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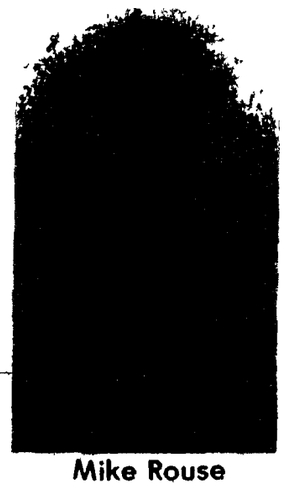
Mike Rouse named new basketball coach



Mike Rouse

Buchanan school officials have announced the resignation of Jon Bohannon as head basketball coach and the appointment of Michael Rouse as his successor Bohannon will remain on the Buchanan staff as a math teacher and assistant football coach

Rouse was assistant basketball coach at Buchanan last year He is 28 years old and a 1973 graduate of Eastern Michigan University His prior experience includes assistant varsity coaching at Ann Arbor Pioneer High School During his service with the Marines in 1968 70 he was named All Marine Corps in basketball

City to salute industry during Michigan Week

Although Buchanan has a population of a little over 4800 people, the industries located here employ 2750 people, drawing upon an area which includes South Bend and the Twin Cities They provide the city with an advantageous tax base Of the $1 928 356 which the city will raise in taxes over $825,000 will be contributed by the industries (43 per cent).

Recognizing the tremendous contribution which industry makes to Buchanan's well-being, the Buchanan Area Chamber of Commerce is planning a Salute to Industry Week in conjunction with the regular observance of Michigan Week, May 14-21

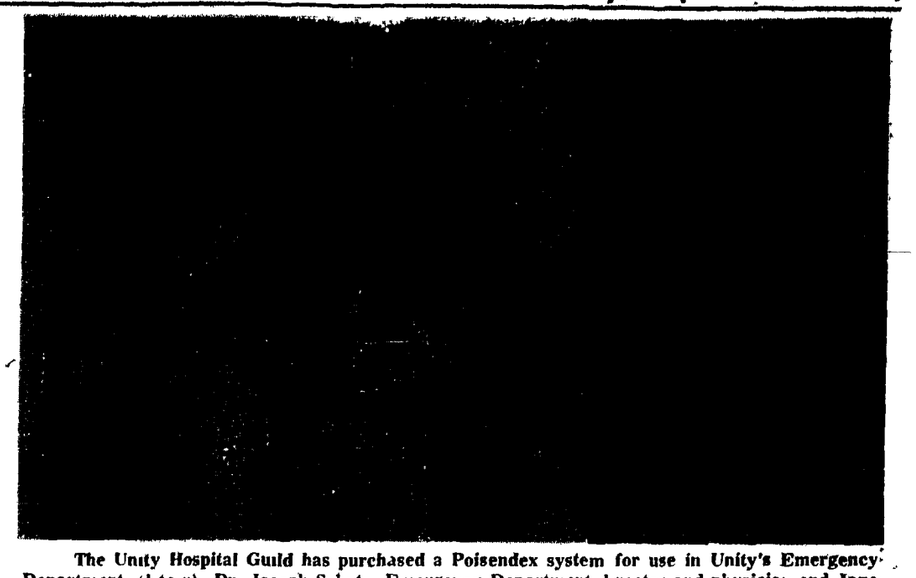
Of fifteen industries here, eleven of them plan to participate in the week's events with either plant tours or special industrial exhibits or both Buchanan Metalform Products, Buchanan Steel Products, Fred S Carbon Co , C & S Machine Products, Clark Equipment Company, H.S. Cover Company, Electro-Voice, Food Specialties Service IMW, Inc Kayak Specialties and Pinlock Engineering have all endorsed the plan

Plant tours are planned for Monday Tuesday and Wednesday May 16, 17 and 18 Some fifty groups from the Buchanan schools will be shown various phases of the city's industrial activity plus special groups of interested citizens and senior citizens In addition, speakers from industries will meet with the physical science math and industrial arts classes at Buchanan High School

On Thursday May 19 from noon to five Friday, May 20 from noon to eight and Saturday May 21 from ten to three special industrial exhibits will be featured in the old bank building. They will demonstrate what the companies produce and in many cases their current employment figures and tax contributions The public is cordially invited to these exhibits

A highlight of the week will be the annual dinner of the chamber at St Anthony's Church on Tuesday, May 17 The president of the Michigan Chamber of Commerce James Barrett will be the featured speaker Special recognition will be given to fifteen industries, and the Redbud Award and a special award for Citizen of the Year will be announced

John North, president of the chamber of commerce and the board of directors expressed the hope that this initial promotion to salute Buchanan's industry will successfully begin further efforts among individual citizens business labor industries the schools and the city to work together for the betterment of the whole community



The Unity Hospital Guild has purchased a Poisendex system for use in Unity's Emergency Department (l to r) Dr Joseph Sabato, Emergency Department director and physician and Jane Hahn, registered nurse, show how the machine works while Hospital Guild President, Mrs Lawrence Swank, and nurse's aide and guild member, Mrs Joe Radford, look on.

The Unity Hospital Guild is sponsoring a Bake Sale and Flea Market, Saturday, April 30, from 10 a m to 4 p m at the Buchanan Township Hall

Proceeds will go towards the purchase of the Poisendex system

Residents sign petition for extra millage

A group of Buchanan area citizens concerned by the announced school budget cuts in industrial arts, home economics, music, staff, classrooms, activities, etc , got together under the leadership of Mrs Dan Shelles and circulated petitions calling for a 2 6 mill addition to be placed on the June 13 ballot

The 2 6 mill increase would create enough revenue to cover the anticipated $160,000 deficit

Eight residents circulated the petitions, garnering more than 300 signatures The petitions were delivered to Mrs Robert Mahan, school board secretary, Monday evening, April 25 The school business office verified the signatures and the information was forwarded to the school attorney

Residents will have an opportunity to vote on this additional millage June 13 as they elect a new school board member

Honor basketball team

A steak dinner was held in the West Winds Club House Wednesday evening, April 20 honoring the Buchanan varsity basketball team the varsity cheerleaders and the team coaches Guests also included Buchanan School Superintendent Dr Earl Hogan and Mrs Hogan Mr and Mrs Ray Berry and Mr. and Mrs Donald Rennhack Mr Rennhack was master of ceremonies

A special thank you goes to Mr and Mrs. Paul Thompson and West Winds Apartments for their generous contributions and also to Keith Welsh whose help was invaluable Mrs Thom Miller would like to express appreciation to the following people for their help and contributions Mr and Mrs R W Bellaire Mr and Mrs Richard Proud, Mr and Mrs Conrad Larson Mr and Mrs John Miller, Mr and Mrs John March Mr and Mrs Dennis Garcia Mr and Mrs Jim Converse Mr and Mrs Jack Beatty Mr and Mrs Doug Bobo Dr and Mrs Alfred Hanson and the Presbyterian Church

Mayor Richard Gault (left) buys a white cane from Dan Shelles, sight conservation chairman of the Buchanan Lions Club Monday was the kickoff for White Cane Week in Buchanan which is April 25-30

Lions Club members will be on the street corners, at the supermarkets and banks from noon Friday through Saturday afternoon

Vern Lubben re-elected to CU committee

Credit union officers attending the annual meeting of the Southwestern Chapter of the Michigan Credit Union League (MCUL) elected chapter officials Saturday evening, April 16 The dinner meeting for 121 officers and guests from Berrien Cass and Van Buren Counties was held at St Joseph's Elks Club Comedian Bill Falbo entertained

New officials elected for two-year terms were Roland Church, Simplicity-Berrien Graphic Arts Credit Union, MCUL Director, Wendell Brooks, Whirlpool Employees Federal CU alternate director, and Hazel Albrecht, Auto Specialties Employees CU, member of the Executive Committee.

Re-elected to the Executive Committee were Glen Fraverd, Twin Cities Area Employees CU Vernon Lubben, Clark Federal CU Jean Sallack, Simplicity-Berrien Graphic Arts CU, and Angela Walters, Heath Employees CU

Serving continuing terms on the committee are John Culp and Betty Karsten Simplicity-Berrien Graphic Arts CU, Erwin Hoehne, Whirlpool Employees Federal CU, William Shaffer, Greater Niles Community Federal CU, and Michael Sabo, Auto Specialties Employees CU

Fraverd, Hoehne and Sabo were elected as delegates to the MCUL annual meeting to be held June 2-4 at the Detroit Plaza Hotel Walters was named alternate delegate

The 30 credit unions of the Southwestern Chapter have about 50,000 members and total assets over $60 million

Unity Hospital Guild purchases Poisendex system for hospital

"I ate all the candy, Mommy " This statement made by their three-year old daughter began a nightmare for a young couple The candy turned out to be an anti-depressant The child was rushed to the Emergency Department of Unity Hospital by the frantic parents (The Poisindex number is 695-2222)

The Emergency physician on duty immediately referred to the hospital's Poisindex system. A quick check of the index revealed the trade name of the product was cross-referenced to a numbered 3 x 5 film card. Once inserted into a viewer, the physician read the details of the chemical components of the substance on a TV-like screen Recommended specific treatment data was indicated and proper treatment was commenced .

"This case ended well", Dr Joseph Sabato reported. He is the Director of five physicians who maintain 24 hour vigilance and service of the Emergency Department at Unity Hospital

The Poisindex was donated by the Unity Hospital volunteers and provides ready access to more than 200,000 microfilmed information cards dealing with poisonous substances, venomous animals and insects toxic plants and berries and drugs

Before the Poisindex was obtained by Unity Hospital, most poison cases were referred to other more distant community hospitals This often resulted in some delay in obtaining the needed information Today the Unity Hospital Emergency Department has quick access to such data, increasing the capability to care for most patients exposed to toxic materials

The microfiche cards provide a wealth of information covering a broad area of toxic materials The information includes identification by trade name, generic description of the chemical components of each substance, common household terms and street names, Should a patient refer to "blowing angel dust", the street name "angel dust" would appear in the index identifying it as cocaine The index then refers to a numbered microfiche card containing all data necessary to identify symptomology and current treatment information concerning ingestion of cocaine

The section on venomous reptiles is an example of how the system can assist the physician in dealing with a problem that is not common to an urban area The increase in the number of exotic pets has presented some problem One patient arrived at the Emergency Department complaining of a snake bite He was unable to name the kind of snake that bit him Taken to the Poisindex viewer, he quickly scanned color pictures of a variety of snakes Next to the pictures of each snake appeared a photo of the actual appearance of the bite on a patient's body Once he identified a photo as the culprit in question definitive treatment was begun

The recent popularity of house plants has brought an increasing awareness of the toxicity of such plants as the lovely Christmas plant, the poinsettia, and the plant that can cause temporary paralysis of the vocal organ, the dieffenbachia toxic berries also present a hazard, especially to youngsters who eat them from natural curiosity As with all toxic materials the recommendation is to bring the substance to the Emergency Department for accurate identification

Every household contains potentially dangerous substances These toxic materials can produce deadly effects in the event they are taken by mouth, injected into the body, inhaled or even coming into contact with the skin Some of the more common items are

drain cleaner, other caustics, cleaning compounds, aerosol-projected substances, insecticides, yard fertilizers, plant foods, garden aids, gasoline, kerosene, paint thinners, detergents vitamins containing iron and iron tablets or capsules

The Poisindex number at Unity Hospital is 695-2222

Reading instructional program

Dr Arthur J. Batchelder, head of the reading instructional program at Lake Michigan College, Wednesday, May 11, will address a group of parents in Galien on the subject "Reading and the Pre-school Child "

The talk is intended for parents of pre-school youngsters to help them prepare their children for the reading and comprehension instruction they will undergo in school

Arranged by Mrs Tania Hunerjager, director of community education, Galien Township Schools, the talk is scheduled for 2 p m. and will be held in the school administration building

Community Outlooks

The East Aurora (Illinois) High School Band will present a concert assembly at Buchanan High School, Thursday, April 28 (today) The concert will begin at 10.10 a m.

Following the concert, the BHS band will host a reception for the visitors in the band room Refreshments will be served.

Ray Berry, athletic director at Buchanan High School has announced some changes in the spring sports schedule Those changes are

Varsity Baseball, April 29--Dowagiac--There--4 30.
Tennis, April 29, Dowagiac--Here--4 30.
Varsity Softball, April 29--Dowagiac--There--4:30
JV Softball, April 29--Dowagiac--There--4 30.
JV Baseball, May 2--Dowagiac--Here--4 30
Varsity Baseball, May 2--Edwardsburg--There--4 30
Varsity Softball, May 2--Edwardsburg--There--4 30
JV Baseball, May 2--Dowagiac--Here--4 30
(Bus departure 3 p m. for baseball and softball teams)
Track (boys and girls), May 5--Cassopolis--There--4 p m
Tennis, May 6--Edwardsburg--Here--3 30

Cook Nuclear names winner

Fred Seifert, 4140 Second Street, Stevensville, was the winner of a fuel saver thermostat at the Energy Exposition held at Cook Nuclear Center Sunday The device was presented by Energy Saving Company Some 1052 people attended the exposition that featured solar heating and thermal storage equipment Local insulation, storm door and window fireplace and appliance firms displayed their energy saving products at the one-day exposition

Entire population to receive questionnaires

Because the city hall is being remodeled, the city commission met at the middle school Monday There was a group of students from Mr Walker's class there, but as the meeting went on, they had a difficult time hearing what was being said.

Ray Enfield, the architect was present to tell about a survey his company is doing in Buchanan It is the intention to survey the entire populace, but so far only 51 questionnaires have been sent out, and only ten of them have been returned The architect estimated that postage alone for the project would amount to $1000 The commission passed a resolution making the survey official, and everybody but Ben Jenson voted for it

Two invoices for Enfield's firm were approved, one for $275 for soil boring tests and one for $153 for reprints of historical photographs.

