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BUCK-RAM BATTLE HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

City Depts. Total \$16,428 Savings Under Funds Allotted for Year

Now Here's the Proposition

Signs And Wonders Are Witnessed In Evening Heavens

If we lived in the days when unusual sights in the heaven were interpreted as signs of impending doom, we might well be in a dither. Two—mystifying—phenomena were reported to the Record in the past week by reliable observers who did not seem unduly excited.

Was This A Flying Saucer?

The Record was told the following by a local man who, to our knowledge, is a sober and responsible person.

At 7:30 p.m. Sunday evening last, he went outside his home, and saw a moving object, like a star, but brighter than any star in the sky, darting back and forth not far above the horizon in the northeastern part of the heavens. He called his wife out and they both watched it for a half hour. The bright object was very brilliant but no shape was visible. It moved swiftly in a zigzag pattern, changing directions, with a slight slowing down of motion, but without a stop. It might dart horizontally a distance, then dart straight up or straight down, or at an angle. Sometimes it seemed to be coming toward them, sometimes going away. Sometimes it stood still for three or four minutes. The man went for a pair of binoculars, but with their help could not distinguish any shape or body to it, only a bright point of light.

It was never too high above the horizon and frequently dropped below the tops of the trees on the hills which border the west side of the river a few miles north of Buchanan. He could not be sure but he had an impression that the object was 25 to 30 miles away. Finally he and his wife went indoors. At 9:15 p.m. he went out again and the object was still there, but had moved a distance southward.

Sees Giant Meteor

A week ago Tuesday evening Ralph Tress went to the south door of his home to look at the large pane of glass in the upper part. He was looking down at the lock when a sudden flash of light lit up the entire room, as well as the outdoors, like a flash of lightning.

He looked out through the pane of glass and saw a brilliant orange light like a great shooting star moving across the southern sky westward. It disappeared in a matter of seconds. One of the county dailies carried an Associated Press story from Detroit, stating that at that time the spectacle was seen in that area, and by many people at Jackson, and to the south into northern Ohio. A plane pilot who was in the air at the time stated that the object was brighter than any shooting star he had ever seen. Its brilliant orange light lit the sky. He called it "a terrifying spectacle."

It's Spring At Mollberg's

It may be fall to you but it's spring in the rear yard of the Mollberg home at 409 West Front street, where a small apple tree has been white with bloom for several days. It is not quite so white as it was, on account of cuttings made for bouquets. The tree and two others were transplanted there last spring by Mollberg, who salvaged them from the clean-up of a lot for a building job. None of them blossomed last year. The other two have a few scattering blooms.

Easter Lily Blooms

Miss Pharoa Wallace has an Easter lily in bloom in her yard at 411 Arctic street. The lily was given to her by her son and daughter at Easter, and later planted in her yard. It now has three blooms.

Buchanan Steel Declares Dividend

The directors of Buchanan Steel Products Corp., Buchanan, Mich., at their meeting on Sept. 28, 1953, declared a dividend of ten cents (10c) per share, payable Nov. 2, to stock of record Oct. 15, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Hall spent Sunday in Hammond, Ind., the guests of their nephew, James Derfinger, and family.

City Dads Give Dept. Heads A Pat On Back

Every Department Operates Well Within The Budget—Assigned

Total expenses of all budgetary department of the city of Buchanan for the fiscal year from July 1, 1952, to June 30, 1953, were \$199,142.95 or \$16,428.05 below the total estimated budget of \$215,571, according to findings of the audit report of the accounting firm of Dobson, Vogel & Co., South Bend as reviewed and accepted by the city commission Monday night. Every department within the budget allotted them at the first of the fiscal year.

The city commission complimented the heads of departments on operating within their budget limits, stating that they had been budget-conscious to a praise-worthy degree in their expenditure of allotted funds. The savings of \$16,428.05 on the year's operation, or about 7 1/2% of the allotments, were transferred to the general fund.

An income of \$10,800, above the estimates of the city manager, was due primarily to rebates from the government in lieu of property tax. The estimate of the annual income made at the start of the year was \$215,571.00, as compared with an actual income of \$226,458.13.

The auditors said in a supplemental statement that they "found all accounts of city funds to be accurate and properly maintained and the supporting data complete and accurately filed." The estimates evidenced some very accurate forecasting on the part of the city manager, Barkley Omans, and the total financial record indicated co-operation between him and the department heads.

The report showed that the sewage disposal plant is operating within its budget allotment, though there was no balance left for building up a fund for future expansion.

It was also shown that the water department has retired bonds as they became due and has set up a surplus reserve of \$6,500 for bond reserve.

Copies of this audit may be seen at the office of the city clerk, Harry Post, or in the public library, by any one who would like to see them.

Reserve 11 Plays Galien First Team Here This Evening

The Buchanan reserve football team will play its first home game tonight (Thursday). It will meet Galien's first team with the kickoff at 7:30 at the local field.

According to Coach Steffen this should be a good game. The reserve squad is used as the training squad for the regular varsity team and the boys are always anxious to make a good showing in order to insure themselves a berth with the varsity later on.

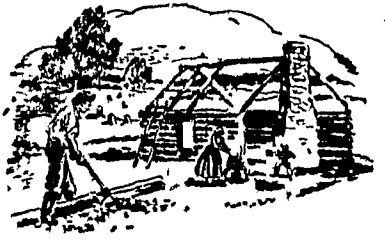
Coach Steffen includes twenty-three boys on the team. The boys out are Harlan Blood, Jerry Cray, Norman Decker, Jack DeWitt, Sylvester Dixon, Charles Ditto, Lee Fisher, Lee Frame, Doyle Goble, Albert Green, LeRoy Hurley, Larry Hutchinson, Norman Lunsen, Jerry Kengery, Eugene Lunde, James Meek, Melvin Miller, Dick Remington, Jim Sarver, Bob Spencer, Dick Smith, Bernard Topash and Andrew Wade.

Willard Gardner Suffers Extensive Injuries In Crash

Willard Gardner, hurt last week in a two-car crash at the top of the hill on Mayflower road immediately south of the Niles-Buchanan road, is reported to have incurred more injuries than were first known. He had four ribs torn loose from the frontal cartilage on the right side, and several more below them were fractured. Also four bones were broken in the arch of one foot, and he suffered a deep laceration in one knee, which laid bare but did not sever tendons. While the injuries are quite painful it is expected that he will be out soon.

Mrs. Harry Post returned home Wednesday after spending three weeks in St. Joseph hospital, Muskegon, and six weeks convalescing in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Arne R. Templeton, in Mishawaka.

The Story of Buchanan



How Domestic Censorship Was Rifted By Novels

On Breaching Of Bans On Fiction Reading In Old Buchanan

If you should go the rounds of the meat market clerks in Buchanan and ask them for a pound of "Noah's second son" you might find one or two who knew what you meant. But it is doubtful—assuming that meat clerks are like most other people of today.

Yet when Dr. Robert Kedzie first came to the pioneer settlement of Vermontville in Michigan, with only \$3 in his pocket he entered the store and asked if he could have on credit "Noah's second son." The merchant never hesitated. He said promptly, "Shem, Ham—yes, by thunder!" and handed him a nice tender ham. The moral is that even men who cursed (and "thunder" was probably a genteel translation) were likely to know the Bible those days.

Then speakers or editors could use the word "Phishines" without quotes or include any phrase of the Scriptures with the surety that the general reading public would recognize its significance without explanation. That knowledge ended sometime in the present century. The date was fixed in the early 1920's by H. L. Menchen, once famous essayist and critic of the Baltimore Sun staff, who wrote in about 1950 that the days of general Scriptural knowledge had gone, forgotten in the era of cynicism that followed World War I.

The majority of the Yankee farmers who settled in the woods and clearings here in the first days were religious men and the Bible was in their homes—read many times. Around that nucleus there might be a small library, nearly all of religious books, as in the home of Esther Montague Wrench in her girlhood. The Bible was doubtless read by the young people of that day, but their remembrance usually have a tone of rebellion against the dreariness of the rest, Fox's "Book of Martyrs", Baxter's "Saint's Rest" and "Call to the Unconverted", Clark's "Commentaries on the Bible", Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress", and a secular book, Watts on "The Mind". These were staples, but the tide was soon to turn.

If fiction were allowed it was likely to be De Foë's "Robinson Crusoe", which was fiction but, since it had no romance in it, it was the first breach by Harriet Beecher Stowe's "Uncle Tom's Cabin", which hit the public taste by its scathing attack on slavery. Esther Montague noted that with all the rest of the Buchanan community she read it and laughed over Topsy and wept over Uncle Tom and Eliza.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" was published as a book in 1852, after having been run as a serial in a newspaper without wide attention. It had more influence on the course of American history than any book ever published before or after. Dr. Kedzie, father of one of the departmental forefathers of Michigan State College, wrote of it "Food and sleep and earthly cares had little hold on us 'till wife and I had read with tears and choking sobs that wonderful book. It leaked out that we had a book of wonderful pathos, Frances Mears filed her application, but before she got it seven others were on file and before she read it there were thirty who had spoken for the book. After it left our hands we saw no more of it for two years, and it came back the most worn and tattered book I ever saw."

This is given here because it doubtless happened that way in the Buchanan community too. Abraham Lincoln when president gave it the rather sombre credit of having brought on the Civil War.

Meanwhile less controversial novels were being passed around by the girls. Esther noted that she and the other girls slipped from one to another. Maria Southworth's "Lena Rivers" and "Capitola or The Hidden Hand", shiv-

erning over the romance of the first and going frightened to bed after reading "Capitola."

The more broad of mind had already admitted the great novels to their homes. In the fall of 1864 Esther went to teach the Edwardsburg school, and found board in a home where the family had the first private library of great literature that she had ever seen. The Edwardsburg community had settled some ten years in advance of Buchanan and the community was more well-to-do. She wrote "In my altogether new environment the whole family joined every evening in reading and talking. Hugo's 'Les Miserables', Bronte's 'Jane Eyre', Whittier's 'Snowbound', Walter Scott and Charles Dickens seemed as familiar to them as my old blue speller to me."

When good literature entered the home then it acquired that new delight that we give to television now (1953). In the spacious and uncluttered lives they led there was room for it.

Edward Barber wrote in his history of "The Vermont Colony" in the Michigan Pioneer and Historical Collections, of the log cabin home of Dr. Robinson, their first doctor. "Dr. Robinson and his wife were very popular with the young people. He had more books than any other settler. Among them were Walter Scott's novels and poems. He took great pleasure in reading aloud to the young listeners, portions of 'The Lady of the Lake', 'Ivanhoe' was a revelation to us of the age of romance and chivalry, of knights and ladies and tournaments, and was more attractive than Baxter's 'Saint's Rest' and the other old staples." That was in the heyday of the family reading circle.

