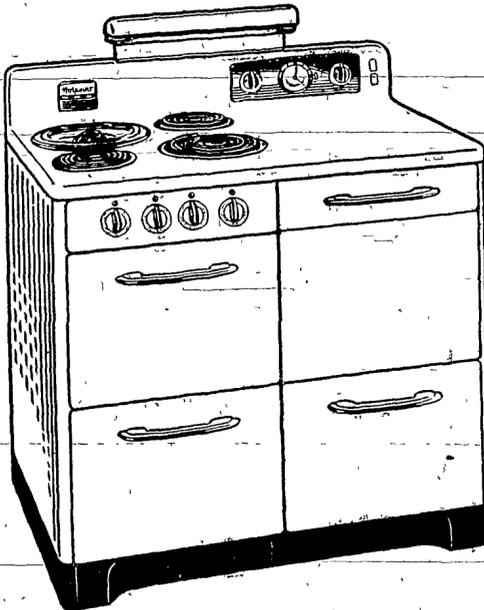
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

From Sheepskin to Sheep

There aren't too many college graduates in our town Good honest thinking, yes, but most folks' went from high school into farming.

No harm in that! But I admire veterans like Dick Newcomb... who's 23, but going to college under the G. I. Bill of Rights. Intends to be a sheep farmer—but a better-informed, more scientific farmer, with more know-how!

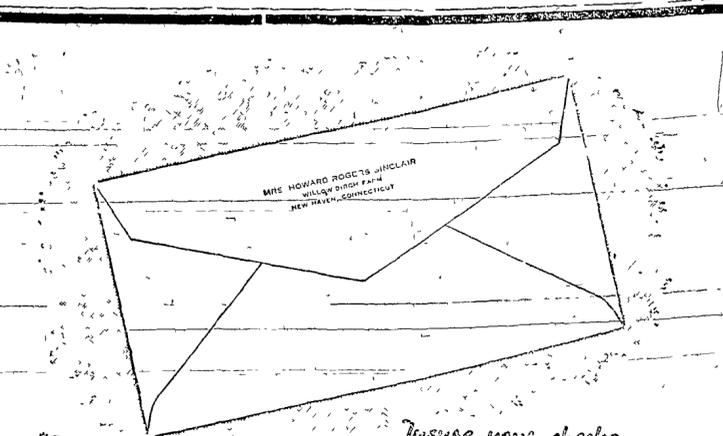
And veterans like Dick aren't letting anything interfere. What little relaxation they allow themselves is in the form of needed exercise, or

books, or conversation and an occasional glass of beer with friends. Seems as if, just by having their education postponed, they've put a higher value on it... and on things like temperance (that glass of beer, for instance), understanding, and good citizenship. And from where I sit, when Dick gets his sheepskin—he won't have lost much time. He'll be an even better farmer than his Dad. (Exactly, what Dad wanted!)

Joe Marsh

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Dayton News

Five below zero here last Sat morning. Could be worse, we will say. Mr and Mrs Lon Matthews from Walnut Grove, Ind. were callers Sat at the Ed Richter home. George Arnold tells us that his daughter, Dorothy is in the Hawaiian Islands, as a nurse we presume and may be there for a period of two years. He received a letter from her last week. A large semi-trailer tanker with a capacity of from 4 to 5 thousand gallons capacity of gas was stalled going up the Dayton hill one day last week and remained there all day, until a large truck came and pulled it up the hill. The tanker was driven by Leland Habel of this village. The story seems to be going around that Irving (Spike) Van Lew has enlisted in the army and at present is stationed at Ft Knox, Ky. His family of course

Portage Prairie

Friday evening members of the Christian Pals Sunday school class, numbering 15 of the Portage Prairie Prairie Evangelical United Brethren church, attended the meeting, in the home of the Misses Alene and Virginia Rough. The program included a round table discussion on the subject "In Case of Another War" with Charles Elmhurst as the leader. Games and contests were played. Mr and Mrs Wilmer E Baker were dinner guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs Harold Schrock Goshen. Mrs W E Baker will be hostess to members of the Child Study club Tuesday evening. Mrs Harry Banke Buchanan, will be the guest speaker and her topic will be "The March of Dimes". Members of the Busy Fingers 4-H club of the Kansas school will meet Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs Lisle Koin to work on their winter projects. Mrs Clyde Upham will be hostess to members of the Portage Prairie Home Economics club at an all-day meeting Wednesday. A planned dinner will be served at noon. Co-hostess will be Mrs R B Franklin.



