

Santa Claus To Visit Buchanan This Saturday

William Baker, who represents the American Legion post here in negotiations to bring Santa Claus for a pre-Christmas session with the boys and girls of Buchanan, reports that Santa's visit has been delayed from Friday until Saturday afternoon.

The reason for the shift to a day later was that the high school operetta, "Up On Old Smokie," will

be presented next Friday night, which will prevent the band from taking its usual position in leading the Santa Claus parade. Santa Claus stated that he would just have to have the band, so the event was held over until Saturday.

The parade will leave the American Legion building at 4:30 sharp Saturday afternoon, led by the

band, with Santa probably riding in a jeep. There will be a large roped-off area on Front street, opposite the Hollywood theatre and approaching it from the east to prevent children from crowding into the street. Also the police will be detailed to remain at the meeting place, rather than marching with the parade, in order to avoid the near-stampede which

took place last year, states Chairman Baker.

When Santa arrives at the big Christmas tree, he will be stationed on a large platform, about 6 inches from the ground, entirely roped off from the crowd, and with a roped-off path past Santa Claus, through which the children will file to receive their gifts of candy. During the past two years Santa

has underestimated the juvenile population of Buchanan, with the result that the supply of candy ran out both years. It won't run out this year, promises Santa. He's bringing just twice as much candy for Buchanan kids this year.

Lighted Streets

The stage, so to speak, is being set today for the official opening

of the 1954 Christmas shopping season in the downtown business section, the streets hung with colored lights, evergreen ropes and the big red bells with the blinker lights all ready for the "kick-off" this Friday, Dec. 3.

Under the street lights the store windows will complete the beautiful holiday setting with a tempting facade of decorated windows

inviting the public into the well-stocked stores behind them. Some of the store windows had already been decorated since Thanksgiving; the remainder are being set up today for the duration of the holiday season. All residents of Buchanan and its adjacent community are cordially invited to visit the local stores with their record stocks of holiday goods.

Whatever you may want, you can "find it here," which means you can save traveling expense and have more money to spend.

All stores will maintain open evening hours until 9 p.m. starting Friday evening of next week, Dec. 10, through until the evening of Dec. 23. Opening on Christmas eve will be strictly optional.

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Electo-Voice Union Has Annual Election

Bucks Practice Diligently For Season Opener

"The team has been practicing for a couple of weeks, off and on due to the holiday, but I'm still not sure what we have."

Ray Steffen, coach of the Buchanan basketball team was discussing the future. "I wish I could say that we had a red-hot bunch who look like they'll go all the way, but I honestly don't know. It'll be five or six games before we find out how good we are, or get to a point where we can bother some of the better teams."

Steffen has been working with a squad that is cut as far as it is going to be, to 12 boys.

Boistering the guard spots are Jim Conrad, 5 feet 10, Steve Pendley, 5 feet 11, Dale Dellinger, 5 feet 8, and Tom Boyer, 5 feet 11. Lee Fisher completes the guard candidates who will be trying to fill the hefty shoes left vacant by the graduation of George Manspeaker and Gordy Smith.

Conrad is rated the best shot-maker of the bunch with Pendley getting the nod as a dribbler. However, so far, all of the boys are pretty even in the eyes of their coach.

At forward Dick Smith, 6 feet 1, and Larry Phoenix, 6 feet 1, are ahead of John Herman, 6 feet 1, Andy Wade, 6 feet, and Dick Coonfield, 6 feet. Smith is rated one of the better shooters from out while both Phoenix and Smith rebound like bullfrogs jump off a lily pad.

The important center post will be manned by Jim Letcher, 6 feet 2, with Wayne Nichols, an excellent replacement, at 6 feet 2. Nichols may also be shifted to forward if the need arises.

Steffen plans to speed his offense up this year as he considers this year's team one of the fastest he has coached. "I'll be looking for more fast breaks," explained the coach, "but always we'll be working to control the ball and work for the best shot."

In looking at Buchanan's place in the Big Four race, Steffen rates St. Joseph and Niles ahead of Dowagiac and the Bucks. "Not that we are necessarily the third or fourth best teams in the league," he continued, "but I think those clubs are the teams to beat. The way Dowagiac started out against South Haven, why they might have a lot more than people think."

Buchanan opens the season against St. Joseph at St. Joe on Dec. 10, a full week after the rest of the conference starts play.

See the Man with a Plan — HABERLE

Local 900 IUE-CIO (Electro-Voice) held their annual elections on Nov. 10 at the CIO hall on Fifth street in Buchanan. The results of the voting in some of the races for office were extremely close. Here are the results:

Al Backgren was elected to a sixth term as president. Backgren defeated Ed Falkenberg 117-42.

Frank Raab defeated Bill Jenkins for vice-president 100-48.

There were five candidates for the office of 3-year trustee. The winner in this one was Bill Edgecomb. Edgecomb beat his nearest rival for this office by one vote. The tally was 44 to 43. The other three candidates for this office divided the rest of the votes and only four votes separated them. These candidates were Gertrude Crittenden, Gene Layman and Winnie Coonfield. Edgecomb's nearest rival was Gordon Forbes.

Phil Hawks was re-elected chief steward. Hawks defeated Charlie Smith for this office 83-63.

There were four candidates for negotiating committee members at large. Two were elected. The two winners were Inez Allen and Alice Travis. Allen topped the balloting with 89 votes. Travis and Jack Hemminger tied 80-80, and a special runoff had to be held in order to break the tie. In the re-vote Travis beat Hemminger 61-45. The other candidate was Duane Bunker.

Three officers were elected to the sick-benefit committee. There were four candidates for this committee. Defeated was Evelyn Burgoyne, who ran strong with 84 votes. The three winners and their vote total were: Clarence Bailey, 118; Florence Loebach, 113; Jacqueline Capen, 109.

Six candidates ran for the two delegate seats to the CIO County Council. The two winners here were Joe Colpetzer, with 97 votes, and Gordon Forbes, with 65 votes. President Backgren is automatically a delegate to the Council.

Defeated were Carl Schneek, Phil Hawks, Reba Money and Robert Surch. However, three of the candidates who lost will serve as alternate delegates. They will be Reba Money, first alternate, Phil Hawks, second alternate, and Robert Surch, third alternate.

Three candidates ran for the opening of machine shop steward. The candidates were Don Bates, Gerald Maggart and Robert Surch. The winner was Maggart. Maggart beat Surch 14-13.

Three assembly stewards were elected without opposition. They were Emily Dellinger, Margaret Palmer and Violet Leazenby. Leazenby will serve as steward at Electro-Voice's downtown plant.

Also elected without opposition were Reba Money and Thelma Yanke to the offices of secretary-treasurer and recording secretary. Joe Colpetzer was elected night shift steward without opposition.

Elected to the Local's executive board as board members-at-large were Leona Shogren, Thelma Letcher and Russ Wales. Shogren, Letcher and Wales were also unopposed.

There were two trustees offices that were not up for election at this time. These offices are held by George Smith, a 2-year trustee, and Marge Meldrum, a 1-year trustee.

Three Injured At Halls Corners

Several people received painful hurts at Halls Corners intersection of M-60 and the South Bend Road, about 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Glenn Breed of Paw Paw, received a summons from state police for failure to yield the right-of-way. He was driving west on M-60 when he made a left turn onto the South Bend Road directly in the path of an oncoming car driven by Louis Waldrop of New Buffalo. A third car, driven by Violet Schmidt of Hobart, Ind., was following the Waldrop car when it crashed. Miss Schmidt braked her car violently to escape hitting the two colliding cars, the car spinning around twice and then skidding to a stop between them.

Injured were Glenn Breed of Paw Paw, facial cuts and bruises; his wife, Mrs. Martha Breed, 68, possible fractured ribs and multiple contusions; Miss Reeves, a passenger in the Waldrop car, New Buffalo, multiple facial lacerations.



DEAN STRAUB GETS ADDED HONORS—Dean Straub is congratulated by A. C. Salsstad of Chicago, general manager of sales for Standard Oil Company, on being awarded one of the Tractor Club Program's twelve national college scholarships, worth \$300 each.

Dean Straub Wins Added Laurels At National 4-H Meet

Dean Straub, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Straub of Galien, added to his honors when he was awarded one of the college scholarships which were distributed at a tractor club banquet Tuesday evening, Nov. 30, with representatives from all states of the union attending. Only 12 were awarded to the outstanding representatives from 46 states. The scholarships, worth \$300, were in addition to an all-expense trip to Chicago to attend the 33rd National 4-H Club Congress, which convenes annually in Chicago during the International Livestock Show.