"The Saturday Evening Post", founded over a century before by Benjamin Franklin and still with us, began to get foothold in the home with some very sensational fiction.

In more literate Boston crowds waited at the harbor wharves for the arrival of vessels bringing magazines carrying installments of "Old Curiosity Shop" and other novels by Dickens.

Came the Civil War and the rest of the era of domestic censorship went down the sluice with other Puritan restrictions which will be noted later.

Owen Rifenberg Gets Top Rating In 1953 Contest

Is Rated First In Standard Oil Cleanliness And Appearance Contest

Owen Rifenberg, not to be outdone by his predecessor in business, was a guest of the Standard Oil company of Indiana last week as the joint winner of first place in the 1953 Cleanliness and Appearance Contest for the Grand Rapids district. The co-winner was Douglas Jardine of Harbor Springs, Mich., east of Petoskey. The two stations won over approximately 700 other stations in the district.

The award was a three-day trip to Chicago, from Sunday to Wednesday of last week. There the 58 Standard Oil dealers met who had won honors in the entire Standard Oil of Indiana area representing 18 midwestern states. The dealers were from as far west as Denver and as far east as Detroit.

They were all housed at the LaSalle Hotel. Among the highlights in entertainment was admittance for the opening night in Chicago of the popular cinema play, "The Seven-Year Itch", starring Eddie Bracken, on Monday night. Tuesday night they attended the game between the Cleveland Indians and the White Sox. There special awards were made of Lord Elgin wrist watches.

During the daytime they attended management meetings at the Standard Oil headquarters on Michigan boulevard, also visiting the Standard Oil refineries and laboratories at Hammond, Ind.

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Skidding Cars Cause 2 Crashes Thursday Night

4 Injured In Freak Wrecks On M-60, And Mayflower Road

Two freak accidents with skidding cars out of control as the cause resulted in injuries to four residents of Buchanan and community Thursday evening.

W. Bennett and W. Gardner Hurt In Crash, Mayflower Rd.

A two-car crash which happened about 6 p.m. last Thursday at the top of the small hill on Mayflower Road immediately south of its intersection with the Niles-Buchanan road resulted in injury to both drivers.

Vinford Bennett, age 15, Dayton, was driving north in the middle of the road and up the south slope of the hill. As he neared the top the car driven by Willard Gardner, 40, 605 Ryeannor, Buchanan, driving south, loomed immediately in front Young Bennett threw on his brakes and skidded sideways down the road, crashing into the Gardner car. When he stopped with the impact, his car was across the road, the front end two paces from the left and the rear two paces from the right side of the pavement.

Both were taken to Pawtawing hospital by the state police. Young Bennett had lacerations of the head and bruises. Gardner suffered shock, several fractured ribs. The police made no charges, as Gardner was unable to talk at the time. They were to be questioned later.

Shirley Powers, Doyce Womack Hurt In M-60 Crash

Both drivers were injured in a two-car crash on M-60, a mile west of Niles at 9:50 p.m. last Thursday evening.

Both were driving west on M-60. Doyce Wade Womack, 26, Rt. 4, Niles, ahead, with a car driven by Shirley Powers, 21, Buchanan, following. Womack lost control of his car on a curve and skidded, his car coming to a stop crosswise of the road with the rear end blocking the westbound lane. Miss Powers, coming from behind, was unable to stop her car in time to avoid a collision.

Miss Powers incurred lacerations of the mouth and bruises of the right side and knee. Womack incurred lacerations of the mouth and injuries to his head and right arm. The Powers car, a 1951 Mercury, was damaged to an estimated extent of \$1,200. The Womack car incurred damages of \$700. The state police delayed entering any charge until they questioned both drivers Friday.

Fire Department Makes 2 Runs To Same Burning Car

Flames Start From Backfire Demolish Car On Return From Fishing Expedition

The Buchanan fire department received a call Thursday night to run to a car on fire on the River road on the east side of the St. Joseph about three miles north of Buchanan.

A party of Buchananites had been fishing in the river. They started to leave in a 1947 Buick Roadmaster driven by Otto Farrow. As Farrow started the car it backfired, igniting the motor.

As they drove north the flames mounted backward. Farrow drove some distance to a home from which he telephoned to the fire department. But the fire swept backward through the car, setting fire to the upholstery. By the time the department arrived in a few minutes the car had been destroyed, all windows burned out and all except the tires a total loss.

Later a wrecker came to tow it in. The driver threw the cushions back in the car and started, when unquenched embers in the cushions flared up. He stopped and called for the fire department again, but was able to put the fire out with water before it arrived.

The loss is covered by insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Beck have returned to their home in Lincoln, N. C., after visiting here with his parents, the Earl Becks, and other relatives and friends.

No Delay In Mail Has Materialized Says Postmaster

Charles Wesner, Buchanan postmaster, states that certain reported changes in mail scheduled by rail and truck which would delay local mail deliveries have not materialized.

Instead the arrival of mail truck deliveries at Buchanan have been set ahead. A through mail truck has been installed between Chicago and Buchanan City, arriving at the later place at 30 a.m. and mail transferred to the local mail truck will arrive here at 6 a.m.

The changes in time on two Michigan Central trains schedule them only a few minutes later, and will not delay at all the delivery of the mail in Buchanan. Postmaster Wesner states he is negotiating for a mail messenger between Buchanan and Niles on Sundays to deliver local mail in time for evening dispatch from Niles.

Lions Initiate Largest Class In Club Records

Vote Club Cooperation With Police At Grid Games

The district governor of International Lions, Ted Small of Battle Creek, was guest speaker of the Buchanan Lions club at its dinner meeting Thursday evening in the American Legion home. He spoke on "Lionism" and assisted in initiation ceremonies.

Twelve Lion cubs were initiated bringing the membership up to 85. This was the largest initiation ever held by the club. William Burkett was in charge of the formal ceremony.

The president, Dr. Robert O. Barnes, named the standing committee chairmen as follows: Frank Poorman, attendance; B. R. Desenberg, constitution and by-laws; Robert Burrus, finance; Clarence Foster, Lions information; William Burkett, publicity and conventions; Bert Metzger, membership and greater; Albert Kahn, program; William Moore, citizenship and patriotism; Pierre T. Bailey, bulletin editor; Reginald Pike, boys and girls; Vincent Schirf, civic improvement; Dr. Kent Hassan, health and welfare; Thomas Irvine, safety; J. Haberle, sight conservation and the blind; Robert Koenigshof, agriculture.

The club voted to help police at Memorial Field during home football games. Thirty members volunteered. C. H. King and Robert Habicht will be in charge of the program for the Oct. 8 meeting.

Ruth Engstrom Attends Workshop At St. Mary's Lake

Miss Ruth Engstrom, head of the commercial department at Buchanan high school, attended a workshop at St. Mary's Lake on September 25, 26 and 27. The workshop was held at the MEA camp and was under the direction of Dr. John Trytten of the University of Michigan.

Motivation was the topic of discussion at a general session. Jack Milligan, head of the state vocational department, suggested that each teacher should be aware of the reason why each student is in his course and that the needs of the student should be dominant. Mr. Milligan suggested that too often commercial courses follow a textbook rather than try to build up certain achievements in the pupils.

The workshop was divided into three sections, including sections which dealt with problems of teaching standards, grading and testing; one that dealt with individual differences; and one that dealt with office practice instruction. Buchanan hopes to add machines as well as practice work in filing to the commercial work in the high school in the near future.

Workshops offer an opportunity for teachers in the field to exchange ideas and to discuss common problems in the field. Additional resource persons included Frank Lanahan of the University of Michigan, Lyle Willhite of the Walter Bowman of the Southwestern Publishing company. There were additional consultants from Michigan State College and Central Teachers College at Mount Pleasant.

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Space Shortage Is Discussed By Library Board

Growing Number Of Books Is Overcrowding Shelf Space, Reader Room

A main topic in the discussions of the Buchanan Public Library board is the growing handicap from lack of space in the present library quarters. The present quarters total 675 square feet of space, in which are housed cases for 7,000 books, reading tables and chairs, the librarian's desk and chair and overly narrow avenues of passage.

The bookcases are now packed tightly with books in excess of their real capacity and there is no space for added shelving. There is no place left for suitable display of books, or for a "workshop" section for processing new books before shelving, except of course the tables, which are primarily for readers.

There being no place for new books it will be necessary to retire old books as fast as new ones are added, storing excess books in the city hall basement, to a limited extent. The Buchanan library discards files of all magazines taken after two years. The Niles library, also overcrowded but not so critically, keeps all files ten years. In large libraries a percentage of the magazines are bound and shelved permanently. The Buchanan 2-year period is altogether too short for good reference service.

Services which many other libraries afford their patrons can not be given by the Buchanan library, although in some cases they would cost little or nothing except space and equipment to contain them. A valuable collection of photographs of old Buchanan were given to the library by Jess East, now of Battle Creek. The gift had been on a tentative condition at least that the library ultimately mount them for public display in a manner which will afford both safety and a minimum of handling. These pictures, now identified after much work by Mrs. Jesse Vele and others, remain stored in boxes. Other objects of some value have been offered to the library on the same condition, space and equipment for effective display, and, in some cases preservation and protection against all hazards, including theft or fire. It was not possible to accept them.

During the past two years in particular the library has been given a large number of valuable new and carefully selected books. They must have space, even if others still of value, are removed and possibly stored somewhere in the hope that a location with more space may be accessible later.

Perhaps still more important is the lack of seating and table facilities for readers. The capacity is already overstated at times. The maximum seating and table capacity is now 14 readers, including both adult and elementary children's books. Library board meetings must occupy chairs and table space belonging to readers, with some distraction for those using the library at the time.

It would be possible, but not practical, to build an extension on the south side of the library room, but this would only be an expensive and temporary expedient.

Yearling Deer Is Killed By Auto On Range Line Road

Elvin Fortner, Berrien Center, an employee in the maintenance department of the Clark Equipment company, was driving to work at 7 a.m. Friday on the Range Line Road when a deer suddenly ran out in front of his car two miles north of the Walton Road intersection.

Fortner swerved his car, missing the deer, but in his swerve hit another deer, a yearling buck, which was following the other out of a cross lane. Fortner stopped his car, which had received some damage. The State Game Warden Suomi of Niles, was contacted and came. He found that the deer had all four legs broken and apparent internal injuries. It was shot and dressed and placed in a locker, the usual procedure being to donate such venison to charitable or non-profit institutions such as hospitals.

Select Game To Honor Fathers Of Buck Players

Bucks Show Promise In Upsetting Favored Allegan 14-13

Tomorrow night, Dad's Night, will see the Bucks meeting a worthy foe, according to Coach Nestor. The South Haven squad has been making use of the single wing backfield. So far this season Buchanan's opponents have used the "T" and split "T".