Science vs. TB



(Emerson Yorke Studio)

Mrs. Clifford Scamehorn entertained members of the Portage Prairie Home Economics club at an all-day meeting Thursday. A planned luncheon was served at noon. Co-hostess were Mrs Lisle Koin and Mrs Bernard Watts. Mrs Donald Wagner and Mrs. Heibel Huebner gave the lesson on "Lampshades". The group will meet Feb 19, with Mrs. Huebner.

North Buchanan

Members of Mt Tabor grange met Friday evening in the grange hall. The roll call topic was "What I'd Like in Programs This Year." Mrs. Orville presented a talk on "The Hatchability of Brown Eggs" as compared to White Eggs" and Mrs. Frank Kann gave a reading, "The Old Front Porch". Mrs Dean Clark arranged the program in the absence of the lecturer, Mrs Evelyn Spaulding. Clyde Pennell conducted the business session and plans were made for the men to be in charge of the entertainment for the Jan 30 meeting. Dean Clark will arrange the program and George Shafei will be chairman of the eats committee. Mr and Mrs A Frank Kann were dinner guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs O Q Ingieright of Berrien Springs.

Members of the North Buchanan pinocle club will meet with Mr and Mrs Leroy Phillips, Wagoner district, Saturday evening. Mrs. B O Sult, had as her dinner guest Sunday, her son-in-law and daughter Mr and Mrs John Perkins and their son Jeff of Buchanan.

Mr and Mrs Herbert Wallquist entertained at a family dinner Sunday. Guests were their children, Mr and Mrs Donald Wallquist, Mr and Mrs LeRoy Wallquist and Mr and Mrs Elmer Handley, Buchanan.

Mr and Mrs Walter Reese and daughter, Joyce, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs. O G Shurford, Niles. Members of the Mothers and Others club of the Mead school met last Tuesday afternoon in the school and made plans to entertain all women of the school

In many laboratories throughout the country, scientific studies are being conducted to learn more about the germ which causes tuberculosis. As a result of these studies, science hopes one day to find a specific cure for the disease. Christmas Seal funds help support medical research.

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5th Grade Pupils Carry on Project In Handicrafts

Make Useful Articles For Foreign Children, Hostals, Homes For The Aged

Early in the present school year an organization calling itself "The Junior Helpers" was formed by members of the fifth grade division at the high school, taught by Mrs Vada Van Every. Officers elected for the society were: General secretary, Lynn Nelms, girls' chairman, Janis Seaton, girls' secretary, Nancy Cook, boys' chairman, Dale Dellinger, boys' secretary, Harry Kelly. The society engaged in a number of handicraft projects, the purposes of which are interesting. Their work went to European children in Red Cross shipments, to the sick in Pawating hospital, to the aged inmates of the Haven Hubbard home at New Carlisle, to veterans' hospitals, and to similar institutions and needs.

During the first weeks of organization the club undertook a simple project, that of making bedside bags from newspapers for patients at the Pawating hospital. In all they sent the hospital 73 bags. During later months they made monthly consignments of sawdust bags for the Haven Hubbard home at New Carlisle. At this home the elderly inmates have a sandwich lunch once a week. The bags, 250 in all, were decorated with colored drawings appropriate to the month. Fifty-five tray covers were made for Pawating hospital for the Christmas holidays. The society wrote a letter to a Filipino boy, Buenaventura Guercero, inquiring what they might do for Filipino children, and also sent him a number of Christmas place cards. They have not as yet received an answer.

A Red Cross box was sent to Finland, containing school needs and clothing. The members of the society have been making belts, hats and hoods of felt and yarn for such purposes. They have been collecting goods to make quilts to go over the knees of the hospitalized veterans, when in wheel chairs. Plans now under way include the making of wooden toys by the boys and spoorknitting "beanies" or tambs by the girls. Also the girls are collecting old blankets to be cut into strips for diapers.

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A. Copper Sends Midwinter Number Los Angeles Times

The Record extends its sincere thanks this week to A B Cooper of Alhambra, Calif, for his gift of the Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times, published on Jan 2, the day following the Massacre of the Trojans of the University of Southern California by the University Michigan.

The edition featured the 59th annual Tournament of Roses at Pasadena, Calif. Nearly the entire front page was occupied by a picture of the float "By the Golden Gate," entered by the city and county of San Francisco, and winner of the sweepstakes prize. Surfaced entirely by Chrysanthemums, the float featured a replica of one of San Francisco's picturesque cable cars with four umbrellae and cubstone flower stands surrounding it.