He had gone to Chicago in a double role. He received a free trip awarded by the State 4-H as one of the 27 outstanding 4-H youth in Michigan, on the basis of his fine achievement in dairy-ing.

He was also awarded an all-expense trip, with free room and meals at the Conrad Hilton Hotel as the guest of the Standard Oil company, which had selected him as the outstanding 4-H Tractor Club member in Michigan.

He and the 46 other state representatives honored were given two banquets, one at the Conrad Hilton and another at the Sheraton-Blackstone Hotel.

College Club Meets; Makes Final Plans For Yuletide Ball

The December meeting of the Buchanan College club was held Wednesday, Dec. 1, in the Presbyterian church parlors.

The business session was devoted chiefly to final preparation for the Yuletide Ball to be held Wednesday, Dec. 22, in the American Legion hall with Tony Kull's orchestra furnishing the music. It was announced that posters made by Mrs. James Abernathy had been distributed.

In order to clear up certain misunderstandings that have arisen, the members were urged to stress these particular points: The dance is open to the public; the dress is semi-formal; flowers will be sold at the dance; the \$2.50 donation is per couple and to be used for the benefit of the Scholarship Fund, and tickets, which may be secured from any club member or at Frank Edmond's Chevrolet agency, will not be available at the door.

Joan Herman Is Winner In JC's Democracy Event

Joan Herman, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Caryl Herman, was awarded first place in the Eighth Annual "Voice of Democracy" contest, held at the Buchanan high school Tuesday, under the auspices of the local unit of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Winner of second place was Janice Sexton, senior theme of the competitive talks was "I Speak For Democracy."

The 14 entries held a try-out on Tuesday morning when 7 were eliminated. The finals were held at 2 p.m. with the judges and a small audience in the high school music room, and the competitors in an adjoining room containing a sound booth. Neither the audience nor the judges saw the speakers. Each went into the sound booth in a separate room and talked into a receiver, which cut a record of each talk and at the same time carried it by wire to a loud speaker in the music room.

The identity of the 7 finalists was known only to Miss Alice Dunn, high school speech teacher, and Mrs. Margaret Snyder, head of the high school English department, and even they were not sure of the identity of each speaker as the talks came through. First prize was a \$25 war bond, the winner of second place receiving only honorable mention. The judges of the finals were Mrs. Harold Harper, Harold Boyce and Eitel Eberhardt.

The record bearing the winning script will be sent to the state contest. The winning script there will go to a national contest where 12 top contestants will be selected from the 52 state and territorial contestants. From these four co-equal national winners will be selected who will each receive a \$500 college scholarship, an all-expense trip to Washington, D. C., during February, and either a television or radio receiver.

Hillview Pinocle Club

Mrs. William Fette was hostess Tuesday evening to the Hillview pinocle club. Winners included Mrs. Ted Cramer, Mrs. Lee Conrad and Mrs. Charles Koons. The annual Christmas party will be held with Mrs. George Roe, the date to be set later.

"Up on Old Smoky" To be Presented By Glee Club Fri. Night

Do Your Mailing Early Pleads P. O. Department

This year the post office department of the United States is doing some overall planning with the aim of keeping the Christmas mail moving steadily instead of piling up in the sacks in transportation centers during the heavy mailing period.

The first party to accomplishment of that aim is the public — in other words, you and I. A slogan has been coined as follows: SHOP EARLY — MAIL EARLY!

This year you can "play Santa" to all the other gift mailers of the nation, just by getting your cards and packages in the mail early — earlier than you have previously. In the past the heavy run has started about 12 to 14 days before Christmas. If we sent all our cards and packages out in the week of Dec. 1 to Dec. 8, we would create a temporary mail traffic jam that might tax mail warehouses a few days, but would certainly insure that every gift sent was in the hands of the gift recipient before Christmas Eve.

Postmaster Charles Wesner advises local patrons that the following dates are recommended deadlines for mailing Christmas cards and gifts, with assurance that they will reach their destination before Christmas.

Dec. 15 for destinations within adjoining states, or not to exceed 500 miles.

Dec. 10 for all mail sent to points over 500 miles distant but within the United States.

Riding Club Plans Recreation Center On Club Grounds

The Buchanan Westerners Riding club held their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Smith of Niles. Mr. and Mrs. David Mosher of Benton Harbor, were co-hostesses at this Thanksgiving meeting. Thirty-five members attended the dinner.

A hay ride was held Friday, Nov. 26, from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Naragon. The Christmas dinner will be with Mr. and Mrs. David Mosher of Benton Harbor. Plans were made for a recreation center at the club grounds for youngsters. A New Year party for the club is also being planned.

The new officers, elected in October, are president, George Wyburn, Niles, vice-president, Russell Ringler, South Bend; treasurer, Ida Cauffman, Buchanan, secretary, Evelyn Smith, Buchanan, ride chairman, Robert Naragon, Buchanan, director, Pauline Mikesell, Buchanan, director, Otto Nelson, Berrien Springs, director, Ernest Ringler, Niles.

Dayton Ladies Aid

The Dayton Ladies Aid society will have an all-day meeting on Thursday, Dec. 9, with Mrs. W. E. Schantz. A co-operative dinner will be served at noon. Mrs. Claude Sheldon will conduct the business session.

This Friday evening at 8 p.m. the high school glee club will take the stage in the presentation of "Up On Old Smoky," in the high school auditorium.

The glee club under the direction of Mrs. Lucille Tibbles, has been practicing hard to make the operetta a success.

The operetta is a light-hearted hillbilly comedy with a sprinkling of romance throughout.

Two dancing groups will also lend their talents to the show. Included in these groups are Mary Ann Shogren, Jo Ellen Imhoff, Virginia Soules, Bonnie Poorman, Sarah Kahn, Hilary Moore, Dee Ann Calbetzor, Mary Ann Keyes, Warren Snow, Rex Allen, Leslie Hampton, Robert Groat, Derrill Coonfield, Steve Pendley, Ken Kelly, and Jim Converse.

The story revolves around a young school teacher (Anne Tibbles) in the southern Appalachians who lights a candle every night for her lover (Wayne Nichols) who had gone to the city to study singing.

A neighbor boy (Jerry Paul) is also in love with Cindy.

When William comes back to the mountains, Cindy realizes the change in William and goes to Sam.

Other members of the cast are, Marlene Thomas, Mary Burrus, Eugene Smith, Carol Morelli, Rex Allen, Dee Ann Calbetzor, and Jim Converse.

The high school orchestra, under the baton of R. R. Robinson, will play during intermissions and accompany the glee club in some of the musical selections.

Bonnie Poorman is the assistant director.

The tickets are 60c for adults and 35c for students.

Corn Galore Comes In at Co-ops Store

In the neighborhood of 85,000 bushels of corn had been sold to the Buchanan Co-ops here before the start of the current return of wet weather, reports Robert Koenigshof of the Buchanan Co-ops.

Nearly all of this year's corn crop in the Buchanan section had been harvested, except small areas of heavy or low ground. Yields of from 60 to 100 bushels were reported. Among the heavy yields was the 100-bushel return on the R. A. Watson farm on Main street road.

In the muck areas from Galien to Three Oaks and both north and south of those areas, most of the corn remains in the field with no present prospects of harvesting because of the mucky condition of the fields.

Stephen Martins Back With Deer

Mrs. Stephen Martin and her husband returned from Baldwin, Mich., Saturday, to bring a 200-pound, 10-point deer that she had shot a few days before that they returned to Baldwin so that Mr. Martin could have another try at getting a deer.

Home On Furlough

Pfc Robert E. Lee, who has just returned from a tour of duty in Korea, arrived home Monday to spend a 30-day furlough with his parents, Rev and Mrs. Lawrence E. Lee.



DANCE DUO ENTERTAIN AT STYLE SHOW—Chester Pelley, dance student, and his instructor, Helen Pierce, are presenting two adagio dances at the Style Show staged by the Women of the Moose at the Moccasin school tonight (Thursday). The dances will accompany two record renditions of "Gigi" and "Trumpet Boogie."

Women of Moose To Stage Style Show Tonight

"Around The Christmas Tree" will be the theme of the style show to be staged by the Women of the Moose in the Moccasin avenue school gym at 8 p.m. this Thursday evening under the direction of Miss Nancy Bristol. Miss Helen Geideman, Niles, will be the narrator. Garments to be modeled will be provided by the Koenigshof, Evans and Chickie stores, Buchanan, and the Montgomery-Ward and Farmale stores of Niles. During intermissions dance numbers will be presented by Mrs. Helen Pierce and Chester Pelley. Refreshments will be served following the show.