South Haven's squad represents both experience and a new type of offense. The Bucks are eager to try their metal against the invaders. A special feature of tomorrow's game is the recognition of the fathers of the players. The dads will be seated on the bench and will wear numbers corresponding with the jerseys of their sons. The band has also prepared a few special numbers for the occasion.

The Bucks employed a spread line to make two touchdowns in the first period, beating the heavily-favored Allegan Tigers 14-13 in the first home game of the season Friday night, Sept. 25. Buchanan's excellent passing and receiving brought them into scoring position and Gens Lombach carried the ball over the goal line with 2 1/2 minutes to play in the first period.

The Tigers fumbled the kickoff and Buchanan recovered on the 15-yard line. Gordy Smith crossed the goal line on the first play. The extra point was made both times by Smith, giving Buchanan a lead of 14-0 at the end of the first period.

Through the remainder of the game the Bucks put up a dogged defense to maintain their lead in the face of Allegan's determined effort to score. The score was 14-6 until Allegan got a touchdown with 11 seconds to play in the final period.

Buchanan players showed considerable progress since they were upset by State-High last week. This was especially apparent in their aerial attacks and unyielding defense.

Richard C. Luke Tells More Detail Of Brother's Death

More details of the death of Robert Luke, 32, Niles, killed in a car-train accident at the intersection of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway and M-137 near Interlochen, Mich., Saturday, were obtained later by his brother, Richard C. Luke of Clear Lake Woods.

Luke and Robert Coons, Niles, had gone on a fishing expedition and had pitched their camp in a woods in Interlochen state park, when a terrific wind and rain storm struck, leveling their camp. Trees were being blown down all around them and they hurriedly drove away in a heavy rain. The visibility was poor but they saw the train, before it hit them, but too late to save themselves.

The diesel engine hit the car, cutting it in two and throwing the two men clear of the wreckage. Luke was killed instantly from a fractured skull, and Coons was critically hurt with a ruptured diaphragm.

Richard Luke had been scheduled to accompany them, also Bert Dillman, but neither went. Luke stayed home because his wife was ill in a hospital.

Two Master Degree Teachers Are Now Members Faculty

Buchanan's high school faculty has been strengthened by the addition of two masters degree teachers, Miss Mary Ellen Powell, a native of Illinois and a graduate of Southern Illinois Teachers College at Carbondale, is teaching seventh grade English and literature. She earned the master's degree at Northwestern where she studied reading under Dr. Paul Witte. She is especially interested in helping slow readers to develop better reading habits.

Miss Helen Robinson, who teaches seventh grade social studies, is also a graduate of Southern Illinois at Carbondale. She received both her bachelor's and master's degrees from this institution. Before coming to Buchanan she taught in the Illinois schools and for three years was an assistant County Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson and little Miss Barbara, spent the weekend at their cottage at Rush Lake, near Hartford.

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Galen

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Demkovich and daughters, Susan and Patty, of Whiting, Ind., spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster and family. On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Demkovich, Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Longfellow, Tom Longfellow, Miss Pauline Freehling and Mrs. Burl Longfellow attended the wedding and reception of Miss Maude Bates and Fred Miller in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Harrington and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hebblewhite in Lansing. Mr. Kelley remained there for the assessors' convention held at the Kellogg Center at Michigan State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cook have returned home after attending a bankers convention in Washington for several days.

Mrs. Ward James has returned home from a trip to Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. James was a delegate from Michigan to a meeting of the Association of Rebekah Assemblies.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Renbarger and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Potter spent several days recently at Witch Lake.

Miss Dorcas Longfellow spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Freehling at New Troy. Mr. and Mrs. Freehling were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burl Longfellow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hurlless and children of Springfield, Ill., spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stickle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lockwood and Mr. and Mrs. William Carroll are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kenney at the Kenney cottage at Gould City, Mich.

Dean Lockwood is spending several days with Mrs. Frances Wiley in South Bend.

The Rebekah lodge met on Thursday evening. The entertainment was directed by Mrs. Fred McLaren and Mrs. John Macdonald. Refreshments were served by Mrs. F. F. Lintner, Mrs. R. E. Lockwood and Mrs. Harry Lintner, Sr.

Louis Gerold is a patient at Hines hospital, Hines, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knox of Brazil, Ind., spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell.

The Carnation club met on Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Glen Swank. A potluck supper was served. Prizes were won by Mrs. Nora Welch, Mrs. Clara Partridge, Mrs. Fred Johnson and Mrs. Dora Watts. The next meeting will be Oct. 20 in the home of Mrs. Harry Lintner, Sr.

Mrs. Edward Cylke fell in her home and suffered a broken right shoulder.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sunrahl, Chicago, spent several days recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Peterson.

Dayton

Donald Calkins is the name of the head of the family that purchased the home here of Mr. and Mrs. Arden Brown.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Banke who are the parents of a little daughter, born Sept. 20, at the Niles hospital.

Alice Crocker and son, Edward Turtle of Niles, were callers here last Wednesday. They recently returned from Florida where Edward received his discharge from the army.

A Winford Bennett family have recently moved into the Desenberg home here which was known years ago as the Leggett place.

Dorothy Bachman and children of Buchanan, accompanied by Joanne Potthman, were callers Sunday at the Banke home here. Will Richter of Michigan City spent last Sunday here with his brother. They were all callers in the afternoon at the Matthews home at Walnut Grove, Ind. Will returned to Michigan City in the evening.

Callers here last week at the home of Billy and Rose Rotzien were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Boggs and daughter, and Miss Billie Boggs of South Bend.

The Herman Loose family of Chicago, spent the day here at their home, which they recently purchased from Edith Martin. They expect to move here some time in the future.

Clara Einsperger had for company one day last week, Myrtle Einsperger and her patients from Buchanan, which she takes care of at her rest home.

Bob Rotzien of Galien, was a caller here at the Dayton store last Saturday.

Summer was back with us again last Monday. Temperature up in the low 80's and a lot of sunshine.

Clear Lake Woods

Mrs. Kenneth Herman was guest of honor at a baby shower held Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Pat Zanini. Guests,



HOT TOMATOES—A tomato grower for 30 years, C. H. Benck of Woth, Ill., shows evidence of "sun scald" which he claims is ruining at least one third of his crop. Benck says he has never before seen tomatoes burst in the heat like this.

numbering about 25, were from the community, Chicago, Illinois, and Buchanan.

Lawrence and Lula Rosenquist have closed their house for the season. They drove here from Blue Island, Tuesday, with friends, did some odd jobs around the house and then returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Peterson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Givel, Sunday.

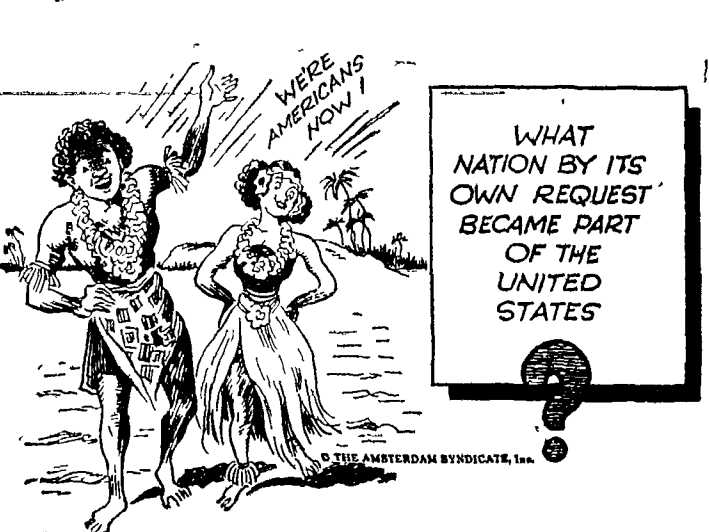
West Buchanan

Members of the Dayton Rebekah lodge met in the Odd Fellowship hall Wednesday evening and voted to change the meeting date of the Berrien county Odd Fellowship-Rebekah Association, at which it will be held, from Sept. 20 to Oct. 3. The meeting will be held in the Buchanan Odd Fellowship hall. Mrs. Clayton Leiter and Mrs. Edward Koenigshof were named to arrange the entertainment and Mrs. Arden Brown, Mrs. Ross Jakway, Mrs. John Deiling, Mrs. Olga Haas and Mrs. Earl Swairi were named on the refreshments committee. The committee for the Oct. 14 meeting will be Mrs. Russell Heckathorne and Mrs. Harold Rose. Prizes at games were won by Miss Blanche Sheldon, Mrs. Heckathorne, Mrs. Charles Schau and Mrs. Lawrence Dellinger.

Portage Prairie

Members of the Portage Prairie Homemakers club met all day Thursday in the Bertand township hall and re-organized for the coming year. Mrs. Ira Treash was hostess at the potluck luncheon. The new chairman, Mrs. Robert Bachman, conducted the morning business session and named standing committee chair-

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men as follows. Mrs. Wilmer E. Baker, community service and cancer, Mrs. Merritt Vite, program, assisted by Mrs. Treash, Mrs. Leslie Garling and Mrs. Claire Trickett; Mrs. Glenn O. Vite, publicity; Mrs. William Newing, sympathy and service. During the afternoon Mrs. Lawrence Mitchell and Mrs. Hugh Morrison presented the lesson on "Textile Farming." Another, all-day meeting will be held Oct. 15 with Mrs. Lucy Sleiman as dinner chairman.

Wagner

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harroff and sons, Ralph Hess and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess and son attended the Centerville Fair, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beardsley, Chicago, Ill., spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mitchell called in the afternoon.

Mrs. Laurene Phillips is unable to attend to her duties at the telephone office, due to illness.

Bert Ramsey is confined to his home on account of illness.

Mrs. Charles Hess spent Saturday evening in Buchanan with Miss Edith Hawes.

Remember the date, Oct. 7, when the Hills Commercial Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Bert Mitchell. This will be an afternoon meeting.

Ranger 4-H Boys Cherish State, County Trophies

Entries Of Vegetables And Animals Win Blue Ribbon Honors

Two Bend of the River boys, pupils of the Mead school, and members of the Rangers 4-H club, Mrs. Clayton Flanagan, leader, cherish 4-H trophies, which they are very proud of. Dennis Gess, son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gess, won the blue ribbon for first place on a vegetable display at the Michigan 4-H Fair at East Lansing. He also won the blue ribbon on the

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same display at the Berrien county Youth Fair and another blue for first in zucchini. The vegetable display was a basket containing choice selections of cabbage, squash, tomatoes, beans and other vegetables.