Many other pictures of the great floral spectacle are printed on following pages. Also an account of the Rose Bowl game beginning as follows: "Well, it wasn't bad as we expected, it was worse." Included also was a beautifully-illustrated 96-page supplement on slick paper, featuring the California Gold Centennial of 1848-1948, and the industrial and real estate assets of the state.

The sender states that he was born in Buchanan Aug 6, 1888, and that he has relatives around here. We have talked with several of the older residents who do not remember him. If anyone who reads this can tell us anything about him we would appreciate it, and we would like to hear from Mr Cooper again. His name and address are: A B Cooper, 401 Stoy Place, Alhambra, Calif.

Educators Plan For Flying Classrooms

Education will take to the air in giant "flying classrooms" February 15, as 200 leading school administrators from all sections of the nation participate in a study of business and industry under joint auspices of Michigan State college and Air Education Research, of New York. Developed by Carl M Horn, Michigan State college professor, the flying field, study is an outgrowth of two others conducted in the summers of 1946 and 1947 for Michigan educators and is the first national event of its kind.

The tour, according to Prof Horn, is designed to "bridge the gap between business, industry and education." Mammoth DC-6

airplanes will carry the educators on the tour through some of the leading business houses and industrial plants in the country. The tour will begin at Chicago, Feb. 15, and will end at Atlantic City, N. J., the following week-end where the air-borne scholars will attend the annual convention of the American Association of School Administrators. Chicago, Detroit and New York are main stops on the tour schedule. Top executives of each firm will address the educators, tours of plants will be organized, emphasis will be placed on personnel work, skill needs, training programs, labor-management problems and public relations techniques. Previous tours pointed up that business and industrial leaders

are as uninformed about education as the educators are about big business," according to Prof. Horn. "Their problems are not only parallel but are interrelated," he said, "especially in regard to the personnel which the schools produce and the industries employ."

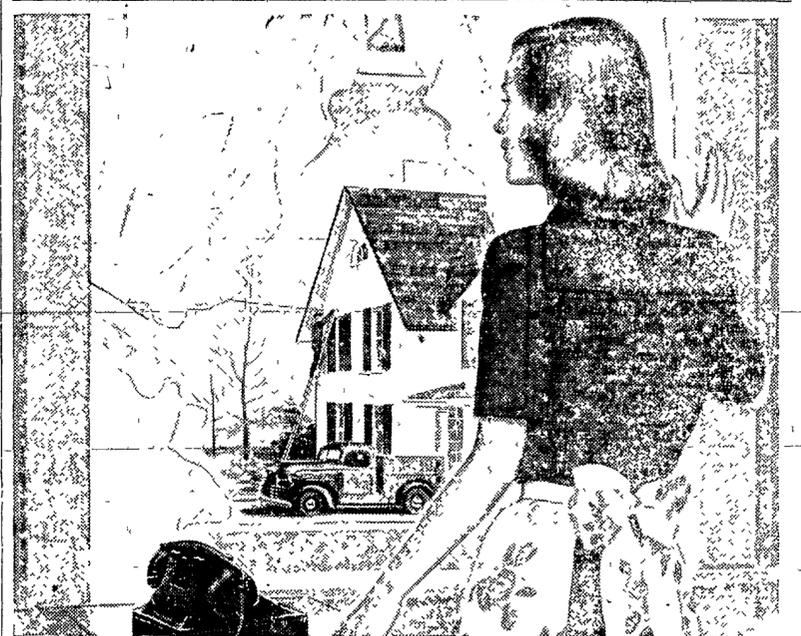
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# Church News

**St. Anthony's Catholic Church**  
111 S. Detroit Street  
Rev. Frank J. Burger, Pastor  
Masses, Sunday 8:30 and 11:30 a. m.  
Sunday baptisms 1:30 p. m.  
Sunday evening devotions, Maculou's Medal Novena at 7 p. m.  
Weekdays, Mass 7:15 a. m.  
First Friday, Mass 6:30 a. m.

