



Alexandra Moses is wearing the first Buchanan Bi-Centennial T-shirt in an effort to raise funds for the 4th of July fireworks display, these shirts are now on sale at Krieger's, Desenberg's, Sports Apparel, and Stubbs. They come in all sizes and are either white or powder blue. They're \$4.25 for adults and \$3.75 for children.

This is White Cane Week

In preparation for White Cane Week, members of the Buchanan Lions Club volunteered at their dinner to eat their desserts while being blindfolded to dramatize the feeling of being without eyesight.

Speakers were Donald Fleming who will be manager of the new Western Electric facility and Gordon McLean who showed slides of the new building. He said that the plant will go into operation by January, 1976. It will serve four telephone companies in Wisconsin, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan. The building is 500,000 square feet on 110 acres of land. It will handle 30,000 different items and will

ship 90 million pounds a year.

At their meeting the Lions elected their new officers: Lous Horvath is the new president. Other officers are LaRue McMillen, first vice president, Ron Beck, second vice president, Bill Swam, third vice president, David Casey, secretary, Robert Barnes, treasurer, Don Nichols, lion tamer, Roger Spaulding, tail twister.

New directors elected are Fred Vergon, Web Soules and Reg Bellaire.

The Lions plan to sell white canes on Friday and Saturday to raise funds to support their work for the blind.

Wayde Sumerix Is An Eagle Scout

At the Court of Awards of Troop 541 Tuesday, Wayde Sumerix was awarded scouting's highest rank of Eagle Scout. He also received a skill award in camping. Clare Davis got his merit badge in citizenship, Craig Sumerix a merit badge for music, and he became a second class scout. He also received a skill award for family living. Gordon Hanson received a merit badge for first aid and became a first class scout. Other second class scouts were Brian Blackwell, Dennis Decker, Alan Shafer and Chris Patton. Tenderfoot scouts were Scott Shafer, David Chamberlain and Kent Reitz.

Mark Topash received skill awards in camping and cooking. Bob Blumka got a skill award for camping, and Kurtis Smith and Darryl Smith received them for cooking.

Wayde is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Sumerix. He had 2 1/2 years as a cub scout and 4 1/2 years in troop 541 where he has served as patrol leader, assistant patrol leader, troop instructor, troop scribe and quartermaster.

Wayde has been on the honor roll for the last three years and has played freshman football and has been on the varsity track team. He's a member of the First Presbyterian Church, served as president of Jr. Hi Youth and treasurer of St. Hi Youth Fellowship. He's been vice president and treasurer of Chit and Chatter 4-H Club and won All-Achievement award for his electrical project.

He's been a paper boy for the Herald-Palladium. Last year he attended Philmont Boy Scout Ranch.

Fine Arts Week Starts This Sunday

Buchanan will have an opportunity to be exposed to the fine arts in an event-packed week starting Sunday. It will offer a chance to see what the young people in middle school and high school have accomplished and at the same time give audiences exceptional experiences with good instrumental and vocal music, drama and art.

Fine Arts Week begins Sunday with a concert of the high school bands in the high school auditorium at 3:30. The middle schools will perform at the high school auditorium on Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Activities will move to the high school gym on Tuesday for the elementary schools vocal concert at 7:30.

On Wednesday, May 7, the fifth grade band and the fourth, fifth and middle school strings will appear in concert at the high school auditorium at 7:30. On Thursday, the seventh and eighth grade vocal departments will show their talents in the new middle school gymnasium at 7:30.

Action shifts back to the high school auditorium on Friday for a program by the high school choir and the high school drama department at 7:30 p.m.

Then it's back to the middle school gymnasium on Saturday for the concert by the middle school ensemble and the sixth grade chorus at 7:30.

During the week the art classes of Mrs. Shirley Roti, Helen Jenkins and Donald Clark and the woodworking classes of Richard Chubb will exhibit their works to further emphasize the full program of fine arts offered in Buchanan. All the classes have been working long and hard to produce first-rate performances. Under the combined talents and leadership of Dixie Deigen, Mary Lou Soucek, Mike Bashara, Susan Durant, Michael Morse, Jannette Braakma and Kathryn Fagras, a large percentage of Buchanan's students will show what they can do.

Detailed information about individual programs are contained elsewhere in the paper.



Clark Equipment Company shareholders elected Nelson R. Henry as a new director of the company, expanding the board to 16 members.

Mr. Henry, 45, joined Clark from Eaton Corporation in 1971 to become group vice president. General Products Group. He is responsible for the company's axles and transmission products. Major equipment and commercial refrigeration operations.

During his 11 years with Eaton Corporation, Mr. Henry rose from production manager of the Stamping Division through positions as general manager of the Spring Division, the U.S. Lock and Hardware Division and group vice president of Security Systems. His last position there was group vice president of Truck Components, the largest group in the Eaton organization.

Mr. Henry also serves as a director of the First National Bank of Southwestern Michigan, Niles, and the Mott and Merryweather Machinery Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

He graduated from the University of Missouri in 1951 with a B.S. degree, and began his business career with Amsted Industries, Inc.

National Standard Sales Are Up

A 21 percent sales increase was reported by National Standard Company for the six months ended March 31, according to N-S Chairman T. H. Pearce. Earnings were \$1.23 per share, compared to \$1.04 per share last year before a non-recurring gain of \$62 per share. Sales volume for the six months was \$122 million, up from \$101 million in 1974.

Sales volume in the second quarter was \$60 million, 11 percent higher than the \$54 million reported last year. Earnings were \$51 per share compared to \$57 per share last year before a non-recurring gain of \$50 per share. "Although sales were up, our costs increased significantly reflecting the inflationary trend in the economy," Pearce said. The adoption of LIFO accounting resulted in an earnings reduction of \$0.09 per share for the six months and \$0.03 for the current quarter.

"The economy has continued to slide through March," Pearce said, "and almost without exception the markets we serve have declined, particularly those closely related to the automotive industry." Improvement was made in sales to the farm equipment and energy related industries and by our foreign subsidiaries.

Pearce stated that it was very difficult to forecast the remainder of the year in spite of some indications of an improved economy. "However we expect the full year to be reasonably satisfactory," he added.

National Standard manufactures a wide range of wire products fabricated metal products and specialized machinery, with 24 domestic and 8 foreign plants. For the year ended September 30, 1974, the company reported sales volume of \$219 million.



The chairman of this year's Buchanan United Way drive is Bob Powers from Buchanan Steel and the vice-chairman is John Montgomery from Clark Credit Corporation.

Invite Couples To Bridge Event

Something new for couples is on the calendar this spring. Preparations have been in progress for some time and the date is now being announced, for a bridge party to benefit Child and Family Services. Planned by the Buchanan Auxiliary, the event will be Tuesday, May 13 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Anthony's Church in Buchanan.

Men and women bridge players are invited to make up a foursome and join the fun. Snacks and coffee will be served and soft drinks will be available. Cash prizes will be given for first, second and third places.

Tickets are \$1.25 per person and can be obtained by calling 695-6767 or 695-9034. Since a limited number of tables are available, early reservations are recommended by the committee.

Child and Family Services is a non-profit non-sectarian and voluntary agency which offers a comprehensive family social service program encompassing adoptions, foster care, problem pregnancy counseling, epilepsy counseling, homemaker services and travelers aid.

Services are provided throughout Michigan from 15 local community branches and a central office located in Farmington. The southeastern branch operates from 2000 South State Street, St. Joseph, formerly Chapin Hall.

Community auxiliaries such as the one in Buchanan provide additional funds through individual projects like this bridge benefit. CFSM is a United Fund agency serving Berrien, Cass and Van Buren Counties.

Curbs On Three Streets To Be Replaced

Richard Gault was in charge Monday at the city commission meeting in the absence of Mayor Bachman.

It would now appear that the city will replace all the curbs and gutters on the streets they plan to work on this spring. It was claimed that this would be the only way to insure proper drainage. The schedule calls for them to do Sylvan first, then Cecil and then Liberty in that order. Joseph Garbert Jr. indicated the possibility of all of this being paid for out of the general fund instead of by the individual property owners.

The city had a letter from Sheriff Jewell asking for support to the Metro Crime Unit (not to be confused with the Metro Narcotics unit). The city has been supplying a man to this program but decided not to support it any more until there was more expression of support from other municipalities in the county.

The city had decided not to press charges against the Mollbergs for attempting to destroy the sidewalks but they need the Mollbergs to sign a release along with a promise to refrain from further destructive activities before the case can be dismissed. It was indicated that the Mollbergs refused to sign such a release, so the case remains on the books. A resolution of support was approved by the board of county

commissioners for their actions in attempting to get the assessed valuations lowered.

Ordinances were adopted for the uniform housing code and the abatement of dangerous buildings. Introduced was an ordinance which will eliminate the remaining parking meters.

The budget was presented for the study of the commissioners. This must be approved by the last meeting in May. It would appear that, although many departments are increased, there will be a considerable reduction in expenses for public improvements. Individual members of the commission have expressed hope for a decrease in millage requirements.

A contract was approved with Ravish Recreation, Inc., which would change Mel Ravish's status from a city employee to an outside contractor providing a service. The commission approved its share of \$4,461.65 to a Berrien County project for a softball diamond and picnic grove here.

The city manager was granted authority to advertise for bids or to investigate fixing the roof and for painting the city hall. Garbert added an amendment seeking an alternative to the idea of a suspended ceiling in the council chambers.

Commission Supports Action of County

On Monday, the Buchanan city commission voted to further support the county board of commissioners in their decision to reduce the county assessment. The following is a letter which they sent to the commissioners: Dear Commissioner Fischer:

Please convey to the Board of Commissioners in session, this message of support for their decision to reduce the county assessment in an amount of \$8.5 million. The aggressive and dynamic leadership demonstrated by this forthright action is in the finest tradition of representative Government. The problem of erosion of local control over political destiny in the State of Michigan remains of massive proportions. Your actions in response to this problem in the area of taxation has great support in your constituencies and specific enthusiastic support in the City of Buchanan.

I have been asked by the City Commissioners to convey their support and their appreciation for the response to our petition of protest under which the City of Buchanan Tax Roll was presented. In addition, be assured of our support in response to implied threats of punitive action implied by the representative of the State Tax Commission as reported in local news stories. If it is true that Mr. Ray Paff, Manager of Research and Statistics, State Tax Commission, was quoted as saying that

the State Tax Commission could add an extra amount to the original valuation, the City Commission of Buchanan responds with considerable anger to this blatant use of bureaucratic pressure and blackmail. We join you in protest to this procedure or even to the threat of such procedure and are convinced the taxpayers of our County should be aware that such tactics can even be thought of by the bureaucratic structure of our State.

We remain in your support.
The City Commission
City of Buchanan
Robert L. Faulhaber
City Manager

Parents Group To Meet

The Parents Communications Group will meet Thursday, tonight, at 7:30 in the Buchanan High School library. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

Office Closed

The Record office will be closed this Saturday. The two old birds are going birding at Fernwood.

Bite The Bullet

The tax on this company's old equipment is expected to be \$1800. If taxes are lowered by one mill, that would be a saving of only \$30.

It's not only for selfish reasons that we're harping on economy, but for the sake of those companies here whose tax burden has become enormous. Immediate relief is imperative.

The school administration says that increased state equalized valuation will result in a decrease in state aid. That's all the more reason why the school should make a tremendous effort to cut down their budget.

They can't cut down salaries which are about 80 per cent of the expenditures. But they can cut down in other ways. Capital outlay has been mentioned, and it's hoped they'll keep that to a minimum.

They spent \$1,800,000 on a new middle school and another \$800,000 in remodeling the high school. Certainly with all the room they now have and a decreasing school population, their needs should be minimal. This would be a good year to skip that kind of spending. The physical plants of the schools are in excellent shape, and it won't be necessary to search for ways to spend money.

Whenever somebody talks about cutting a school's budget, they're accused of being against education. But most of the present school board members are well aware of the need to cut costs and are taking a close look at every item of the budget.

It's definitely time to bite the bullet. Every bit of fat must be slashed from every budget. Local businesses are having to figure every possible way to cut down costs, and everybody receiving revenues from taxes should do the same.