Larry Allen Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Reed, won first in the Youth Fair on his entry of a doe rabbit in the New Zealand White medium class entries, the medium class signifying the

weight. His entry was 2½-year-old Snowball, a pure white female. She had her third litter of young a few days ago. LeRoy has never seen them, as the mother rabbit always covers them with white wool she pulls from her own body as soon as they are born. They remain entirely covered until their eyes are open, a two-weeks period, when they crawl out of hiding of their own accord. He also won a red rib-

bon on his buck rabbit, Sniffles, also a purebred New Zealand White. Larry expects to continue raising the rabbits to sell to other people for meat or breeding stock. The does produce 8 to 10 in a litter.

He is now planning to enter a purebred Holstein heifer at the Berrien county Youth Fair next year.

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B.G.U. Sorority Plan Winter Work

Epsilon chapter members of the Beta Gamma Upsilon sorority held a dinner meeting at the Quinn Waters farm preceding their first meeting of the season last Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Jack Boone, Red Bud Trail.

business session, during which plans were made to hold a rummage sale on Oct. 16 to raise money for charitable projects. Proceeds from the sale of Christmas greeting cards will also go to this fund. Plans were made to help raise funds for the National Seeing Eye Dog project. The group will meet Oct. 13 in the home of Mrs. John Shanahan.

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Local Topics

Mr. and Mrs. Colin D. Morrison have returned to their home in Detroit after visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Strayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weiss have returned to Wabash, Ind., after visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Middlekamp.

Miss Magdalen Lynch has been spending a three week's vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lynch, Range Line Rd. She will return to Hammond, Ind., at the end of the week. Miss Lynch, a registered graduate nurse, is employed in St. Joseph hospital, Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Cort Milley of Petersburg, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Raison of Indianapolis, Ind., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Pearson.

Maynard Post, Chicago, was a guest during the weekend of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Post.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dillman left Monday for Los Angeles, to visit their son, Howard J. Dillman.

Emery Ferry is back in the Osteopathic hospital in South Bend for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Juhl returned Sunday from Silver Lake, near Meigs, where they spent 10 days at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Schantz have returned from Hagerstown, Md., where they visited his sister, Mrs. Max Boyer.

A new arrival in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nestor, 107 W. Chicago street, was born in Pawtucket hospital, Niles, at 10.30 a.m. Thursday, incidentally Sept. 24, 1953, if they are starting a scrapbook. The baby is a daughter, weighing 7 pounds and 9 ounces at birth. She will eventually answer to the name of Susan Ann.

Grape Growers Buy Welch Co. In Sales Dividends

Part Of Sales Profits Of The Company Paid In Stock Certificates

The bulk of the local 1953 grape harvest will be in the containers by the end of this week, to be shipped for the most part in semi to the Welch processing plant in Arkansas where a spring freeze killed almost 100% of the crop. Since the factory is there, also ample help resources, the local growers are going there. This refers of course to that major part of the local crop bought by the Welch Co., now in process of being transferred to the National Grape Growers Co-operative.

The details of sale and payment reflect an interesting development. The owner of the controlling interest in the Welch company, manufacturer of the famous Welch jams and juices, made an advance to growers offering to buy their product on the basis of part cash and part stock credits, which would ultimately give them complete ownership.

An advance of \$75 per ton was paid to growers this year. The growers will receive added payments based on the sale profits of the processed product, plus an added dividend in the form of stock payment. These stock payment certificates go to a central bank acting as holder until they equal the sale price of the company, \$15,000,000. In this manner every grower who sells to the company is automatically acquiring an interest in proportion to his sales, which will ultimately be redeemed to the owners in cash as payment for the firm. The amount of stock certificates for 1953 have not yet been reported. For the 1951 crop the growers received approximately \$85 per ton in advance and subsequent payments, also stock certificate credits of \$30 per ton.

Fire Department Makes Three Runs To Minor Blazes

The fire department made three runs between midnight and noon Tuesday. The first was to a home at Smith and Phelps street, where a motor in a refrigerator had caught fire, with much smoke from burning rubber but extensive damage. Other runs were made to a fire in a dump in the rear of Poorman's grocery, and a grass fire on Miller street, east of Chippewa and south of Front.

Social Notes

Methodist W. S. C. S. Members of the general society of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, will meet Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. J. R. Semple will present the lesson. Mrs. Ora Briney will conduct the devotional service. The hostesses will be Mrs. Phil Rotzien, Mrs. Jack Harroff and Mrs. Ray Babcock.

Flies From Japan To Chicago, Via Alaska And Tacoma

Master Sgt. Kermit Martin, who arrived back from 19 months in Korea over two weeks ago, is now with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Gibbs, on the Niles-Buchanan road. He returned by plane, flying from Japan to Anchorage, Alaska, and thence to Chicago via Tacoma, Wash. He is a "career man", with 14 years of army experience. He will report at Ft. Sheridan, Ill., on Oct. 10 for a further assignment.

Couple Club Sees Travel Program At Pres. Church

Forty-nine members and guests of the Couples club of the First Presbyterian church opened their fall activities with a dinner-meeting in the church parlors last Tuesday evening.

The program, arranged by Pierre T. Bailey, including Kodachrome slides of Yellowstone National Park, the Badlands of Dakota, and points of interest. Eitel Eberhart conducted the business session, during which

plans were made to entertain the boys of the Presbyterian junior softball league at a dinner on Oct. 27. Stanley Stromswold was named to arrange the program and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trapp, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edmund, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Converse and Mr. and Mrs. William Poorman were named on the dinner committee.

Hosts at the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Stromswold and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wessendorf.

News From Service Men

Jack Swartz Home On 3-Day Furlough

Jack Swartz, son of Mrs. Ada Swartz, 705 South Portage street, was home on a 3-day furlough over the past weekend, from Ft. Knox, Ky., where he is taking basic training with 6 weeks completed and two more weeks to go. He will then enter a special army school of instruction to qualify him for field wireman, for installation of field telephones.

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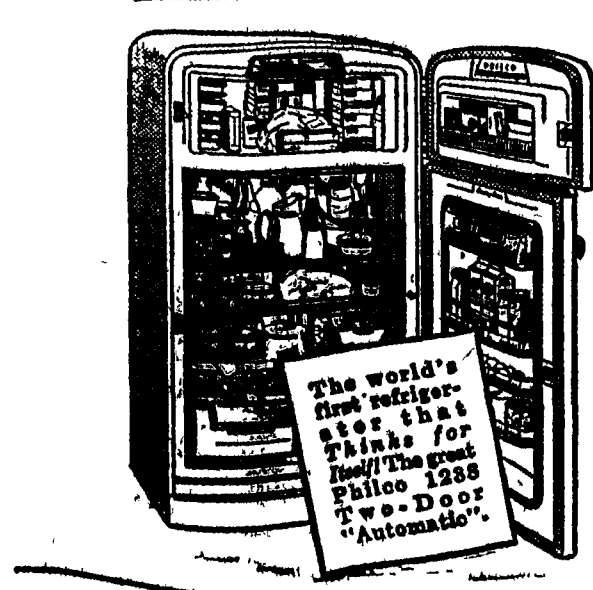
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I wish to extend my sincere and gratitude to all who so kindly remembered me with cards, flowers and gifts during my recent illness.

Mrs. Harry A. Post 4011p

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely thank all who were so kind in their remembrance to Robert while he was in the hospital.

Mr and Mrs Carl Beavel and Robert 4011c

CORRECTION

One page 1 of the insert in this edition of the Record there is a story of the 4-H Leaders' Recognition banquet to be held next Monday evening at Benton Harbor at 7 p.m. After this section had been printed the Record received a letter stating that the place of the banquet had been changed from the Congregational Church to the Seelye-McCord school in Benton Harbor. A picture cut of the speaker, Dr. Glen Reed of Michigan State College, also came too late.

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LEGAL NOTICE

1st insertion Sept. 24; last Oct. 8
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jack, Bonnie and Larry Richter, Minors.

At a session of said Court, held on September 17th, A.D. 1953.

Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That all persons interested in said estate are directed to appear before said Probate Court on October 19th, A.D. 1953, at ten A.M., to show cause why a license should not be granted to Lydie Richter, guardian of said estate, to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate and personal property described in his petition, for the purpose of the care and support of said wards.

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.

(Seal) MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Certified to by: Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

1st insertion Sept. 21, last Oct. 8
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Harrington, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on September 16th, A.D. 1953.

Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Frank Kelley, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Frank Kelley, or to some other suitable person; and that the heirs of said deceased be directed to show cause why the said estate should not be sold at the Probate Court on October 19th, A.D. 1953, 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.

(Seal) MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Certified to by: Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

1st insertion Sept. 21, last Oct. 8
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

In the Matter of the Estate of Carrie B. Stearns, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on September 21st, A.D. 1953.

Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Alice F. McClellan, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Alice F. McClellan, or to some other suitable person, will be heard at the Probate Court on October 19th, A.D. 1953, 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.

(Seal) MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Certified to by: Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

1st insertion Aug. 6, last Oct. 21
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated September 7th, 1948, made by Merlin A. Ludwig and Bernice M. Ludwig, husband and wife, to Buchanan Farmers Credit Union, a Michigan Credit Union, with principal place of business at Buchanan, Michigan, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan, at Liber 260 of Mortgages, page 148 on the 24th day of September, 1948, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of August 4th, 1953, the sum of \$3275.09, with interest accrued per day thereafter at 4%, and no proceeding at law having been instituted to recover said debt.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 2nd day of November, A.D. 1953, at ten 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 auction 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:

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Dated, August 4th, A.D. 1953

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Attorney for Mortgagee
Business address:
Box No. 72, Buchanan, Michigan

1st insertion Sept. 27, last Oct. 1
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
Final Account

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gertrude Rockafellow, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on September 16th, A.D. 1953.

Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Harold L. Stille, the administrator with will annexed of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on October 19th, A.D. 1953, 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.

(Seal) MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

Certified to by: Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

Social

Announce Engagement. Mr. and Mrs. William Streight, Berrien Springs, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Carol, to Richard Slocum, son of

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Slocum, Buchanan. May 1 has been set as their wedding date.

Miss Streight, a graduate of Berrien Springs high school, is employed in the office of the Clark Equipment company. Mr. Slocum graduated from Buchanan high school, served two years with the U. S. army, and is now employed at the Buchanan Steel Products Corp.

Girl Scouts Elect Brownie troop No. 11 of the Buchanan Girl Scouts met last week in the Scout cabin in Kathryn park and elected the following officers, who will serve for two months: president, Nancy Metzger; vice-president, Cheryl Price; secretary, Patti Deeds; treasurer, Janet Bowers. Mrs. Raymond Gohl and Mrs. Kenneth Metzger are the troop leaders.