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church**  
212 W. Front St.  
Rev. Fred G. Wilms, Pastor  
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.  
Divine service 10:30 a. m. 34f

**BETHEL TEMPLE**  
Elder W. Ruff, Past.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Young peoples' meeting 6 p. m.  
Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.  
Tuesday night evangelistic service, 8 p. m.  
Thursday night Bible study, 8 p. m.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
Moccasin and Fourth  
E. B. Davenport, Sr. Pastor

10 a. m. Sunday school  
11 a. m. Morning worship  
6 p. m. Prayer service  
6:30 p. m. Junior meeting  
6:30 p. m. N. Y. P. S.  
7:30 p. m. Evangelistic service  
7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting

**First Presbyterian Church**  
William T. Hunt, Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Jan 25 through Feb 1 will be Youth Week during which period special recognition will be given to the activities of the young people of the church.  
The monthly Sunday school teachers' meeting will be held Thursday, Jan 22 at 8:00 p. m.

**First Methodist Church**  
W. Y. Pohly, Pastor  
Sunday, Jan 25, 1947  
Sunday school, 9:55 a. m.  
Worship service, 11:00 a. m.  
Sermon subject, "The Lost Word of Jesus" Special Anthem by the robed choir

## Michigan Bishop Receives Tribute



**BUCK HILL FALLS, Pa.**—The Rev. Sergei Dubrovin of Hango, Finland is shown presenting a painting by Leo Korpele, one of his countrymen, to Bishop and Mrs. Raymond J. Wade of Detroit. It is the gift of Methodist young people of Finland who grew up in the church during Bishop Wade's 12 years of Scandinavian residence, 1928-40.

Bishops, board secretaries and members of the Commission on World Service and Finland heard a most moving personal tribute to Bishop and Mrs. Wade paid by Pastor Dubrovin in behalf of his fellow Methodists. The Finnish preacher and youth worker is in Drew Theological Seminary on one of the Crusade for Christ fellowships in aid of students from abroad.

Both the bishop and his wife are well-known here, the latter being the sister of Kenneth Mudge, superintendent of the Buchanan district of the Indiana & Michigan Electric company.

## Rainfall of 1947 5 in. Over Average

Rainfall for the year of 1947 was 39.5 inches, or 4.99 inches over the ten-year average of 1927-1935 of 34.51 inches. Due to distribution of rainfall, erosion was more completely controlled than in some years when less water fell, says Wash O'Brien of the Benton Harbor office of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service.

By months the distribution in inches was as follows: Jan. 1.66; Feb. 1.26; March, 4.03; April, 8.51; May, 4.55; June, 4.73; July, 1.53; Aug. 2.24; Sept. 5.03; Oct. 1.17; Nov. 2.58; Dec. 1.76.

The 11-year average distribution by months in inches was: Jan., 2.17; Feb., 1.39; March, 2.32; April, 2.92; May, 3.26; June, 3.16; July, 2.09; Aug., 3.05; Sept., 4.26; Oct., 3.69; Nov., 3.48; Dec., 2.74.

March, with an excess of 1.76 inches; April, 5.59; May, 1.29; and June with 1.62, were the months which ran over average, O'Brien said, when growers could use anything from web feet to rowboats to get over their "mud" depending on its location in the watershed.

"During the spring months cover crops, the year and held the soil in place during our heavy storms," he said. "Mother Nature had hung out her laundry, to dry and emptied just about the last tub. How dry it got in July and August, needs no heralding here, except to say there was very little water-croson, O'Brien commented.

In September the old lady found the missing tub behind the door and dumped it, raising rainfall to 8.2 of an inch over normal for that month.

Washing off and carrying away some dusty soil and melting peaches with blown ice were some of the things resulting from this wetting down.

With the laundry dried and the last tub dumped, October, November, and December all fell behind normal.

On December 31 she donned her best for the celebration and had everyone wet down by New Year's morning. The soil she didn't phase much, since it was all frozen solid due to previous lack of snow, O'Brien said.

**Church of the Brethren**  
Sunday school, 10:40 a. m.  
Worship, 11:00 a. m., Pastor, Rev. George Stull  
Feb. 1, Mrs. Anna Waistler, Missionary from India, will serve an Indian supper in the basement of the church at 7:00 p. m. Public invited.

**First Evangelical United Brethren Church**  
L. E. Lee, Pastor  
Church school, 10:00. Maynard Walker, Supt.  
Morning worship, 11:00. Special music by organ and choir. Sermon topic "The Apostleship of Paul".  
Youth Fellowship, 6:30.  
Evening worship, 7:30.  
Youth night Special music, sermon topic "Andrew, the Alert".

**The Re-organized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints**  
A. Burroughs, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. church school, J. L. Gross, Director.  
11:00 a. m. Sermon, "Fruits of the Spirit," Joseph Gross, speaker.  
6:00 a. m. Chon practice.  
7:30 p. m. Sermon, G. W. Seymour "All Are Welcome".