Models appearing at the show will include Mrs. Lorraine Surges, Mrs. Donna Bristol, Miss Judy Adolph, Miss Patti Ritter and Miss Nancy Bristol of Buchanan, Mrs. Margaret Cadeux of South Bend, Mrs. Lorraine James of Galien, and Miss Myrna Womack, Miss Barbara Zelman and Miss Lois Umbenhaur, Niles. Modeling children's clothing will be Patsy Nesbitt, Daquiri Pulliam, Bruce Burrus, Joseph Markham, Dean Dill, Vickie Mollberg and Greg Womack.

Proceeds from the show will be used for Mooseheart and Moosehaven projects and other charitable work. Miss Robert Pulliam heads the general committee. The public is invited to attend and the tickets may be secured at the door.

City Manager to Have An Assistant

Mr. and Mrs. Barkley Omans are the parents of a son born at Pawating hospital at 11:02 p.m. Friday, Nov. 26. Weight at birth was seven pounds, two-and-one-half ounces. The young man will be answering soon to the name of Jason Frank. Both mother and son are fine and were released from the hospital yesterday (Wednesday).



A COUPLE OF HILLBILLY LOVERS FROM "UP ON OLD SMOKIE"—Here's a bit of stage setting and a corner of mountain romance from the operetta, "Up On Old Smokie," to be presented by the Buchanan high school glee club at the auditorium Friday evening, Dec. 3. At left is Bonnie Poorman, assistant director, polishing off the performance of Jerry Paul, mountaineer lover of Cindy (Anne Tibbles), who loves him but doesn't know it yet.



CONTESTANTS IN VOICE DEMOCRACY CONTEST—Standing at left, Joan Herman, winner of first place; front row, Jim Conrad, Janice Sexton (Honorable mention), Steve Pendley, Chuck Irvine, Jackie Rizor, Barbara Anderson. Standing in rear: Lorraine Sigle, Karen Carlson, Betty Conrad, Sally Renbarger, Jerry Rossow. The contest was sponsored in Buchanan by the local unit of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

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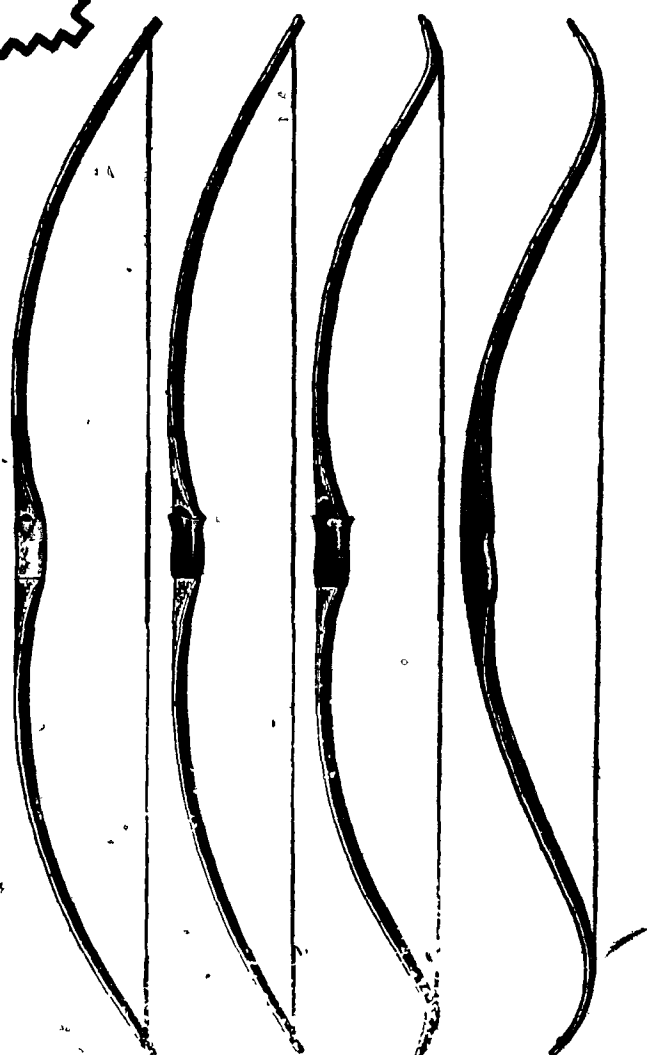
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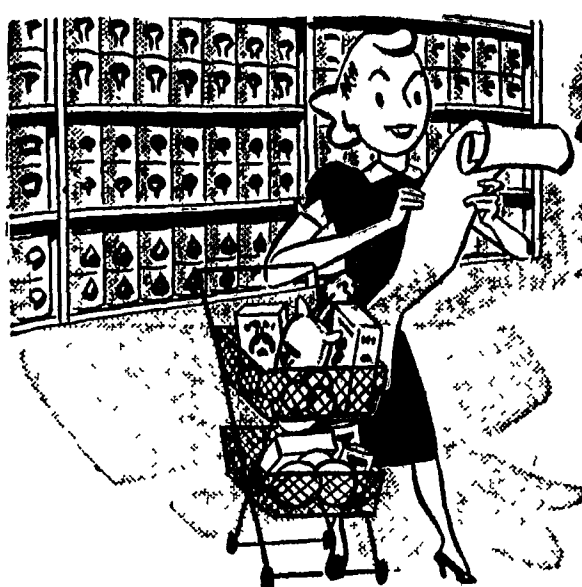
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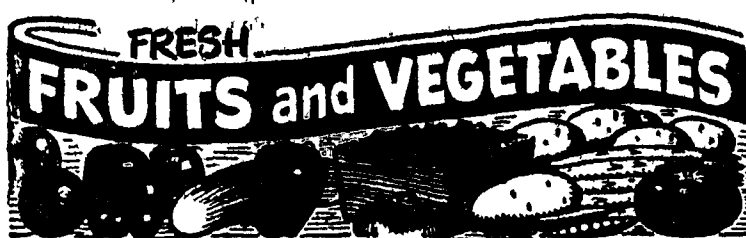
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Boy! This morning its colder, and dreary, and sort of damp. Any kind of weather, you just name it! Mrs. Ernestine Gombosi has been caring for Mrs. Lewis Rough the past week. Mrs. Rough has been suffering with an ailment in her knee. Mr. and Mrs. Lou Kepler of near Granger, Ind., called Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dora Skeldon spent Thanksgiving day with other guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Gudates in South Bend. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ullery of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Mangold and Hattie Burks were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Russell on Thanksgiving. We missed Barney Faye several days last week while he was at the hospital with his wife, where she

underwent surgery. Hope she is recovering. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lange and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lang of Michigan City, and relatives and friends from Chesterton and New Carlisle, called at the Hennen home Sunday, being called here by the death of Raymond Hennen, 18-year-old son of the Clyde Hennen. It indeed was a shock to all of us, only known of his illness for three weeks. The entire community extends their sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Best of Hudson Lake vicinity, announce the arrival of a daughter last Tuesday. Now they have two daughters. Mrs. Best is the former Lillie Anstiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Helwig of Hobart street, entertained Sunday at a family dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hattenbach and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Goldwyn Smith, Liberty Heights, on Thanksgiving.

Raymond Hennen Dies at 19 From A Heart Ailment

Raymond LeRoy Hennen, a resident of Buchanan all his life, died in the University of Michigan hospital at Ann Arbor at 7 p. m. Saturday, Nov. 27, 1954, after having been under treatment there since Nov. 15. He had been ill several months from a heart ailment due to rheumatic fever. He was born in Buchanan April 19, 1935, the son of Clyde and Thelma Hennen. His home was at 705 S. Oak street. He is survived by his parents, by two sisters, Mrs. Doris Good of Buchanan and Janet Hennen of Buchanan, by his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cauffman of Buchanan. The funeral was held at the Swem Funeral Home Tuesday, with Rev. W. P. Pohly in charge and he was buried in the Portage Prairie cemetery.

15 Berrien 4-H Get Free Trip To International

Fifteen outstanding Berrien 4-H Club members who were awarded a 3-day all-expenses paid trip, will visit Chicago on Dec. 3, 4, and 5, according to Miss Ina Redman, home demonstration agent.

The club members, who will be taking the trip are as follows: Jeanene Baab, Berrien Springs; Marilyn Tilly, St. Joseph, Mary Durm, Niles; Beverly Dehring, St. Joseph; Elma Tilly, St. Joseph; Judy Roundy, Gallien; Ann Faulkner, Berrien Springs; Janet Naragon, Gallien; Barbara Hill, Niles; Diane Stover, Berrien Springs; Mary Feather, Baroda; Dick Wetzel, Buchanan; Lowell Bruce, Berrien Center; Paul Mosher, Berrien Center; Robert McLaren, Gallien.