The city had received two bids for back-hoe equipment, and it was contemplated to ask for re-bids. But a representative from A.H Choitz in South Bend, was present to discuss his John Deere equipment, and it was finally decided to accept his bid of $12,098 (with trade)

The New Good Hope Baptist Church would like to buy two lots on Fulton Street which are now owned by the city, and action on this was tabled pending a decision on the legality of such a sale by the city attorney.

The new signs on the Niles-Buchanan Road which indicate merging of lanes were approved by the commission and will become permanent

Cripps and Associates had their regular monthly bills approved one for $1,132 31 for the final application for community development funds and one for $648 88 for the current project.

The quarterly report from the police chief was approved It showed that there had been 512 complaints, 95 traffic accidents, 82 criminal arrests and 181 traffic arrests. Of the criminal arrests, 23 were for larceny, two burglary and ten for auto theft. Eleven were for disorderly conduct, and there were five for D U I L

The commission passed a resolution proclaiming May 27 and May 28 as Buddy Poppy Days for the V.F.W. Auxiliary and another resolution for Student Government Day for May 9 at which time the students will participate in the deliberations of the city.

Open Door Residences, Inc., broke ground Tuesday, April 26 for a family type residence which will house mentally retarded adults. The home will be built at Market and Elm Streets in Niles.

Among those attending the ground breaking were Charles Frey, mayor pro-tem of Niles; William Cameron, architect from Buchanan; Rob Postwilko of Superior Home Builders of St. Joseph; William Clinger, executive director of Four Flags Chamber of Commerce; Ted L. Halbritter III, president of the Four Flags Area Chamber of Commerce; Bob Jones, director of Gateway Vocational Rehabilitation Center; Mrs. Gary (Marjie) Gaynor, Open Door president and Open Door board members.

The Clark Federal Credit Union celebrated the attainment of $10,104,007.57 in assets as of March 31. This represents an increase of $417,011 44 for the first quarter of this year.

The credit union currently serves 6,457 members.

The credit union was organized as Buchanan Clark Employees Credit Union on September 9, 1937 but converted to a federal charter on June 13, 1972 and the name was changed to Clark Federal Credit Union.

Members of the Board of Directors (l to r). Robert Stuart, vice president; Harold Holmes, president; Mary Ann Anderson, secretary and Vern Lubben, treasurer, prepare to cut the cake, baked by Mrs. Dennis Comfort, commemorating the occasion.

Board members not present for the picture are Frank Allee, Joe K. Johnson and Michael Pridavka.

The credit union opened its first branch office in Rockingham, North Carolina on April 11 and the second branch office in Gwinner, North Dakota is scheduled to open May 1.

Refreshments were served at the credit union office April 20 through April 22.

Letters TO THE EDITOR

(All letters received for this column must be signed by the writer. Names will be omitted at the writer's request but must be included before the letter can be printed. All letters are printed as received.)

Moon Letter

Dear Editor,

Enclosed herewith is a copy of a letter which we have recently written to Mr. William Moon, President, Board of Education, Buchanan Community Schools, dated 13 April 1977, regarding Mr. Michael Morse, Director of Instrumental Music

To date there has been no acknowledgement by the Board of Education with respect to this correspondence which was delivered prior to the April 18th meeting of the Board of Education Therefore we do request that the contents of this letter be made public at this time.

Sincerely
William W Cameron and
Nancy M Cameron

Dear Mr Moon,

The recent action taken by the Board of Education with respect to Mr Michael Morse, Director of Instrumental Music, indeed is most difficult to comprehend and it does concern us immensely Therefore we do at this time wish to request that the Board reconsider and reverse the decision previously made to withhold the tenure status which in our opinion is justly due Mr Morse After this action is fulfilled the Board would then be expected to extend Mr. Morse's present contract for employment for the coming school year and hopefully again for many future years as well.

We do, as many others do also, truly believe that Mr Morse, beyond any doubt whatsoever, is entirely qualified and competent for the director's position he has held within the music department of the Buchanan Community Schools these past several years. In fact we do believe the Board of Education should indeed be most pleased to have within the school system a sincere and devoted person such as Mr Morse This condition should certainly be expanded upon at this time and in the future rather than destroyed

If the Instrumental Music Department and programs are to be continued within the school system, Mr Morse rightfully should be allowed to continue in his present position as the Director of the department

We wish to express our sincerest gratitude to you, as well as the other members of the Board of Education, for the additional consideration to be given Mr Morse and we do trust that the results to occur on Monday next will be of a positive nature for both Mr Morse and the Buchanan Community Schools May our faith in the Board of Education not fall short at this time

Most respectfully
William W Cameron and
Nancy M Cameron

Why?

Dear Editor,

The Buchanan School Board has released band director Michael Morse despite the recommendation of the administration, and the support of the band parents, fellow teachers, and the students The board has also denied Mr Morse's request for a public hearing Why? Mr Morse should be entitled to know the real reasons for his dismissal

Concerned Citizen

Wondering

Dear Editor,

Wonder why our School Board has refused to grant a hearing to Band Director Mike Morse, as he has requested?

Wonder what they are afraid of?

Wonder who the so called experts are who have convinced our School Board that our high school music program is low in quality?

Wonder why our School Board will not answer questions directed to them at the meetings?

Wonder why they wouldn't acknowledge receipt of correspondence and read that correspondence at the last meeting?

Sign me
Wondering

Political union

Dear Editor,

Court judgments going international-with political union next! A major step toward making laws uniform, between both England and this Country, is now set for ratification as a model treaty Entitled "Reciprocal Recognition and Enforcement of Judgments in Civil Matters," the treaty has been quietly initialled by delegations of both countries. And whats more, the text is substantially in conformity with the existing European Economic Community (Common Market) Judgments Treaty

Financial judgments rendered in British Courts are to be enforced over here! It doesn't take a mental giant to see that enforcement would necessitate "adjustment" and "uniformity" of law -- our laws -- rewritten!

The formost lobbist for this treaty has been the multi-national corporations -- the Rockefellers, etc , who see a good thing for themselves -- but which hardly constitutes a favorable endorsement! This is not crying wolf on the loss of sovereignty, Get a descriptive pamphlet on Judgments from the Center for Federal Policy Review, 1509 16th St , N W , Washington, D.C. 20036, at 26c each.

Your Senator, Robert Griffin, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, will soon be voting on Committee acceptance, or rejection, of this proposal He needs your advice and consent BEFORE we enbark on this requiem of the sovereignty of this nation.

Sincerely,
Nelson A. Pryor

Redbud trees?

Dear Editor,

The Buchanan Chamber of Commerce was selling Red Bud trees for 75c a piece This was printed in the High Lites which, came out on Tuesday April 19th We responed to this on Thursday the 21st Only to find that a local attorney had bought the 50 trees remaining

I would like to know how a average citizen would get a chance to buy any of these trees if one person gets 50?

I would also like to know why a limit was not set on how many trees could be bought by one person, so everyone could get their fair share?

C F Keim
RR 2 Box 781
Buchanan, Mich 49107

Former queen

Dear Editor,

In reading your paper "in out of the past " I see you have had a little difficulty in finding out who, "Miss Buchanan" was for that year

I for one can put a little light on that subject, she was Sylvia Wallace, daughter of Mr & Mrs Lloyd Wallace, of rural route Buchanan

On Xmas day of that same year, she married Richard Fernwalt, and they had two sons, Ronald and Donald

In 1968 she married Henry Teichman, she still lives in the Buchanan Area

I should know, because I was that queen for that year

Sincerely,
Mrs Henry (Sylvia) Teichman
R R 1 Buchanan

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Out of the Past

40 Years Ago
April 29, 1937

Miss Buchanan, alias Sylvia Mae Wallace, (now you know) leaves this weekend for Chicago to spend the week with the Blossom Queen's Party, returning in time for the Coronation Ball May 5.

Construction work was started on the new addition to the local Dry-Zero plant Monday by the Sollitt Construction Company of South Bend, with E Rans of South Bend as superintendent

There will be a new feature of Blossom Week this year in the form of the "Blessing of the Blossoms" which will be held at Filstrup Field, Benton Harbor

25 Years Ago
April 24, 1952

A six-day stretch of very unseasonable warm weather spurred development of fruit buds in this area by leaps and bounds, starting Thursday, April 24, and ending Tuesday of this week, when a cooling shower moderated temperatures to a spring normal

First Baseman Phil Pennell and pitcher George Vincent combined their talents to give the Buck baseball nine a 6-5 victory over State High.

The 1952 Senior Play selection, "Good Night, Ladies," will be presented in the Buchanan High School Auditorium at 8 p m , Friday, April 25.

10 Years Ago
April 27, 1967

Todd Pierce, victim of last Friday night's tornadoes in Illinois, is resting this week in the home of his parents, as he incredulously and soberly contemplates his two close brushes with death within the last six weeks

The possibility of a motel-restaurant facility for Buchanan came a step nearer reality this week with the announcement of formation of Redbud Development, Inc

The grand opening of the "new" Stationery Center will be a week-long affair beginning Monday and continuing through Saturday Sales and door prizes will be featured.

Area Obituaries

Cheryl Sue Swift

Services for Cheryl Sue Swift, 30, of 104 Fulton Street, Buchanan, were held at the Bethel Apostolic Church, 10:00 a m Tuesday, April 19 with Rev Alfred Deeds officiating

She was born January 24, 1947 in Niles She is the daughter of Clifford Thompson, Buchanan and the late Ruth Calvin On August 1, 1969, she married George Swift who survives along with their daughter Jacqueline

Also surviving are brothers, Andrew, Richard, Dexter, Wade and Clifford, Jr all of Buchanan and Mitchell of Ft Hood, Texas, and three sisters, Eleta Wade of Niles and Ruth Mayo and Rita Dungey, both of Buchanan

She was affiliated with the Bethel Apostolic Church.

Burial was at Oak Ridge Cemetery

Olive Graffort

Olive Graffort, 82, of 1207 N Red Bud Trail, Buchanan died Wednesday, April 20 after being admitted to Unity Hospital April 15 Services were held at the Swem Chapel in the Swem-Smith Funeral Home Rev Joe R Johnson of the First Church of Christ Christian, Niles, officiated

She was born March 3, 1895 in Buchanan and had been a lifetime resident of the county She married George Joseph Melvin who died in 1942 Later, she married Ray Graffort who died in 1972

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs Robert (Betty) Smith, South Bend, three stepchildren, Mrs George Zaran, Berkley, Illinois; Mrs. Fred Benda, Cicero, Illinois, Mrs Ed Guth, Justice, Illinois, and, Mr O L. Graffort, Berwyn, Illinois, four grandchildren, 16 step-grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and 20 step-great-grandchildren

She was a member of the Rebekehs, Buchanan

Burial was at Oak Ridge Cemetery.

Phillip R. Merrifield

Phillip R Merrifield, 72, of 1145 Red Bud Trail South, died in his home April 24 after a long illness

He was born October 22, 1904 in LaGrange, Indiana and had lived here since 1929. He was a retired owner of the former High Grade Oil Company On February 28, 1931, he married Virginia Pauline Lister who no longer survives

Surviving are one son, James of Benton Harbor; one daughter, Mrs Neal (Joanne) Singles of Morenci, Michigan, two sisters, Mrs John (Vera) Cline, Buchanan and Mrs. Vernon (Freda) Carlin, Buchanan, two brothers, Howard of Lagrange and Sidney of Wolcottville, Indiana and five grandchildren

Services were held at the Swem Chapel in the Swem-Smith Funeral Home on Tuesday, April 26. Ronald Entenman, pastor of the First United Methodist Church conducted the service Burial was at Howe Cemetery, Niles

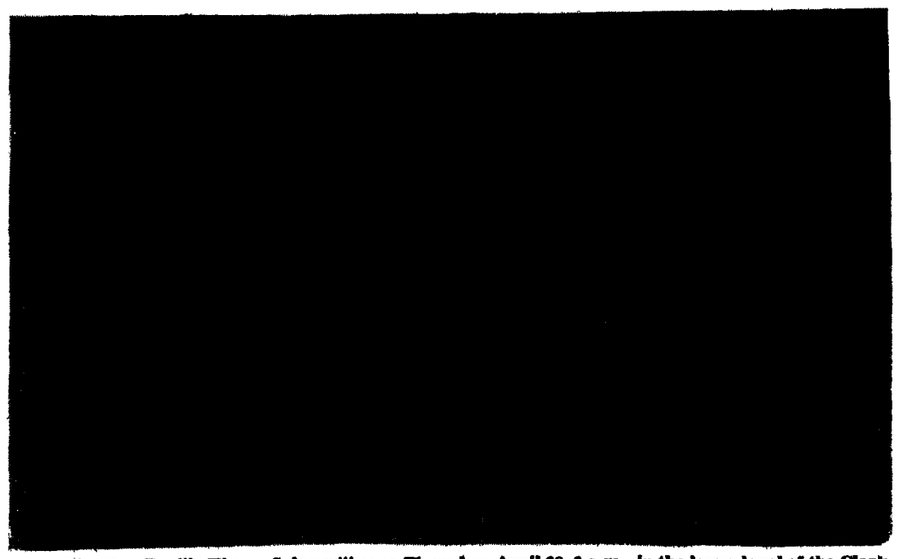
Golden Age Club

The Golden Age Club met at the Niles-Buchanan Y M C A for a one o'clock dinner on April 22 with 37 members and eight guests present

Pictures were shown by Assistant Chief of Police Lowell, as he presented a very interesting talk entitled, "Ways Senior Citizens Protect Themselves "

A trip to the Tulip Festival in Holland is planned for Thursday, May 12 The tickets are available at the Y M C A or by calling Mrs Pearl Welch at 684-6036.