**Christian Science Society**  
Sunday service, 11:00 a. m. Subject "Truth" Golden Text (II Timothy 2:15) Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
The reading room at the church is open every Wednesday afternoon, except holidays, from 2 until 4 o'clock.

**The Church of Christ**  
J. W. Greenwood, Pastor  
Bible school, 10:00  
Lord's Supper, 11:00  
Sermons 11:30, "Faith Is Not Enough"  
Christian Youth, 6:30  
Evangelistic hour, 7:30  
Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 8:00

**Friendly Neighbors Home Ec Club Elects Its Project Leaders**

Mrs. Dale Nelson and Mrs. Earl Nichols were re-elected project leaders of the Friendly Neighbors Home Economics club last Tuesday evening, when members of the organization met in the home of Mrs. Gerald L. Noggle.

Other officers elected for the coming year were Chairman, Mrs. Wymen Denno, co-chairman, Mrs. Noggle, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Claude Denno, recreational leader, Mrs. James Liska.

Feb. 10, the group will meet with Mrs. Liska, for a Valentine exchange and party complementing the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Frank Benak. The first lesson on "Sewing" will be given at that time. Following the business meeting the final lesson on "Making Lamp Shades," was given by the leaders.

## Heads Research

**Rust Caused to Rust**

Rust is defined as a red or orange-yellow coating which is formed on the surface of iron when exposed to an air and moisture. When so exposed, iron is attacked by oxygen, forming iron oxide, which is rust. As oxygen and moisture cause iron to rust, it is necessary to have these two conditions present before this chemical change can occur.

Dr. H. Stuart Willis, superintendent and medical director, William H. Maybury Sanatorium, Northville, Mich., is interim director of the Committee on Medical Research of the National Tuberculosis Association. The work sponsored by the committee is supported by the sale of Christmas Seals.

## R. Zerbe Made Dept. Director Of Chemical Co.

Richard Zerbe, former resident of the Bend of the River during his boyhood and a graduate of the Buchanan high school in 1930, was recently appointed director of the Montsano Chemical company's plant at Nitro, West Virginia.

Young Zerbe entered the employ of the Montsano company as assistant research chemist immediately following graduation from the University of Michigan with the degree of Master of Science in 1936. A year later he was transferred to the patent department, and in 1940 was promoted to the post of patent attorney. He is registered to practice patent law before the United States Patent office. The Montsano Chemical company is one of the largest in that field, with plants in all parts of the United States. The great explosion and fire that occurred last year in Texas City, Texas, stated in a Montsano plant. The department with which Richard is connected is concerned with synthetic rubber. The firm is also a leader in the field of manufacture of plastics.

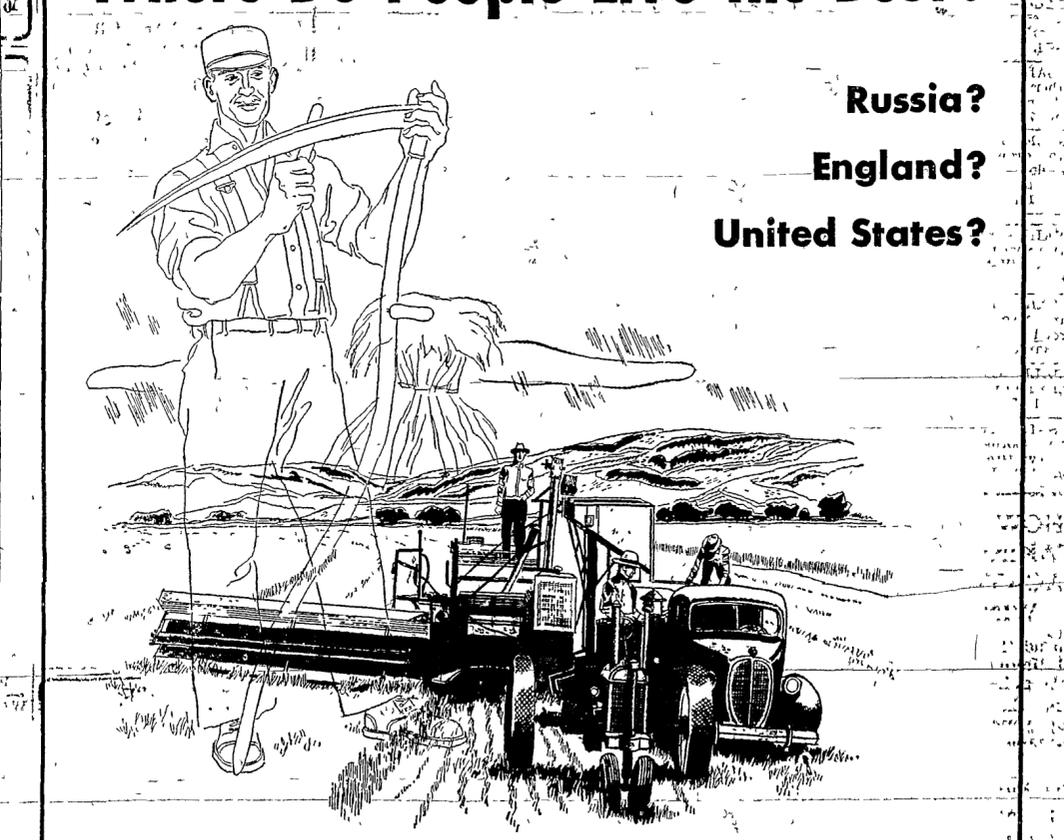
Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Zerbe, now living in Constantine, Mich. When graduated he was valedictorian of his class Arthur Anderson, now with the personnel department of the Clark Equipment company, was salutatorian.