Marie Lepel And Chris Stark Marry

Miss Marie Lepel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lepel, 2718 West street, Niles, and Eugene Stark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stark, Niles, were married at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Niles. The Rev. Theo Laesch read the service before an altar decorated with chrysanthemums, carnations, and gladioli. Ribbon bows marked the pews.

Mrs. Laesch, church organist, played nuptial music and accompanied Miss Marian Stark, who sang, "The Lord's Prayer" and "O Perfect Love."

The bride wore a gown of imported Chantilly lace and nylon net over slipper satin. The basque waist had long pointed sleeves of lace and a keyhole neckline with a Queen Anne's collar. The bouffant skirt and train were of double nylon net over satin and had two lace panels from the waistline. Her fingertip-length veil and blusher of imported silk illusion was held in place with a queen's crown of orange blossoms studded with rhinestones.

Miss Jane Dee, Niles, was maid-of-honor and the Misses Shirley Tatro of Three Oaks, Barbara Welch of Niles, and Jane Stark, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. Their gowns were of embroidered lace and nylon net over taffeta in pink, periwinkle, wedgewood and pale green, respectively, and were designed with strapless bodices of lace topped with tiny net pleating. The bouffant skirts were of double nylon net over taffeta, and their lace boleros matched their gowns. They wore matching bouffant deaux of shirred net and carried carnations in complimentary shades. Ronald Vorrath, Berrien Springs, was best man. The ushers were Charles Stark of Buchanan, William Miller of Niles, and James Hall of Buchanan.

The bride's mother wore a charcoal suit with matching accessories and the bridegroom's mother wore a navy suit and navy accessories and corsages of pink carnations.

After the ceremony a recep-

tion was held in the Buchanan American Legion hall for 200 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Stark left on a wedding trip through Michigan and will be at home on North Fourth street, Niles, after Oct. 3. The bride graduated from Niles high school in 1953 and Mr. Stark was graduated from Buchanan high school in 1950.

Beverly Canfield And Louis Rudloff Married

Miss Beverly Canfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Canfield, Buchanan route 1, and Louis Rudloff, Berrien Springs, exchanged nuptial vows at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the Trinity Lutheran church, Berrien Springs.

C. Abraham, Berrien Springs, played nuptial music before the ceremony and LaVonne Zelmer, Buchanan, sang. The pastor, Rev. W. A. Wiggazer, read the doubleing service before an altar decorated with vases of gladioli.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of Chantilly lace and nylon net over satin, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice, long sleeves pointed at the wrists and a full skirt enhanced by lace panels across the front and down the sides and ending in a chalet train. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a satin cap embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a corsage of pink and white roses on a white Bible.

Mrs. Louis Rosenthal, Buchanan, sister of the bride, was matron-of-honor and her gown was aqua satin and nylon net with matching cap embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of rose carnations.

The bridegroom's sister, Miss Eleanor Rudloff, and Miss Helen Backus, Buchanan, were bridesmaids. They wore identical gowns of rose satin over net with matching caps and carried bouquets of rose carnations. Kathryn Rosenthal, the bride's niece, and Chryle Benner, niece of the bridegroom, were flower girls. They wore dresses of pastel-colored taffeta with headbands of pink roses and carried baskets of rose petals. Richard Rudloff, nephew of the bridegroom, was the ring-bearer. Elmer Rudloff, Buchanan, acted as best man and the ushers were Wallace Vorrath and Allen Marckne, Berrien Springs.

A reception was held at 9 o'clock Saturday evening in the Community hall, Union Pier, with guests present from Ixonia, Wis., Chicago, Ill., Elkhart and South Bend, Ind., Jackson, Benton Harbor, St. Joseph, Budgman, New Troy, Niles, Galien and Buchanan.

The bride was graduated from Buchanan high school and is employed in the traffic department of the Buchanan Bell Telephone company office. Mr. Rudloff attended Berrien Springs high school and is associated with his father in farming. Following a wedding trip the young couple will reside on Berrien Springs route 2.

Vanderbosch-Allen Nuptials Solemnized

Miss Marietta Vanderbosch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbosch, Indian Springs Park, Red Bud Trail, and Richard Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Allen, South Bend, exchanged nuptial vows Sunday afternoon in the First Presbyterian church. Rev. T. M. Greenhoe of the Niles Presbyterian church, read the doubleing service before an altar decorated with baskets of white mums and lighted tapers in candleabra and white pom-poms tied in white satin bows marked the pews.

Mrs. Claude Imhoff played nuptial music before the ceremony and accompanied Mrs. Jack McWilliams who sang "I Love Thee" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride wore a gown of white Chantilly lace and nylon over slipper satin. Seed pearls and rhinestones accented the round neckline and was appiqued on the net for the basque waist, which was designed with nap sleeves. The full skirt was floor-length. Her fingertip veil of illusion was held in place by a queen's crown of seed pearls and rhinestones and she carried a shower corsage of white roses on a white Bible.

Mrs. Delores Hansen, Indianapolis, Ind., was matron-of-honor and wore a gown of gold taffeta carrying out the autumnal colors worn by the bride's attendants. The bridesmaids were Miss Joanne Russell of Buchanan, in plum-colored taffeta, Miss Nancy VanScheuren of Grand Rapids, a cousin, in green taffeta and Miss Patricia Allen of South Bend, the bridegroom's sister, in rose-colored taffeta. They wore headbands of matching lace and ribbon with white mums and carried matching colonial bouquets. Stuart Hansen, Indianapolis, Ind., was best man and the other male attendant was Charles Kovach, South Bend. The ushers were Richard Parmelee of Battle Creek, cousin of the bride, and Donald Rfan of Mishawaka.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Vanderbosch wore a dress of changeable bronze tulle accented with black velvet and a corsage of white mums tied with green ribbon. The bridegroom's mother wore navy blue with matching accessories and a corsage of white mums tied with matching ribbons.

Following the ceremony a reception for 150 guests was held in the church parlors. White mums centered the refreshment table and the tiered wedding cake was topped with an ornament of two doves in a circle of lilies.

of-the-valley and orange blossoms, holding two rings that had been used on the cake at the bride's parents' wedding. Guests attended from Indianapolis, Logansport, Peru, Star City, Royal Center, Rochester, Monticello, North Liberty, Kewanna, South Bend, and Mishawaka, Ind., and Grand Rapids, Grand Haven, Battle Creek, Detroit, Allegan, Three Rivers, Dowagiac and Buchanan.

The bride was graduated from Buchanan high school and from the Battle Creek School of Nursing on Sept. 11. After Nov. 1 she will be employed on the nursing staff of Pawating hospital, Niles. Mr. Allen is a graduate of Riley high school and of the Torrington Ball Bearing company school last month at South Bend, as employed in the sales department of that company.

Following a wedding trip to Cumberland Falls, Ky., the young couple will reside at 553 Oak street, Niles.

O. O. S. C.

The O. O. S. C. met with Mrs. John Morelock, Main street, Wednesday evening, Sept. 23.

Mrs. Morelock, temporary chairman, presided and Mrs. Eugene Adolph and Mrs. Cecil Menden reported on the club's project for the month, which was outfitting a local girl for school.

Next month's project will be baby clothes for the Korean box. Two new members, Mrs. Lee Pagent and Mrs. A. P. Lowery were added to the group. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held Sept. 28 in the home of Mrs. Menden when secret pals will be revealed and officers elected.

7th Birthday Honored

Miss Jessie Gowland, Mrs. Mary Kolhoff, Mrs. Mary Frame and John C. Strayer were guests at a dinner in the home of Mrs. Kolhoff's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kolhoff, Berrien Springs, Sunday, which honored their daughter, Carol Sue, on her seventh birthday anniversary.

Jolly Dozen Club

Members of the Jolly Dozen club will meet Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Edward Swartz.

Clark Birthday Club Members of the Clark Birthday club met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Claude DeWitt to honor the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Jack Boone. Prizes at cards were won by Mrs. Harold Thomas, Mrs. Richard Case and Mrs. Delos Proseus. Mrs. Case will entertain the group Oct. 26.

G. A. R. Circle

Mrs. Elmer Clark entertained Monday evening for members and guests of the Carlisle-Hanley-Bunker circle of the Grand Army of the Republic. Guests were Mrs. Cleo Linsenmier, Mrs. Jack Pfeil and Mrs. Arthur Hall, Niles. Prizes at games were won by Mrs. Virginia Wallace.

Mothers Study Club

Mrs. Jack Sigwald will be hostess to members of the Buchanan Mothers Study club Tuesday evening. Mrs. Charles Lewis will preside.

Hills Corners Club Members of the Hills Corners Home Economics club will meet Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Bert Mitchell.

Hostess To Jayshes Mrs. Milton Vigansky will be hostess to members of the Jayshes this Thursday evening. Mrs. Carl Ferris and Mrs. Robert Hamilton will be co-hostesses. The program will include a Chinese auction.

Rebekah Past Presidents Mrs. Leonora Murdock will be hostess to members of the Past Presidents' club of Rebekah district No. 27, at a 12:30 potluck luncheon Wednesday.

Mothers World War II Members of the Buchanan unit of Mothers of World War II will meet Wednesday evening in the Royal Neighbor hall at 7:30 for a business session followed by a social evening.

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Hills Bros. COFFEE 1-lb. can 89c	Suz-Q Whole Irish Potatoes 2 cans 23c
Kellogg — 12-oz. and 6-oz. Smacks Corn Flakes both for 25c	No. 730 Brand — Drip or Regular Coffee 1-lb. bag 79c
Sunshine Krispie Crackers 1-lb. pkg. 25c	Suz-Q Whole Sweet Pickles 16-oz. jar 27c
Pillsbury — with 20c coupons inside Pie Crust Mix 2 pkgs. 33c	Creamette MACARONI 3-lb. pkg. 59c

Wins 2nd In Midwest Trap Shoot Meet

Clyde Lolmaugh Collects \$424 In Auction Purse

Scores Again After Two-Year Retirement From Neck Injury

Clyde Lolmaugh of Buchanan, who won the Michigan state trapshooting championship in

1950 with a score of 99 out of a possible 100 in 1950, returned to the traps again in the Annual Midwestern Championship held in Indianapolis, Sunday, winning second place.

Lolmaugh had not been able to shoot championship competition for two years because of a neck injury. At Indianapolis, shooting in a field of 139, as an unknown, he received a distance of yards in handicap distances of from 17 to 25 yards.

Before the shoot and auction is held in which the players are "sold" either to themselves or

audience bidders. The bids started at \$5. Lolmaugh bought himself at \$11. All of the bidders paid in the amount of their bids, which formed a central purse, known Sunday as the Calcutta Trophy Purse, which totalled \$1,690. This was divided among the winners according to their standing. Lolmaugh's share as runner-up was \$424.10. In addition he received a prize of a wool blanket.