The next meeting will be held on May 13 There will be a one o'clock potluck dinner



The New Profile Figure Salon will open Thursday, April 28, 9 a m., in the lower level of the Clark Federal Credit Union building, 808 East Front Street The salon will be open from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m to 2 p m on Saturdays.

The salon features individualized programs on a three, six and twelve month basis. Cost for a three month program is $37.50 The salon has vibrator belts, rollers, bicycles and other machines to work the thighs and abdominal areas.

Pictured above using some of the equipment are (l to r) Susie Klingerman, instructor; Jan Whitten, co-owner and manager, Marcy Charbonneau, co-owner; Linda McCarty, instructor and Mary Aalfs, instructor.

Whitten has a degree from Southwest Missouri State College. She had three years experience in salon work at various salons in Missouri before opening the New Profile Figure Salon in South Bend one year ago She lives in South Bend Charbonneau and the three instructors are all Buchanan residents

Happy Birthday

April 29
Steven Smith
Amy Kay
Brenda Louise Drapper
Elizabeth Hickok

April 30
Mrs Robert Thompson
Dianne Robinson
Richard Clipp
Nellie Mori
Tammy Rockwell
Chauncey Taylor
Doris Hutchison
Becky Johnson
Trent Britton

May 1
Jodi Hines
Jerwonia Hinds
Carolyn Brown
Norman Lee
Tina Marie Shepherd
Julie Ann Fernwalt
Gregg Miller
Eric Smith

May 2
Bill Hombaker
Rita Farrow
Carolyn Wagner
Charlene Quick
Shirley Miller
Michelle Smedley
Michael Hinds
Bettye Snelson
Debra Ehlert

May 3
Charles Rohde
Kenneth Thomas, Jr
Dalvin A Hanes
Robyn Oswald
Mildred Fisher
Cheryl Mullins
John King
Shane Przybylinski

May 4
Vanessa Burns
Tom Birdsong
Judy Swartz
Lynne Bachleda
John Montgomery
Tony Kyles
Craig Best
Kent Stroud
Robin Hutchison
Rolland Fisher

May 5
Dean Davis
Donna Best
Kenneth Hall
Alice Marie Black
Phyllis Amiel

Strictly Personal

By D.E.N.

"Oklahoma" was excellent although the audiences were light Dave Gault, Brenda Blumka and Eric Samson were outstanding The dream ballet was professional, and we particularly liked Curly's and Jud's duet

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There was some talk about this writer running for the school board, but it was determined that he probably couldn't win Now we're torn on whom to vote for George Merrill or Bill Moon would be good

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The bees arrive next Monday The hive is all set Already some wasps have been trying to make a nest in it, and they've been driven away on two occasions We've been advised to have a long talk with Sonny Riley before the mail comes

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The main awards at the chamber dinner are exciting No two better choices could be made

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It must be spring because the natives everywhere seem to be getting restless There are the usual amounts of trouble at school, and we've been told that the otherwise gentle meetings of the plan commission have been full of tension

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They're already surveying the area for the downtown improvement We hope the architect will bear in mind the general character and personality of Buchanan

Weather

The temperature and precipitation as recorded at the city weather station

Date	Precip	High	Low
April 12		81	54
April 13	01"	75	52
April 14		70	46
April 15		75	49
April 16		78	51
April 17		82	59
April 18	Trace	83	61
April 19	01"	74	61
April 20	39"	75	59
April 21	08"	69	60
April 22	.02	62	47
April 23	Trace	60	46
April 24		53	38
April 25	03"	45	37

Buchanan Menu

The Buchanan School menu for the week of May 2-6

Monday: Country Fried Steak, Whipped Potatoes, Buttered Corn, Enriched Bread, Fortified Margarine, Milk, Cookie

Tuesday Hot Dog, Tater Barrels, Garden Vegetables, Hot Dog Bun, Mustard, Milk, Cookie

Wednesday Cheese and Sausage Pizza, Fresh Fruit, Orange Frosty Juice Cup No. 21, Milk

Thursday Hamburger, French Fries, Buttered Corn, Hamburger Bun, Catsup, Milk, Cookie

Friday Sliced Turkey with Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, Carrot Cubes, Enriched Bread, Fortified Margarine, Milk, Cookie.

Just Ask Us

All letters to "Just Ask Us" must be signed although names and addresses will be withheld upon request. No letter shall be printed if it contains profanity or is libelous. All printed letters are unedited. Any questions? Write to: "Just Ask Us", P O Box 191, Buchanan, Michigan, 49107

Where in Buchanan is the oldest house and who presently owns it? — M B Wang, Buchanan

That question has baffled the 'Just Ask Us' staff plus a number of other people We were unable to find your answer so we are now asking for the help of Buchanan. Anyone who has proof of his house being over 125 years old, please write to 'Just Ask Us' In a few weeks, hopefully, we will print the responses to the question

Rummage Sale
April 27th 9 - 4
April 28th Bag Day 9-11
Buchanan Township Hall
Main Street Road
Sponsored by Oronoko United Methodist Church

Swem-Smith Funeral Home

Churches having fund raising enterprises they wish to advertise may secure space by calling 695-3877.

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Portage Prairie

Gendas return

By Mrs. William Shaw
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Mrs. Ed Genda has returned home from Florida. Her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs Sam Rouse of Buchanan, returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Korn have returned home after spending several months at Lake Wales, Florida.

The Mother and Daughter Banquet was held on Saturday, April 23 in the Fellowship Hall The men served a delicious dinner to approximately 150 women. Mrs. Mildred Fobar was the toastmistress, Mrs. Charles Ehninger gave the invocation The toast to mothers was given by Melanie Kimble, to daughters by Mrs. Howard Hicks, to grandmothers by Gail Ailsworth and to great-grandmothers by Lynn Ailsworth. Mrs Carson Housworth had charge of the program It was a fashion show that was given by several in the group that had been sewing the past winter Also a short comic number was the climax of the evening's entertainment

The United Methodist Women will have their monthly meeting on Thursday, May 5 in the home of Mrs. Stanley Mitchell Mrs William Shaw will have charge of the business meeting at 8 p.m. Michigan time. Mrs. Mildred Fobar and Mrs Earl Gamble will have their second lesson on Africa.

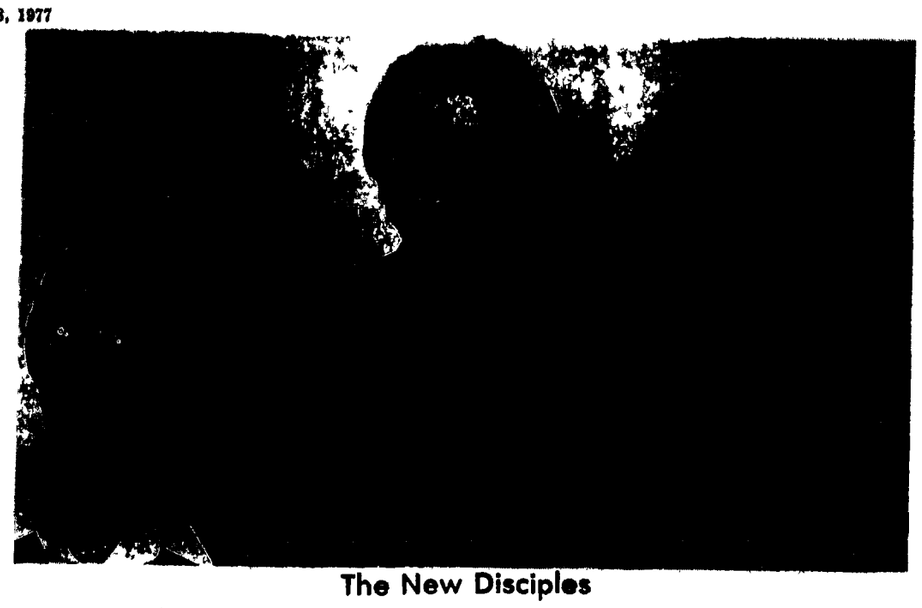
Weekend guests of Mrs. William Shaw were Jack and Dan Wiesanent of Findley, Ohio and Robert Shaw of Mason, Michigan

The Portage Prairie Friendship Club will have a night out on May 3 They will be having dinner at Bennitt's Buffet in Roseland The husbands will also be guests at this meeting

The Trustee Board will meet at the office of the Portage Prairie Church on Sunday afternoon, May 1, at 3 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

On Sunday evening, May 1, at 8 p m Michigan time the movie of Corrie ten Boom will be shown at the Portage Prairie United Methodist Church The public is urged to attend.

The All-stars Sunday school class will meet at Louie's Restaurant on Tuesday, May 3 at 11 30 a m (Michigan time) for a dinner Afterwards, the class will go to the home of Mrs Lena Schwartz for its meeting



The New Disciples

Elementary and middle school bands to open Fine Arts Week

Two hundred eleven band students from grades five through eight will open the annual Fine Arts Week presented by the Fine Arts Department of Buchanan Community Schools

The concert will be presented on Monday, May 9 at 7 30 p m. in the High School Auditorium

The beginning Fifth Grade Band will start the program with "The March King" by Sebesky, followed by Osterling's "Overture For Youth." "Serenade For Band" and "Soulmates," both by Sebesky are the concluding numbers Dixie Detgen and Michael Morse have prepared the band

The stately "Royal March" by Kinyon is the first selection of the Sixth Grade Band Handel's "Firework Music," "Celebration," a medley by Ployhar and the exciting "Ritual Dance" by Whitcomb will complete their portion

"The Ringmaster March" by Burden, "Variations On A Slovakian Folksong" by Kabalevsky are the first two numbers to be played by the Seventh Grade Band. Piato's suite, "Holiday In London," musically describes that city and "Jamaican Jambo," a Latin rhythmic piece are the two final selections

The Eighth Grade Band, making their last concert appearance as a Middle School Band, will open with "Mighty Mac" by Conley, which is a tribute to Michigan's Mackinac Bridge The difficult overture, "Montage" by Tatgenhorst will be followed by Johnson's "Licorice Stick," featuring the fourteen member clarinet section "Dixieland Rag" by Hull will end the concert on a toe-tapping note

All bands are directed by Dixie Detgen

Youth Temperance Education Week

Women's Christian Temperance Union President, Mrs Joel Gillette, received an "Executive Declaration" last week declaring the week of April 24-30 as Youth Temperance Education Week

The declaration states "The widespread abuse of alcohol and other drugs is responsible for an increasing number of highway accidents and broken homes It contributes to a breakdown in the moral fiber of our society Alcohol is the most abused drug in the United States today and the cost of its abuse in terms of human suffering is incalculable

"There is a pressing need to educate the citizens of Michigan, especially our youth, about the effects of alcohol and other drugs We must encourage programs within our communities that are designed to promote clear thinking and a drug-free way of life

"Therefore, I, William G Milliken, Governor of the State of Michigan, do hereby declare the week of April 24-30, 1977, as Youth Temperance Education Week in the State of Michigan, and commend this observance to all our citizens"

Christ in youth rally at Church of Christ

On May 6-8, Bob Stacy of Christ-In-Youth will be in Buchanan. Stacy is the director of Christ-In-Youth, which is located in Tulsa, Oklahoma. As a result of the witness of this man, thousands of teens have committed themselves to Christ. This will be a great opportunity for the teens of Buchanan and of the surrounding area.

Coming with Bob Stacy will be The New Disciples. The New Disciples have traveled tens of thousands of miles presenting Christ in great gospel music.

Bob Stacy

Bob Stacy has been secured to come to Buchanan by the Church of Christ. The May 6 and 8 programs will be held at the Church of Christ, on the corner of West Third and Moccasin Streets. The Crusade will begin at 7:30. On Friday evening, The New Disciples will be featured in an afterglow, beginning at approximately 9:00. A goal of 300 in attendance has been set for this first evening of the Crusade.

Having teenagers himself, and having counseled with many teens, Bob Stacy is exceedingly qualified to give direction to parents in their relationship with their youth In sessions with parents, Bob will be dealing with: "Breaking Down Communication Barriers," "Discipline in the Home," and "Building Self-Worth in Your Child." The times for these sessions are. May 7 at 10 00 and 1 00, and May 8 at 2.00

The evening of Saturday, May 7, will be very special To make the Crusade available to everyone interested, the Crusade will be held at the Buchanan High School auditorium Plans are being made for this to be the biggest meeting of the entire weekend.

Corrie ten Boom film at Portage Prairie

..."CORRIE Behind the Scenes with THE HIDING PLACE," a new full-length color release from World Wide Pictures, will be shown at **The Portage Prairie United Methodist Church, 2450 Orange Rd. on Sunday, May 1.**

A single showing is scheduled to begin at 8:00 p.m. (Michigan Time).

THE HIDING PLACE, a true story filmed in Holland and other European locations, is based on the experiences of Corrie ten Boom, who, with her father, sister, and brother, provided refuge for countless Jewish families A secret room was constructed in their home as a hiding place for use during the Gestapo raids. The ten Boom's activities were discovered, and they were sent to prisons and concentration camps.

According to Kenneth Bliss, director of Distribution for World Wide Pictures, THE HIDING PLACE has been extremely well received, both by audiences and film critics CORRIE was produced to give people who have seen the HIDING PLACE or read her many best-selling books an opportunity to hear her share many memories about her life in Holland, her family, and her lifetime of service to others.