Richard is married and has three sons. He has served three years as councilman of the city of Nitro, and is the chairman-elect of the Charleston (W. Va.) section of the American Chemical Society.

## Probate News

Judge Malcolm Hatfield transacted the following matters: Wills and the Petitions for the probate of the last will and testament were filed in the estates of George H. Beil, Hattie A. Miller, Grace H. Poole, Ella Iden Edwards, deceased, petitions for the appointment of administrator were filed in the estates of Anna J. Keeter, Corn. Stanford, Mary Matthews, Joseph Sachy, J. Carre B. Schmidt, Jacob (Jake) Weiser, Andrew A. Patzkowsky, deceased, bonds were filed and letters issued in the deceased estates of William A. Pardon, Ida Miller Nutting, Lloyd Aloyaus Jaroch, Ernest L. Pahlwitz, Emil Zaai, Anna Johnson Inman, inventories were filed in the estate of Margella Subis, George Gulliver, Walter B. Lee, Erma Wright, T. O. Goss, Klaus Linden, Bessie N. Emmer, Albert W. Lehke, deceased, and final accounts were filed in the estates of George Gulliver, Marcella Subis, etc. disappeared persons, Klaus Linden.

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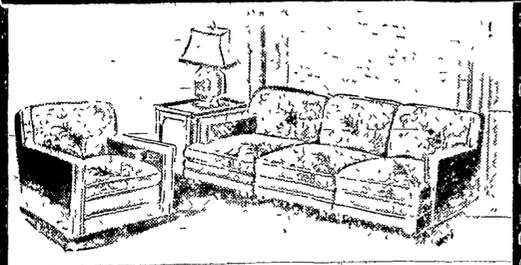
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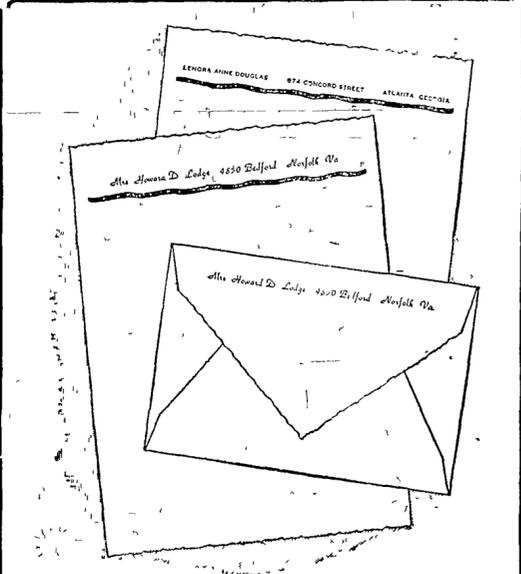
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**Berrien County Record**

and Mrs. William Borst, writes from San Diego, Calif. that he hopes to be relieved from naval service next spring. He has been promoted from Fireman First Class to Mechanic Mate Third Class. He returned recently to the States, after having been stationed several months in Japan, Guam and China.

ten years, according to Prof. Paul A. Herbert, head of the MSC forestry department. Michigan State college has an undergraduate enrollment of 597 in its forestry department while the New York school has 798. Students are prepared in five fields of forestry, including housing and lumber management, recreational park development, technology and utilization of resources and training for conservation work.