Barbara Sumerix pins the Eagle Scout award on her son Wayde as his father Lyle and scoutmaster Leo Slate and assistant scoutmaster Don Shafer look on.



Some members of the Buchanan Auxiliary of Child and Family Services work on arrangements for the couple's bridge party planned for Tuesday, May 13.

Seated are Mrs. James Bleneman and Mrs. James Converse with Mrs. Gerald Radde and Mrs. John Gerboe behind them. Missing from the picture is Mrs. Vincent Otteson who has been instrumental in making the formative plans for the event.

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Letters To The Editor

Editor:
A green light for Mayor Bachman and the city commission and a red light for "progressive" school teachers' Politicians willing to take a positive stand against taxation-inflation might save the nation if we can prevent the so-called progressive school teachers from raising a generation of anarchists.
Bob Sawyer
Rt 1 Box 1024
Buchanan, Michigan

To the Editor:
Buchanan citizens have had the reputation of being able to fill a stadium for a football game or the gymnasium for basketball. There seems to be mounting interest in baseball, track and tennis.

But the auditorium of the high school (in past years, at least) has never been full each night of the annual Fine Arts Festival. The concerts involving elementary students seem to draw sizable crowds (Mom and Dad have to drive these students), but the older the child involved, the smaller the audience.

At last year's high school band and choir concerts, there were more participants in the program than people in the audience.

Our high school students in bands and choirs have worked and studied several years and thus are able to produce a high quality concert -- and then the bitter disappointment of an audience of 50!

There is a Fine Arts staff of 12 working very hard at this moment with 1,000 children of Buchanan to give them the marvelous experience of participating in the aural and visual arts on May 4-10.

We're asking Buchanan residents to FILL the auditorium EACH night and share this experience with the staff and students.

There is a complete listing of events, times and places elsewhere in this paper. All concerts are free. Please support the children of this community. They are tomorrow's adults.
Susan Durant & Dixie Detgen
Co-chairmen,
Fine Arts Festival 1975

To Mr. Dan Moore:

Spring and summer is upon us, isn't it beautiful? Well not for the parents on Hill Street. Mr. Moore, there are fourteen children on this street all under the age of ten. Three of these children are under the age of three and they have to be watched constantly. We can not go through another summer with the speeders. One of these kids will wander in the street and be hurt badly or even killed. Can't we please have a "Slow Children at Play" sign? Just because this is a dead end street doesn't mean people go slow. They go 30 or 40 and that is fast for a street like ours. We called you last year and we got nowhere, we had to have the license number. Who can get it? So, Mr. Moore, won't you please help protect our fourteen children on Hill Street.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. L. Ruth
Mr. & Mrs. J.D. Warren
Mr. & Mrs. Roland Earnst
Mr. & Mrs. Thornton Holloway
Mr. & Mrs. Victor Backus
Mrs. Janice Leiter

Hills Corners Club Elects Officers

Hills Corners Study Club had its recent meeting at the home of Mrs. Jack Harroff. The devotions were given by Mrs. Roy Barz and the roll call answered by jokes.

The lesson on Analyzing Ads was given by Mrs. Hazel Smith and that on Child Abuse by Mrs. Harroff.

The annual tour is being arranged by Mrs. Gerald Tichenor for May 20 when members will visit Andrews University. The annual picnic is to be July 22 at Island Park in Niles.

New officers were elected with Mrs. George Duis as chairman, Mrs. Frank Rumsev vice chairman and Mrs. Gerald Tichenor as secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Iola Zindler is to serve as recreational chairman.

The meeting ended with a contest conducted by Mrs. Zindler.

Bands To Open Fine Arts Week

The annual Spring Concert of the Buchanan High School Symphony and Concert Bands will be Sunday May 4, opening the 1975 Fine Arts Festival. The concert will begin at 3:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium and is free and open to the public.

A variety of music by composers ranging from Shostakovich to Croce will be performed by the two groups, under the direction of Michael Morse.

The Concert Band will play KMB March by Thiessen, The Strenuous Life Joplin-Reed, Statement for Band - Eisenhower Selections from "Harr"-Whitcomb and Manhattan Tower Overture by Osser. Symphony Band selections will be Palomar by Pearson, Folk Song Suite - Williams, Symphony No. 5 Finale - Shostakovich, Tribute to Jim Croce - Croce Gilman and Sousa's The Thunderer.



This men's chorus will perform during the Fine Arts Week concert of the high school choir, presenting two rousing numbers "There's Nothing Like A Dame" and the "Drinking Song" from the Student Prince.

The high school vocalists are practicing hard with their director Mrs. Susan Durant to prepare for the event.

Buchanan Menu

Menu at Buchanan Schools for the week of May 5-9:

Monday: Cheese and Sausage Pizza, french fries, garden vegetables with margarine milk, cookie.

Tuesday: Meatballs with Tomato Sauce, whipped potatoes, garden vegetables with margarine enriched bread for fried margarine cookie milk.

Wednesday: Frankfurter, Tater barrels, carrot cubes with margarine hot dog bun, milk, catnip cookie.

Thursday: Cheeseburger, french fries, garden vegetables with margarine milk, cookie, hamburger bun.

Friday: Sloppy Joe, french fries, cut green beans with margarine hamburger bun, milk, cookie.

Graduates

Coast Guard Seaman Apprentice Guy E. Nyhuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Nyhuis of Route 1, Galien, was graduated from the National Boating Safety School at the Coast Guard Training Center, Yorktown, Va.

During the six-week course he received instruction on search and rescue procedures, marine law enforcement, firefighting, first aid and boating safety regulations.

Out Of The Past

40 Years Ago
May 2, 1935
Melvin Campbell and Dale Lyon chosen to go to Washington with Scouts.

Hollywood Theater sold to E.C. Hoffman.

25 Years Ago
May 4, 1950
City-wide cleanup next week.

Library receives \$162.24 in state aid.

Clark declares 50 cent dividend.

Construction of new \$30,000 Legion Home starts May 7.

10 Years Ago
May 6, 1965
School board eliminates business manager's job. Robert Willard out.

Deadline for payment of River Shores road fund.

Chester Wessendorf won't seek re-election to school board.

Gary Armstrong, Janet Funk, Randy Harker and Janet Mitch to lead student government.

Delores Wray wins scholarship.

Mrs. Norman Bachman ends long career at ICB.

Strictly Personal

By D.E.N.

The man who umpired the Edwardsburg-Buchanan baseball game said that it was a pleasure to work the game and that the Buchanan players were the best mannered, most finely disciplined team he'd seen.

The warblers are back, and bird watchers go nuts. They won't sit still long enough to be identified.

Personally, we have yet to be sold on the open classroom concept at the middle school, but the people at the school are still working on improving it. It's reported that most of the students like it, and some of the teachers.

We add our two cents worth to the letter to the editor urging support of Fine Arts Week. It's unique, a great deal of work has gone into it, and it's a program which offers a lot of good things to a lot of people (if they'll take advantage of them).

A woman came in with a request for considerable publicity on her favorite project. After we'd taken copious notes for free publicity, she said, "We plan to run ads in the Niles Star and the Hi-Lates, but of course we can't get any publicity from them." Her publicity story was appropriately cut and buried.

A trip up to Dave Samson's new campsite proved interesting. It's going to be a beautiful addition to the recreational facilities of this part of the state. Then we prowled through the back roads up to the Allegan state forest. Quite a place.

The amount of litter and beer cans along the roads is appalling. We can't understand why people do that, but since they do, couldn't some of the unemployed be hired to clean them up?

The Buchanan high school band which went to South Bend to greet President Ford when he came to Notre Dame, received a certificate of appreciation from and signed by him. They're all quite proud.

Happy Birthday

May 2:
Bill Hombaker
Rita Farrow
Carolyn Wagner
Charlene Quick
Shirley Miller
Michelle Smedley
Michael Hinds

May 3:
Charles Rohde
Kenneth Thomas, Jr.
Dalvin A. Hanes
Robyn Oswald
Mildred Fisher
Cheryl Mullins

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

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

May 6:
Carol Boyer
Debbie Proud
Mrs. Frances Holloway
Thank Ketchum
James Hall
Michael Robert Crumley

May 7:
Shawn Wreggelsworth
Quinn Kirk
Verma Paul
Jerome Vite
Joseph C. Humphreys
Rita Lavher

To the Editor

The Community Education Director and High School Principal wish to thank all those who were involved in making the Cambridge Exchange Program so successful.

We would like to extend a special appreciation to all the people who shared their homes with the English people, to all the local merchants, to all who attended the open-house for the English, to Buchanan Community Schools for the use of facilities and transportation, to the schools administrators for the school tours and also to the Berrien County Record for the publicity for the program.

The 1975 Cambridge Exchange Program would not have been so successful without community involvement. Again, thank you.

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A Minute With Mary

By Mary Snow
Extension Home Economist

Leisure Time as a Resource
Time is money.

We've all heard that old saying. And it's true. Time is money in many ways. You time plus your special skills, knowledge and experience is what you trade for those paychecks you use to buy the goods and services you need to live.

A layoff or unemployment means time on your hands and no paycheck coming in. Time is still money however because you can use the time you have to make or fix up, make do or do for

yourself what you would ordinarily pay money for. Here are a few ideas.

Cook more of your meals from scratch. Try some of those money-saving recipes you've been clipping and saving. Improve your cooking with the help of a friend or relative who's a good cook.

If you have the necessary skills, make or make over clothes for you and your family. Recycle "hand-me-downs" into usable clothing by changing trim and other details. Finding new ways to put old things together or remaking garments entirely.

Plant a garden. If you choose your crops wisely and store and preserve them produce carefully, your garden can be quite a money saver. And you may have the feeling of satisfaction that comes to many from making things grow.

Learn to do minor home repairs. Stopping a leaky faucet will eliminate one of life's minor

annoyances - drip, drip, drip - and stop the pouring of money down the drain.

Don't have the skills to do these things? Then look into the possibility of trading off time and skills with a friend or neighbor. You could even organize a chore pool of people with skills or time to offer and chores they need done.

The same sort of swapping can be used to barter things you have but don't need for things you need but can't afford to buy just now.

Time on your hands need not be a burden. It can be time to be creative and imaginative to develop new skills to find new ways to use what you have. It can be your chance to think through the possibilities open to you to check over your priorities and examine your values. It's time to give your budget a once over to find out where your money is really going and to

sharpen your managerial skills to get the most satisfaction out of what you have to work with.

It's time to be a more careful shopper to read labels more closely to become acquainted with shopping aids like unit pricing and open dating and to develop smart shopping habits.

It's more time to spend with your spouse and children, time to give to community concerns, time for yourself - to do, to be, to explore, to develop.

Time on your hands? Don't just pass it - spend it.

Band Parents

There will be no regular meeting of the Buchanan Band and Orchestra Parents on May 5 because of the annual association meeting and awards night planned for May 20.

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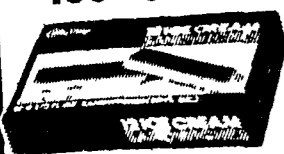


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The Michigan Chiropractic Council is asking that parents make a few simple tests of their children's spinal health and posture. A positive indication on any of these tests would show that a professional examination of the child's spine should be made.

The first test is to have the child stand straight and then compare the shoulders. Both should be level. If one is higher, a spinal problem may exist. The same principle applies in

the second test. Check your daughter's neckline or your son's beltline. If one side is higher than the other, then there is a potential spinal difficulty.

In the third check have the child bend forward from the waist, arms hanging loosely down, and legs straight. If the muscles appear to bunch up on one side of the spine, scoliosis - curvature of the spine - is a distinct possibility.

Children wear out shoes rapidly. The fourth test is to examine the child's shoes. If one shoe is wearing out faster than the other, especially on the outside edge of the heel, this is a warning sign of spinal problems.

The Michigan Chiropractic Council points out that many of today's health problems originated from a postural misalignment resulting from childhood falls, bumps, or minor accidents

that went undetected at the time. Many children could be saved untold suffering by early detection and correction of spinal health problems.

College Club To Have May Breakfast

The Annual May Breakfast of the Buchanan College Club will be Saturday, May 3, at 9:30 at the Holiday Inn in Niles. Members may invite guests. The cost is \$1.00 per person.