Bliss added that the film "offers a great lesson in the perseverance of a personal faith in a very dark and trying period of world history, Corrie ten Boom, now in her eighties, has a tremendous vitality, a deep spiritual committment, and a profound love for her fellow man We believe we have succeeded in transmitting a part of her zest, personality, and source of strength through this film"

Bliss noted that the film includes, "interesting sidelights on the experiences of the cast and crew during the filming of THE HIDING PLACE"

The Rev Robert J. Stillson, pastor of Portage Prairie United Methodist Church, stresses that the showing of CORRIE is open to the public free of charge "We encourage families to plan to attend together, for what we believe will be a memorable experience", he concluded All churches in the area are invited

Strings and orchestra to present concert during Fine Arts Week

The Buchanan Elementary Strings, under the direction of Lynn Keresztes, Middle School Orchestra, directed by Michael Morse and High School Orchestra, directed by Dixie Detgen will present their final Fine Arts Week concert at the Buchanan High School Auditorium on Tuesday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m

The groups will present a variety of music ranging from Bach and Handel to French and German folk songs to contemporary selections by Duke Ellington, Richard Rodgers, John Denver and Neil Sedaka.

The concert is free and open to the public

Fourth grade beginners will play Merrily We Roll Along, Traditional, Au Claire de la Lune, French Folk Song, Lightly Row, German Folk Song and Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star a French Song

Fifth grade strings will play. Happy Dance by Mozart, Arr by Matesky; Country Roads by Denver and Holy, Holy, Holy by Dykes, Arr by Matesky

Seventh and Eighth grade orchestra will play Handel Suite by Handel, Arr by Clark, March from Sonata No 2 and Minuet from Sonata No 4.

Middle school orchestra will perform the following: Russian Choral and Overture by Isaac, The Bridge That Van Gogh Painted by Williamson and Breaking Up Is Hard To Do by Sedaka and Greenfield, Arr by Rizzo

High school string orchestra will perform the following Brandenburg Concerto No 3 (First Movement) by Bach, Arr by Isaac; Three Movements from the "Water Music" by Handel, Arr by Carse, Caravan by Ellington-Tizol, Arr by Muller, Fascination by Marchetti and Arr by Isaac and the high school full orchestra will play March of the Meistersingers by Wagner, Arr by Herfurth and Serenade to Spring by Rodgers, Arr by Warrington

Buchanan JV upset Cass 12-10

The Buchanan High School Junior Varsity Baseball team played Cassopolis at Cassopolis on Tuesday, April 19. Buchanan upset Cass with a score of 12-10

Dave Price, who relieved Pointer in the third inning, was the winning pitcher Musgrave was the winning catcher

Taking the loss for the Cassopolis team was Harenboo who pitched the whole game Hulett was the catcher

	R	H	E
Buchanan	12	11	10
Cassopolis	10	7	7

Varsity baseball team beats Cassopolis

The Buchanan High School Varsity Baseball team met Cassopolis on Tuesday, April 19 at Buchanan. Buchanan walked away with a close win 6-5.

Kevin Vanderbush was the starting pitcher Larry Ott relieved him in the fifth inning and Ott was relieved by Al Ward in the seventh The catcher was John Donley

The pitcher and catcher for Cassopolis were Tony Pompey and Dennis Lawson, respectively.

The highlights of the game were Mo Kyles' 3 hits, 1 double and 2 RBI's; John Speckine's 2 hits, 1 double and 3 RBI's, and Greg Warda's 4 base hits

Dennis Lawson hit a double for Cassopolis.

	R	H	E
Buchanan	6	8	3
Cassopolis	5	9	3

Meadowlarks belong to the blackbird family

Songs and dance for Fine Arts Week

The public is invited to attend the elementary vocal and physical education program for Fine Arts Week which will be presented on Thursday, May 12. The program will be held in the high school gym at 7 30 p m

Students from all four of the Buchanan elementary school will be performing varied groups of songs and dances. There will be songs by the combined chorus of several hundred voices plus songs performed by the individual grade groups Mary Louise Soucek, elementary music teacher, will direct the singing. Phyllis Enders, elementary physical education teacher, has charge of the rhythmic activities Judy Earnst is the accompanist.

League of Women Voters has slide presentation

Ruth Lagoni, director of the Senior Citizens Center, 310 N. 2nd, Niles, and a slide presentation from the University of Michigan's Institute of Gerontology were highlights of the Wednesday, April 20, meetings of the Niles-Buchanan League of Women Voters The sessions were on the topic of aging and were conducted by the League's Human Relations Committee, chaired by Sally (Mrs Dan) Mitchell Hostesses were Joan (Mrs Al) Verwilst and Carol (Mrs Richard) Noid Gail Christensen attended as guest.

Understanding the elderly's special problems, alleviating these problems and the benefits of interactions between the old and the rest of the community were some of the subjects presented by the committee. Services available locally to the elderly were discussed by Lagoni, who explained that the Center does not originate services but instead brings together senior citizens needing aid with the appropriate help.

The University of Michigan's slide program demonstrated how diminished vision and hearing make ordinary situations difficult for the old Scenes were shown as someone with 20-20 vision would see them and then as someone of almost 80 years old would be likely to see them. For the latter, increased sensitivity to glare, blurred outlines and poor depth perception made bus schedules and printed directions illegible and stairways hazardous. The slides showed how simple techniques, such as the use of large print, non-glare glass and colored stair treads would markedly increase the older person's access to the outside world The slides' sound track showed that inability of most older people to hear high frequency sounds garbles ordinary rapid speech Background noises, being low frequency, are very obtrusive to the elderly.

Agism, prejudice against the old, was discussed A contributing factor to its existence is the separation of children from the elderly, grandparents often being many states away and residential areas segregated by age Children can easily grow up unaware that the elderly are also human beings and not a separate species, Mrs. Mitchell went on to explain. Mrs Mitchell has, with the assistance of the children's librarians at the Niles Library, compiled a list of children's books available at the Niles Library which deal with a child's relationship with an older adult

Also presented to the meetings was a poll of senior citizens in Michigan as to their priorities for legislation, conducted by the State of Michigan In southwestern Michigan, first in order of importance to the elderly was utility rates, with house maintenance and house winterization following. Legislation regarding nursing homes, of high concern in other parts of Michigan, was tenth in importance in southwestern Michigan The objectives of recent legislation, such as the Older Americans Act and the Title XX amendment to the Social Security Act, were compared to these legislative goals expressed by the elderly themselves.

1972 class looking for classmates

The Buchanan High School graduating class of 1972 is planning its five year reunion Anyone knowing the location of the following former classmates call Peggy Mattson at 683-8516

Mary Ann Tucker, Sherrie Skinner, Rose Phillips, John Phillips, Gary Keller, Gary Noland, Steve Leggett, Peggy Young, Carlin Gray and Joe Laidler

Siekman elected to Sigma Phi Delta

Robert J Siekman, son of Mr and Mrs Albert Siekman, Jr., 3340 West Bertrand Road, Niles, has been elected secretary of Sigma Phi Delta, a social fraternity, at Tri-State University, Angola, Indiana. A graduate of Buchanan High School, he is majoring in mechanical engineering.

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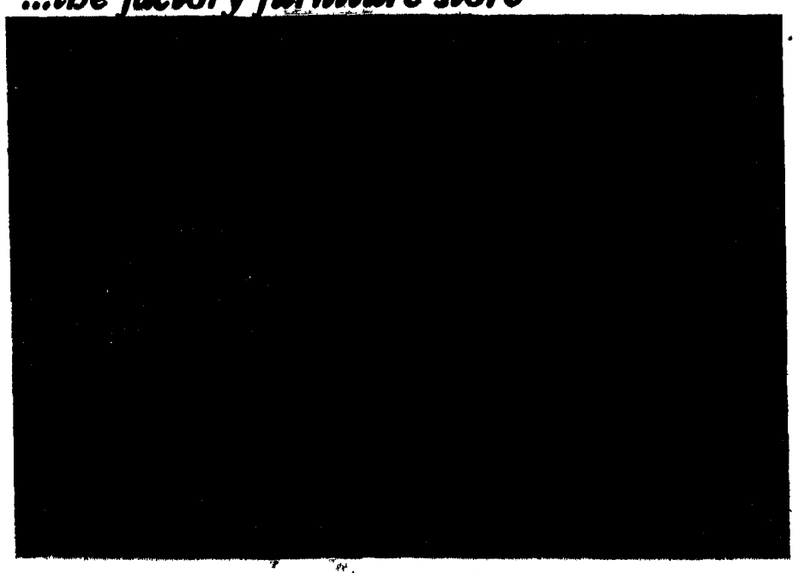

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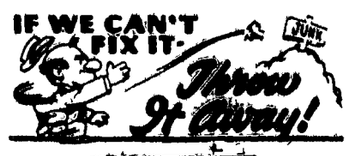

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'Oklahoma' — an exquisite ecstasy

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'Oklahoma' was an amazing exposition performed by Buchanan High School students and presented by the Buchanan High School Drama Club on April 21, 22, and 23.

The annual high school musical was directed by Michael Bashara The beautifully sounding orchestra was directed by Dan Shelles

Excellent acting transpired throughout the entire play. Aunt Eller (played by Joanne Wilcox) was the convincing, tough old lady who put up with everyone's guff no matter who it was

The beautiful voice of David Gault, who played Curly McLain, one of the lead parts, rang out to such famed tunes as "Oh, What A Beautiful Mornin'" and "Oklahoma"

Singing talent runs high at Buchanan as Laurey Williams (Brenda Blumka) proved Her sweet soprano voice merging with her acting was a true perfect asset to the performance.

Eric Samson brought out the meanness and orneriness of Jud Fry, the jealous farmhand who was in love with Laurey Kevin Clem played the sincere and reverent Will Parker who was determined to win the hand of Ado Annie (Amy Gray). Together, Kevin and Amy with their singing voices added to the enjoyment of the crazy love triangle

Jim Schroeder played Ali Hakim, the other side of that love triangle Without knowing it, this smooth-talking, "peddlerman" smooth-talked himself into a proposal of marriage to Annie Schroeder was definitely type-casted for this part and proved himself irreplaceable To convince him of his proposal, Annie's father, Andrew Carnes (Eric Mollberg) showed Ali Hakim exactly what the inside of a gun barrel looked like.

The play was fantastic. The only real problems I saw were technical problems with the lights, times I could barely hear somebody speak and poor scene changes

Also, with a dynamic voice such as Gault's and a sweet voice such as Gray's, it was a shame to hear them fade out at different times throughout the performance

A special notice should be given to Kim Nedderman. Kim is from Clay High School, South Bend She traveled over to Buchanan to play a part of Laurey in a dream Kim has a special talent in dancing which was the reason for her part in the play

Hats off to Mike Bashara and to all those who gave their services in this fine production

Past Presidents Parley

Seven members of the Past President's Parley of the American Legion Auxiliary served dinner for 17 Past Commanders on Monday, April 25

The Past President's Parley serves two dinners for Past Commanders each year The next dinner will be in September

Margaret Samson received the unseen gift The next meeting will be May 23, 7 30 p m , at the Legion Home, with Mrs Samson as hostess

Salon 471

Salon 471 of the 8 et 40 met Tuesday, April 19, at the Buchanan American Legion Home

Buchanan was the host city and hostesses were Margaret Samson, Ann Reed and Waletta Lounsbury

Partners attending were Rachel Kasischke of Benton Harbor, Gertie Smith, Stella Regnos, Grace Sater and Justine Caranci, all of Niles

Margaret Samson substituted for Chapeau, Bell Robards of Stevensville, who was in the hospital

The salon donated $25 towards a nursing scholarship Mrs. Samson won the unseen gift

The next meeting will be at American Legion Post 116 in Niles, 7 30 p.m , May 17.

Grandmother's Chatter Club

Grandmother's Chatter Club met with Mrs David Hinman, Wednesday, April 20 In the absence of the president, Mrs Hinman, vice president, conducted the business meeting Nine members were present The club made a donation to the Exceptional Children's School Games were played and prizes won by Mrs Genevieve Swartz, Mrs Lester McGowan and Mrs Lloyd Mikesell Unseen gift was won by Mrs Leo Huebner The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs Lloyd Mikesell, Wednesday, May 18

Joy Worland in Interlochen band

The Interlochen Arts Academy band will present a concert at Cassopolis High School, Thursday evening, April 28, at 7:30 p m Miss Joy Worland, daughter of Dr and Mrs Stephen Worland, 104 West Dewey Avenue, is a member of the French Horn section Miss Worland is a freshman at the academy

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The word "minute" comes from a Latin expression which denoted one sixtieth of a unit A minute is one sixtieth of an hour, just as a minute in geometry is one-sixtieth of a degree

Brownie Troops honor mothers with banquet

The Brownie Troops of Buchanan held a Mother and Daughter Banquet on April 12 at St Anthony's Catholic Church

Brownie Troop 216 held a flag ceremony before dinner Song books were made by Mrs Dale Tilly so that the mothers could sing along with their daughters

At the banquet, some of the leaders presented certificates of appreciation to the mothers for their help during the past year Mrs Jack Scott, leader of Troop 287, presented certificates to Mrs Sharon Morley Mrs Clara Yarber, Mrs Linda Shelles and Angie Koenig

Mrs Gene Holstein, leader of Troop 216, presented a certificate to Mrs James Topash Mrs Allen Kaiser, of Troop 627, presented certificates to Mrs Sandy Balthazor, Margaret Dalenburg, Mrs Linda Haskins and Mrs Pam Hall

There were some leaders who had so many active mothers that certificates were not given but the mothers were thanked by leaders and their girls

Mrs Jerry Best was chairman of the banquet

Miss Jane Rose of Cody, Wyoming and the daughter of the late Robert Rose and Mrs. Rose of Buchanan, is now president-elect of the Cody Education Association She was also elected alternate delegate to the Wyoming Education Association Delegate Assembly.