The group will be accompanied by Mrs. Lucy Siskman, outstanding 4-H woman leader, Everett Watson, outstanding 4-H man leader, and Ina Redman.

The group will go by train, leaving St. Joseph at 10 a. m. Friday, Dec. 3, for Chicago, where they will enjoy fun, sightseeing and educational tours.

Among the places the group will visit are: Board of Trade, Chicago Tribune, International Livestock Show, Courtesy Hour, TV, WBBM, WLS Barn Dance; Planetarium; Museum, Aquarium; Maxwell street and Church.

The sponsors for the trip are: Producers Creamery, Benton Harbor; Dean's Dairy, Berrien Springs; Baroda Hardware, Baroda; Anderson Dairy, Buchanan; St. Joe Valley Creamery, Buchanan; Elgin Milk Co., Gallien; Exner's Dairy, Niles; Producers Dairy, Niles, United Dairy, Niles; State Line Dairy, Niles, and Berrien Center Grange.

Scout Troop 41 Goes On Overnight

Twenty-three Scouts and two leaders left the Methodist church at 10.15 a. m. Saturday, Nov. 20, and proceeded by car to Little Fish Lake, northeast of Cassopolis. Tents were raised, firewood was collected, cookfires were prepared and whatever must be done to live comfortably and yet "rough it." After supper a game called "Will O' The Wisp" was played. During their stay they had two contests, tent-pitching and knot-tying. Assistant Patrol Leaders took command of their respective patrols: Panther Patrol, Denny Shanahan, Pioneer Patrol, Tom Smith, Rattlesnake Patrol, Robert Larson, Stag Patrol, Jim Shanahan. The Explorer Crew helped the patrols to run pretty smoothly. The patrol leaders took charge of the contests.

Tuesday night, Nov. 23, the Rattlesnake Patrol opened the meeting with a short play based on "A Scout Is Kind". The assistant patrol leaders gave a report of how he thought his patrol functioned on the overnight. A quiz on First Aid was given and each boy was reviewed on two bandages. Points were given according to the quiz answers and efficiency in bandaging. —George Mills, Reporter

45 Members, Guests At Holiday Dinner Of W. B. A. Review

More than 45 members and guests attended the annual Thanksgiving dinner and meeting of the Women's Benefit Association Tuesday evening in the W. B. A. hall. The affair honored members' families.

Mrs. Elza Smith presided during the business meeting when plans were made to sponsor a baked goods sale on Dec. 10, to be held in the store of the Buchanan Dry Cleaners. It was voted to hold only one meeting in December, which will be a Christmas party on Dec. 14. There will be a co-operative dinner at 6.30, an exchange of gifts and a program of entertainment. Officers will be elected for 1955 and the retiring officers will be in charge of arrangements. Tentative plans were discussed for a Christmas party for the junior members and Mrs. Robert Bowers, chairman of junior activities, will arrange the affair. It was reported that the review had donated \$10 to the new hospital building fund.

Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. Ralph DeNardo, Mrs. Leo Huebner and Mrs. Nora Froman. Winners at games were Mrs. Warren Boyle, Mrs. Otto Reinke, Mrs. Judson Markham, Mrs. Martha Trapp and Mrs. Oscar Reams.

South Bend Goes On Eastern Standard Time Sunday, Nov. 28

The cities of South Bend and Mishawaka, Ind., turned their clocks ahead last Sunday to Eastern Standard Time. Their time is now the same as that in Buchanan. The bus operating between here and South Bend has also changed its schedule and will arrive in and leave Buchanan one hour earlier than heretofore.

Use Record Want Ads The Bargain Counter of Buchanan Area

Wagner News

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Coffman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Haberling on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Ida Roundy is spending two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hetzel, Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Frank Egan went to Chicago, Friday, to see her son and his family of Colorado, who were visiting there. She returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rumsey spent Thanksgiving day with her son, Robert Jochem, and his family.

The Milton Mitchell family were holiday guests of Ralph Painter of Baroda, brother of Mrs. Mitchell. Earl Dunbar was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Artie Weaver on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Grace Weaver and sons, Vaughn and Carl, and Mrs. Lavina Little have returned from Frederick, Mich., where they visited relatives. Vaughn shot a deer while there.

The Hills Corners Aid society will meet with Mrs. Bert Mitchell Wednesday, Dec. 8.

Children are not born with specific fears and loves and hates. As they grow, they do have unpleasant experiences that cause fear and pleasant experiences with people that cause feelings of love.

Dayton News

Quite a number froh here attended the wedding ceremony of Clarence Marsh and Miss Hazel Black at the Galien Methodist church Monday evening, Nov. 22. Congratulations to the young couple.

The first heavy snow of this winter arrived Tuesday evening and night of last week, but it did not stay long as the ground was still too warm.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanke and children spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. Hanke's parents in Buchanan.

Thanksgiving day dinner guests at the home of Ed and Bertha Richter were Mr. and Mrs. Lon Matthews of rural route, South Bend, Miss Doris Matthews of Buchanan, and the every day guest, Fred Richter.

Lewis Long of Gary, Ind., was a weekend caller at their summer home here. Lewis' wife, Helen, is still taking in the sights in France and other countries in Europe.

Rose Rotzien and children attended the dedication ceremonies of the new Evangelical U. B. church at Lydyck, Ind., last Sunday. Rose was a former resident of Lydyck years ago.

The Earl Bennett family are visiting relatives in Tennessee. They are expected home most any day now.

We hear that John Hanley, who is well known by this writer, is

getting along very well since he had part of his leg amputated at the county hospital a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Schau and son, Chris, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ladonski have not returned yet from their deer hunting trip in northern Michigan.

Callers Sunday at the Billy and Rose Rotzien home here were Miss Billie Boggs of South Bend, sister of Rose, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dodson and children of Rose-land.

A family by the name of Arbuckle are now living in the Habel house. The Habels have moved into the Bellharz home, which they recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Bellharz.

Berrien Co. Rural Calendar Dec. 2—Educational meeting for A. C. P., Buchanan Co-operative, 1:30 p. m. Dec. 2—Advisory committee meeting of the Vegetable Growers' Association, 8 p. m. Place to be announced.

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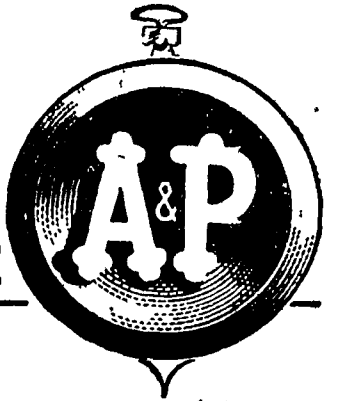
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SILVERBROOK BUTTER	JANE PARKER FRUIT CAKES
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Spry Shortening	3 LB. CAN	93c
Gerber's Baby Food	STRAINED 4 3/4-OZ. GLASS	39c
Durkee's Margarine	LB.	29c
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Lifebouy Soap	2 BATH SIZE	27c	3 REG. SIZE	28c
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Famo Pancake Flour	JUST REDUCED 5 LB. BAG	39c
Niblets Corn	WHOLE KERNEL—NEW LOW PRICE	2 12-OZ. CANS 29c
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Cut Green Beans	RELIABLE, JUST REDUCED	2 15 1/2-OZ. CANS 31c
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W. G. Armstrong Leader In Public Affairs, Dies

W. G. Armstrong, a native and life-long resident in Berrien County, and very well known about Buchanan, especially in his frequent appearance on Grange programs, died Friday at Homestead, Fla., of a heart attack.

He had moved to Homestead with his wife from Arlington, Va., a year ago, to be near his only son, but continued to maintain their residence at Niles. At the time of his death, at the age of 79, he was still a member of the Michigan Board of Agriculture, which is the governing body of Michigan State College. He was also a member of the Michigan Tourist Council.

He was born Sept. 8, 1876, in Berrien Springs, and had lived many years in Niles. He was a rural mail carrier out of Berrien Springs for 23 years until he retired in 1941. Appointed for public affairs and a talent for public speaking carried him to the post of president of the National Rural Letter Carriers for five terms. He served ten years as treasurer of the National Grange. The two positions often obliged his presence in Washington, D. C., to represent the mail-carrying or farm organizations. He served as State Master of The Michigan Grange from 1939 to 1952, when he resigned at his own insistence after rebuilding the organization which had declined in membership and activity.

He is survived by his widow, by a son, Vernon of Arlington, Va.; a foster son, Otis L. Murphy of Niles, by one grandson.