4-H Recognition Banquet Slated Monday, Oct. 5

Chambers Of Commerce Of St. Joe, Benton Harbor, To Fete County 4-H Leaders

The Chambers of Commerce annual 4-H Leaders' Recognition banquet will be held Monday, Oct. 5, according to Leonard J. Hill, county 4-H club agent. This event will be held at the Congregational church in Benton Harbor starting at 7 p.m.



Dr. Glen W. Reed, Michigan State College, will be the speaker for the evening program. Dr. Reed has practiced veterinary medicine at Constantine before joining the college staff in 1947. Dr. Reed received his A.B. degree from Manchester College, Manchester, Ind., and his doctor's degree in veterinary medicine at Michigan State College in 1939. In 1951 he received his master of science degree in education from Indiana University. Before coming to MSC, Reed served for 12 years as principal and coach at high schools in Connersville, Kitchel and Brookville, Ind. Reed is married and has one daughter. An outstanding feature of the

event will be the awarding of a merea. Hill states that the Chambers of Commerce feel this event is one day to recognize the tremendous job the volunteer 4-H leaders are doing in leading 4-H clubs in Berrien county.

The installment buying system was introduced into the United States by a New York city furniture house.

Also present at this 4-H Leaders' Recognition banquet will be Benton Harbor's mayor, F. Joseph Flaugh, St. Joseph's mayor, Waldo Tiscornia, Frank Small, chairman of the county Board of Supervisors, directors and secretaries of the Benton Harbor and St. Joseph Chambers of Com-

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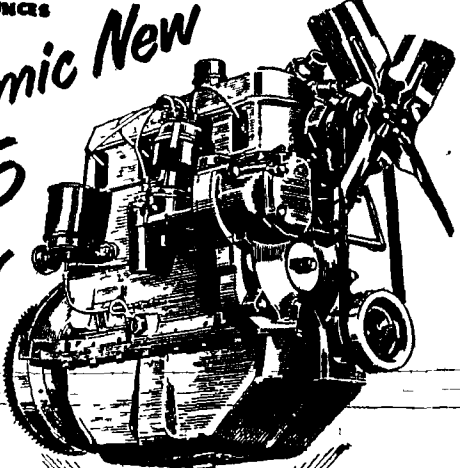
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New Changes In Mich. Motor Law

Believe Stiff Regulation Of Drivers, Increase Arrests Double Or Triple

Michigan is ready for the first major change in its driver licensing system in 34 years, a change it believes will save hundreds of lives and take thousands of dangerous motorists off her highways.

The change will come officially Oct. 2 when the 1953 legislature's new driver licensing law takes effect, but the new act will impress 3,200,000 Michigan motorists gradually.

When fully operating, the new system will mean that a driver's

license will be harder to get and harder to keep.

Under the new law, Michigan joins 20 other large states in establishing a central violations file in which eventually—and not too far away at that—a history will be built of the accidents and serious law violations of every driver.

To Insure Training

Secretary of State Owen J. Cleary, whose department will handle the new system, said:

"The objective is to insure that those who initially apply for driver licenses are adequately qualified in training, knowledge of the law and physical condition and that those who renew their licenses have good driving habits and are in good physical condition."

"We believe," he said, "that we can eliminate or correct the drivers who cause accidents because of physical disabilities, improper training, improper knowledge of the law or a reckless attitude."

The first change to impress the motorist will be the fact that his driving license will expire every third year on his birthday.

In the transition period, licenses now in effect have been extended to the next birthday after the expiration date shown on the present license. Drivers no longer will receive notice from the state when their license is about to expire.

After Oct. 2, the first time all motorists get a driver's license they must pay a \$3 fee.

That was the ruling of Atty

Gen. Frank G. Millard.

Millard ruled on a conflict in the new driver license law which the legislature passed last spring and made effective Oct. 2.

The new law calls for a \$3 fee for an "original" license, \$150 for a regular adult license, \$2 for a chauffeur license, and \$1 for a restricted minor's license.

But, since the law is confused, Millard said that a minor's restricted license is an "original" license and will cost \$3. When a holder of a restricted minor's license applies for a regular adult license he pays \$150, not \$3, Millard said. Regular licenses may be renewed for \$1.50.

Seventeen state supervisors selected by examinations will be placed in charge of drivers' examinations in Michigan. By the end of October these men will take over the supervision which has been conducted by the state police for many years.

These examiners will be "graduates" of a three-week school conducted by top experts of the Northwestern university, traffic institute, and staff men of the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators.

Each supervisor will then conduct training schools in his assigned areas for the local police and sheriff's officers who will do the actual examining of drivers, the same as now.

Stiffer Written Exams

By January, Cleary said, he expects to have ready a new and stiffer written examination form for new drivers. Cleary said eventually he hopes to restore the written test which was given to new applicants in past years.

Important as is the new licensing examining system, more important, Cleary said, is the central violations file which should be operating by January.

Lee C. Richardson, director of the driver and vehicle service division, said the new law does not impose stiffer penalties on bad drivers, but will lead to much stiffer enforcement of present penalties.

Local judges are to report to the central file all convictions for moving violations and police are to report all accidents.

The department of state, Richardson said, will cite for hearings any driver who has had three moving violations. The hearings may be followed by a warning or suspension of a license for up to 90 days. Revocation of a license is mandatory for certain serious offenses.

State police cited 10,000 motorists for hearings last year. Richardson said that number should double or triple in a few years under the new system.

commitments. About \$13 per bushel is being offered at present but it is believed that the market will offer better prices later.

Organize Farm Evening School, At Dutch Corners

Ten Weekly Meetings To Be Held Wednesday Nights, Starting January 6

A 10-night course for farmers of the Portage Prairie and others interested, has been arranged to be held weekly in the Dutch Corners school on 10 successive Wednesday evenings, starting Jan. 6, 1954. Starting time will be 8 p.m.

A committee of farmers has been set up to work out details of the plans, members being Donald Wagner, Alex Pawlak and Emil Baker. Co-operating with them are Richard Deer and Newton L. Taylor of the Rural Department of the Buchanan dis-

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trict of the Indiana & Michigan Electric company. These two men are serving the school by securing films, by securing funds for night door prizes and by other auxiliary services. They have secured thirteen films pertinent to the program, and have raised funds from local dealers in farm supplies and equipment.

The instructor will be Lowell McMillen, instructor in agriculture in the Niles high school. The program has been set up to cover three divisions in fundamental farm practice as follows: first three nights, Soil Management, following five meetings, Crop Production, two final meetings, Live-

stock Production.

Legion Auxiliary Hears Report On Hospital Activity

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Monday evening in the Legion hall. Mrs. Jack Pinkerton presented highlights of the fourth district convention of the American Legion in Waterbury, Sept. 13. Mrs. Pinkerton conducted the business session during which Mrs. Mollie Proud reported that 158 handballs, made of nylon hose and yarn, had been sent to Veterans

Administration hospital, Fort Custer, for use in therapy work. Mrs. Lester McGowan reported on the coffee hour held Saturday at the V.A. hospital at which the unit entertained more than 60 patients. It was voted to sponsor another coffee hour as soon as a date can be arranged.

It was announced that Mrs. Olive Kelsey Colcord executive secretary of the Berrien County Cancer society, will speak and show movies on cancer research at the Oct. 5 meeting. The committee for that meeting will be Mrs. Warren Willard, Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Mrs. Patrick Zanini and Mrs. John Ochenryder.

After the meeting N. M. Taylor, rural director for the Indiana & Michigan Electric Co., showed three movie films, "The Other Side of the Fence" and "Ants in Your Pants" and "Soil Rebuilding." Mrs. LeRoy Williams and her committee arranged the entertainment.

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One for the Books!
Noticed the Missus had a red ribbon tied around her finger at breakfast one morning last week. "What's that for?" I asked. "Your memory shipping?" "It's not for me," she answers, "it's to remind you, and everybody else who asks what it's for, to contribute to the Woman's Club Library Fund. We need \$200 and we figured we'd get more help if we could get people to ask us about it." Well, as it turned out, the red ribbon worked just fine. The ladies are having the library all fixed up—and there's enough money for some new books, too. From where I sit, it would be a fine thing if we had some sort of private reminder when we forget the rights of our neighbors. Like when we start telling them what we think is best. I may like a travel book and a temperate glass of beer while you prefer a cup of tea with your historical novel. Let's both remember not to "put the finger" on the other!
Joe Marsh
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A suggestion of personal interest to every TV user:

This is not an advertisement for an appliance or accessory. It is a suggestion to increase your viewing pleasure and prevent eye-strain.

Many people darken the room to watch TV. They associate TV (and not illogically) with movies.

But a TV screen is *ten times as bright* as a movie screen, and the light and motion is confined to a much smaller space. Viewing TV in a dark or dimly lighted room for very long can be extremely tiring. So tiring that many ask us, "Does TV hurt the eyes?"

The answer is, TV is *made* for watching. It is no more tiring than using the eyes in other normal ways... if the light is right.

You don't need as much light to watch TV as you need for reading or sewing, but it should be balanced... diffused throughout the room. You can achieve this balance very easily:

- Place lamps so that no glaring reflections hit the screen.
- Have no lamps in the line of vision as you view.

Then too, don't sit too close to the set. Stay at least six feet away (and further is usually better).

Experiment a bit. Take a little time to find the combination of light and distance that's most comfortable for you. You'll know when you find it because you'll soon be enjoying TV more than ever.

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Early Clover Seed Crop Reported Good

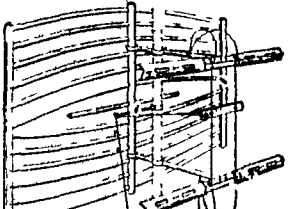
Fred Best, who has combed about 60 acres of clover for seed, reports that good yields have been the rule in the earlier plantings, particularly of Mammoth clover. The yields of the later plantings and of the later maturing red clover seed were hurt by the drought.

The Mammoth clover does not have much feed value, and the only cutting is that made for seed, and the growth is plowed under for fertilizer. The red clover, valued for feed, is cut in the summer for hay and then the second growth for seed. Local growers report that all cleaning plants here are far behind in cleaning, and most of the seed is stacked uncleaned at the farms waiting processing. Several growers hauled their seed as far as Lansing and reported that the cleaners there were already two months behind in handling them.



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A FEW MINUTES on the telephone calling the dealers who sell America's finest cars will reveal there are at least eleven models among four makes with price tags over \$4,000!

Now the interesting thing is that in feature after feature the Ford car duplicates each of these fine cars, and for less than half the fine car price!

Look under the hood of the most expensive cars and what do you find?

A V-8 Engine!