Miss Rose has been teaching kindergarten at Eastside School in Cody since September, 1973.

Girl Scouts hold 'thank you' banquet for mothers

The Junior and Cadette Girl Scout Troops of Buchanan held their banquet April 14 at the Faith United Methodist Church

Junior Troops 240 and 196 held a flag ceremony before dinner Carla Cole OX-LI Service Unit Chairman introduced the guests at the head table The guests included Rev and Mrs Snow, Judy Herrold who is cookie and calendar chairman, and Mrs Anna Harrington who is Association Chairman

Rev Snow gave the blessing After dinner, certificates of appreciation were given out by leaders to mothers who have helped through the year

Carla Cole, leader of Troop 196, presented certificates to Mrs Robert Brown and Mrs Dewey Bicard Mrs Ronald Metzger presented certificates to her co-leaders Mrs Phyllis Hanback and Mrs Cynthia House

Some of the leaders had so many active mothers that certificates were not given but the mothers were thanked by the leaders and their girls.

Indian Hills

Officers elected

By Mrs. Edward Logan
695-6017

On Monday, April 17, the Indian Hills Community Club named the following as members of the nominating committee for officers of the coming year Mrs Cheryl Noland, Mrs. Evelyn Prenkert, Mrs Roberta Garcia and Mrs. Tish McBain. The regular meeting will be held at Indian Hills School, Monday, May 9, 7 30 p.m. when the new officers will be elected

Rev and Mrs. Robert Strauss have returned from a "Hope For The Future" conference in Baltimore, Maryland

Sunday, May 8 is the date for the monthly community carry-in dinner at the Oronoko United Methodist Church It will be held in the Fellowship Room following the regular service

The United Methodist Women of the Oronoko United Methodist Church will meet Wednesday, May 4, 9 30 a m at the church

Our good neighbor across the road says, "In the spring-time a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of what the old boys have on their minds all year long"

The Pioneer Farm Bureau Group will have its monthly meeting on Thursday, May 12, at the home of Mrs. Lewis Powers on Wells Road

"Agricultural Opportunities" and other topics of current and local interest will be discussed with Jack Harroff as moderator.

This is also the time for the Community Group to select officers who will assume their responsibilities in September

The hostess will be Mrs Richard Hayden, Jr

The Oronoko United Methodist Church Rummage Sale will be held Wednesday 9-4 and Thursday 9-11 April 27 and 28 at Buchanan Township Hall, Main Street Thursday is bag day ($1.00)

Mr. and Mrs George Wreggelsworth of Onaway are guests of Mr and Mrs Gail Wreggelsworth.

Mr. and Mrs Joe Mitch, Red Bud Trail North, have returned home after a visit of several weeks in Claremont, Florida

The Red Bud Club will hold the next meeting Tuesday afternoon, May 3, in the home of Mrs Lloyd Phiscator

Allison Kerner of Four Flags Farm is one of the Michigan 4-H members who will participate in the annual 4-H Horse Jamboree at Michigan State University on April 30

Open Door Residences, Inc. outline new building plans

Open Door Residences, Incorporated is a non-profit organization which will provide, supervise, and maintain a family residence for mentally retarded adults

Open Door Residences, Inc was incorporated March of 1973 by a committee appointed by the Niles Association for Exceptional Children, Inc The committee consisted of parents and concerned citizens who are still working to carry out the purpose of Open Door This purpose is to provide a residential facility that will permit mentally retarded adults to live in a normal family setting

The home will serve 16 residents who are 18 years of age or older To live in the home the person must be working in either a sheltered workshop or activities center or have a job in the community

Open Door will be operated under the supervision and direction of FULL-time houseparents The houseparents and other necessary staff are responsible to the Board of Trustees of Open Door The houseparents and staff will maintain a home-like atmosphere for the residents while handling the day to day requirements of the home's physical operations The staff will arrange transportation for the residents, as well as obtaining medical and dental services as required

Social and recreational activities will be scheduled by the staff to provide a well rounded normal life style for the residents.

The increased need for such homes as Open Door is building is vital due to the closing of public facilities and the increasing awareness that facilities providing a setting as near to normal as possible is the best environment for mentally retarded adults. Therefore a major goal of Open Door is to assist parents of mentally retarded persons by providing a suitable home in the event they are no longer able to provide such a home due to advancing ages or other circumstances

To build such a home the funding is acquired through the Michigan State Housing Development Authority And it is an equal opportunity employer

The home will have 8 bedrooms, living and dining areas, recreation room, kitchen, laundry area, garage, apartment and office

William Cameron of Buchanan is the architect The builder is Superior Home Builders of St. Joseph, Michigan.

The home will be located at Market and Elm Streets in Niles and is scheduled to be completed by early winter

There are many residential homes located throughout the state A few cities that already have homes in operation are: St. Joseph, Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids, and Farmington. Corvilla, located in South Bend, is another example

Anyone with questions please call Mary Working at 683-3279 or Marjie Gaynor at 684-3066

More information throughout the building stages will be coming to help acquaint the public further with the facility

Officers of the Open Door board are Mrs Gary (Marjie) Gaynor, president, Mrs Ernest (JoAnn) Lang, vice president, Mrs John Raster, secretary and Mrs Douglas (Michele) Boyd, treasurer

Sorority meets with Mrs. Stevens

During the meeting of Beta Gamma Upsilon Sorority, Tuesday, April 19, at the home of Mrs Earl Stevens, the erection of a sign at Buchanan Middle School on Fourth Street was approved The sign is being installed in the memory of Brian Tropp, a middle school student who died last year

The group voted to give a monetary prize of $50 to the high school valedictorian, who has not yet been named

Officers elected for the coming year were Mrs Claude Fenn, president; Mrs Donald Huron, vice president; Mrs. Arthur Funk, secretary and Mrs Gerald Marsh, treasurer.

The installation of the officers will be conducted by the retiring president, Mrs Charles Ward, at a meeting Wednesday, May 11, at Mrs Stevens' home

A spring benefit theater trip is tentatively scheduled for late May with Mrs William Sullivan and Mrs. Albert Rottmann as co-chairmen

RAIN GAUGE TO AID IN STUDY — Dr. Val Eichenlaub, professor of geography at Western Michigan University, takes a test reading on one of 300 instruments, many of which will be placed throughout southwestern Michigan this fall. The devices will measure precipitation in the area as part of a long range study by WMU and the Illinois Water Survey. (WMU Newsphoto)

Birthday dinner

Mr and Mrs LeRoy Williams entertained at a special birthday dinner honoring their daughter, JoAnn, Saturday, April 23 Guests were JoAnn's husband, Jerry Pollitt and Mr and Mrs Don Webb, all of Buchanan

VFW Auxiliary elects officers

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, met Tuesday, April 12, at the American Legion Home

They elected officers for the coming year Phyllis Walls was re-elected as president Others elected were Doris Yazell, senior vice president, Margaret Samson, junior vice president; Vera Harpole, treasurer, Ann Reed, chaplain and patriotic instructor, Deanna Pinkerton, conductress, Donna Lucker, guard, Sylvia Ochenryder, Margaret Samson and Deanna Pinkerton, trustees and Nancy Davis, secretary

They also elected delegates to the District Meeting and Convention First delegate is Vera Harpole, second delegate is Doris Yazell, alternates are Margaret Samson and Ann Reed

The District Meeting will be May 1 at the Benton Harbor VFW Post The convention is in June

Donna Lucker won the unseen gift Deanna Pinkerton was the hostess.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 10 and will feature the installation of the newly elected officers. Margaret Samson will be the installing officer

Galien Baseball

By Brian Dickey

Last Tuesday, April 19, the Gaels Baseball team was shut out on three hits as Lake Michigan Catholic defeated Galien 5 to 0 Locomo was the winning pitcher for the lakers while Galien's Jerry Sears was tagged with the loss

L.M C. scored one run in the first, another in the second, two in the fifth, and one more in the sixth.

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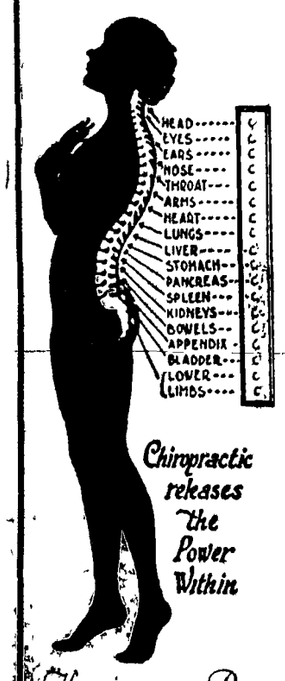

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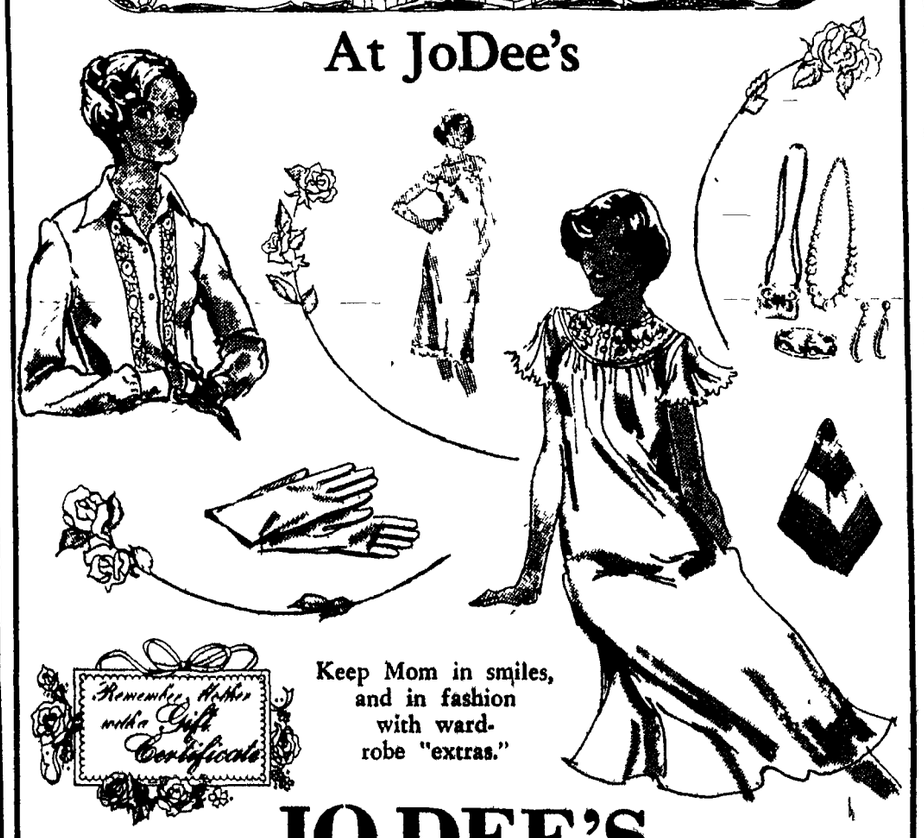

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HOSPITAL NOTES

Unity Hospital

Admissions

April 19: David Kopaceski, 603 W 4th Apt. 12; Denise Stockbarger, Niles; William Howard, 207 E. 3rd; Annette Crump, 136 Bluff St , Maggie Smith, Benton Harbor, Doyle Penley, Harbart, Morton Devine, 215 Meadowview Dr.; Sandra Thompson, 309 Elizabeth

April 20· Shirley Westveer, Galien, Charles Robins, St Joe, Joann Nania, 214 Sylvan St ; Mike Backus, Rt 2, Walter Stephens, Niles

April 21 Allan Reece, Benton Harbor; Harrice Blevins, Benton Harbor; June Fuller, 801 N Red Bud Tr.; Angela Price, 104 Arctic

April 22 Doris Williams, 502 Arctic No 4, Brenda Draper, Niles, Hubert Carlisle, South Haven, Dlaine Freehling, Sawyer

April 24 Barbara Bradshaw, 902 N Red Bud

April 25 Freda Garrison, Rt 1 Box 434-B, Vickie Mitchell, Michigan City, Pascual Sanchez, Niles, Marie Verzal, Three Oaks

Discharges

April 19· Joe Baker, Galien, Jason Devine, 117 Fulton Apt 11, Harry Vance, Galien; Jacquelyn Hayslip, Niles, Tim Prince, Niles, Mike Burgell, Bridgman, Francis James, Stevensville; John Schiller, Galien

April 20 Rosalie Roeder, Bridgman; Loyal Hickey, Niles, Ann Marie Block, Niles, Charles Gramberg, Sawyer

April 21 Sarah Wiechecki, Three Oaks, Agnes McDonald, Galien, Denise Stockbarger, Niles, Scott Barlow, Rt 2 Box 636-B, Warren Woods Rd , Annette Crump, 136 Bluff St , Edna Jackson, Niles, Lois Haskins, Stevensville, William Howard, 207 East 3rd St

April 22 David Kopaceski, 603 West 4th Apt 12, Larry H Penn, Hudsonville, Charles Robbins, St. Joseph, Morton Devine, 215 Meadowview Dr , Joanne Nania, 214 Sylvan St

April 23. Helen Denbow, Coloma, Marilyn Scharnowske, Stevensville, Raymond Heppler, Benton Harbor; Daphna Sexton, Coloma, Kathleen Thomas, Rt 1 Box 485; Jack Nania, 214 Sylvan

April 24 Maggie Smith, Benton Harbor; William Moore, Stevensville, Barbara Litchfield, Niles

April 25· June Fuller, 801 N Red Bud Tr , Allan Reece, Benton Harbor; Doris Williams, 502 Arctic No 4; Sandra Thompson, 309 Elizabeth, Mike Backus, Rt 2

Pawating Hospital

Admissions

April 19. Mrs. Harry Penwell, 52 E. Riverside Dr ; Mrs Melvin Bishop, 522 Michigan St.