Mr. Walter Ginter, well known choir director of the Niles Presbyterian Church, will direct one of his groups - The Contemplos.

Mrs. John Melford is chairman for the event. Her committee members are Mrs. William L. Jarhat, Mrs. Walter Ross, Mrs. Bert Rowe and Mrs. Donald Trull.

This concludes the 1974-75 activities for the year. The next meeting will be in September.

Student Teacher Here

The name of at least one student doing student teaching in Buchanan was omitted from a news release received recently from Andrews University. It is that of Mrs. Kathleen Meyers, who is student teaching under Mrs. Francis Mitch in the first grade at Ottawa School.

Mrs. Meyers, who is originally from Canada, came to Buchanan last summer when her husband went to work at Electro-Voice following his graduation from the University of Utah. Before she actually began her student teaching, she gave her free time to help Mrs. Mitch as an aide in addition to attending her classes at Andrews. Both her parents are teachers in Canada in a small community in Alberta and she enjoys comparing the teaching methods used here and in Canada.

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BHS Symphony Band is one of many groups of students from all over the Buchanan School District who are presently preparing for Fine Arts Week May 4-10. They will be in the opening event Sunday afternoon at 3:30.

Indian Hills

By Mrs. Adolph Rychly
695-6839

Sausha Rene was born Monday, April 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Brad Batchelor. Grandparents of the new baby are Mrs. Wanda Sallsman of Niles, and Mr. and Mrs. George Batchelor of Buchanan. A rose in her honor was placed on the altar of the Oronoko Methodist Church last Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Mattern was hostess when the Oronoko Methodist United Women met on April 23 at the church. During the business meeting conducted by Mrs. William Conn final plans were made for the Rummage Sale to be held at the Buchanan Township Hall. The sale will be Wednesday, May 7 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. On Thursday, May 8 to be Bag Day when a large grocery sack may be filled for a dollar, the hours will be 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Volunteers are still needed for cleanup, after 1 p.m. on Thursday. Donations may be brought to the hall Tuesday, after 7:30 p.m. or early Wednesday. A donation was voted toward the fund to assist the Bill Blake family to return to Buchanan from their mission station in Brazil for a much needed rest. The program for the day was given by Mrs. John Russell and Mrs. Robert Gunn. The topic was Spiritual Growth and Self Denial. The May meeting will be hosted by Mrs. Leon McNally.

Arthur Stewart of Brooklyn, New York, is a visitor this week of his sister, Mrs. Fritz Dargus, and mother, Mrs. Clara Stewart. His daughter, Sandy, is currently attending Berrien Springs High School.

The Indian Hills School Community Club had their postponed April meeting on the 21st at the school. President Mrs. David Reitz presided when plans were started for the annual June family picnic and the end-of-the-year picnic for the children. Mrs. Conrad Larson is chairman of the children's picnic. Money was appropriated for the Red's Little League Baseball team, coached by Brad Batchelor. Also assisting with the program are Richard Hayden, Don Batchelor and Paul Dodson. Practices will be on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. The boys on the team are selling candy.

A nominating committee was appointed -- Mrs. Dale Weldy, Mrs. Gordon Loraff and Mrs. Reitz. Following the meeting the group joined the Buchanan School Board which was also meeting there that evening.

Piano Students To Give Recital

Judith Gault will present her piano students in their annual spring recital May 1 tonight at 6:30 in the Buchanan High School Vocal Room.

A special attraction of the evening will be a small combo of 3rd grade students from Stark school who will play two numbers. The group members all also piano students are Greg Ritter, piano; Thomas Gault, cornet; Jeff Bransford, trombone; and Paul Seager, drum.

This year the composer biographies are written by Carol Proud - Haydn, Sarah Gault - C. P. E. Bach, Greg Ritter - Clementi, Lisa Mahan - Mozart and Linda May - Kuhlau. Appearing with the beginning class of performers are Christine and Julie Mall, Karen Peterson, Betsy Radde, Mark Eger, Jeff Bransford, Kelly Klingeman, Jeff Smith, Joel Proud, Greg Ritter, Thomas Gault, Joanna Schumacker (hailes), Bienemann, James Nash and Ludas and Anna Bosque.

To appear in the intermediate class of performers are Susan Shreve, Kelly Hand, Amy Clarke, Carol Proud, Kay Eger and Lisa Luke.

Robert and Lisa Mahan, Sarah Gault and Linda May will make their appearances in the advance class.



The girls track team posed for the Record just before a meet with Brandywine last week. In the front row are Lauretha Watts, Martha Boyer, Debbie Tyus, Kelley Letcher, Mary Kay Welch, Lynda Kreager, Sue Trull and Laura Starnes. The second row has Lisa Swem, Diane Nelson, Brenda Nottl, Linda Mattson, Pat Dineen, Martha Rifenberg, Karen Virgil, Nancy Kingsbury and Dianne Mattern. In the back row are Diane Spalding, Jody Letcher, Karen Aalfe, Karen Bobo, Becky Canfield, Patience Vanderbush, Carmen Samples, Lynn Bobo, Coach Phyllis Enders and Teri Flenar.

Announce Roundup For Kindergarten

Kindergarten Roundup for Buchanan Community Schools will be Wednesday, May 14 in Moccasin School Gym where the children are to be registered between 1 and 3:15 as they arrive in alphabetical order as assigned.

Parents are asked to bring birth certificates at the time of registration. Bus rides will be provided for parents and children and activities planned for children while their parents register them.

Counseling for parents with questions or special concerns are available by contacting William Fischer at Stark School. Any parent unable to attend on this registration day may register in any elementary school office between May 15 and June 6.

Local Artist's Work Lauded

Mike Mitch, who is a graduate student at Western Michigan University, has done it again. For the second year in a row Mike has won the Best of Show at WMU and the university has again purchased his painting for their permanent art collection.

The Kalamazoo Gazette, in an article by their art critic, described Mike's large, baroque painting called 'Oriental Still-life as a profusion of color and pattern strewn over a tiled table top with bird cages, parsley, bowls and fruit reminiscent of Matisse.' The article on this year's WMU art students' show was accompanied by a picture of Mike's painting with a caption labeling it the "standout work in Western Michigan University Student Show."

Mike is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mitch of Chamberlain Road.

Clark Women's Club

Clark Professional Women's Club met April 16 at Franky's in Niles. Tom Tyler, president of Clark International Division presented a film and spoke about the scope of Clark's overseas operations and John Rastei, Employee Relations Manager, spoke on personnel policies overseas. Mrs. John Rastei was a guest and was presented a corsage by Mrs. Betty Berget, vice president, who presided over the meeting in the absence of the president Mrs. Gladys Cantfield.

The minutes were read by secretary, Mrs. Alice Weller, and the treasurer's report was given by treasurer, Mrs. Emily Coda. Mrs. Sandy Lolmaugh, program chairman announced that speakers for the May meeting would be from the Burns Center, Ann Arbor. The June meeting will include a tour of the CMD Division of Clark in Benton Harbor and in July the Niles YMCA will host the Clark Women for a tour of their facilities. Members are asked to bring suitable attire for exercise and swimming if they wish to participate in these activities during the evening.

Members were reminded of the applications for the scholarships to be presented to a son or daughter of one of the Clark Women's members. Door prizes were awarded to Mrs. Carol Knoll, Mrs. Alice Weller, Mrs. Barbara Bailey, Mrs. Mary Ann Anderson, Mrs. Esther Dickey and Mrs. Jackie McIntosh.

To Show Film

Monday evening, May 12, at 7:30 at the First Church of Christ, 2240 Yankee St., Niles, a film on Acupuncture will be shown.

All are invited to see it and learn more about a topic of growing interest.

Portage Prairie

By Mrs. William Shaw
695-6592

The Portage Prairie Home Study Club met Wednesday. After holding an election of new officers in the morning the group went to Mr. K's in Niles for lunch then touring Simplicity Pattern Company in the afternoon. The officers for the coming year will be Mrs. W.F. Frehammer as president, Mrs. Arthur Covault vice-president, Mrs. Heib Young as secretary with Mrs. E.J. Whitfield as treasurer. The May meeting will be at Bertrand Township Hall with Mrs. Whitfield as hostess.

The Comrade Class will meet Friday, May 2, for an 11:30 lunch at Azar's on US 31 North, South Bend. Following the dinner, members will go to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Cauffman for their meeting.

The Lyle Korns have returned home from a vacation in Florida. Mrs. Gayle Korn and daughter returned with them and will be visiting relatives and friends in the area for a few weeks before returning to their home in Florida.

The Friendship Club will meet Tuesday, May 4, for a dinner at the Carriage House, Adams and Orange Roads at 7 p.m. Michigan Time. Mrs. Ray Hullinger is in charge of the arrangements.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Bertrand Township Volunteer Fire Department had a dinner meeting on Thursday, April 24 at Franky's Restaurant in Niles. Thirteen members attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Baker and children spent Sunday in Valparaiso visiting relatives.

On Sunday afternoon, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eisele were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hess of Galien, Mrs. Mae Swartz of Buchanan, Mrs. Merritt Vite and Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Baker. The affair was in honor of Mr. Eisele's 89th birthday.

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American Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met last week with 23 present for a potluck dinner honoring the March and April birthdays. District president, Frances Green, was present for the evening as well as Frances Thompson Birthdays celebrated were those of Thelma Gorbitz, Anna Reed, Ruth Scott and Ricky Burger.

Thelma Gorbitz announced the date for the past commanders dinner had been changed from April 28 to May 12.

Ginger House reported on the Girls State Tea attended by delegate Laurie Nelson and alternate Shelley Leter, their mothers, Thelma Gorbitz and herself.

Elected as delegates to attend the district meeting in Sturgis were Margaret Samson and Anna Reed with Violet Swem as alternate.

The Mothers Day Tea will be May 19 at 6:30 p.m. with Margaret Samson in charge of arrangements.

Members voted to make a \$25 purchase for the Electric Light School in Niles.

Eula Stout was welcomed as a new member and the unseen girl was won by Irene Sprague.

The next meeting will be May 5 at 7:30 with Gladys Neese and Anna Reed to serve on the committee.

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Plant Trees To Observe Arbor Day

Arbor Day was observed by the Buchanan Garden Club with the sixth grade planting Dogwoods and Red Bud trees at Middle School. The science class of Miss Polly Donley had a lesson in horticulture and pruning the trees selected for the area near the school entrance. More Red Bud trees will be planted as a gift of the Buchanan Garden Club when the weather permits the grounds to be contoured as planned.

The class was also told the fourth week in April is Michigan Arbor Week and the fourth Friday in April is set aside nationally for observance.

Since District III of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan Inc. had its Annual Spring meeting in the Kalamazoo Nature Center with a Special Arbor Day Planting and program at the Arboretum on Friday the local observance was held last Thursday as a class project.

Members attending the District Meeting from the Buchanan Garden Club were Mrs. Walter Ross, president, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Kenneth Cooper, Mrs. William Nelson Sr., and Mrs. John Zeider.



Last Thursday in observance of Arbor Day Mrs. John Zeider (left) and Mrs. Walter Ross (far right) both from the Buchanan Garden Club, helped sixth grade students plant some redbud and dogwood trees in front of the new middle school. Before digging for the planting, the students received some planting tips and pruning instruction from Mrs. Zeider. On the far left is the teacher, Miss Pauline Donley.



Mr. and Mrs. James Hankerson were surprise guests of honor Saturday night at a dinner and "This Is Your Life" program at the New Good Hope Baptist Church arranged by the ladies of the church. A large crowd of family members and friends gathered for an evening that included special music and remembrances of their faithful service to the church and community.

Pictured with James and Lueanna Hankerson are (standing) their grandsons, Mark Hicks, Mike Hicks, John Hall and their daughter, Queen and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Hicks from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Seated with the honorees is another grandson, Rocco Hall.

Honor Couple In Special Program

James and Lueanna Hankerson, who were honored last Saturday in a surprise event, came to Michigan in 1944. Both are charter members of the New Good Hope Baptist Church where the dinner, attended by over 100, took place.

James was born in Augusta, Georgia, on April 27, 1911, and Mrs. Hankerson in Pineland, South Carolina on April 25, 1915. They were married July 6, 1935. He is retired from Clark Equipment Company.