Well, the Ford car has a V-8, too. In fact, it has had a V-8 since 1932, and since that time Ford has built more V-8's—by millions—than all other manufacturers combined. And there's no other builder in Ford's price range that's seen fit to offer one yet!

But the engine, as fine as it is, is only one of many things that make a fine car fine.

Automatic shifting, for example. All the fine cars offer it in one form or another because it's one of the things that make a fine car fine. But if you've never driven a Ford with Fordomatic you've missed one of the finer things of life. This amazing transmission not only does away with clutching and shifting forever—it

gives you exactly the amount of power you want, when you want it—automatically.

Fine car power steering, too. The big, heavy costly cars offer it for the same reason they offer power brakes. It's a man-sized job for a 120-pound woman to handle a car weighing two tons or more without it—especially when parking. On "Master-Guide" has two distinct benefits.

First, it gives a hydraulic power assist right down at the wheels and just enough to take out the work. You don't relinquish one particle of control—rather your control is more complete and far easier.

Second, being hydraulic, "Master-Guide" power steering absorbs those fatiguing steering wheel tremors caused by ruts and roads in bad repair. And you don't pay a fine car price for "Master-Guide."

But there is another fine car feature—the Ford ride. Books have been written on the subject of riding quality in an automobile, but the payoff comes on the pavement—on lack of it! Many people associate a comfortable ride with excess weight, but it's not weight alone that makes for comfort. If it were, those big five-ton trucks which you see every day

would be the most comfortable vehicles on the road.

Without being technical we can tell you that what's been done with the suspension and springing system gives the Ford a softer ride, a smoother ride than many cars—which tip the scales at better than an added half ton.

What about room? Here's an interesting point. If you've felt that only a costly car offered enough room, you just ought to sit down in a Ford even if you're out-size and six feet four! The so-called big car is bigger on the outside, but unless you buy a limousine with those little jump seats, it's not one passenger bigger inside.

Visibility is another fine car Ford feature. We say Ford cars offer "full-circle" visibility because they all have huge, curved one-piece windshields and a huge rear window to match... plus side windows that mean every passenger gets room with a view!

How beautiful is a Ford? A great English poet, John Keats, once wrote "Beauty is Truth, Truth Beauty"—well, he could have been writing about our car for its beauty comes from honest, clean lines in every dimension. In fact, we think most people agree—even our competitors

—that the appearance of a Ford Car leaves very little to be desired. It is "at home" wherever it goes and it goes everywhere.

But what about Ford quality? Does it too match the fine car? Is the sheet metal of the body panels as thick? Is the finish as good? How about the trim and things like that? Well, as far as we can determine, the sheet metal is identical in thickness in practically all instances. As to finish—we believe Ford's baked-on enamel has no equal in any car. Ford upholstery fabrics and trim are less costly, but they're less delicate, too, and if anything, more durable.

How then is it possible to give you this fine car at half the fine car price?

Part of the answer lies in Ford manufacturing skills and knowledge as evidenced by the V-8 engine. Part of it comes from the ever increasing numbers of cars Ford produces and the economies they make possible. And, part of it comes from Ford's willingness to give greater values than might be expected in cars selling in Ford's price range. And that's the Ford idea.

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North Buchanan

Members and guests of the Superior club met Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Clyde Penwell. Prizes at games were won by Mrs. Arley Judy, Mrs. Dick Stover, Mrs. Claude Bates, Mrs. Henry Martin. Guests were Mrs. Leonard Lemon, Mrs. Verna Vincent and Mrs. Patsy Martin. The group will meet Oct. 8 with Mrs. William Wyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Stuntz and daughter of Bremen, Ind., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arley Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dool, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dool, Jr., daughter, Sandra, and son, Greg, of Cassopolis, were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Dool Sr., sister, Mrs. E. O. Suit, and family.

Ellwood Horner is a patient in Pawating hospital, Niles, where he underwent an operation last week.

Miss Maxine Bunkett is a patient in Pawating hospital, Niles, where she is under observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Rough of Puyallup, Wash., are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Russell Handley and family of South Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walden were dinner guests Sunday of the former's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Handley. The affair honored Russell Handley on his birthday anniversary.

Members of the Modern-Mothers Home Economics club met Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. John Russell, Red Bud Trail.

Mrs. Albert Lohnmuth conducted the business session. Mrs. Jack Prentker and Mrs. Ted Payne presented the lesson on "Painting Textiles".

The next meeting will be held in the Oronoko Methodist church, Oct. 14.

Members of the North Buchanan pinocle club were entertained Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben White.

New Carlisle prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Phillips, Mrs. Fred Hamilton and Herbert G. Wallquist. The Phillips will entertain the group Oct. 14.

Ninety-five persons attended the annual church supper held Sunday evening in the Oronoko Methodist church.

A social hour followed the supper. The Junior class of the church, under the supervision of the teacher, Mrs. Gail Wregglesworth, was in charge of arrangements.

Olive Branch

Miss Janet Roberts of East Lansing, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odean Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Currie McLaren, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLaren of Calien, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sherman in South Bend.

Miss Shirley Virgil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Virgil, celebrated her birthday Sunday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bohn and sons and Miss Minnie Bohn spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Clara

Ernsperger at Dayton.

Miss Gertrude Sherman had as her guests Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sherman of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Magnusson of LaPaz, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark, Ray Clark and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and son, Rex, Don Sherman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clark of Niles. Clark Sherman showed colored pictures he took on their vacation trip to Yellowstone National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Magnusson of LaPaz, were Sunday supper guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Doan Straub left Tuesday for several days at their cottage at Ford Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Peschong and son, Adrian, enjoyed a motor trip through some of the beautiful country around Niles, Dowagiac, Cassopolis, Three Rivers and Marcellus, Sunday. The trees and foliage are so pretty this time of year.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidt of Milwaukee, Wis., have returned home after a few days' visit in the Adrian Peschong home, taking with them some of Michigan's delicious apples.

Miss Darrell Keefe entertained recently with a canasta party. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Lysle Nye spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Brown in Benton Harbor.

Fred Dex of Connecticut, spent several days in the Paul Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Funney of South Bend, were recent callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Newitt and son and Mrs. Foster Bowker

spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sprague at Indian Lake.

Dale Bowker of Selfridge Field spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bowker.

Members of the Heide's Howe club of the Howe school resumed activities Wednesday evening at a meeting in the schoolhouse.

Sixteen parents attended. Several were new residents in the district.

President Mrs. LeRoy Spencer conducted the business session during which plans were made to sponsor a Halloween party for the children on Oct. 29.

Mrs. Harry Bellahne and Mrs. Ellis May were named on the committee in charge of arrangements. Plans were also made to entertain the children at a square dance at the regular club meeting Nov. 19.

The next regular meeting will be held Oct. 15.

Members of the Portage Prairie Home Economics club met all day Wednesday in the Bertrand township hall.

Each member prepared a new dish and took it to the luncheon served at noon.

Lloyd Rough conducted the business session. The lesson on "Painting Textiles" was presented by Mrs. Herman Dillman and Mrs. Ralph Lehman.

The next meeting will be held Oct. 7, which will be an afternoon meeting and the second lesson on "Painting Textiles" will be presented.

Members of the Adult and Junior leagues of the Portage Prairie Evangelical U. B. church will meet this Thursday evening in Fellowship hall.

Mrs. William Shaw will preside during the business session.

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club members will meet Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Ethel Mooningham. Mrs. Alice Lewis presides.

Miss Carolyn Palmer was hostess to members of the Prairie Messenger class of the Portage Prairie Evangelical U. B. church Friday evening. Miss Palmer led the devotional service. Dick Ruesch conducted the business session. Bill Christman led the discussion.

Members of the Portage Prairie Home Economics club will meet in the Bertrand township hall at 1 p.m. Wednesday for a special meeting.

Twenty-six neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer E. Baker gathered in the Baker home Sunday for a potluck dinner and surprise party, honoring Mr. Baker on his birthday anniversary. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crouch and children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wagoner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Vite and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. William F. Eisele.

Wayne Wagoner, Gene Mitchell, Louis Crouch, Diane Healey and Gail Kaiser spent Sunday in Kalamazoo as guests of Louis Crouch's sister, Lois Crouch, a student at Western Michigan State college.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Baker, Goshen, Ind., called on Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer E. Baker, Sunday.

Members of the Women's Society of World Service of the Portage Prairie Evangelical U. B. church will meet this Thursday afternoon in the church for Rally and Guest Day. Mrs. Wayne Palmer will conduct the business session.

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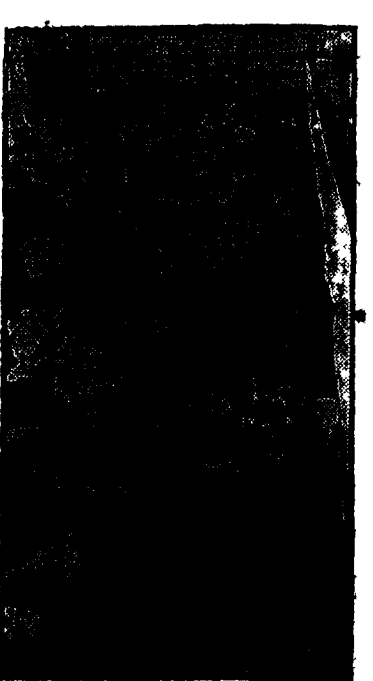
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Women Of Moose Enjoy A Chapter Night Banquet

Thirty-one members of the Women of the Moose attended the dinner in the Moose hall Thursday evening to mark publicity chapter night.

The program was arranged by Mrs. Jack Burks, assisted by Mrs. Dwight Maikham. It included movies shown by John Giver of his recent trip to Niagara Falls and New York City. Mrs. Robert Dill presided and plans were made to hold the monthly birthday party Oct. 8.

Mrs. John Jennings was named chairman of the committee. The good of the order award was given to Mrs. Thurl Warner and the unseen gift went to Mrs. Herbert Jesswein.

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During the social hour the group honored Mrs. Robert Yoe-man at a pink and blue shower.

Entertains Girl Scouts At A Tea

Mrs. Maurice Nelson entertained 23 members of the Buchanan Girl Scout Council and Girl Scout and Brownie leaders at a tea Wednesday afternoon.

Commissioner Maude Slate presided. Plans were made to start a leaders' training school to be held in the Kathryn park scout cabin. The first meeting was held at 1:10 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 30, with two new Brownie packs and one new intermediate Girl Scout there will be 10 units in all and the main problem will be to find meeting places for those that cannot meet in the scout cabin. The

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Legion Auxiliary

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held Monday evening in the Legion hall. The hostess committee

will include Mrs. Warren Willard, Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Mrs. Patrick Zanni and Mrs. John Oehenryder.