April 20: Mrs Albert Green, Rt 2; Michael Kurtis, 1403 Bertrand Rd Niles, Herman Quincy, 1107 Victory

April 21· Raymond Spears, Rt 2; Mrs Forrest Hyepock, 306 Moccasin Ave

April 24· Elwood Finch, 703 Redbud Tr., Roscoe Noldon, 107 Arctic

April 25· Mrs Gertrude Dash, 1207 N. Redbud Tr , Mrs Edward Wagner, 621 Circle Ridge Dr ; Mrs Rickey Thomas, 207½ S Oak St , Mrs Georgia Barnhart, 715 Rynearson

Discharges

April 20· Mrs Charles Prince, and son, Rt 1, Mrs. Carlton Keen, 215 Bertrand Rd ; Mrs Henrey Mierlak, and son, 327 Claremont

April 22· William Earl Rizor, 817 Rynearson, Herman Watts, 1107 Victory

April 24 Michael Kurtis, 1403 Bertrand Rd , Niles, Chester Shepherd, 125 Arctic St

April 25· Mrs. Gerald Kring, and son, Rt 1

Births

Pawating Hospital

April 21: Mr and Mrs Gerald Kring, Rt 1, a son, Jeremy Scott, 6 lbs 13 ozs

April 22 Mr and Mrs. Scott A. Williams, 502 Rynearson, a daughter, Kelly Marie, 6 lbs 15½ ozs.

April 23· Mr and Mrs Victor Backus, 106 Hamilton Drive, a daughter, Felicia Kay, 5 lbs 13 ozs

Midget Baseball

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Buchanan Midget Baseball League is having a general meeting on Wednesday May 4, at 7 30 p m , in the media center of Buchanan Middle School The operation of the concession stand and the budget will be discussed There will be a question and answer period and all parents are urged to attend

Ladies Tuesday Golf League Luncheon and style show

By Diana Smith

Attention All new and prospective members of the Brookwood Ladies Tuesday Golf League (formerly, Inter-City Golf League)

KEEP YOUR HEAD DOWN! HOLD YOUR LEFT ARM STIFF! EYE ON THE BALL!

Don't these things sound familiar? Well ladies, it's time to get into the swing of things If you haven't dusted off your clubs, now is the time to start

Tuesday, May 3, 12 p m is a very important date for all of you to remember Why? Because a luncheon and a sportswear style show has been planned If you are a working girl, you should be able to participate with us We will eat lunch at 12 noon and while you are enjoying lunch we will conduct our business meeting -- so you won't miss out on all of the new and fun things planned for this year -- and you can still get back to work on time Some of those things include a guest day and an invitational A new form of play will be introduced for your approval. Basically, what it consists of is the fact that your golf score will not be shared with a partner. There will be golfing in groups of three and we may be able to have three flights this year making all of this more competitive regardless of score So, if you have lost a partner or are just starting out this year you needn't worry- and hassle over looking for one.

Hopefully, this will solve a few problems for some of you

Please notify Margaret Gridley (695-5191) or Diana Smith (695-9243) by Friday, April 29 to let them know what your plans for this year are Tell them,

1. Yes, I will attend the luncheon, and plan to golf in the league

2 No, I will not attend the luncheon but plan to golf in the league

3 No, I am not going to play in the league this year, or attend the lunch

The cost of the gourmet table lunch will be $2.50 and the league dues this year will be $7 50 These may be paid on the day of the luncheon

If you know a friend or two whom you feel would enjoy golfing with the group this year let either Margaret or Diana know and we will be sure to include them in this invitation

On April 26 through 29 the Buchanan School Farm will be presenting a baby animal exhibit for all K-1-2 grade students in the Buchanan system. Students will be brought to the farm in order to see and visit with a wide variety of small animals. This will include a calf, lambs, a kid goat, pig, ponies, bunnies, ducklings and baby chicks These will be in specially designed cages so the students will be able to see and touch the animals.

While at the farm the students will also see a filmstrip on feeding of animals and see the types of feed the animals receive.

On Saturday, April 30, this exhibit will be open to the general public All interested people are invited to come to the farm and bring their children to see and visit with the animals All the animals previously mentioned will be available for viewing on this occasion This exhibit will be open from 12 noon to 4 00 p m

The Buchanan School Farm is located on Andrews Road, approximately one half mile west of Main Street Road

These students in Mrs Fitzpatrick's afternoon Kindergarten class at Moccasin School, show off a duckling, a baby chick and a turkey.

The rose family includes apples, pears, quinces, peaches and apricots

Faith United Methodist Church hosts Lay-Witness Mission

The Lay-Witness Mission of the Faith United Methodist Church, 728 N. Detroit Street, Buchanan, will open Friday, April 29, with registration beginning at 4:00 p.m Lay-Witnesses from Michigan, Ohio, and Indiana will be guests in homes of church members, and the Inspirational Gatherings to which the public is invited to attend will be held at 7:30 p m. on Friday At 10 00 a m , Saturday, April 30, will be the Coffee Fellowship Hours; Inspirational Gathering at 7·00 p.m. There will be special services of fellowship held for the children and youth who attend During the Sunday morning Service of Worship Mr. George Wickes, Coordinator for the program, along with visiting lay-persons will share in the service. At 7:00 p m. on Sunday, May 1, the evaluation service will be held. The Church School Hour will be held at the usual weekly hour of 9:45 a.m.

Monday, May 2, 11:45 a m. Buchanan Senior Citizens will meet in Fellowship Hall of the church

Wednesday, May 4, 9:00 a.m Morning Prayer Group; 7·00 p.m Senior Choir rehearsal

Thursday, May 5, Come-Join-Us Class Work Bee at the church· Come as soon as you can after 4.00 p m and we will share in a potluck dinner at 6 30 p m. at the church

Class of 1967 looking for former members

Graduates of the Buchanan High School Class of 1967 are planning a ten year reunion on August 13 at the American Legion Home in Buchanan Happy hour will begin at 6 p m , dinner at 7 p m and dancing to the music of the "Hard Times" from 9 p m to 1 a.m

Anyone not receiving information about the reunion or having any information about the following classmates Greg Bennett, Bill Rogers, Ruth Kaufman, Valerie Critten, Eddie Critten, Debbie Nolan, Jeannette Pearson or Eddie Miller, call Chuck Falkenstein at 695-6263 or Leon Bagwell at 695-3530.

Besides Falkenstein and Bagwell the reunion committee is made up of Sara Shoemake Bates, Nancy DeWitt Sain, Patti Tucker Paskiet and Sandy Dodge Bagwell

Boys and girls softball signup

Buchanan Boys' and Girls' Softball signup will be held at the High School from 7 9 p m , April 24 through 28 in the lunchroom

All boys and girls ages 9-16 are welcome to sign up There will be two girls leagues and two boys leagues

Registration fee will be $3 00 payable when registering

A parent must accompany each child

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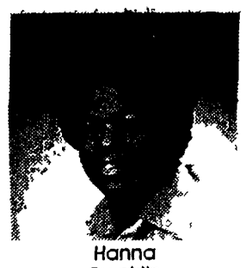

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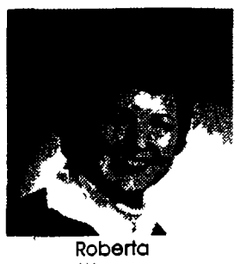

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If you're a spouse working to earn extra income for anticipated future needs – or have non-emergency funds to invest

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Betty Harris

If you're a household head saving for your children's college education

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Ray St Pierre

If you're an employee without a pension or profit sharing plan where you work

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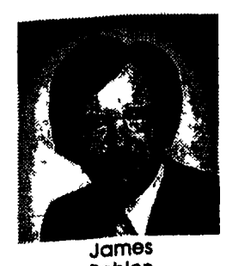

James Behlen

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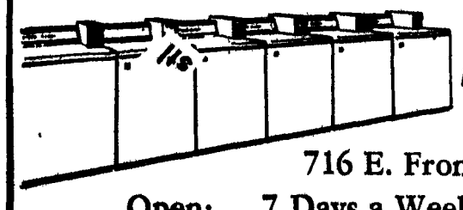

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The Women Of The Moose

The Buchanan Women of the Moose will hold a day in honor of Genevieve Harrison on Sunday, May 1, at the Moose Lodge, She received her green cap last October at Wyandotte, Michigan. All Women of the Moose clubs in this district are invited to attend this formal affair which will be an open meeting. Registration is at 1 p m and the meeting is at 2 p m There will be a luncheon after the meeting

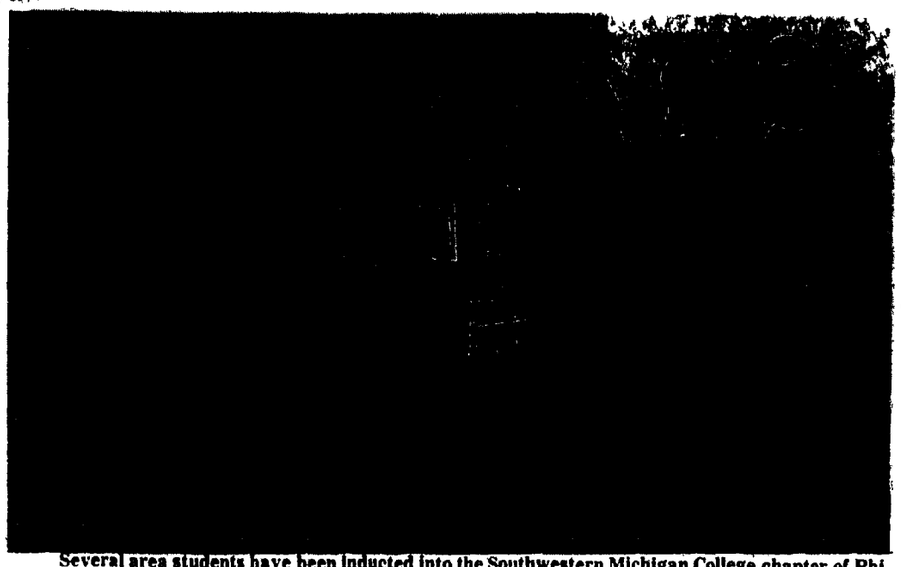
Fifteen Women of the Moose attended the Women of the Moose Mid-year Conference and Academy of Friendship on April 22, 23 and 24, at Jackson Nine co-workers received their Academy of Friendship on Sunday, April 24 They are as follows. Genevieve Harrison, Betty Lockey, Fern Burks, Tina Harvel, Cecelia Weesaw, Loretta Shogren, Daisey Clemans, Jerry Nespital and Ginny DeFauw. Grand Regent, Betty Van Herk was the official visitor and Deputy Grand Regent Marion Friend was the officer in charge of the conference.

On April 28, at the Moose Lodge the Men of the Moose will be serving an Appreciation Dinner for all Women of the Moose The dinner will be served at 6 p.m , with a business meeting following.

Chairman of the month, Mrs. Margie Grimes and her committee will be in charge of games and prizes

Bertrand Township car wash and bake sale

The Bertrand Township Fire Department and Ladies Auxiliary will sponsor a car wash and bake sale on Saturday, April 30, from 9 a m to 4 p m , at the Bertrand Township Fire Station on Bakertown Road, south of US 12 Donation for the car wash is $3



Several area students have been inducted into the Southwestern Michigan College chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, the national honorary fraternity for community college students, in recognition of their achievement of grade point averages of at least a 3.5 on a 4 0 scale during the first semester of the current academic year The students included (front, from left) Cynthia Schuelke of Edwardsburg, Kathryn Brown of Cassopolis, Barbara DePoy of Niles, Elaine Smith of Berrien Springs, Todd Letcher of Buchanan, (back, from left) John Hamilton of Niles, Peter Elliott of Niles, David Henson of Niles, Roger Sliter of Eau Claire, and David Lehner of Niles Not present for the picture were Larry Sanders of Union, Arden Long of Dowagiac, Bret Ridgway of Terre Haute, Indiana and Edwin Near of Cassopolis (SMC photo by Marta K. Dodd)

Michiana Kart Klub lists winners at Christie's Raceway

The Michiana Kart Klub racing season got underway Sunday, April 24, at Christies Raceway on Miller Road.

Winners were

Reed Lite first, Kim Hoyet of Niles, second, Brian Skinner of White Pigeon, third, Ron Brookman of Scotts, Michigan, fourth, Al Fancher of Chesterton, Indiana; fifth, Bill Conlin of New Buffalo and sixth, Keith Caywood of South Bend

Rookie Jr . first, Tim Kosher of Elkhart.