He has served as deacon of New Good Hope for thirty years and as Sunday School superintendent for 18 years. He is also a trustee and a Sunday School teacher.

Mrs. Hankerson, president of the Mission Society and on the birthday committee in the Nurse's Guild, also serves as a counselor and member of the senior choir and works on the Mothers Board, the Deacons Wives and in the Sunday School. They are the parents of four children, Mrs. Wilmer Hicks, Mrs. John Hall, Willie James Hankerson and Chester Hankerson.

Pack 524 Meets

Cub Scout Pack 524 had its April meeting last week at Faith United Methodist Church.

Den 5 had the opening flag ceremony, followed by a uniform inspection with thirty cubs receiving 100 per cent.

Entertainment with audience participation was presented by Den 2.

Awards were presented to the boys earning them by Cubmaster Charles Kelley. Paul Cristy received his Wolf Badge and one gold and two silver arrow points. Bear Badges went to Cory McBain, Steve Sevensance, Robert Larson and Dean Davis with Cory McBain, Robert Larson and Dean Davis each receiving one gold arrow point. The boys plan to march May 26 in the Memorial Day Parade and will be notified later of the time and place to meet.

Pack 524 will participate in the Scout-A-Rama on May 17 at the Berrien County Fairgrounds and tickets may be purchased from any of the boys.

The Webelos retired the colors at the close of the evening.

Free Legal Help

In observance of Law Day on Thursday, May 1 (today) the attorneys of Buchanan are participating with the rest of the Berrien County Bar Association to dramatize the role of the lawyer. This year's theme for Law Day is "America's Goal - Justice Through Law".

On May 1 Buchanan attorneys will offer a free conference on any legal matter whatsoever to anybody in the area. People wanting to take advantage of this opportunity should call the lawyer of their choice for an appointment on May 1.

Women Of The Moose

The Women of the Moose met last week with 38 members present, as Hazel Barnhart received her cap and gown.

May 1, tonight, the Academy of Friendship will have a practice meeting at 7:30 at the lodge. A fashion show is planned for May 3 at 7:30 p.m. as an open meeting put on by the Academy of Friendship.

One new member and one transfer were voted on at the meeting and good of the order was won by Brenda Grahl. Door prize by Macel Hecker and attendance award went to Wanda Jesse.

Couples Golf League

Brookwood Golf Course announces registrations are being accepted for a Friday Night Couples League to start May 16. Those interested may call 695-2401 or register at the clubhouse.

Young Instrumentalists In May 7 Concert

Wednesday evening, May 7, the Buchanan Instrumental Department will bring the Fourth Grade Orchestra, Fifth Grade Orchestra, The Middle School Symphony Orchestra, and the Fifth Grade Band to the public's attention. This concert will be in the high school auditorium at 7:30.

The string portion of the program, under the direction of Mrs. Jannette Braaksma, offers a nice balance of serious and popular music compiled for the entire family to enjoy. Two familiar tunes, The Entertainer and Everything Is Beautiful, will be presented by the middle school Symphony Orchestra.

The band portion of the program will open with the 70 member Fifth Grade Band playing Forward March by Balent. They will follow with a spiritual, Go Down, Moses and First Waltz and Rock Explosion will be the closing number. Mrs. Corbin Deigen and Michael Morse are the Fifth Grade band directors.

1934 Names Missing

The SRA at Buchanan High School is doing some research to determine the names of all the valedictorians and salutatorians back to 1922.

At the present time the year 1934 is a stumbling block. The B.R.'s for that year do not seem to list these honored students anywhere. Does anyone remember who they were? If so, please call the Record office, 695-3877.

M. S. Bands In Concert Monday

The three Buchanan Middle School Bands will present their Fine Arts Festival concert this Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. The public is cordially invited to attend this free event.

The Sixth Grade Band, 57 strong will open the program with Ocala March by Kinyon followed by Erickson's Cathedral Songs of the Sea is a group of sailing songs arranged by Kinyon. Next will be Jazz in a Mellow Mood and the sixth graders will conclude their portion of the program playing Salute to Brahms.

Stateside March by Fote is the first selection of the 47 member Seventh Grade Band which will play A tone poem Stonehenge by Whitcomb will be followed by a beguine Tropical Scene composed by Osterling. Creole Suite by Kinyon and a rock tune Today Explosion written by Caruso will end their selections.

The Eighth Grade Band with 33 members will open its final middle school concert with Spirit A Plenty by Balent. Lethbridge Overture by Ployhar and the beautiful Celebrated Air by Bach follow. On the lighter side the band will play Scott Joplin Tribute arranged by Ward and conclude with The Wonderful Rock Machine by Cavavas.

The middle school bands are conducted by Mrs. Corbin Deigen.

Elementary Vocal Night Is Tuesday

Tuesday evening in the high school gym at 7:30 is another event of Buchanan's Musical Kaleidoscope.

On May 6 the grade school third, fourth and fifth grades will present their musical festival when words and music will once again fill the air with a reminder of things good and noble for all the children.

The music performed will include some in the form of spirituals, folk songs and popular numbers under the direction of Mrs. Mary Louise Soucek and Mrs. Jannette Braaksma with accompaniment provided by Mrs. Judy Earnst.

Other musical selections will have some fourth and fifth graders at Indian Hills and fourth graders from Ottawa, Stark and Mopocasin present square dances, directed by Phyllis Enders. All in all the evening promises a good show.

Receives Grant

Patricia Ritter Morris of Elk Grove Village, Illinois, has been awarded an educational grant from Delta Theta Tau sorority to further her education in the field of guidance and counseling during the 1975 fall semester at Northeastern Illinois University.

Patricia currently a student in the Graduate School of Guidance and Counseling was a 1953 graduate of Buchanan High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ritter of 198 East River Road, Route 1, Buchanan.

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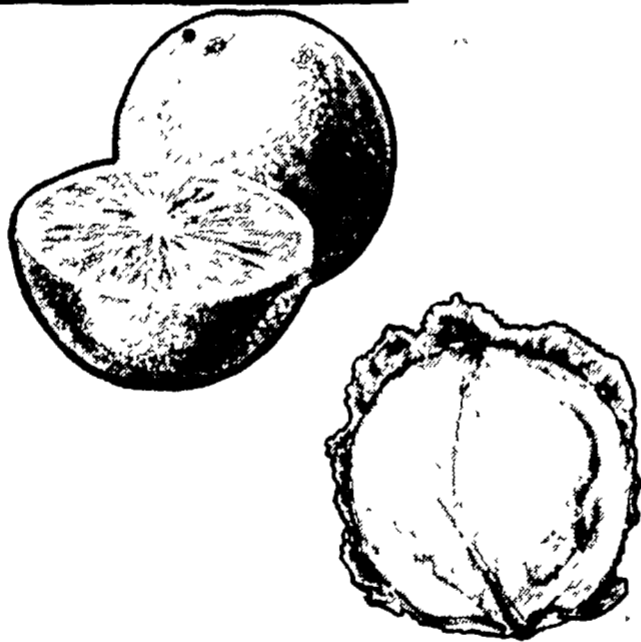
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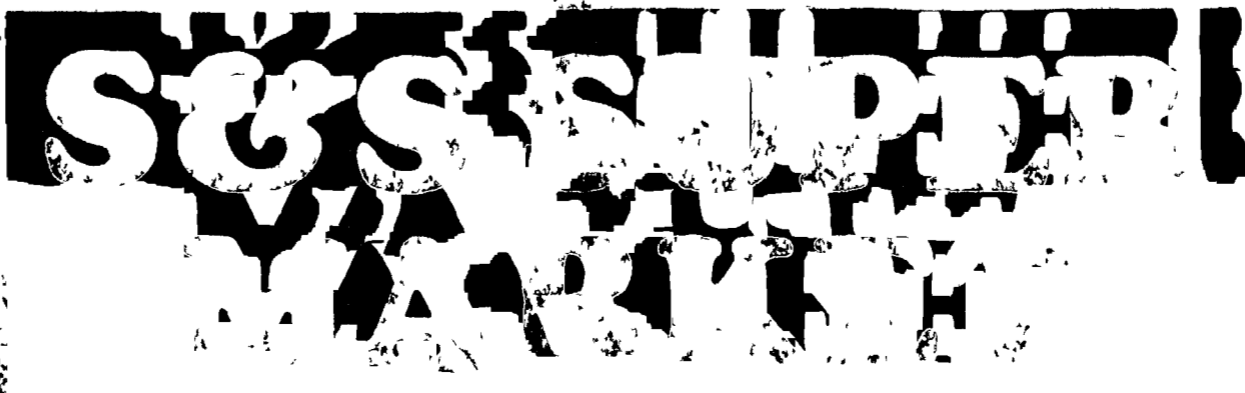
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Stitch & Chatter Club

Stitch and Chatter Club met Tuesday. The president, Ruth Nelson, conducted the meeting, opening with a prayer and roll call. A poem, "Test of Love," was read by the chaplain, Helen Mann, which led to the Lord's Prayer. The unseen gift was won by Helen Mann. Members played games and first prize went to Eula Stout, second to Hazel Huebner and third to Helen Mann.



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dumke of Box 51, Red Arrow Highway, Bridgman, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Ellen Sue to Terry Zebell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Zebell, 1578 Church Street, Baroda. The bride-elect, who is presently employed by Chicken Coop Bridgman, will graduate in June from Bridgman High School. A 1971 graduate of Lakeshore High School, her fiancé is employed by Orpurt's Inc., Buchanan. The couple is planning a fall wedding at the New Troy Grace Brethren Church.

St. Anthony Society

The Women's Society of St. Anthony Catholic Church will meet tonight, Thursday, at 6:30 for a potluck supper. The speaker for the evening will be Dr. R. J. Vastine Jr. who will discuss procedures to be used before help arrives at the time of heart attacks. Thursday mass was to be at 7 a.m.

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Stockman Asks For Newspaper Retraction

David Stockman, executive director of the Republican Conference of the U.S. House of Representatives, said that he was misquoted by the South Bend Tribune Sunday. He said he has not declared his candidacy for the 4th District congressional seat now held by Edward Hutchinson.

Stockman has been spending a great deal of time in the district, but his main function has been to try and keep people here informed as to what is going on in Washington. He has expressed concern over the heavy spending by the present Congress and fear over the federal deficit, which he says is increasing at an alarming rate.

Hutchinson, who beat Richard Dougherty last year, is in his seventh term and has been recognized as a strong vote-getter.

Stockman's present position requires him to help keep the small minority of Republicans informed on current and future legislation and to help plan floor strategy. In a phone call to the Record office, he said that he had asked the Tribune for a retraction of their story that he had declared his candidacy. He said that it was much too early to speculate on the 1976 Republican primaries.

Barbershoppers Garner Honors

The Niles-Buchanan Chapter of the Barbershop Harmony Society (S P E B S Q S A, Inc.) took honors at its District Spring Convention in Midland last weekend.

Scoring higher than any of the 31 chapters at the district level, the local Chapter received "Proletion Awards" recognizing its first place achievements at the district level and second place achievements in a field of 138 chapters of its size on the international level. The Chapter's "Gateway Chorus", under the direction of Dan Shelles, placed fifth among fourteen competing choruses. The "Motor City Chorus" of the Detroit No. 1 Chapter won the chorus competition.

The "Proletion Awards", presented before an audience of 3000, were based on overall chapter functioning and included recognition for chorus and quartet activities, membership growth and retention and community and charitable service. Bill Cramer is currently president, Bob Delmer, administrative vice president, Ron Neff, program vice president and Gene Hanover, secretary-treasurer.

Finishes Course

Staff Sergeant Stephen R. Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Hamilton, 204 Red Bud Trail S., Buchanan, completed the Army recruiting and career counseling course at the Adjutant General School at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. He is assigned to the U.S. Army recruiting station in Kalamazoo, Michigan.

Art On Display This Next Week

Elementary
The elementary art exhibit will be representative of class work done by students in grades 1 through 5 during this school year. Painting, drawing, printing and various three dimensional projects in paper and clay will be displayed. The exhibit will be open from 7-9:30 each night during Fine Arts Week in the High School Home Economics lecture room Mrs. Helen Jenkins is the elementary art teacher.