Margaret Snyder At Annual Meet Of English Teachers

Mrs. Margaret Snyder represented Buchanan high school at the 44th Annual Convention of the National Council of Teachers of English held at Hotel Statler in Detroit on Nov. 25-27.

Some of the topics discussed during the three days were "What

Proclamation

WHEREAS, tuberculosis strikes without warning, claiming its victims from all ages, occupations, and walks of life, and looms as a threat to the health of every family circle, and

WHEREAS, tuberculosis remains today as one of the greatest public health problems in Berrien County, threatening the health of many men, women and children, and

WHEREAS, our Christmas Seal purchases will help salvage lives and reduce the ravages and high costs of this infectious disease, as Mayor of the City of Buchanan, I do officially proclaim, the period from November 22nd through Christmas Day as the annual Christmas Seal Sale, during which time every Buchanan family is urged to make a generous contribution toward the work of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association.

Signed:
ARTHUR L. ANDERSON
Mayor

Is Happening To The 3 R's? "Grammar, Then And Now", "Learning For Living Through Radio And Television", "How To Plan Successful Units In The Language Arts", and "Literature For Elementary School Students". In addition to taking in the Conference, guests of the National Council of Teachers of English found time to tap the educational resources of Detroit. Tours of museum art institutes, Greenfield Village, Cranbrook, and industrial plants gave the visitors opportunities to build up their teaching know-how.

Local Girl Scout Workers Back From Regional Meeting

The seventy-five adult volunteer Girl Scout workers in Buchanan will benefit by the experience of their representatives who attended the Great Lakes Regional Conference in Grand Rapids on Nov. 16, 17, and 18.

Following the opening session, smaller groups were formed for special program studies. Topics discussed included "Progression In Browne Program," "Serving

The Junior High Age," "Trends In Senior Program," "Outdoor Program For Brownies," "Nature-Conservation," "The Role of Leadership," "Troop Sponsorship," "Developing Citizenship Through Troop Government," "Building International Understanding," and "Developing Resourcefulness and Ability for Creative Use of Leisure."

Emphasis was put on leaders' training courses, coordinating age and abilities and a new plan for troop consultants.

"To be part of such a large group of women gathered together for one purpose is indeed an inspiration," said one of the delegates.

Dr. Barnes Named President of Couples' Club

Thirty-six members of the Couple's club of the First Presbyterian church attended the monthly dinner meeting Tuesday evening in the church parlors. An election of 1955 officers was held. Dr. Robert O. Barnes was elected president to succeed Frank Edmond. Other officers named were: William Moore, vice-president; Richard Trapp, secretary; Richard Trapp, treasurer. It was voted to cancel the December meeting and to meet Jan. 25 when the new officers will be installed. Mr. and Mrs. George King arranged the program, which included colored slides shown by James Hoffman of the Interlochen Music Camp and places of interest in Minnesota.

Stationed At Ft. Leonard Wood
Richard Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Mills, and James Merrifield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Merrifield who left Nov. 15 to enter Army service, are now stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Richard Carson, a student at Michigan State College, East Lansing, returned Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Carson.

Christmas Toys

Toy Typewriter \$3.89	Doll House \$4.89	Ding Dong Paint Stick 98c to \$1.98
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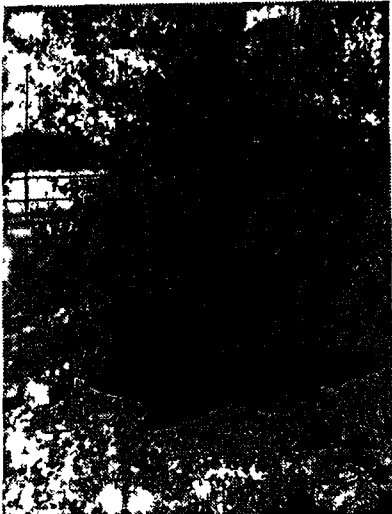


Cpl. Eugene Shepherd

Cpl. Eugene Shepherd is a paratrooper in the U S Army at Ft. Knox, Ky. He enlisted after graduating from Buchanan high school in 1953. He drives here and back to camp almost every weekend to be with his wife, the former Connie Hillman, in their home on N Chippewa St. Bob Marsh was with him when they arrived for Thanksgiving. They went back to camp that evening as Gene had to make a jump Friday. Then they returned here for the weekend. Gene likes the service and especially the jumping and may decide to make it a career.

Ramon Sexton was home for a pre-Thanksgiving celebration with his wife and parents, Mr and Mrs Phil Sexton, last week. He went on board the USS C. J. Barger last Wednesday enroute to Cuba. He had hoped to remain in the States

and attend school, but the Navy ruled otherwise. Here is his new address: Ramon P. Sexton, SA 458-57-36, USS C. J. Barger, (DD 657), c/o FPO, New York, N. Y. Be sure to write him, as he will sure enjoy hearing from his friends and Cuba is a long way from home.



Pfc. Craig P. Murchland

Mrs. Gabrielle Murchland, Rt. 2, Buchanan, received a telephone call Thanksgiving day from her son, Pfc. Craig P. Murchland, who is stationed at the U S Marine Corps communications center at Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif. The center is located in the southern California desert, about 200 east of Los Angeles.

Young Murchland enlisted for a 3-year stretch in the Marines on March 11, 1954, while he was a member of the Buchanan high school junior class. He has taken an examination in junior and senior class subjects, passing with grades which assured that his diploma will be issued to him, either by mail or personally, if he is here next June.

At the end of boot training he received a medal as an expert rifleman, which is the highest of the three possible awards. He was then assigned to communications, and at present is specializing in electronics. He is also taking a course of radio servicing. He will be glad to hear from all of his friends here.

His address is Pfc. Craig P. Murchland 1484568, H & S Co, Det. 1st, OSG, SC, FMF, MCCT, Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif.

Bend of the River

Mrs. Howard Ketchum
Miss Pearl Mae Oxender came Wednesday evening to spend Thanksgiving week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oxender. Pearl Mae is a freshman at Michigan State Normal, Ypsilanti.

Charles Nichols, Michigan State college, was a guest of his parents, Mr and Mrs Earl Nichols Thanksgiving week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ketchum and family had as dinner guests Thanksgiving day, Miss Pearl Mae Oxender.

Mr and Mrs. Earl Nichols had as guests Thanksgiving day the latter's aunt, Mrs. Anna Beuthin, and daughter, Minnie, Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Forgue visited their daughter, Mrs. Howard Ketchum and family Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Tressa Browning of Buchanan, was a guest of her son, Earl Nichols and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen and family spent Thanksgiving with the latter's son and family, Mr and Mrs. James Stanage, New Buffalo.

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

The Frank Bachmans were dinner guests Thanksgiving day of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Dyer, Niles.

Walter Copeland was in Chicago Monday, taking 50 head of his Black Angus calves to the Live Stock Exhibition.

Ted Fitch, Michigan State College, was a guest of his parents over the Thanksgiving week end. Walter Shurrner, Jr., has returned to Purdue university after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shurrner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fitch and family, Battle Creek, visited relatives over the week end.

A Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed in the Andrew Lyddick home by Mr and Mrs. Charles Smith, Mr and Mrs. William Smith, Mr and Mrs. Charles Butzbach, and Mr and Mrs. Charles Lyddick of Coloma.

Mr and Mrs. Wyman Denno and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Benak and daughter visited the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago Sunday.

The Harry Sherrers and the Charles Lyddicks were Sunday

dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lyddick.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Denno, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Denno and Mrs. Robert Rose and daughter, Jane, had Thanksgiving dinner with their mother, Mrs. Elta Denno.

Mr and Mrs. Keith Dalrymple and family spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Dalrymple.

Mrs. Clyde Penwell recently returned from a visit with Mrs. A. T. Button, Lakewood, Ohio.

Robert Rose and son, Gene, are in northern Michigan deer hunting.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Penwell Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. Max Penwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Penwell, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Penwell and Mr and Mrs. Rex Paul and family.