Reed Jr first, Joe Groves of Cassopolis

101's Bob Welch of LaPorte Paul Fredenburg of Michigan City

Reed Heavy first, Frank Rebac of Michigan City, second, Pat York of South Bend; third, Curt Fox of South Bend, fourth, Bill Thomas of Buchanan, fifth, Tom Vanth of Michigan City and sixth, Terry Jones of Sauk Village, Illinois

B Stock first, Jim Welch of Michigan City, second Gerald Conrad of South Bend

4 Cycle Mod: first, Glenn Peterson of Chesterton, second, Steve Martin of Chesterton

Rookie Sr first, Bill DeVos of Buchanan, second, Rick Ferris of LaPorte

Open Lite first, Harold Deihl III of Dowagiac

Jr Box Stock first, Rick Goshert of Clay Pool, Indiana

Sr Box Stock Richard Frasz of Niles and Robert Cleveland of Warsaw

Underly home for Easter

Miss Judi Underly of Mackinac Island, Michigan, spent Easter and the past week with her parents Mr and Mrs Robert Underly of Galien

Miss Underly is a teacher on Mackinac Island

Clark Equipment reports net income gain

Clark Equipment Company today reported net income of $16 6 million, or $1 21 per share, on sales of $337 7 million for the first quarter of 1977 In the comparable period of 1976, the Company reported net income of $11.1 million, or 82 cents per share, on sales of $312 million

According to Bert E Phillips, Clark president and chief executive officer, "Nearly all operating divisions participated in the improved performance as the general outlook for capital goods brightened "

"Clark's material handling business continued its upward trend," he said "Both sales and net income increased substantially from the depressed first quarter of 1976, with most of the strength coming from the domestic market

"Construction machinery sales and income also showed significant advances over 1976 levels," Mr Phillips continued, "due primarily to domestic demand for large tractor shovels and timber skidders "

"The axle and transmission businesses have shown less improvement than the end products, partly as a result of weakness in that section of the highway truck market in which we participate," he said

"While first quarter performance is not necessarily indicative of expected results for remaining quarters," Mr Phillips notes, "we believe full year 1977 consolidated sales and net income will exceed 1976 sales and net income from operations "

Faith-Promise Missionary Rally at Church of Christ

April 29, 30 and May 1, the Church of Christ, 112 West Third Street, will conduct its Annual Faith-Promise Missionary Rally. The rally this year will feature Robert Morse, missionary to Thailand.

Robert Morse was born in Tibet and raised in that mountainous area where China, Burma and India meet His entire life has been spent serving among the primitive tribes of that mountain wilderness

The love that Robert Morse has for the people of the "Hump" area of World War II fame, he has shared with his parents, Mr and Mrs. J Russell Morse, missionaries for fifty-one years, and his brother Eugene, with whom he presently works in Thailand

Robert Morse is a man of unusual ability He holds a master's degree in linguistics, which has helped significantly in his work He has translated the entire New Testament into the language of the Rawong tribe, and has reduced that language and four others to writing for the first time

Eugene Taube, Chairman of the Missionary Committee, would like to invite everyone to come and meet Robert Morse and hear him speak. "We feel," said Mr Taube, "that this is a unique opportunity for our congregation, and we would like to share it with our entire community " The services for the rally will begin at 7 00 p m Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings, and at 10 30 a m Sunday morning

Patton graduates

Navy Seaman Recruit Roger A. Patton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Patton of 203 South Oak Street, Buchanan, was graduated from Basic Torpedoman Mate's School

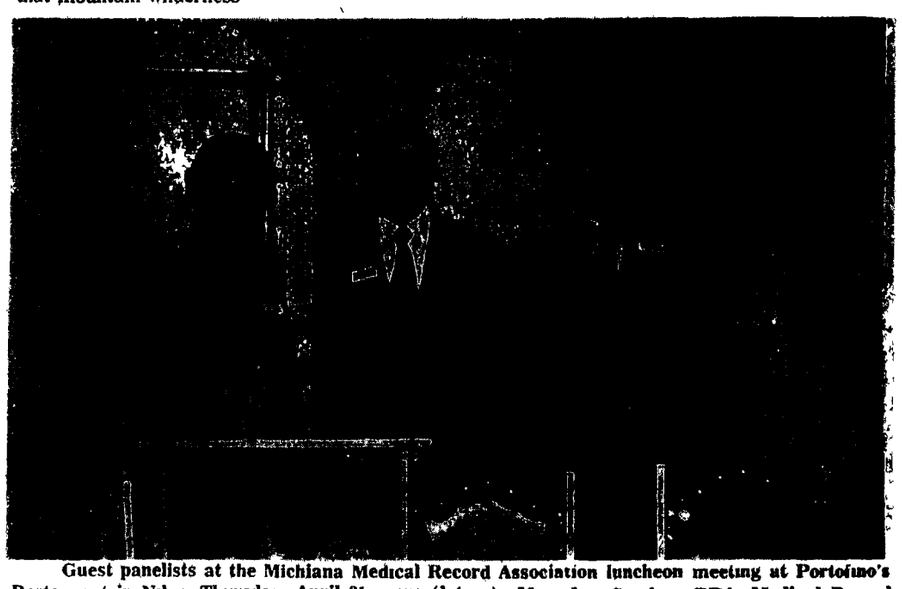
During the six-week course at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Florida, students received instruction on the operation and maintenance of torpedoes aboard surface combatant ships and submarines, plus torpedo preparation activities ashore. They studied torpedo characteristics and capabilities plus the associated handling and launching procedures and equipment

A 1975 graduate of Buchanan High School, he joined the Navy in October 1976

Corwin graduates

Navy Torpedoman's Mate Seaman Apprentice Heston A. Corwin, whose wife Penny is the daughter of Mrs Cleo Bishop of 3145 Center Drive, Buchanan, was graduated from Basic Torpedoman Mate's School

A 1976 graduate of Buchanan High School, he joined the Navy in September 1976.



Guest panelists at the Michiana Medical Record Association luncheon meeting at Portofino's Restaurant in Niles, Thursday, April 21, were (l to r). Mrs Jan Crocker, RRA, Medical Record Administrator, Pawating Hospital; Attorney Bettye Elkins, of Dykema, Gossett, Spencer, Goodnow, & Trigg of Detroit, specializing in Emergency Room Records; Pat Cahill, Patient Accounts Manager, Lee Memorial Hospital, Dowagiac; Walter S Dailey, MD, emergency room physician, Pawating Hospital and vice president of Niles Emergency Service and Chuck Frey finance director with MESSA Insurance, Grand Rapids The program was entitled "Proper Handling of Emergency Room Records." Each speaker presented a brief synopsis of his use of emergency room records, followed by a question and answer period Unity Hospital in Buchanan is also involved in this program Over 60 persons involved in emergency department work were present.

One topic of special interest was the new federal law recently passed which prohibits release of information to any agency including police or FBI, any information regarding drug or alcohol abuse without the patients written permission, which must be an informed consent Violation of this law carries a stiff fine. This law means that persons need not be reluctant to bring someone to an emergency department for care as the information on drug or alcohol abuse will not be released to a police agency, an employer or an insurance carrier

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Respiratory Therapy is a rapidly growing field It bears little resemblance to its forerunner, "Oxygen service", which provided only limited service due to a lack of knowledge, technique and equipment

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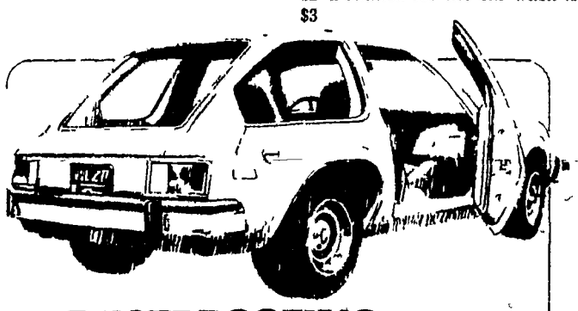
Two at Co-op s selected to attend seminar

Richard Kading and Roger Tumbleson of Buchanan Co-op were selected to attend a Farm Bureau training seminar held at Dow Conference Center at Hillsdale College

The three day seminar, designed to show how to better serve farmers, featured classes and workshops on improving perception techniques, employee and customer motivation, and self-analysis

Hillsdale professors Michael Kolivosky and William Taylor, noted leaders in business, headed the sessions.

Topics developed came from actual situations experienced at dealer stores Instructions were based on a survey of dealer-farmer problems sent in by farm dealers.



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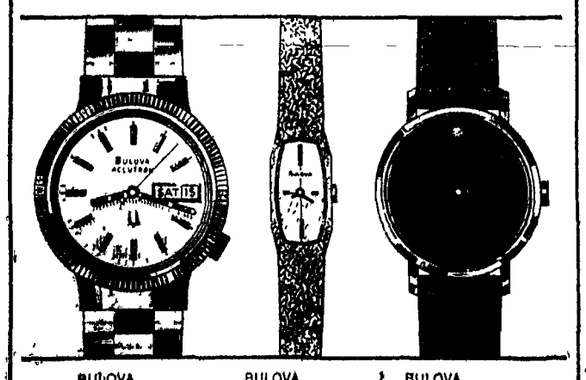

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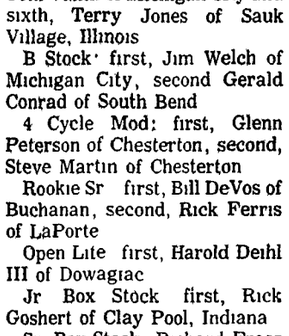

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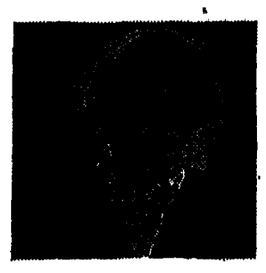

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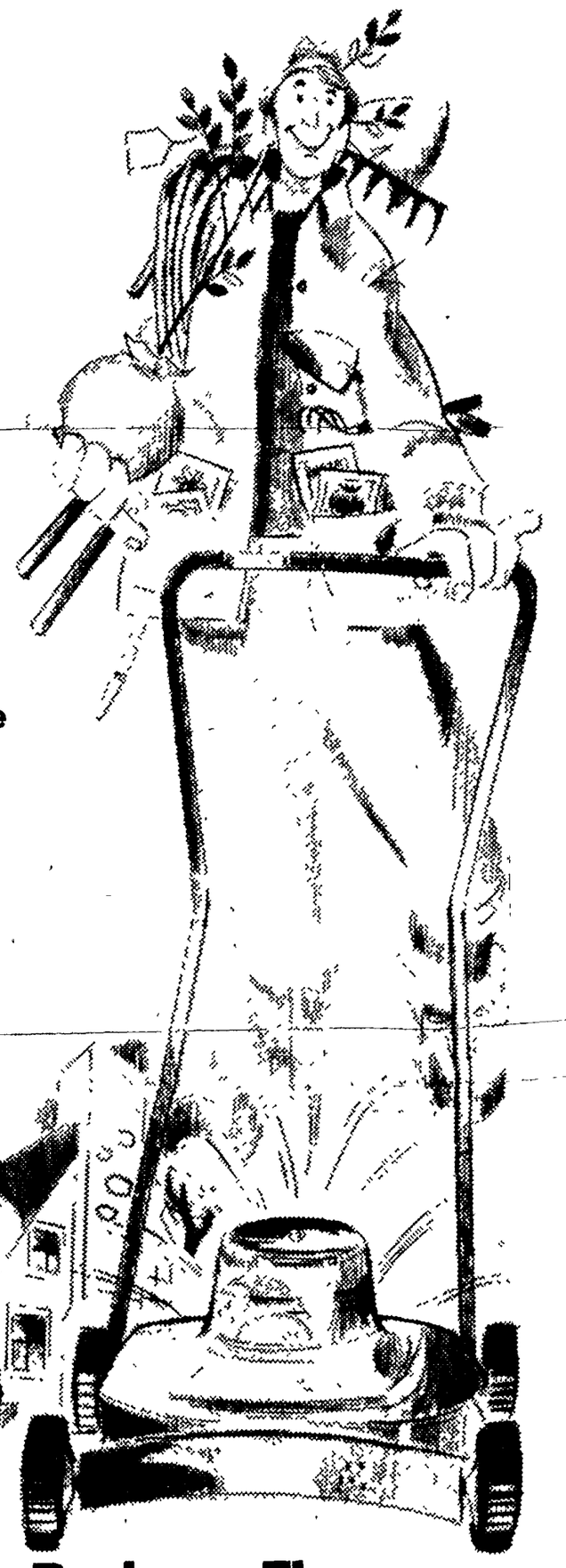

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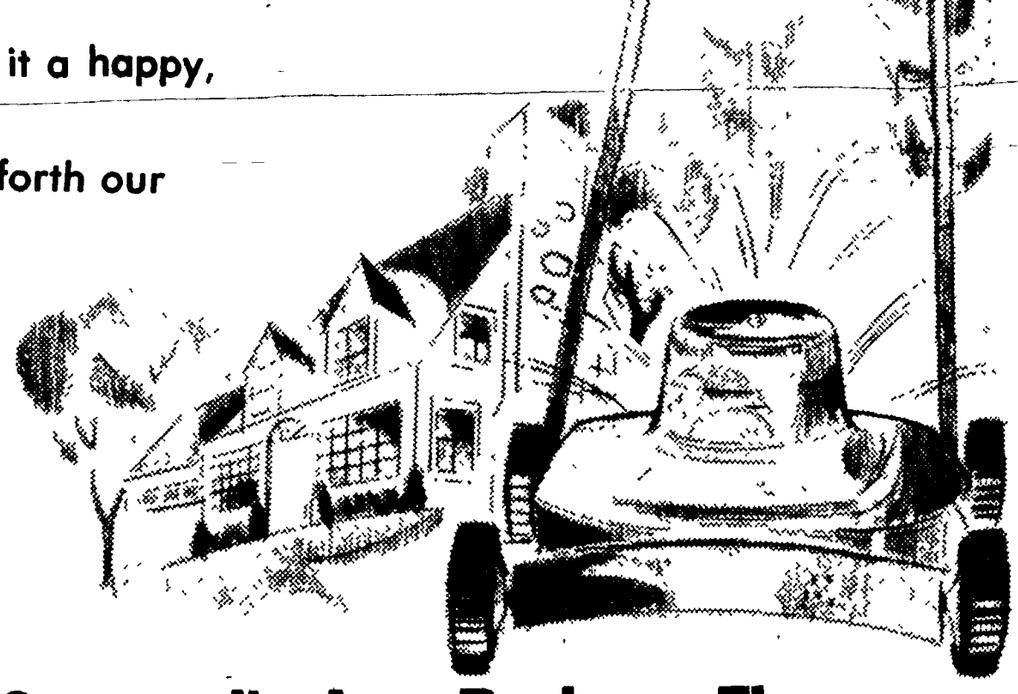

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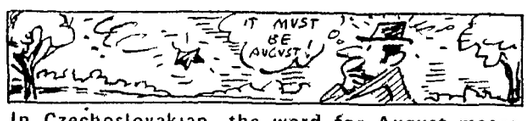
Frank Poorman (right), executive vice president of the Unity Hospital Board of Directors, presented Service Recognition Awards to these five hospital employees Friday, April 22 Ten year awards went to (l to r) Josefa Payne, Fred Payne and Virginia Scoggin Five year awards went to Peggy Emery and Sarah Nelson

The Orchard Hills Women's Association hosted a "Beginning Brunch" as a kickoff for golf planning at the Orchard Hills Clubhouse, Tuesday, April 26 Front row (l to r) Cleo Hubbard, treasurer and Evelyn Bolton, secretary Back row Wynn DeShon, co-chairman of the brunch, Ida Hiatt, president; Pat Williamson, co-chairman of the brunch and Shirley Becksfort, vice-president



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Janet Marsh exchanges vows with Robert Franklin

Miss Janet Marie Marsh exchanged wedding vows with Robert B. Franklin III on Saturday, April 16, before their immediate families at the St. Anthony Catholic Church in Buchanan. The three o'clock ceremony was performed by Father Atchison

The bride and bridegroom were both escorted to the altar by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Marsh and Mr. and Mrs Robert B Franklin Jr.