Middle School
Middle school art work in various media and materials will be on display the evenings of Thursday, May 8 and Saturday, May 10 in the Middle School art room and commons area, between the hours of 7:00 and 9:30 p.m. This part of Fine Arts Week is sponsored by Don Clark, Middle School art instructor.

High School
The High School art exhibit will be open each night in the Art Room, 170 in the High School. There will also be some ceramics in the two shoeboxes, one upstairs, just before leaving the main building toward the Art and Shop building. In forming the art objects from earth materials, we like to think the students are forming themselves.

There are many marvelous stories of potters in ancient China. In one of them a noble riding through a town passes a potter at work. He admires the pots the man is making — their grace and a kind of rude strength in them. He dismounts from his horse and speaks with the potter. "How are you able to form these vessels so that they possess such convincing beauty?" "Oh," answers the potter, "you are looking at the mere outward shape. What I am forming lies within. I am interested only in what remains after the pot has been broken."

Mrs. Shirley Roti Roti is the high school art teacher.

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Obituaries

Mrs. Rosa O. Dretzler

Services are planned for 1:30 this afternoon, Thursday, at Swem Chapel of Swem-Smith Funeral Homes for Mrs. Rosa O. Dretzler of 2222 East Main Street, Niles, who died April 28 at Berrien General Hospital following a four year illness.

A former Buchanan resident she came here in 1917 from Warsaw, Indiana. She was born March 9, 1885 in Burkett, Indiana.

Her husband, Elmer Dretzler, whom she married in 1906, predeceased her in 1957. She is survived by four sons and four daughters, Marshall, Max and Melvin (Pete) Dretzler, all of Buchanan and Marion Dretzler of Noblesville, Indiana, Mrs. Rex (Mildred) Rufenberg and Mrs. Lynn (Madra) Pennell, both of Buchanan, Mrs. Dale (Monabelle) Quick and Mrs. Dale (Mary) Wise of Niles. A brother, Guy Linn, of South Whitley, Indiana, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Drudge of Warsaw and Mrs. Hazel Feece of South Bend also survive as do twelve grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

Services will be conducted by Brother Joe R. Johnson of the First Church of Christ, Niles, and interment will be in Oak Ridge Cemetery.

John L. White

John L. White of Route 2, Clear Lake, died April 28 at Pawating Hospital Born March 26, 1895 in Rockton, Wisconsin, he came here five years ago from North Judson, Indiana. He was an accountant during World War I he served with the U.S. Army.

In Chicago on May 12, 1923, he married Eloise Sheehan, who survives as do two sons and a daughter, Donald J. White, Western Springs, Illinois, Leonard C. White, Muncie, Indiana and Mrs. Lester (Jean) Gill of Valdeco, Alaska. A brother and sister also survive, Rev. Howard White of Madison, Wisconsin and Mrs. Meadie Mattis, Industry, California and ten grandchildren.

He was a member of St. Anthony Catholic Church and the VFW in North Judson, Indiana.

Services will be conducted Thursday (today) at 11 a.m. at St. Anthony Catholic Church by Rev. Donald Atchison with burial in St. Jacobs Cemetery, North Judson, Indiana. Friends begin visiting at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Swem Chapel of Swem-Smith Funeral Homes where the rosary was read at 8:10 p.m.

John Edward Minder

Services were conducted Friday morning for John Edward Minder of 703 East Front Street who died at St. Joseph Memorial Hospital, South Bend, on April 22.

Born September 14, 1910, in Lincoln, Illinois, he served with the U.S. Army in World War II and resided here since 1944. He had retired recently from the Axel Division of Clark Equipment Company after thirty years.

His wife, the former Frances Frushand, whom he married in Buchanan December 28, 1971, survives, as well as a brother, Louis Minder of Peoria, Illinois.

Services were conducted at Swem Chapel of Swem-Smith Funeral Homes by Rev. Donald Atchison of St. Anthony Catholic Church. Cremation followed at Riverview Cemetery, South Bend.



Mrs. Pat Stockwell and Mr. Plummer from Eby's Pines explain an area map to Karen Beck and Ed Moten as part of the program on the history of Michigan which was given to the Buchanan fourth grades.

John M. Hemminger

John M. Hemminger of 1785 Bakertown Road died last Friday morning at his home Born in New Troy on January 31, 1897, he resided in the area all his lifetime. During World War I he had served with the U.S. Navy, and in 1960 he retired from Electro-Voice. He was a member of St. Anthony Catholic Church and of the Knights of Columbus, Niles.

On May 10, 1919, in Chicago, he married the former Sarah Ann Messer, who survives, as do four sons and one daughter, Jack Hemminger and James Hemminger, both of Buchanan; Mrs. Robert L. (Rita) Murphy of Battle Creek, Bernard Hemminger of Sterling, Illinois, and Gail Hemminger, Newport, Tennessee. Other survivors are a brother, William Hemminger of Sterling, Illinois, 25 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Services were conducted Monday at 10 a.m. at St. Anthony Catholic Church by Rev. Donald Atchison and burial was in Oak Ridge Cemetery. The rosary was recited Sunday night at Swem Chapel of Swem-Smith Funeral Homes.

Speaks At District

Mrs. John Zeider, Junior Garden Chairman for the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan, Inc., spoke at District III Annual Spring Meeting at the Kalamazoo Nature Center on Arbor Day on "The ease of forming a Junior Garden Club under the guidelines of the National Council of State Garden Clubs."

Her talk stressed that only six children holding five meetings a year can be the nucleus of a federated club enjoying the benefits of state, central regional and national council benefits. The club must, however, have sponsorship of a state federated club and feature planned programs on horticulture, conservation, nature study, artistic design, and flower show participation or practice. Mrs. Zeider told of the four junior clubs and the intermediate garden club being sponsored by the Buchanan Garden Club.

Brownie News

On Monday Brownie Troop 216 had its investiture followed by a Candlelight Court of Awards.

After the flag ceremony with Susan Boyer, Angie Cole, Kelly Myers, Shannon Ferrell and Jerita Payne as the color guard, Lisa Moodie and Sheri Murdock were invested and given Brownie pins.

Conducting the Court of Awards were Rhonda Bicar, Nancy Brown, Corina Burch and Yvonne Deeds. At this time Mrs. Burch presented the Be A Helper Patch to Cassie Lear, Lisa Moodie, Tina Rouse, Stephanie Casto, Lynn Smedley, Laurie Thompson, Tracy Carpenter, Bonnie Hall, Shannon Ferrell, Betsy Radde, Kristen Johnson and Dawn Wodrich.

The Be A Friendmaker Patch was presented to Corina Burch, Yvonne Deeds, Angie Cole, Nancy Brown and Jackie Clemans by Mrs. Deeds.

The meeting ended with games and refreshments.

Buchanan Book Club

The Buchanan Book Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. Frederick Stout on Terre Coupe Road. Mrs. Trace Christenson Jr. reviewed a book about home-steading by Jay O. Longford entitled Big Bend.

The next meeting will be May 12 at the Diamond Lake home of Mrs. Ronald Bolster.

Receives Degree

Mr. and Mrs. Don Shafer of Berrien Springs attended spring commencement last Saturday at Western Michigan University. Their son, Gerald Shafer, was among the graduates, receiving his Bachelor of Science Degree in mechanical engineering.

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Monday was a cold and windy day for tennis but the weather didn't keep the team from practicing hard. In the front are Dave Gault, Mike Mefford, Becky Gray, Kurt Smith, Mike Moon and Jim Savoie. Standing are Jim Fragras, Andy Wood, Tim Sullivan, Marc Harrison, Jeff Hamman and Coach Roger Relich. Missing at time of the picture were team members Chris Glosson, Joe Marazita and John Kriedler

Buchanan Nine Is Still A Contender

Buchanan's baseball team is one of four Blossomland nines tied for first place as the Conference race enters its second go-round this week. Joining the Bucks in the logjam at the top are Brandywine, Coloma and River Valley. All four squads stand 4-2 in league competition, following a week in which all contenders played three games.

A 1-0 loss to River Valley on Saturday prevented the Bucks from having the top spot all to themselves. The pitching and defense, especially the left side of the Buck infield manned by Tom Smith and Dean Kreager, have continued to be strong. The inconsistent attack remains a matter of concern, however.

The highlight of the week was the thrilling 4-3 last inning victory over Brandywine in a game played Friday in Bucktown. This was the end of a long Buchanan losing streak to the Bobcats. Coach Bill Goodman had failed to win in seven attempts against Brandywine, and the victory, climaxed by a clutch single by Rob Heiney, was one to remember.

Actually the Bucks were 3-1 for the calendar week, including Monday's victory over St. Joe, which was reported in last week's Record. This left their overall record at 7-8.

A summary of last week's action follows:
Buchanan 4
Edwardsburg 0

The Bucks scored three runs in the second inning to put the Eddies away early. After John Donley was hit by a pitch, Walt Vanderbush doubled, Tom Smith walked, and Ron Heiney doubled. Singles by Donley and Bob Scroggins were good for the winners' fourth run. Vanderbush pitched six shutout innings to gain his third consecutive league victory, striking out eleven while giving up only three hits. When Walt sustained a minor injury to his pitching hand, Bryan Virgil relieved and preserved the shutout.

Buch 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 4-5-2
 Eddies 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4-1
 WP W Vanderbush (3-1) LP Correll, 2B W Vanderbush, Heiney

Buchanan 4
Brandywine 1

The Bobcats struck first with two runs in the opening inning, but the Bucks battled back to win on Rob Heiney's seventh inning single, driving home Tom Smith with the winning run. Smith had singled to open the frame, for his second hit of the game. He and Walt Vanderbush each scored two runs for the winners. Gary Jones doubled in the fourth to score Vanderbush and Smith and give the Bucks a short 3-2 lead. The Bobcats tied the game in the sixth, paving the way for Heiney's heroics. Hugh Heermann was credited with the victory for his scoreless seventh inning relief job. Bryan Virgil

had pitched the first six frames for Buchanan.
 Bucks 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 4-7-4
 Bobcats 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 3-7-1

River Valley 1
Buchanan 0

An unearned run in the first inning was fatal to the Bucks in a heart thumper played at the winners' field. A two base error, followed by one of the two Mustang hits off Walt Vanderbush was responsible for the River Valley score in the first inning. Buchanan had one base-runner in each inning five of them reaching scoring position, but were unable to produce a run against Mustang ace, Steve Renhach. Vanderbush walked two in his two hit performance, while Renhach scattered five hits and walked one.

Bucks 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-5-2
 R.V. 1 0 0 0 0 0 X 1-2-2
 WP Renhach LP W Vanderbush (3-2)

Blossomland Conference
Standings

Buchanan	4-2
River Valley	4-2
Brandywine	4-2
Coloma	4-2
Cassopolis	2-4
Lakeshore	2-4
Edwardsburg	1-5

Buchanan Team Leaders

Batting Average	Gary Jones 308
Hits	Mark Jackson 12
Runs	W Vanderbush 10
RBI's	Gary Jones 7
Stolen Bases	W Vanderbush 10
Walks	W Vanderbush 11
Doubles	Walt Vanderbush 3
Triples	Kevin Vanderbush 2
Home Runs	Donley, W Vanderbush 1

Pitching
 E R A Hugh Heermann 0 79
 Wins Walt Vanderbush 3

This Week's Schedule
 Tuesday at Coloma
 Thursday Lakeshore
 Saturday (2) at Cassopolis

Horse Show This Weekend

This weekend Buchanan West-erners are having their Spring Horse Show Saturday and Sunday at the club grounds on Mead Road starting at 9 a.m. each day. Saturday will be the Open Show in Ring 1 with a total of 43 events scheduled awarding first place trophies and six place ribbons. Judge will be Carole Dunbar. In Ring 2 on Saturday the A Q H A Show will take place with William Stalcup as judge for the thirty classes including youth activity ones. Sunday is to be the M A W H C Show with William Stalcup judging. At noon break 220 and 330 races will be run. Donation is \$1 per vehicle.

Offer Adult Tennis Lessons

Buchanan Community Education will offer Instructional Adult Summer Tennis Lessons starting Thursday, May 15. The course will be taught by Steve Lawrence whose name is well known in Buchanan tennis circles from the city tournament three years ago.

Two sessions will be offered -- 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. and 7:30 - 8:30 p.m., providing good brush-up for league play.