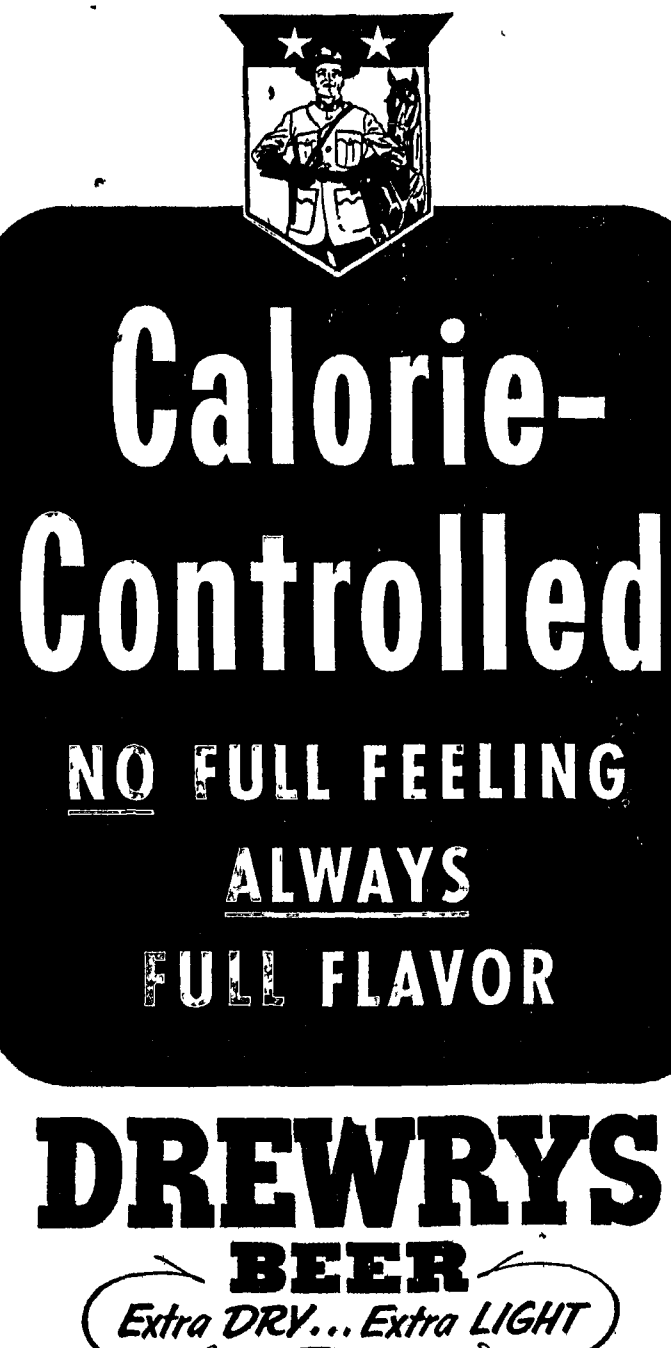
Connie Converse of Mt Pleasant and Miss Mickey Runzusta of Battle Creek were week end guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs. M. J. Converse. Both are students at Central Michigan.

Grange Installs Officers
The Bend of the River grange installed officers for the coming year at a meeting in the grange hall on Walton Road, Saturday. The chapter was draped in memory of W. G. Armstrong, grange official, who died last week.

Mr and Mrs. George Shafer and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin of Mt. Tabor grange installed the following officers: Master, Rex Davis; overseer, Thornton Walters, lecturer, Edna Sweeney, steward, Marvin Mitchell, assistant steward, Thomas Durm; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Thomas Durm, chaplain, Mrs. Pearl Wyburn; treasurer, Lester Decker, secretary, Mary Louise Hanley, gate keeper, Theron Young, Ceres, Mrs. Lester Decker; Poinona, Mrs. Kenneth Young, Flora, Miss Mary Bouycker; executive committee member, Kenneth Young.

Refreshments were served by Miss Mary Bruycker, Theron Young, Mary Louise Hanley and Edna Sweeney.

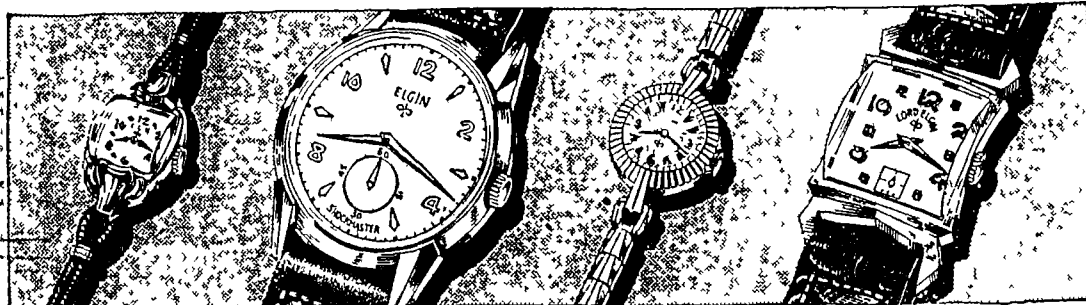
The next meeting, the annual Christmas party, will be held Dec 11. The children will exchange gifts and the program will be in charge of Mrs. Lester Decker. On the refreshment committee for December are Mr and Mrs. Howard Nich, Mr and Mrs. Olin Steinbauer and Mr and Mrs. Perley Steinebauer.



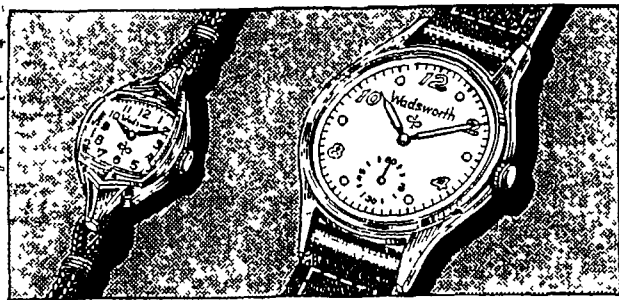
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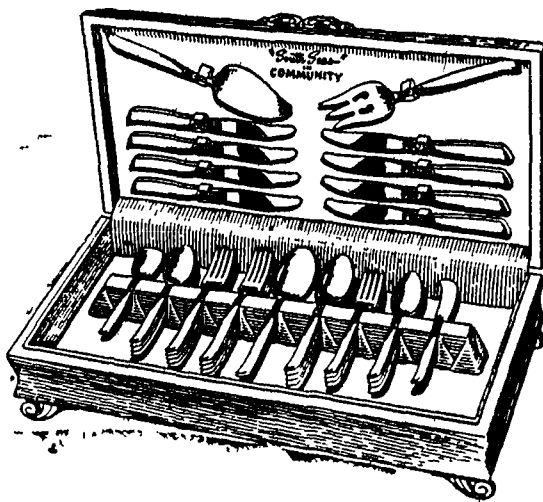


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CHURCH NEWS

Church of The Brethren
Third and Cayuga
Rev. George Stull, Pastor
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Bible study, 6:30 p.m.

Church of The Nazarene
Corner Fourth and Moccasin
Rev. Charles H. Hare, Minister
Phone 1012

Tuesday night, 7:30, Youth meeting
Thursday night, 7:30, gathering to pray
Saturday night, 7:30, Gospel Minute Men meet for counsel and prayer
The second Thursday night of each month is Missionary Society meeting
The second Saturday night of each month the church board meets

Olive Branch Church of the Evangelical United Brethren
Lloyd R. Hansen, Pastor
Church school, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Junior Christian Endeavor Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

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

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

Oronoko Methodist Church
"The Friendly Neighborhood Church"
C. V. Bigler, Pastor
Morning Worship, 10 a.m.
Church school, 11 a.m.
Paul Spaulding superintendent.
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Gallen Methodist Church
Gallen, Michigan
William W. DesAutels, Minister
11:00, Morning Worship. Nur-

tery for pre-school children.
10:00, Church school, Mrs. Ward James superintendent.
7:30, Intermediate and Senior Youth Fellowship
7:30, Second Sunday: Evening service.

7:30 Tuesday: Prayer and Bible study meeting.
4:00 Wednesday, Youth Choir rehearsal.
7:30 Wednesday, Senior Choir rehearsal.

Bethel Temple
113 W. Chicago Street
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Sunday evening evangelistic services at 7:30
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Young People's service
Friday, 7:30 p.m., Bible study

St. Anthony's Catholic Church
11 S. Detroit St., Phone 995
Rev. Francis L. Sharpe, Pastor
Sunday masses at 8:30, 7:30, 9:00, and 10:30 a.m.
Weekday masses at 7 a.m.