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# Society

**F. D. I. Club**  
Members of the F. D. I. club of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge will meet this evening (Thurs) in the Odd-Fellow-hall. The hostess committee will include Mrs. Ella Bristol, Mrs. Gertrude Cook and Mrs. Leonard Dalenberg.

**Post Nuptial Shower**  
Mrs. Glen Vergon and Mrs. Ernest Zimmerman gave a post nuptial shower in the former's home Jan. 16, honoring Mrs. John Lotsbach and Mrs. Norman Ferris who were recently married.

**B. G. U. Sorority**  
Tuesday evening, Mrs. Paul Moore will be hostess to members of Beta Gamma Upsilon Sorority.

**W. B. A. Review**  
Members of the Buchanan review of the Women's Benefit association will meet Tuesday evening in the W. B. A. hall for a cooperative supper. The hostess committee will include Mrs. John Giver, Mrs. Geneva Luke and Eliza Spruth.

**G. A. R. Circle**  
The regular meeting of the Carlisle-Hanley-Bunker circle of the G. A. R. will be held Monday evening in the American Legion hall.

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**Hills Corners Club**  
Thursday members of the Hills Corners Home Economics club met with Mrs. Howard Gardner for an all-day meeting. A cooperative dinner was served at noon. Mrs. Guy Coffman and Mrs. Jack Harroff presented the lesson on "Making Lamp Shades." After the dinner the group worked on the project. The group will meet Feb. 19 with Mrs. Andrew Feather. The February lesson on "Dressmaking" will be presented by Mrs. Frank Ramsey and Mrs. Harroff.

**Buchanan Thirty Club**  
Monday afternoon members of the Buchanan Thirty club met in the home of Mrs. Iver Carlson. Mrs. William Y. Pohly presented a paper on "South America" and read letters she had received from her son, Richard, who served several months in South America during the war. Next Monday afternoon, the group will meet with Mrs. Lester Miller.

**Contract Bridge Club**  
Mrs. J. C. Strayer was hostess to members of the Friday afternoon Contract bridge club in her home at 103 Moccasin avenue. Honors were held by Mrs. E. M. Schultheis and Mrs. Lester Lyon.

**Ramblers Club**  
Members of the Ramblers club will meet Saturday evening in the home of Mrs. Florence Eager. Niles, for dinner. Cards will provide entertainment.

**Fortnightly Pinochle Club**  
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bannhart were hostess to members of the Fortnightly pinochle club at a dinner Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Marble. Mr. and Mrs. Phil B. Boone will entertain members of the club Jan. 31.

**Contract Bridge Club**  
Mrs. William Fette entertained members of her Contract bridge club Thursday evening. Mrs. George Roe and Mrs. William Thompson, held high honors. The group will meet Jan. 19 with Mrs. Ralph DeNardo.

**Honor Natal Anniversary**  
Wednesday evening, Mrs. Harry Banke entertained at a party honoring her birthday anniversary. Games were played and Mrs. Clyde Marble, Miss Jessie Gowland and Mrs. Kelsey Baanton, held high scores.

**Reviewers Twenty Club**  
The Reviewers Twenty club members met with Mrs. Alvin E. Scherry Thursday evening. Mrs. Wayne Smith was co-hostess. The current book, "Over at Uncle Joe's Place" by Oriana Atkinson, was reviewed by Mrs. Max Smith of Niles.

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**Evan U. B. W. S. W. S.**  
Mrs. Emory Rough was hostess to members of the Womens Society of World Service of the First Evangelical United Brethren church last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Howard Ottwell conducted the business session and the group decided to aid the fund to help reconstruct the flood damaged Red Bird Mission in Pineville, Ky. Plans were made for the annual observance of World Service day Sunday Feb. 1, when the society will sponsor a special program at the morning worship hour in the church. Mrs. John Fowler led the devotional service and the program from the book, "Northern American Frontiers," was presented by Mrs. Arthur Mead. The society will meet with Mrs. L. A. Decker on Feb. 10.