Register by calling 695-2771 ext 37 for the course to run eight weeks. The fee is \$10.

Bucks Lose Two

Last week the track team lost to Dowagiac 73 to 50 and to Three Rivers 81 to 42, but there were some good individual performances. In the first match, Don Holmes pole vaulted 10 feet, and Dave Mosier was second at 9'6". In the Three Rivers match, the two were reversed and it was Mosier who made 10 feet.

Rich Humphrey came in second against Dowagiac in the high jump but won against Three Rivers at 5'6".

Don Fields won the shot put against Dowagiac but came in second against Three Rivers. Rich Humphrey won the 880 in both meets. Don Field won the 120 high hurdles against Dowagiac at 19.3. Bob Luke took the 100 yard dash against Three Rivers at 11 flat and won the 220 yard dash at 24.6.

Bowling

Tuesday Night Owls

Standings	Won	Lost
Nettie's Cafe	81	43
Herb's	74	50
Lakeview Lounge	70	54
Carbon's	65	59
Buch Police Assoc	62	62
Poorman's Rec	53	71
Red Bud Cleaners	37 1/2	86 1/2
Team No 5	2	14

High Games J Shaner 488-181, K Thomas 469-174, N Dokey 438-190, N Mori 384-144, C Carol 420-153, Y Carrigan 435-171, A Walford 400-143 R Thompson 405-142 M Leiter 442-157, N Lakin 444-166, B Davidson 427-151

Thursday Night Ladies
 April 20, 1975

Standings	Won	Lost
Wisner-Beck	66 1/2	32
Bunglow Inn	66	49
Poorman's Rec	69	59
Reed's	69	59
Falo's	68	60
Gay Hose	48	80
Clark Credit Union	47	81
Carpenter Fuel Oil	36	92

High Games C Kurty 189, B Good 186, E Mark 180, J Rotzien 177, P Gresham 170, E Williams 168, D Zebell 167, F Barlett 163. **High Series** B Good 475, E Mark 468, F Barlett 457, J Rotzien 443, R Strefling 432, D Zebell 423, W Williams 420, A Barnes 420.

Tennis Team Wins Four In A Row

Last week, the Buchanan tennis team won four straight matches to make their record 6 and 3.

On Monday, the Bucks beat Edwardsburg 6 to 1 on their home court. Joe Marazita won his match 6-2, 6-2. Marc Harrison was an easy singles winner 6-0, 6-2 and Andy Wood had to play three sets to win. His score was 2-6, 6-2, 7-6. Doubles winners were Jim Fragras and Kurt Smith 6-4, 6-4 and Tim Sullivan and Mike Moon 6-2, 6-3.

Last Wednesday the team beat Paw Paw 6 to 1. Joe Marazita, Marc Harrison, Jim Fragras and Kurt Smith all won their matches, and the doubles teams of Tim Sullivan and Mike Moon and Becky Gray and Andy Wood won.

It was Marazita, Harrison, Fragras and Smith again in the singles to defeat Coloma 6 to 1. Mike Moon and Tim Sullivan won their doubles match 2-6, 6-1,

6-4, and Mike Mefford and John Kriedler won 6-2, 6-2.

It was closer against Brandywine. Coach Relich decided to shuffle his lineup to give some alternates some game experience. With only one match to go, it was even at 3 all. Becky Gray put the match away with a clutch performance 406, 6-3, 6-0. Joe Marazita had won 6-0, 6-2, Jim Fragras and Marc Harrison and Andy Wood and Jeff Hamman won their doubles matches.

Both Joe Marazita and Marc Harrison are 7-2 for the season as is freshman Jim Fragras. Fragras exhibited a great deal of potential when he beat highly touted Jim Newby of Three Rivers. The Bucks have a strong group of sophomores in Mike Moon, Kurt Smith and Becky Gray. Jeff Hamman is a sophomore and Dave Gault and Chris Glosson are freshmen. The juniors include Andy Wood, John Kriedler and Jim Savoie.

Men's Friday Fours
 April 25, 1975

FINAL Standings	Won	Lost
Strohs	307 1/2	202 1/2
Hammer & Saw	278 1/2	231 1/2
Midwest Tank	278	232
Pabst	272	238
True Value	252 1/2	257 1/2
Herbs Place	247 1/2	262 1/2
Timber Lanes	239 1/2	270 1/2
Hamm's	232 1/2	277 1/2
Fabianos	228 1/2	281 1/2
Poorman's Rec	247 1/2	262 1/2

High Games: A J Pahya 223-586, J Grande 188-530, J Hoebeck 176-492, N Luhrsens 192-500, R Furner 199-555, S Miller 182-533, D Hanback 223-504, F Thompson 225-598, W Leeke 188-535, N Weaver 150-389, J J Slezak 223, L Padgett 201.

Strohs 13 - Hammer & Saw 2, Midwest 8 pts - Pabst 7, True Value 10 - Herb's Place 5, Timber Lanes 8 1/2 - Fabianos 6 1/2, Hamm's 12 - Poorman's 3.

Ladies
 April 21, 1975

Standings	Won	Lost
4 Lanah Leach	82	42
5 Bea Good	73	51
3 Bonnie Cauffman	65	59
7 Jean Rickerman	62	62
1 Audrey Hayden	60 1/2	63 1/2
8 Sally Dehring	60 1/2	63 1/2
6 Sharon Hand	57	67
2 Ellen Bradford	54	70
10 Beverley Mottl	54 1/2	69 1/2
9 Jane Moulds	51 1/2	72 1/2

High Games: Marian McNeely 200, Anna Bumstead 192, Freida Barker 186, Dean Steinger 183, Jean Rickerman 179, Bea Good 178, Caroline Flanagan 178, Joy Vergon 166, Jane Moulds 156, Lanah Leach 156. **Team Six 4 - Team Eight 0 - Susie Babbett 436, Team Four 3 - Team Seven 1 - Freida Barker 521, Team Ten 3 - Team Two 1 - Joy Vergon 427, Team Three 2 - Team Five 2 - Anna Bumstead 507, Team Nine 4 - Team One 0 - Jane Moulds 438.**

Gets I Rating

The Galien Junior High Concert Band received a first division rating last Saturday at the M'S B.O.A. State Festival at Bridgman. Director of the band is Gene Kinghorn.

The dictionary seems to be the only place where achievement and success comes before work.

Prom This Saturday

The Junior-Senior Prom for Galien High School students and their guests will be this Saturday evening at Win Schuler's, Stevensville. "Fantasy Under the Sea" is the theme.

Mrs Kay Longacre is advisor in charge with Janice Powell, Missy Klingerman, Linda Payne, Donald Kooy, Tom Schunske, Janet Wright, Sharon Geik and Kathy DeForest on the committee.

Spring Concert To Be May 4

The Galien Senior High Band will present its Spring Concert this Sunday at 3 p.m. in the gym.

The program will include Kennington Overture by Paul Whear, Block M by Jerry Bilk, Festivo by Vaclav Nehybel, Highlights from On A Clear Day, arranged by Bennett, El Festivo by Ployhar, and Stars and Stripes Forever by John Philip Sousa.

The public is invited to attend. Gene Kinghorn is the director of the band.

Honored At Shower

A baby shower was held recently for Tayna Lee Mabry, daughter of Mr and Mrs Larry Mabry in the home of Mrs Jerry Heim. Mrs Jack Wolkin and Mrs Terry Dalrumple assisted Mrs Heim.

Sixteen guests attended and prizes were won by Mrs Orville Welbaum, Mrs Jack Payne and Mrs Frances Wright.

Banquet May 3 For Mothers And Daughters

The annual Mother-Daughter Salad Banquet at the Olive Branch United Methodist church will be Saturday evening, May 3 at 6:30.

Planned on the theme School Days, the arrangements are being made by Mrs Jerry Lutz and her committees -- menu, Mrs Lloyd Burns, program, Mrs Arthur Stineback, decorations, Mrs. Ralph Smith, tables, Mrs. Clarence Murdock and tickets, Mrs Jerry Lutz. A skit on "School Days" will be give for the program.

Senior Citizens To Meet

The Galien Senior Citizens will meet at the high school Saturday at 11:30 p.m. with Mrs Marie Renbarger, Mrs Marie Lutz and Mrs. Mabel Frame on the committee.

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The Webelos of Pack 524 gather behind one of four Norway spruce they planted last Saturday at Buchanan Middle School. In the front row are Donald Ruff, John Davis, Jody Frost, Carl Wodrich and Kent Stroud. The second row of Webelos has Ken Noland, Jim Scoggin, Larry Hayden, Jonathon Arend and Ralph Skinner. Adults in back are Les Wodrich, superintendent Richard Dougherty, middle school principal Richard Proud, assistant leader Clare W. Davis and Webelos leader Robert Dulin. Missing from the picture is Webelos Kirt Dehring.

Webelos Have A Community Project

On Saturday, April 24, the Webelos of Pack 524, under the leadership of their leader Bob Dulin, assistant leader, Clare W. Davis and helper Les Wodrich, planted four Norway spruce at the Middle School. It is to be the boys' responsibility to see that they are watered and taken care of each week. Each boy present earned credit toward his activity badges in Forestry and Citizenship. The four Norway spruce planted were donated by the Clare W. Davis family. Present for the acceptance of the trees were Richard Dougherty, school superintendent of schools and Richard Proud, middle school principal.

Some Special Fine Arts Week Exhibits

Industrial Arts
Throughout Fine Arts Week the Buchanan High School exhibit of woodshop and foundry projects will be held in room 106 of the High School. Displays will include tables, checkerboards, gunracks and various castings, all of which have been made by students in the ninth through twelfth grades. Richard Chubb will be in charge of this display.

Home Economics
Middle School
Middle School home economics projects will be displayed in the showcase in the commons area of the Middle School on Thursday, May 8 and Saturday, May 10, between 7 and 9:30 p.m. Mrs. Linda Edquid is the teacher displaying these clothing projects.

High School
Mrs. Rosemary Shoemaker will be showing various garments and projects the high school home economics classes have made during the past semester at the Fine Arts Festival. All garments will be in the Home Economics room each evening from 7:00-9:30.

Announce Dates Of CANAMER Events

Dates for the 7th Annual Berrien County Olympian Finals are announced by Bill Wallis, President of Berrien County Olympian and CANAMER Games, Inc. Young people from all of Berrien County, ages 9 thru 18, will be competing in Olympian Week Finals, July 18 thru 26 at locations throughout the county. These young athletes should be sharpening their skills in the 15 different sport areas, looking forward to the Olympian Week, during which 500 will be chosen to represent Berrien County in CANAMER competition in Brantford, Ontario, Canada, August 8 to 10. Coed sports this year are Tennis, Golf, Swimming, Diving, Track and Field, and Chess. Table Tennis (Ping Pong) and Bowling are also coed, but will be limited to Olympian competition this year. Girl's sports are Basketball, Volleyball, Gymnastics and Softball. Boy's sports are Soccer, Wrestling and Basketball. Young people wishing to participate in one of these areas are encouraged to contact Berrien County Olympian and CANAMER office in Benton Harbor for location of nearest practice sessions. Forms for participation are available at the same office, thru schools and at area sporting goods retailers. These forms should be filled out and returned to this office as soon as possible. Berrien County Olympian and CANAMER Games, Inc., a non-profit organization, is funded thru contributions of individuals, organizations, business and industry. Volunteers are relied upon to provide much of the manpower to work with the more than 5,000 young people expected to participate.