The Church of Christ
112 West Third Street
W. Robert Palmer, Minister
Bible school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45, The Lord's Supper; Sermon.
Christian Youth, 6:30 p.m.
Evening service, 7:45
Mid-week prayer meeting and Bible study Thursday, 8:00 o'clock.
Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services

Dayton Community Church
William W. DesAutels, Minister
9:45, Morning Worship. Nursery for pre-school children
10:45, Church school. Arden Brown superintendent
7:30, Intermediate and Senior Youth Fellowship
7:30 Tuesday, Prayer and Bible study, meeting at Gallen Methodist church
4:00 Thursday, Youth Choir rehearsal.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
W. Front and Lake Sts.
Rev. Fred G. Wilkins, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.
Adult Bible class, 9:30 a.m.
Mission Sunday Services—10:30 a.m., "Our Mission Obligation"
7:30 p.m., Guest speaker
Lutheran Radio Services each Sunday, WHFB, Benton Harbor, 9:05 and 11:05 a.m.
The Lutheran Hour, Sunday, WGN, Chicago, 7 p.m.
The television program "This Is The Life," each Sunday, WKZO-TV, channel 3, 11:30 a.m.

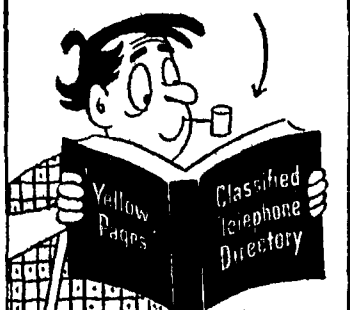
First Presbyterian Church
H. Curlye Carson
9:45 Church School Mrs. Evelyn Dokey, Supt.
11:00 Worship, "The Protevangelium"
7:15 Westminster Fellowship
Kay and Betty Ketch, hostesses
Monday, 7 p.m. Youth Fellowship
Tuesday 8 p.m. Congregational meeting
Wednesday 8:30 Girl Scouts, also Friday. 7 p.m. Boy Scouts
Thursday 7:30 Choir rehearsal, directed by Mrs. Claude Imhoff
8 p.m. Stevenson Guild Christmas party.
Thursday, Dec. 2, 6:30 Boy Scout No. 48 Supper and Charter Night

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
303 N. Oak St.
Elder Jack Rees, Pastor
9:45 Church School
11:00 Worship and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
3:00 Priesthood Meeting
6:30 Zion's League
7:30 Study class
Thursday, 7:30, Fellowship service
Saturday, 9:00 a.m. Bake Sale in the church basement
Dec. 12, 11:00, Gideon Service
Dec. 12-19 Elder Ed Barlow, district missionary, will be with us

See the Man with a Plan — HABERLE



OIL BURNERS



Church of Christ Buys Property From Adventists

The Buchanan Church of Christ finished another step in its long-range program of building expansion Monday by completing the purchase of the former Seventh Day Adventist building, located on

the adjoining lot to the west. A steady growth in the size of the congregation had made an expansion program necessary. Not long ago the average attendance was from 125 to 150. Now the attendance ranges from 350 to 390. The present main church building was erected 14 years ago with the smaller-sized congregation in mind.

The first step of this expansion program was taken a year ago, when the congregation bought a

lot 182 by 66 feet in dimension immediately north of the church site. This area was leveled for use as a parking lot. The same year (1953) a new basement wing was extended from the north side of the building, with a modern interior and furnishings to accommodate the expanding program of the young people's department. The purchase of the Seventh Day Adventist building was the third step.

The next steps in the program of improvement and expansion are 1. The improvement of the parsonage; 2. The erection of a new worship center ring (including offices), adjoining the present church on the west and extending out into the new corner lot secured through purchase of the Adventist church. The old Advent church which was bought this week will serve temporarily as a Bible school annex and junior church auditorium until it is razed as a step to a modern replacement.

The new acquisition gives the Church of Christ congregation over two-thirds of an acre of ground advantageously located on one of the best church sites in the city, a corner lot, a splendid parking lot, plenty of street parking, with a Third street frontage of 170 feet, a Moccasin avenue frontage

of 96 feet, and a total depth of 219 feet. The congregation now has in its possession ample ground for any possible building expansion which may be required by further growth of the congregation and its needs.

Lutheran Church Observes Mission Sunday On Dec. 5

The annual Mission Sunday will be observed by St. Paul's Lutheran church of Buchanan, this coming Sunday, Dec. 5. Special Mission, sermons will be featured in the two services on that day. The pastor of the congregation, the Rev. Fred G. Wilkins, will preach in the morning service, which begins at 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. V. J. Zuberbier of Trinity Lutheran church of Glendora will speak in the evening service at 7:30.

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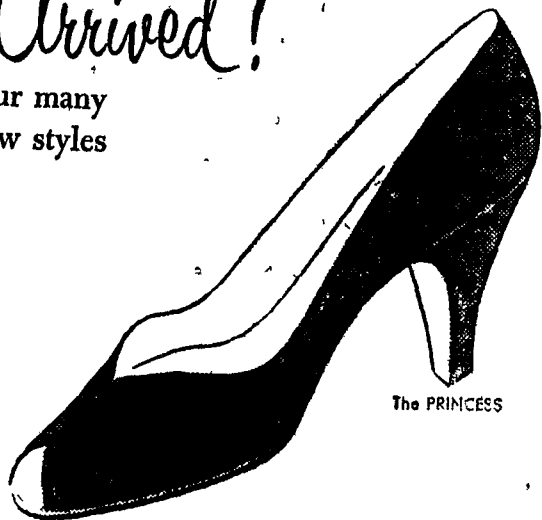
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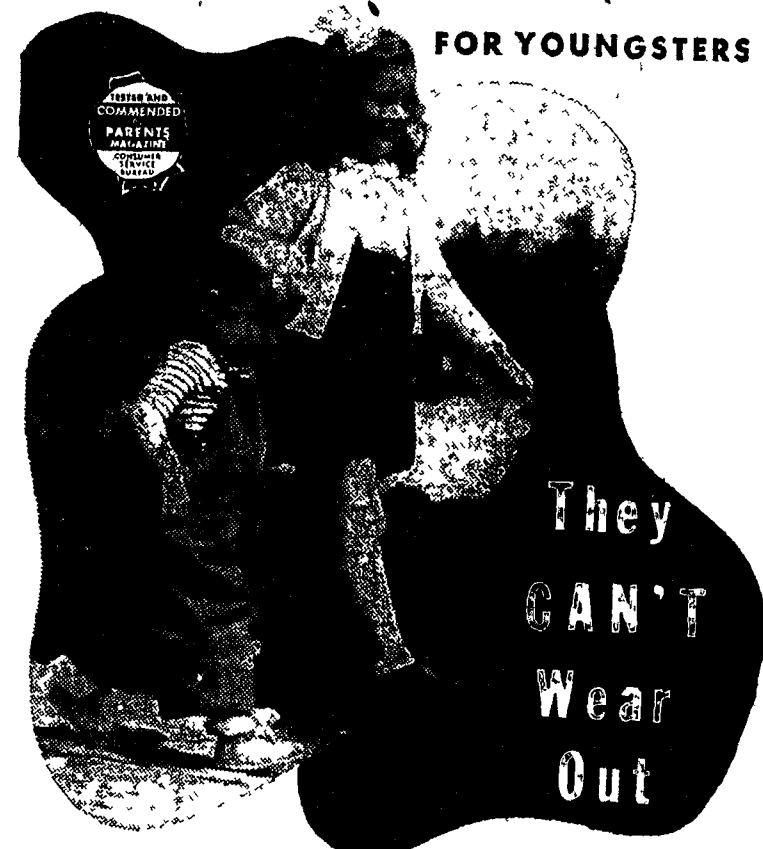


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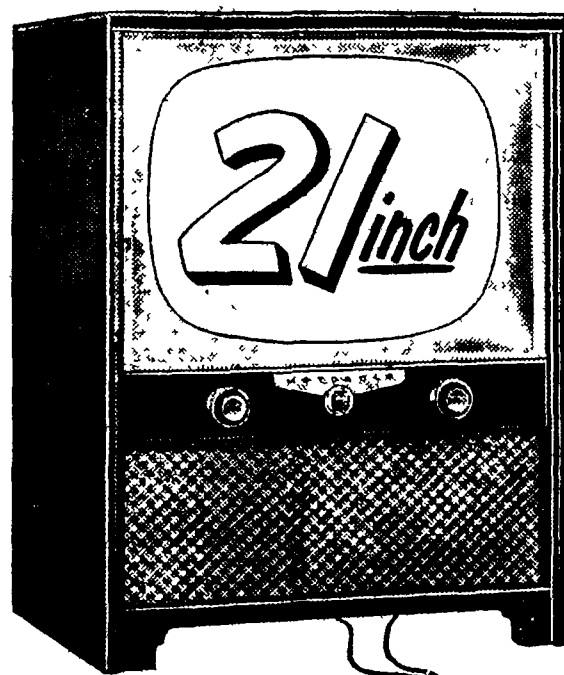
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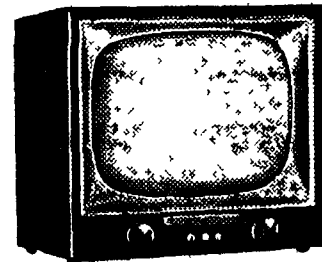
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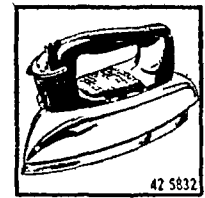
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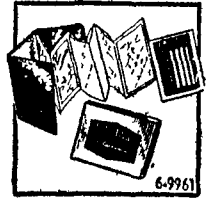
Corn Popper
\$4.59

2-qt. Coronado electric, no shaking! Top part lifts out for serving. UL listed.