Royal Neighbors

Members of Primrose camp of the Royal Neighbors of America will meet this Thursday evening in the R. N. A. hall. The committee will be Mrs. LeRoy Peterson, Mrs. Margaret Hanover and Mrs. Carl Rossow.

Rebekah F.D.I. Club

The F.D.I. club members of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge met Thursday evening in the Odd Fellow hall and discussed plans to celebrate the club's 40th anniversary on Nov. 12. Following the meeting an auction sale was held and games and cards were played and prizes were won by Nora Froman, Mrs. Joseph Forgue, Mrs. Lloyd Shire, Mrs. George Huff, Mrs. Mollie Proud and Mrs. Anna Bale. The committee for Oct. 8 will be Mrs. William Reid, Mrs. Proud and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot.

Buchanan W. B. A.

Members of the Buchanan review of the Women's Benefit Association met last Tuesday evening in the WBA hall for a pot-luck dinner and business session during which plans were made to sponsor a public supper Oct. 6. President Evelyn Smith named Mrs. Jennie Hines, Mrs. Warren Boyle, Mrs. Nyle Henderson and herself on the committee. Further plans were made for the district rally to be held in the Moccasin Avenue school gymnasium on the evening of Oct. 28. Prizes at games were won by Mrs. Nora Froman, Mrs. Leo Huebner, Mrs. Martha Trapp, Mrs. Oscar Reams, and Mrs. George Haag. The committee for the Oct. 13 meeting is Mrs. Froman and Mrs. Martin Mitch.

Bayleaf Rebekahs

Members of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Odd Fellow hall Mrs. Fannie Gray and Mrs. Lous Gay will be in charge of the social hour.

Child Study Club

Mrs. Robert O. Barnes will be hostess to members of the Buchanan Child Study club at the first fall get-together meeting. Mrs. Thomas Irvine will present the history of the club.

Buchanan "30" Club

Mrs. Glenn E. Smith will be hostess to members of the Buchanan "30" club Monday afternoon.

Loyal Independent Club

Mrs. Margaret McFarlin will be hostess to members of the Loyal Independent club Tuesday afternoon.

Navy Mothers Club

Members of the Paul E. Thurston Navy Mothers club will meet all day Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Nelson Ferris. A sack lunch will be served at noon. The group will sew.

Hillview Pinochle Club

Mrs. Charles Rastaetter will entertain members of the Hillview pinochle club Tuesday evening.

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Mrs. George Roe was hostess to members of the Hillview pinochle club last Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Harold Kramer, Mrs. Charles Babcock and Mrs. Frank King.

Prairie chickens, numbered by the tens of millions in covered wagon days, are down to approximately 400,000, it is estimated.

New Procedure Affects Policy Of County Hospital

Judge Hatfield States That Aged Mentally Ill No Longer Admitted

After Oct. 2 it will be impossible to use the mentally ill hospitals of Michigan as a dumping ground for senile old persons, it was today announced by Probate Judge Malcolm Hatfield. For on that date Public Act 183 goes into effect and amends the commitment procedure of probate courts with regard to aged persons who receive old age assistance and who are thought to need care in an institution for the mentally ill.

Even though two physicians state that old person is in such condition that, for example, he cannot endorse his old age assistance check, is apt to wander away from the infirmary and lose himself, or exhibits any of the other common tendencies in non (mentally ill) psychotic persons suffering from other infirmities of old age, commitment to a state hospital for the mentally ill may no longer be ordered. Such persons will be referred to the County Department of Social Welfare for care.

This law was designed to retain eligibility for old age assistance for persons who, because of the mental infirmities of old age, are in need of institutional care (at the county infirmary) but are not (mentally ill) psychotic. Judge Hatfield added that as all such persons require guardians before they can receive old age assistance it is mandatory that the Court have a reporter to take the testimony of witnesses. He

concluded by saying that the law also requires that a Court reporter take and transcribe all proceedings in the commitment of mentally ill, feebleminded and epileptic persons as well as the new Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act which provides for more effective ways of dealing with the difficult matter of support for indigent parents from legally responsible relatives whether they live in Michigan or not. The Attorney General has already called the attention of prosecuting attorneys to the importance of the new enforcement of support legislation.

Figures Average Loss At 2.4% Of Value In Month

How fast does your car depreciate? General Motors figures the "average" auto is losing 2.4% of its value a month. Example: A \$3,000 (original price) vehicle is worth \$72 less today than in July.

Depreciation rate, which reflects second-hand values, was virtually nil in the 1946-48 seller's market, climbed slowly to 3% of 1% a month by the fall of 1950, and has been going up faster since.

The black stains on silver are caused by sulphur.

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Tues. & Wed. Oct. 6-7 "Dream Wife" (Cary Grant - Deborah Kerr - Walter Pidgeon)

Unusually romantic! Cary Grant's funniest film!

Watch for these: "WHITE WITCH DOCTOR," "VICE SQUAD," "MR. SQUATMASTER," "THE SWORD AND THE ROSE"

D.A.R. Conference Of Southwest Mich. Held In Niles, Mon.

The D.A.R. conference for southwest Michigan, was held Monday, Sept. 21, at the Presbyterian church in Niles. All the state officers and one national officer, Mrs. Miller of Saginaw, were present. Mrs. Ralph Newland of St. Joseph, Mo., was president. The National D.A.R. has a membership of 174,000 which performs 24 services of a patriotic educational and historical nature. The organization gave \$1,200,000 last year to schools for underprivileged children. This year the Michigan D.A.R. are putting in paved walks at one school and a covered passageway at another school. They sent thirteen teachers to Higgins Lake Camp to study conservation in order to give it to their classes. Fifty acres were planted in pine trees.

Is Graduated From School Of Nursing

Miss Marietta Vanderbosch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbosch, Red Bud Trail, was graduated from Battle Creek School of Nursing Friday evening in the Southwestern High School auditorium. Her parents attended the exercises.

Even in normal times, British women spent 80% less than American women for footwear. The Korean language has an alphabet of 11 vowels and 14 consonants.

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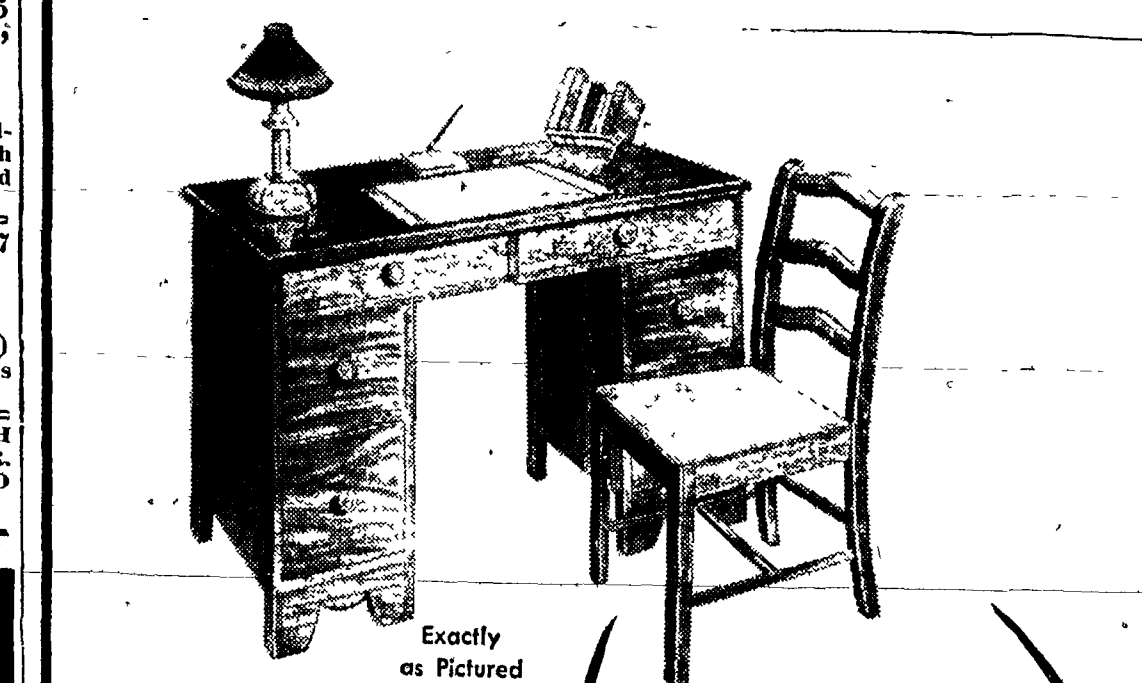
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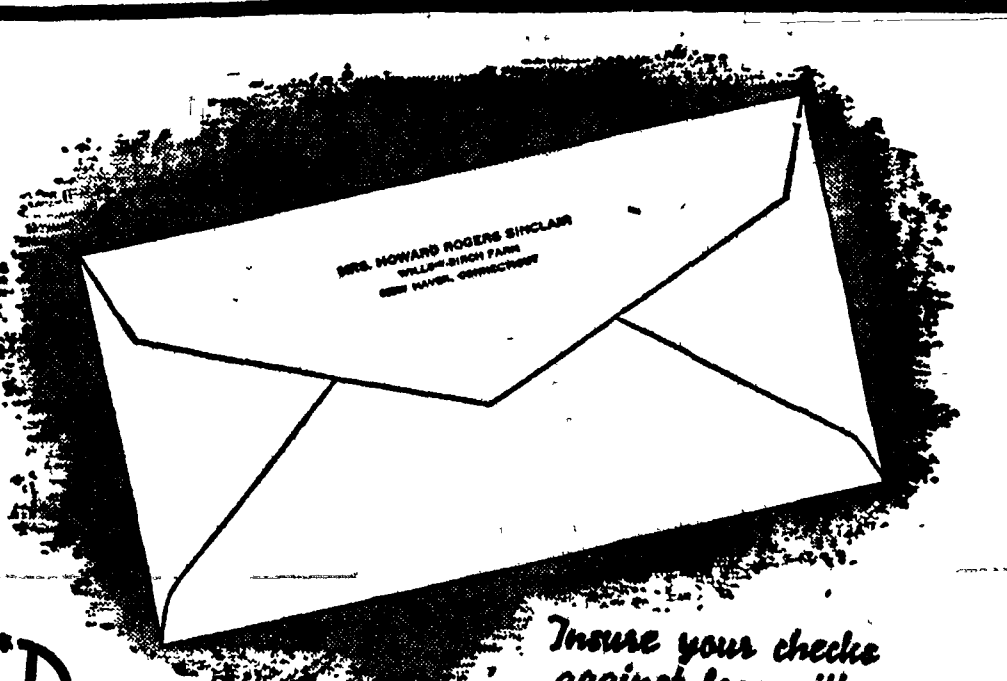
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