Fernwood Activities

Heading this next week's activities is the second special event of Fernwood's 1975 season, the Mother's Day Choral Concert, May 11. Beginning at 3 p.m. in the Meeting House, the "Contemplos", under the direction of Walter Ginter, will present a program of varied secular music - listing Brahms, Thompson, Copland, Debussy, and Cole Porter among the various composers. This year's concert promises to be the seasonal high point as in years past. With talented, dedicated singers, a popular and successful director, and accompanists Doris Blackmun and Joyce Simons at the piano, everyone will be in for a musical treat. Plan to arrive early; seating is limited and the usual large turnout may leave standing room only. And to round out a perfect Mother's Day afternoon, this is the time for a walk through the grounds to enjoy spring flowers bursting with late spring blooms. This event is free to members and a small charge will be taken for non-members. Monday, May 5, at 7 p.m., Fernwood Naturalist, Don Harker, will have the first session of the Beginning Photography class. An excellent nature photographer, Don will work with beginning students of photography as well as those who might feel a basic review is necessary. How to use camera equipment and field experience are the areas of emphasis. Those who are registered or would like to, are asked to bring their own 35mm single lens reflex camera. Fernwood's dark room will also be available to members of the class with instruction on how to use a darkroom included. There are still a number of openings for this class. Call soon. Pattern Weaving with Barbara Wittenberg begins Tuesday, May 6 and will meet for three consecutive days from 9:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. Many will remember Barbara's class in Frame Loom Weaving given last year, a favorite with area weavers. Those fortunate enough to hold a place in this year's class will explore new techniques in pattern weaving. Working with one design pattern, students will learn to control pattern blocks individually. And, a creative approach to pattern enlargement by re-threading from the back of the loom will be explored. Students may expect to weave a wall hanging, pillow, or purse using their newly acquired skills. Only a few places remain open in pattern weaving. If you are interested and can supply your own loom, don't hesitate to sign up now. The silver jewelry class is well underway, with Katherine Willard teaching on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Members of this class are learning the various processes of making their own jewelry from copper, brass and silver. Birdwatching can still be a part of your routine through May every Saturday and Sunday morning weekly at 7:30 a.m.

Golden Age Club

The Golden Age Club met recently with 38 members and one guest present. Phi Chi Epsilon furnished a large cake and ice cream to celebrate the April birthdays. A bus tour is planned for May 17 to the tulip festival in Holland. For reservations call Mrs. Robert Burch 683-1245. The next meeting will be May 9.

Weather

The temperature and precipitation as recorded at the city weather station

Date	Precip	High	Low
April 22	0.06	60	39
April 23	0.38	64	48
April 24	0.5	55	41
April 25	trace	54	37
April 26		62	33
April 27	.87	48	38
April 28	.49	47	37

Miss Buchanan To Receive City Key

The Blossomtime Key to the Cities Tour will be the week of May 5 and Buchanan is to be visited on Thursday May 8 at 10:45. Miss Buchanan Brenda Kyles, will receive the key to the city in a ceremony at a location still to be announced.

Ask
Senator
GRIFFIN



By cutting through red tape, members of Congress can often lend a hand to those with problems involving the federal government. Through the columns of this newspaper, Senator Griffin answers questions of general interest. He will respond personally to all communications addressed to Senator Robert P. Griffin, Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510.

Recently I heard that the National Gallery of Art in Washington will loan films, slides and recorded lectures about art to schools and other organizations. As a teacher, I think that's a marvelous idea. Is this service free, and will they send materials all the way up here to the Soo?
—L. M., Sault Ste. Marie

The National Gallery will provide such materials free-of-charge to qualified schools and organizations anywhere in the U.S. The only expense involved would be the cost of return postage and mailing insurance. You can obtain a free catalog describing the various films, slide programs and slide sets that are available by writing to the Extension Service, National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C. 20565.

I'm over 60—I won't say how much! But I still want to do something worthwhile with my life. Trouble is, once you retire and your family grows up, you don't feel very useful anymore. I understand the Government promotes a Foster-Grandparent program. What can you tell me about it?
—E. D., Wayne

The Foster-Grandparent program enlists the help of senior citizens like yourself in caring for children who need a special measure of attention and love. For a few hours a day, five days a week, the Foster-Grandparent visits two children, many of whom are in hospitals, correctional institutions or homes for the retarded. You won't get much money for doing it—\$1.60 an hour, lunch and transportation expenses—but what really makes the program worthwhile is an extra dividend called "love". To find out how you can join, write or call Rita Katzman, Director, Detroit Foster-Grandparent Program, 9851 Hamilton Avenue, Detroit 48202, (313) 883-2100. She'll be happy to tell you all about the programs in Wayne and other counties in Michigan.



Eighth grader Joann Sears was the winner in the competition among middle school art students to design the cover for the Fine Arts Week program and her collage of fine arts impressions will be on the front.

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Births

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April 28 Mr and Mrs. Arthur Granzow, Rt 1 Three Oaks, a daughter Rashel Ann, 7 lbs., 11 1/2 ozs.
Berrien County Extension Events
May 3 Southwest Michigan Regional T E A M - La Grange, Indiana
May 5 Berrien County Youth Fair Board Meeting - 7:30 p.m. Youth Memorial Building, Berrien Springs
May 6 4-H Horse Leaders Meeting - 7:30 p.m. The Grill Niles-Buchanan Road
May 10. BLOSSOM PARADE DAY!!
May 16 Area IV Home Economics Council Meeting - 10 a.m. South Haven
May 16 4-H Talent Show - 7:30-10 p.m. Berrien Springs High School

Hospital Notes

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April 22 Claude Bates, Rt 1, Clara Lang, Union Pier, Jeanette Patrick, 607 N Red Bud, George Davis, Niles, Ruth Stough, 4370 U S 12 West, Elizabeth Canniff, Dowagiac
April 23 Benjamin Manuel, Niles, Marie Hawks, Dowagiac, Leo Larue, Niles, William Woodward, 4310 Chamberlain, Leona Rudlaff, Niles, Pascual Sanchez, Niles, Harold Gargus, Bloomingdale, Janice Dubar, Milburg, Pamela Banshan, Benton Harbor.
April 24 Bernice Van Meter, New Carlisle, Berneth Jaynes, Niles, Carol Sheldon, New Troy
April 25 Betty Bradshaw, 902 N Redbud Tr, Edith Standary, 125 W Alexander, L D Cheney, Berrien Springs
April 26 Cyril Klepac, Galien, Walter Cannon, 126 Arctic
April 27 Lorene Holsapple, 205 Main, David Daugherty, Benton Harbor, Willard Daisy, Benton Harbor, Dawn Hill, Niles, May Brand, Niles, Mario Garza, Union Pier
April 28 Jeanette Patrick, 607 N Redbud Tr, Nancy Henry, Three Oaks, Clarence Kittleson, Sawyer, Mildred Hanover, Main St Rd

Pawating Hospital Admitted
April 22 Mrs. Dale Opfer, Rt 1 Box 347, Mead Rd; Mrs. James Hearington, Rt 1, Box 411, Mrs. Robert Tate, 702 1/2 Days Ave, Ronald Terpening, Rt 1 Box 533A, Three Oaks
April 23 Miss Cathy Smith, 108 Moccasin, John Lingle, Rt 2 Box 144, John White, Rt 2, Box 741, Clear Lake, Mrs Raymond Cain, Rt. 1, Box 35A, Galien
April 24 Mrs. Frank Santos, Rt 1 Box 501, Henry Teichman, Rt 1 Box 1061, Mrs. James Rundborg, 306 E Smith, Mrs. Carl Ostrander, Rt 2 Box 874
April 25 William Baker, 507 N Michigan, Mrs. Louie Bruno Sr., 507 Arctic
April 26 Mrs. John Clark, Box 409 B Rt 1, Galien
April 27 Ellen Rushford, 1950 S Redbud Trail, Niles, Mrs. Fred Britton, Rt 2, Reginald Hren, 216 Erie Dr, Mrs. Kenneth Dunker, 705 Redbud, Michael Shepherd, 418 Arctic.
April 28 Mrs. Warren A Swartz 1738 Niles-Buchanan Rd, Niles

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April 22 Ulla Allen, Niles, James Morley Jr., 2870 Oak Forest Rd, Walter Cannon, 126 Arctic
April 23 Midge Mayer, Union Pier, Gerald Nosker, Niles
April 24 Pascual Sanchez, Niles, Scott Shelton, Rt 2, Corbit Perkey, Niles, Vernon Smith, Three Oaks, Mealie Jackson, Niles
April 25 Elizabeth Canniff, Dowagiac, Janie Kettler Rt 1, Galien, Mary Bogart, Hartford Hanover, Main St Rd, Carol Ann Sheldon, New Troy, Bobbie Lorraine Bandy, Niles, Claude Bates, Rt 1 Box 574, George Davis, Niles
April 27 Leo LaRue, Niles, Clara Lange, Union Pier, Laura Erwin, 214 Howe Lane, Benjamin Manuel, Niles, Harold Gargus, Bloomingdale, Vivian A Robinson, 806 Victory St, Marie Hawks, Dowagiac
April 28 Pamela Blanshan, Benton Harbor, Helen Wiers, Niles, Barbara Arnold, 210

April 22 Ryan Wayne Rose, 2510 Oak Forest Rd, Heather Lee Ferris, Miller Rd, Miss Florence Olson, Rt 2 Box 711, Mrs. Donald Longworth, 308 Moccasin
April 23 Mrs. Maxine Pollatz, 120 N Cleveland, Galien, Mrs. Andrew Anderson, 811 Rynearson Ct Apt 6, Mrs. Geneva A White, Apt 53, 1380 Leisure Ln, Lee Roy Nunley, 105 E. Smith
April 24 Mrs. James R Hearington, Rt 1 Box 411, Edward Rohl, 1124 Chippewa, Edward Thomas Vigansky, 409 Chippewa, Mrs. Brad Batchelor and daughter, 119 W 5th, Mrs. Belle Florey, 319 Lake St
April 25 Mrs. Warren L Weaver, 306 McComber, Ronald Terpening, Rt 1 Box 533A, Three Oaks
April 26 Cathy Eileen Smith, 108 Moccasin, Henry Teichman, Rt 1 Box 1061, Mrs. Robert Tate and son 702 1/2 Days Ave
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Pick Annual Flowers To Suit Location

What's your excuse for not growing flowers poor soil, too much shade, too much moisture, too little water? Whatever it is, don't let it stop you one more summer.

"There are annual flowers suited to every sort of growing condition," says J. Lee Taylor, extension horticulture specialist at Michigan State University. "Even people who are sure they have no green thumb at all can grow beautiful flowers if they pick those suited to the spot they'll have to grow in."

Beginners can build up their confidence with ageratum, cosmos, cockscomb, petunia, portulaca, sweet alyssum, marigold and zinnia, Taylor suggests. Planted where they will get plenty of light and watered once a week or so, they will produce a riot of colorful blossoms.

Poor soil is no obstacle to growing flowers if you choose balsam, calliopsis, cockscomb, cosmos, cornflower, moss verbena, four o'clock, morning glory, nasturtium, poppies, portulaca, spider flower or sweet alyssum, according to Taylor. Hot, dry conditions are just the thing for annual phlox, baby's breath, California poppy, calliopsis, cape marigold, zinnia, cockscomb, cornflower, poppy, four o'clock, portulaca, sand verbena, spider flower, statice and sunflowers.

A moist, cool spot will burst into color with annual Canterbury bells, annual pinks, blue woodruff, candytuft, flowering tobacco, forget-me-not, pot marigold, sweet pea, verbena and wishbone flower.

Shade or sun, it's all the same to balsam, forget-me-not, periwinkle, fibrous-rooted begonia, pansy and sweet alyssum.

Michigan Mirror

By Elmer E. White

A Fresh Start

Don't just give Michigan's state departments what they're already getting -- plus a percentage. Start from zero and work up to complete a workable budget.

That's what new House Speaker Bobby Crim, D-Davison, advocates for the coming fiscal year.

The "zero budget" concept is a far cry from current practices, which involve planning for built-in increases because of inflation as well as additions for new programs.

The proposed new procedure, Crim says, "would guarantee that no state department or branch of government would automatically be funded at a level about what it received during the last fiscal year -- nor that its proposed new programs will be accepted without question."

"It's not too hard to believe there are some programs in state departments which are unproductive," Crim says. "What we want to do is make them justify each and every program."

A demand for quarterly reports to the legislature -- detailing how what money is working in which program -- would go along with the zero-budget idea.

Wouldn't that cost extra money, in terms of department time and personnel? Crim says it shouldn't, that providing easily understood reports every three months should take less time and effort than working up "the goofed-up," sometimes hard to translate reports given the legislative appropriations folks now.

"We must call a halt to the 'information games' the legislature is now forced to play with the departments," Crim said in his formal statement of the day the legislature convened.