**METH. W.S.O.S. Circle 3**  
Members of Circle three of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. George Fairman and made plans for a public dinner in the church parlors Feb. 12. The group elected Mrs. Frank Ramsey as secretary and Mrs. Spencer Gibbs as treasurer. Mrs. Ora Broney was named chairman of the flower committee and Mrs. Myrtle Keen, Mrs. B. M. Montgomery and Mrs. William Dempsey were named as the telephone committee. Mrs. Ida Hayes conducted the devotional service and the program on "Home Missions" was presented by Mrs. William Y. Pohly.

**Navy Mothers Club**  
The regular meeting of the Paul E. Thurston Navy Mothers club will be held in the American Legion hall, Wednesday evening.

**Contract Bridge Club**  
Mrs. John Russell will be hostess to members of her contract bridge club this evening (Thursday).

**Women of Moose**  
Chapter night will be observed by the Women of the Moose this evening (Thurs) when members of the organization meet in the Moose hall. Mrs. William Poolman will arrange the program.

**Meth. Youth Fellowship**  
Sunday evening members of the Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist church were entertained in the parsonage. Rev. and Mrs. William Y. Pohly were hosts. There was a general discussion led by Mrs. Pohly and Miss Janice Rizer. During the social hour refreshments were served. The Jan. 25 meeting will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rizer.

**Y. G. U. Sorority**  
Members of the Beta Gamma Upsilon sorority held their monthly meeting last Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Donald DeFries. Mrs. Edwin Trapp presided and plans were made for the group to entertain their husbands at a later date. During the social hour, prizes were won by Mrs. Trapp and Mrs. John Shanahan. The group will meet Jan. 27 with Mrs. Paul Moore.

**Presbyterian Guild**  
Members of the Jeannette Stevenson Guild of the First Presbyterian church will meet this Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Richard Fuller. Miss Clara Sabon will present the lesson and Miss Grace Elk will conduct the devotional service.

**Hillyview Pinochle Club**  
Mrs. Ted Cramer will be hostess to members of the Hillyview pinochle club Friday evening.

**Navy Mothers Club**  
The regular meeting of the Paul E. Thurston Navy Mothers club will be held in the American Legion hall, Wednesday evening.

**Contract Bridge Club**  
Mrs. John Russell will be hostess to members of her contract bridge club this evening (Thursday).

**Methodist Circle II**  
Mrs. John Cline was hostess to members of Circle Two of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ted Cramer was elected secretary and Mrs. Kenneth F. Mudge, treasurer. Standing committees named were membership, Mrs. William Leiter and Mrs. A. Glenn Haslett, telephone, Mrs. Harold Kramer, Mrs. Harold Mann and Mrs. T. Clinton Hathaway, flower, Mrs. Fred Rickett. A baked goods sale was planned for Jan. 30, with Mrs. Cline, as chairman of the committee. Plans were also made for a three penny luncheon Feb. 11 in the home of Mrs. George Sands. Mrs. Leiter led the devotional service and Mrs. William Pierce gave the program topic, "Healing Ministry in the Far North."

**Past Noble Grand Club**  
Members of the Past Noble Grand club of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge will meet Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Charles Huffman. Mrs. Kate Huff will be co-hostess.

**Thursday Reading Club**  
Thursday evening, Mrs. Everett Watson entertained members of the Thursday Reading club in her home. Mrs. James Vail gave a review of the book, "Nothing So Strange," by James Hilton.

**V. F. W. Auxiliary**  
This Thursday evening members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary will meet in the V. F. W. hall.

**Pinochle Club**  
Mrs. Burton Benson will entertain members of her pinochle club, this Thursday afternoon. Read the Record Want-Ads.

**Hoos-Hi Bridge Club**  
Mrs. A. B. Muir will be hostess to members of the Hoos-Hi bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

## Local WBA Review Plans Installation With Niles on Jan. 20

A contribution of \$5 was voted by the March of Dimes drive, by members of Buchanan review of the Women's Benefit association last Tuesday evening, during a meeting of the organization in the W. B. A. hall. The new president, Mrs. John Giver presided. Final plans were made for the formal joint induction of officers with the Niles review Jan. 20, which will follow a dinner in the Niles W. B. A. hall. A large delegation will attend the affair.

Miss Anna Kolhoff resigned as lady-of-ceremonies and Mrs. James Gray was named to fill the vacancy. A co-operative dinner was planned for the Jan. 27 meeting. The dinner committee will include Mrs. Giver, Mrs. Eliza Smith and Mrs. Geneva Luke. Prizes at games were won by Mrs. Judson Markham, Mrs. Kolhoff, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Harley Squier, Mrs. Robert Boone, Mrs. Julia Peacock and Mrs. Robert Smith.

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