The bride wore a gown fashioned of Quiana knit The lace bodice featured a high neckline and short sleeves. Matching lace motifs adorned the floor length skirt which fell from the waist line in a soft flair Her mantilla was trimmed in matching lace and was held in place by a Camelot cap decorated with tiny seed pearls She carried a bouquet of white daisies, yellow sweetheart roses and babies' breath The bride also carried a Belgium Lace handkerchief which was a gift of Mrs Ronald Lyon of Kalamazoo

Mrs Michael Babcock, sister of the bride, of Niles, was the matron of honor She wore a floor length yellow polyester knit dress with a square neckline and handkerchief sleeves which were trimmed in lace She carried a bouquet of yellow and white daisies with babies' breath. She wore a matching halo of flowers in her hair

Paul Franklin, brother of the bridegroom, of Buchanan performed the duties of best man.

The bride's mother wore a street length dress of light green with a matching jacket. The bridegroom's mother wore a pink and blue floral street length dress with a matching jacket Each mother wore a white orchid corsage

A family dinner was hosted by the bridegroom's parents at the Steak and Ale restaurant in Roseland.

A reception was held at eight Saturday evening at the Buchanan American Legion for family and friends of the couple.

Diane and Gail Williams, of Galien, presided at the guest book Nancy Foster, Janice Leiter, Pat Sypnieski and Helene Williams served at the refreshment table Catherine Desenberg, Diane Franklin and Sue Franklin presided at the gift table.

The couple will be making their home in the Buchanan area

Cheryl Trapp married to David Nicely

Miss Cheryl Trapp and David Nicely were united in marriage on Saturday, April 23, in a 6 o'clock, double ring ceremony, performed by Rev E Bickel, at the Glendora Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Trapp of Galien and Mr and Mrs Walter Nicely of Glendora are the parents of the bridegroom

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride was attired in a gown of chantilly lace with five tiers and a hoop skirt She carried a bouquet of white miniature roses

Mrs John Keefer of Three Oaks, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor She wore a pink chiffon gown with an empire waist and a ruffle at the bottom She wore a white picture hat with pink ribbons and carried pink flowers

The bridesmaids were Miss Nancy Bronson of Galien, cousin of the bride; Miss Vickie Koebel of Three Oaks, cousin of the bride Miss Renae Backus of Buchanan and Miss Valerie Pollitt of Buchanan They each wore a dress similar to the matron of honor but of different spring colors and carried flowers to match the dress Rebecca Rosenthal of Niles, niece of the bridegroom, was the flower girl She wore a lilac gown with an empire waist and a ruffle at the bottom and carried a basket of rose petals

Dan Nicely of Glendora, brother of the bridegroom, performed the duties of best man Groomsmen were Robert Rosenthal of Kalamazoo, Ronald Rosenthal of Niles, John Keefer of Three Oaks, and Leroy Rosenthal of Three Oaks Richard Smith of Three Oaks, cousin of the bride, was the ring bearer Ushers were Mark Heyn of South Bend and Paul Heyn of Niles

The bride's mother wore a floor length gown of light and dark blue. The bridegroom's mother wore a melon colored floor length gown and each wore a white carnation corsage

A reception was held at the New Troy American Legion Home following the ceremony

The bride will graduate from Galien High School in June and the bridegroom is a 1975 graduate of River Valley High School and is employed at Bendix Corporation, South Bend

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GNASA sets meeting

The next meeting of the Greater Niles Area Service Agencies will be on Friday, April 29, at the Holiday Inn.

Three local attorneys will be speaking on "The Liberal vs Conservative Law in Regard to Juveniles" The attorneys are Michael Marrs of Buchanan; Robert Cary of Niles and Robert Landgraf of Niles

GNASA board members are Ron Neff, chairman, Wilma Darby, membership vice president; Emma Fultz, programing; Millie Bock, treasurer, Sue Armstrong, secretary and Mark Nawrocki, newsletter

Williams entertain at birthday party

Mr. and Mrs LeRoy Williams hosted a birthday dinner honoring Ray Schultz of Plant City, Florida, on Sunday, April 24 Guests included Mrs Schultz, Mrs Ray Frame of Three Oaks, Mr and Mrs Lloyd Smith and Mrs Sarah Shaw and daughter, all of Rockford, Ohio, Mr and Mrs Dave Gombosi of Niles, Mr. and Mrs Donald Williams and son of Michigan City, Indiana, Mr and Mrs Orville Helfer of Three Oaks, Mr and Mrs Jerry Kuhl and family of Niles and Mrs Jerry House and daughters of Buchanan

The engagement of Miss Brenda J Robinson, 201½ Days Avenue, to Anthony J Donaldson 1208 Washington, Michigan City, Indiana, is announced by her parents Rev and Mrs L E Robinson, 116 West Fleshiem Street, Iron Mountain, Michigan

The bride-elect graduated from Buchanan High School in 1966 and is employed at Unity Hospital

The prospective bridegroom, son of Mrs Edna Donaldson, 322 Aminas Street, Trinadad, Colorado, graduated from Trinidad High School in 1959, Trinidad State Junior College in 1969 and is employed at Michigan City Water Company

The couple is planning a July 2 wedding at Bethel Apostolic Tabernacle

Mrs Larry Eugene Aalfs

Candlelight ceremony unites couple

Cheryl Ann Wesner became the bride of Larry Eugene Aalfs at 2 o'clock, Saturday, April 23, at St Anthony's Catholic Church The double ring, candlelight ceremony was performed by Rev Donald W Atchison Mrs George Grix was organist and Mrs Norman Striegle, soloist The altar was decorated with candelabra, white carnations and baby's breath Lighted hurricane lamps at each pew lined the aisles

Mr and Mrs. Eugene Wesner, 502 Main Street, are parents of the bride and Mr and Mrs Christ Aalfs, 621 Front Street, are parents of the bridegroom

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white nylon sheer over taffeta with a fitted bodice, long full sheer sleeves, a high lace edged neckline and gathered floor length skirt which fell into a chapel train Venice lace trimmed the bodice, sleeves and hemline. Her headpiece was a Juliet cap of Venice lace and held a fingertip veil, trimmed with matching lace She carried a nosegay of white daisies, sweetheart roses and baby's breath

The matron of honor was Mrs Richard Geik, sister of the bride Bridesmaids were Mrs Steve Couchman and Miss Linda Sherman They each were attired in a gown of blue voile print, trimmed with ivory lace, a blue picture hat and carried a nosegay of blue daisies and baby's breath The flower girl was Nicole Smith Her dress was powder blue, trimmed with ivory lace and she wore a white picture hat

Michael Aalfs served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Steve Couchman and Richard Leidy, brother-in-law of the bridegroom Michael Wesner, brother of the bride, and Richard Geik, brother-in-law of the bride were the ushers

The bride's mother wore a light pink dress and a corsage of white sweetheart roses and baby's breath

The bridegroom's mother wore a light apricot colored dress and a corsage of white sweetheart roses and baby's breath

A reception at the Holiday Inn in Niles followed the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Buchanan High School and is employed at Wesner Chevrolet and Aalfs Standard Service

The bridegroom graduated from Buchanan High School and Ferris State College, served with the US Marines and is the owner of Aalfs Standard Service

Following a wedding trip to Florida the couple will reside at 319 Liberty Street

Redbud Senior Citizens plan May meeting

The Redbud Senior Citizens will hold their May meeting on Monday, May 2, in Fellowship Hall at Faith United Methodist Church, 728 North Detroit Street

The meeting will begin with a cooperative dinner served at 12:30 p m. The dinner committee consists of Mrs Ruby Haas, Mrs Rose Pinter, Mrs Bernadette Balthazor and Mrs Christine Chilson

Following the dinner a business meeting will be conducted by the president, Mrs Mabel Rumsey The program chairman, Mrs Gertrude Sheldon, announced a miscellaneous program to honor mothers and also an auction sale

All senior citizens in the community are cordially invited to attend

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STORAGE TRAILERS — 37ft semi-trailers, without rear doors $450, Weller Truck Parts, Grand Rapids, 616-538 8888

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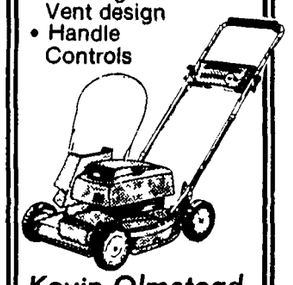

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Part-Time
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN — NILES

LaSALLE FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF BUCHANAN, Plaintiff
VS
LEON MILLER and MARIE MILLER, husband and wife, Defendants

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND ORDER TO ANSWER

Case No
77C01150

At a session of the said Court, held in Chambers, in the City of Niles, Berrien County, Michigan
Present Honorable JOHN IWANIUK, District Judge
On the 13th day of April, 1977, an action was filed by LaSALLE FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF BUCHANAN, Plaintiff against LEON MILLER and MARIE MILLER, husband and wife, Defendants, in this Court for the purpose of obtaining a Judgment of Possession, and it appearing that the said Defendants, LEON MILLER and MARIE MILLER, husband and wife, are not residents of the State of Michigan,
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendants, LEON MILLER and MARIE MILLER, husband and wife, shall Answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 9 day of May, 1977 Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against said Defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order shall be published ONE time in a newspaper of general circulation in the County, mailed to Defendants at their last known address and posted upon the premises
DATED. This 26 day of April, A D 1977

JOHN IWANIUK,
District Judge

DESENBERG, DESENBERG & MARRS

LOUIS A. DESENBERG, Esq
Attorney for the Plaintiff
118 Main Street, P.O. Box 72
Buchanan, Michigan 49107

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Custodian needed River Valley School District. Closing date for applications May 5,, 1977 Position beginning Monday, May 9, 1977 Starting wage $3 30 per hour, plus fringe benefits. Application procedure -- fill out application at Assistant Superintendent's office located in River Valley High School building, Three Oaks Rd River Valley School District is an equal opportunity employer.

HELP WANTED TELLER We are currently in need of someone who will work on a "demand basis" as a substitute teller and-or in our bookkeeping area The substitute teller will work during lunch hours, peak times, and other times as needed If you have had teller experience or would like to get into banking, please call for an interview, We prefer those with experience but would be willing to train Contact Inter City Bank, Buchanan, 695-3815 "An Equal Opportunity Employer"

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PERSONALS

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State of Michigan
Probate Court for the County of Berrien

Estate of LEE D HINMAN, Deceased
File No
28263L
NOTICE OF HEARING FOR PUBLICATION AND SERVICE ON INTERESTED PARTIES
TAKE NOTICE: On May 12, 1977, at 10.00, A M, in Probate Courtroom, District Court Building, Niles, Michigan before the HON. RONALD H LANGE, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Raymond J Hinman for probate of a purported Will of the deceased dated August 4, 1965, for granting of administration to Raymond J Hinman or some other suitable person, and for determination of heirs and interested parties of the deceased
CREDITORS of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Raymond J Hinman, 408 Cherry Street, Three Oaks, Michigan 49128, and proof thereof, with copies of claims, filed with the Probate Court on or before August 1, 1977
NOTICE is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto.
Dated April 14, 1977

Raymond J. Hinman,
Petitioner
408 Cherry Street
Three Oaks, Michigan 49128

Frank William Kelley,
Attorney
107 Main Street
Buchanan, Michigan 49107
Telephone 695-6531

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NOTICE
TO
BUCHANAN TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

There will be a public hearing to hear suggestions on proposed expenditures for general revenue sharing funds May 24, 7 p m, at the Buchanan Township Hall.

Donna Newsom
Buchanan Township Clerk

Publish April 28 and May 5, 1977

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF GALIEN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 13, 1977.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1977, IS MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P M., ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

Ronald Freehling
Secretary, Board of Education

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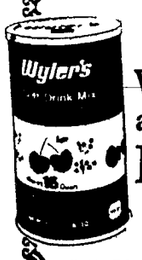
Shout 12 oz. Can 89¢
Pre-Wash 20 oz. Can $1.29

Oven Fresh
Lumberjack
Bread 1¼ Lb. Loaf 55¢



Wyler's Instant
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Fruit Drink Mix $1.99

McDonald's
Half & Half Pint 33¢

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Chicken with Back Portion
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Bologna Reg. or Thick Sliced $1.19 Lb.

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