No Need for Dimes
Good news for anxious lady bar patrons: The pay toilet will be a thing of the past as of March 1 in any place licensed to sell liquor for consumption on the premises in Michigan.

No longer will female imbibers need to struggle for a dime or wait for a free toilet to empty. Michigan Liquor Control Commission Chairman Stan Thayer says the ban on pay toilets in liquor establishments is the result of complaints from women who feel they've been discriminated against.

Easy for Deer
Michigan's relative lack of snow thus far this winter is proving easy on the deer herds, reports the Department of Natural Resources.

"Quite mild" is the way the department describes the 1973-74 winter. And, it says, a winter severity index -- using snow depth, temperatures and wind chill factors -- shows that through last month the deer had a winter about half as harsh as the previous year.

Deer are said to be ranging widely in the Upper Peninsula, and are "moving freely" in the northern Lower Peninsula.

Leaping to Action
With oaths of office barely out of their mouths, Michigan lawmakers are hurrying into print with their proposals for legislative action during the new session.

Dearborn Democratic Rep. Lucille McCollough claims introduction of the first House bill for 1975. One is aimed at protecting homeowners who lost their tax delinquent property in tax sales -- often unknowingly, according to Mrs. McCollough.

Her second proposal, discussed earlier in this column, would make it illegal for retailers to make up the price of food already on their shelves.

Board of Education Minutes

The Board of Education, Buchanan Community Schools, Berrien County Michigan, held its regular monthly meeting Monday, April 21, 1975, at the Indian Hills Elementary School. Members present: David Hanson, William Moon, Richard Beistle, Vernon Lubben, Gerald Moulds, Richard Rossow, and Jeannette Mahan. Others present: Administration, members of the press, and 36 guests.

President Hanson called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m. and introduced Superintendent Richard Weaver, Mason County Central Public Schools, Scottville, Michigan, who was a guest of the Buchanan schools as a participant in the MASA-sponsored Superintendents Exchange Day. After extending a welcome to the guests, President Hanson announced that individual Board Members would meet with small groups of those in attendance to discuss their mutual interests and concerns. The regular meeting was recessed for 30 minutes.

President Hanson called the meeting to order at 8:10 p.m. Minutes of the official meeting held March 17, 1975, were approved as presented. Secretary Beistle read correspondence from the Berrien-Cass School Board Association inviting the Board of Education to attend its program on Educational Innovations, at which time Buchanan's Outdoor Education Program will be explained by David Casey, the program's coordinator. The program is scheduled for April 29 at 8 p.m. at the Berrien County Intermediate School District offices in Berrien Springs. Additional correspondence was read from the Berrien County School District Superintendent announcing June 2 as the date for the Berrien County Intermediate School District Board election and requesting the Buchanan Board of Education to appoint a delegate and alternate to the biennial election.

Motion by Member Lubben, seconded by Member Mahan, that bills in the amount of \$237,306.99 (of which \$117,125.18 is for 2 payrolls) be approved for payment. Unanimously carried. Motion by Member Lubben, seconded by Member Moulds, that the 1975-76 proposed calendar as presented by Superintendent Dougherty be approved. Unanimously carried. President Hanson reported that 2 Board Members had met with the City Commission regarding the Middle School traffic situation and a study is being made.

Motion by Member Moulds, seconded by Member Beistle, that the Board of Education agrees to ratify the contract with the Buchanan Education Association for the 1975-76 school year. AYES: Members Rossow, Moon, Hanson, Moulds, Mahan, Lubben and Beistle. NAYS: None. Unanimously adopted.

Robert Underly, President, and Margaret Swartz, Secretary of the Buchanan Education Association and the President and Secretary of the Board of Education signed and officially sealed the document.

Asst. Supt. Kreager reported briefly on the work of the faculty and principals concerning suggestions for capital outlay in a five-year projection. President Hanson stated that a committee will be appointed in the next three weeks to work on ranking the priorities of the projection.

There was a motion made to restate the 8-semester residency requirement for high school graduation, however, after considerable discussion the Board could not agree on the intent of the proposal. Motion by Member Moulds, seconded by Member Moon, that the item be tabled and no action taken on any applications until criteria for waiver can be set and agreed to by the Board. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Moon, seconded by Member Rossow, that the recommendation from the Community School Advisory Council to initiate an activity bus be tabled until such time as the Board has a clearer picture of the total school financial picture. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Beistle, seconded by Member Moon, that Vernon Lubben be appointed representative of the district of Buchanan at the biennial election to be held at the office of the Berrien County Intermediate School District on Monday, April 21 at 8 p.m. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Beistle, seconded by Member Mahan, that Richard Rossow be appointed to serve as alternate delegate for the district of Buchanan in the absence of Delegate Lubben. Unanimously carried.

Motion by Member Lubben, seconded by Member Beistle, that the secretary be instructed to send a letter of commendation to Mrs. John Mefford in recognition of her effectiveness as a teacher. Unanimously carried. Mrs. Mefford's Spanish students had won 12 top awards in the district Spanish test.

Asst. Supt. Kreager reported on the final cost of remodeling the high school building. Mrs. Houseworth, Indian Hills Principal, presented the annual building report and Elementary Coordinator William Fischer reviewed the Needs Assessment tabulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldemar Firehammer appealed to the Board to add an additional hour to the high school day so that students who wanted to take additional enrichment courses would be permitted to do so.

Member Lubben presented a Classroom Money Management kit to Superintendent Dougherty for use in the Business Education Department classrooms. Meeting adjourned at 10 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Richard Beistle, Secretary Buchanan Board of Education (These minutes subject to approval at next regular Board meeting.)

God and I Together

As I sit here looking out my kitchen window across the waving wheatfields ripening in the sun, and the grass sparkling with dew, I think of God's miracles, trying to imagine what it would be like without a God. Then I think there has to be a God, or there would not be all those lovely trees, the birds to sing, all of nature's many wonders. The Blessings He has bestowed upon us to enjoy and share with our friends and neighbors. To watch and guard and not destroy. For without Him we would not be here. The summer with all its lovely flowers, fruits -- gardens and other crops. Autumn with the harvesting of the crops and gorgeous coloring. Then winter with its icy hills, snow, death. Then behold Spring, when everything comes to life again. The rebirth of love in our hearts. Life takes on a new meaning. The time to be up and doing after our winters rest. When everything turns green, the flowers poking their leaves thru the ground, seeking the light and warmth of the sun and rain to make them grow. The song of the first Robin. Everything looks and smells so fresh and new.

It means work, but think of the enjoyment we get working with God, (it takes God and I together) to see the wonders we can do with the seed we sow, hoe and harvest, then store for winters use. For the stars at night to help guide our ships out on the seas, the North star, the little and big Dipper, Evening Star. The harvest moon is something to behold. The beautiful rainbow after the rain.

If we but look around us, we can see God everywhere. In each blade of grass, trees, in all living things. I love to take walks in early morning or evening and commune with God and nature. It gives one such a feeling of belonging here on this wonderful land God has loaned us while we are here on earth. If we will live His way of Life we will be long remembered for our good deeds done.

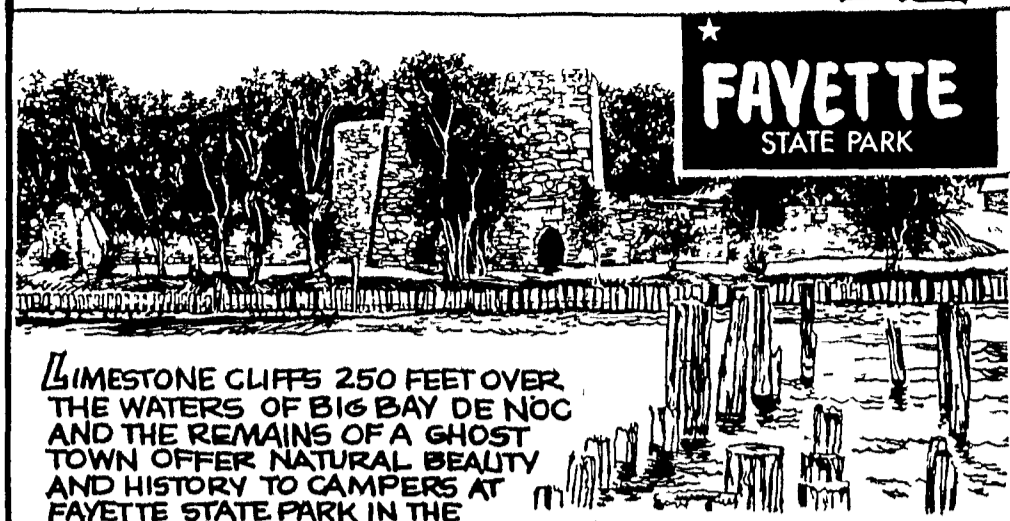
He gave us ears to hear His word, mouths to spread His work, eyes to see His wondrous works, hands to do His work, feet to roam His path of life, a mind to think about His good deeds done. A Heart to Love Him and our neighbors, days to work in and nights to rest. The Seventh or Sabbath to hear His words and live them the other six in everything we say and do. We feel His presence and know He watches over us day and night. If we keep the Faith, He will answer our prayers and our needs. He will be done according to our needs. So be it.

Gertrude Sheldon

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LIMESTONE CLIFFS 250 FEET OVER THE WATERS OF BIG BAY DE NOC AND THE REMAINS OF A GHOST TOWN OFFER NATURAL BEAUTY AND HISTORY TO CAMPERS AT FAYETTE STATE PARK IN THE UPPER PENINSULA. ACCESSIBLE FROM US-2, IT IS EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF GARDEN ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE GARDEN PENINSULA. THE LATE 19TH CENTURY GHOST TOWN WITHIN THE PARK IS A REMINDER OF MICHIGAN'S EARLY IRON INDUSTRY. VISITORS MAY TOUR AND

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LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

School Election

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF BUCHANAN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT: Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of said School District will be held on Monday, June 9, 1975.

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 9, 1975, IS TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1975. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON THE SAID MONDAY, MAY 12, 1975, ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT SAID ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

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

Notice is given by order of the Board of Education. RICHARD BEISTLE Secretary, Board of Education

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Guitars Amps Accessories Drums Repair

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FOR SALE Seed Potatoes, 1 year from Certified, also eating potatoes, The Glen Vite Farm, 2720 South Redbud Trail Phone 695-5760 (121c)

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ILLNESS FORCES earlier retirement Will sell established growing Ambulance Company Excellent equipment Will train Write P.O. Box 15, Rochester, Michigan 48063 (1713p)

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 Our price includes taxes, title, delivery and dealer prep
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DATED April 17, 1975
 Jacqueline Dianne Hankins
 19512 Eaton Avenue
 South Bend, Indiana

ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE Attorney James K Jesse 109 North Red Bud Trail Buchanan, Michigan 49107 1 616 695-3868 Publish May 1 1975

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gan before the HON ZOE S BURKHOLZ, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the amended Petition of Ruth M Shepardon for granting of administration to M Jane Sprague or some other suitable person, for determination of heirs, and interested parties, and for license to sell real estate. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. CREDITORS of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to said M Jane Sprague, P O Box 131 Galien, Michigan 49113, and proof thereof, with copies of claims, filed with the Probate Court on or before July 14, 1975. NOTICE is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto

Dated April 24 1975 RUTH M SHEPARDSON Petitioner P O Box 146 Galien, Michigan 49113 FRANK WILLIAM KELLEY Attorney 107 Main Street Buchanan Michigan 49107 695-6331 Publish May 1 1975

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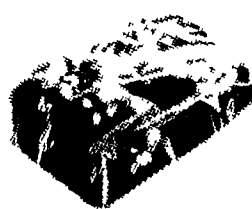
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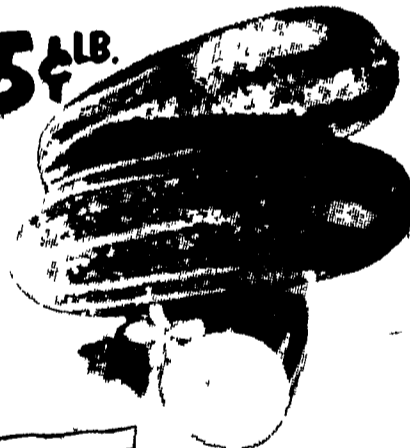
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