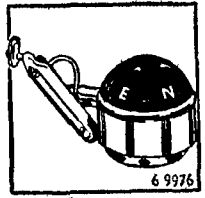
GE Steam Iron
\$17.95

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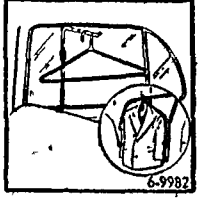
20-Card Case
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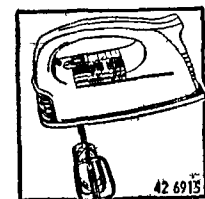
Suit Hanger
79c

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Wrist Watch
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Roy Rogers and Trigger on dial. Rugged chromed case, steel back. Leather band.



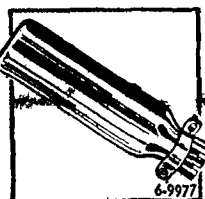
G.E. Mixer
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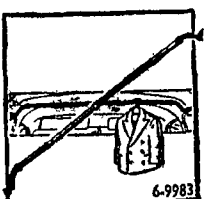
6-Key Case
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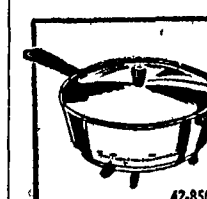
Exhaust Jet
\$1.49

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Car Hanger
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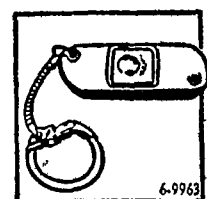
Presto Skillet
\$27.95

Automatic electric, cook and serve in it. Ideal for buffets. "Silver-smith" finish.



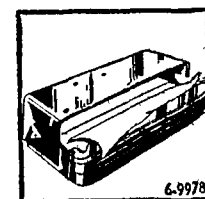
Roaster Oven
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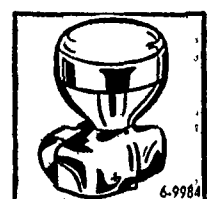
Key Ring Set
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Dispenser
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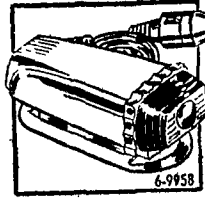
Wheel Spinner
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Flavo-Matic
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Vanity Mirror
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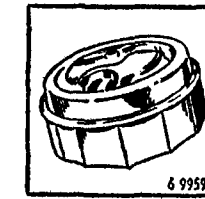
"Leisure" Robe
\$10.95

90% virgin wool, 10% nylon for long wear. 60x64" fringed aqua, red or green plaids.



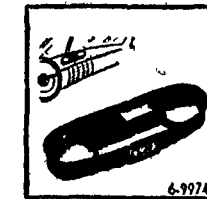
Coffee Maker
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Coronado automatic, adjustable strength control. Up to ten cups capacity. A beauty!



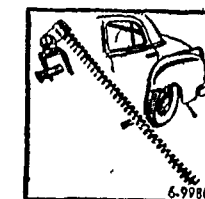
Car Ash Tray
89c

Alnico magnets hold it to any metal surface. Chrome-plastic with chrome top.



Magnetic Tray
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Stays put on dash. Sectioned, has secret place for valuables. Sports design, plastic.



Curb Alarm
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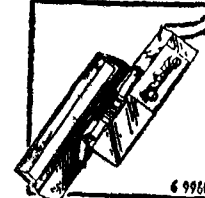
Sport Robe
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All wool plaids, 52x68". Plastic carryall case inflates to form handy cushion.



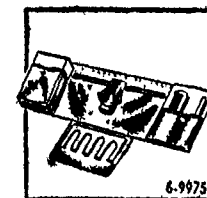
Fryer-Roaster
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Coronado automatic with 1-knob control. Will cook whole meat all once. UL listed.



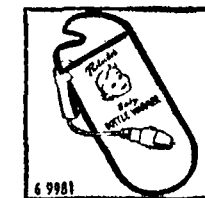
Bantam Light
59c

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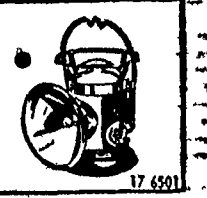
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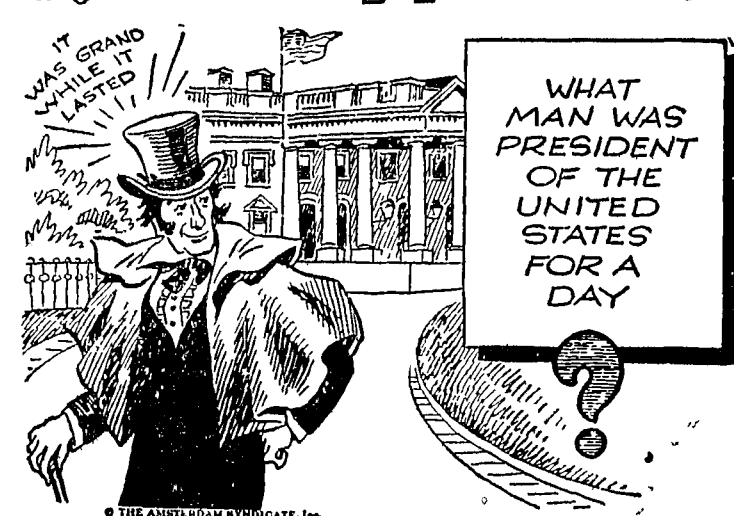
BUCHANAN SOCIAL EVENTS

Child Study Club Plans Holiday Party

The Buchanan Child Study club will meet Monday evening, Dec. 6, with Mrs. Wayne Castle, Mrs. Richard Post will be the assisting hostess. Mrs. Kent Hassan will preside during the business session.

This will be the annual Christmas party and members' children will present the program of entertainment. An auction sale of usable children's clothing will be held, the proceeds to be used for welfare work.

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The Horace Hawks Honored On Their Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hawks, 303 Liberty avenue, who were married 50 years ago on Nov. 23 in Watervliet, were honored at a family dinner Sunday in their home with 34 relatives present. Mr. and Mrs. Hawks have six children, three sons, Orville, Robert and Phillip, all of Buchanan, and three daughters, Mrs. Hildred Burchfield of St. Joseph, Mrs. Elaine Kohlhoff of South Haven, and Mrs. Dorothy Kohlhoff of Ladoga, Mich. All the children and 11 grandchildren attended the affair. One grandson, Jack Burchfield, a student at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, was unable to be present.

Mr. Hawks worked for many years at the Clark Equipment company plant, but is now retired. Other guests attended from Hartford and Watervliet.

was bride, maid. She wore a gown of pale blue net over satin, and carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses. Charles Snouwaert and Arnold Ender, Galien, acted as groomsmen. David Lee, Dayton, cousin of the bride, and Ted Marsh, Galien, brother of the groom, were the ushers.

The bride's mother wore a dress of gray crepe with black accessories and a corsage of pink and white mums. The groom's mother was unable to attend on account of illness.

A reception for 85 guests was held following the ceremony in the home of the bride's grandmother in Dayton. Charles Kiasner furnished the music for the reception on a Hammond organ. Guests attended from Chicago, Galien, Buchanan and Dayton.

Besides the bride's parents, who attended from Chicago, Miss Kay Murray of Chicago was also a guest.

The bride was graduated from South Shore high school, Chicago, and is employed in the office of the Clark Equipment company. Mr. Marsh, who has been serving in the Air Force in Korea, is home on a 30-day furlough on account of his mother's illness.

Toll Bridge Club

The Toll bridge club will meet Thursday evening, Dec. 9, with Mrs. A. Preston Sprague for the annual Christmas party.



Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hawks cut their Golden Wedding Anniversary cake as their children and grandchildren join to honor them.

Family Thanksgiving Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chadderton entertained at a family dinner on Thanksgiving day. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chadderton and two daughters, Dale and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ravish and daughter, Wilma, and Ethel Hartline of Buchanan, also Stella Chadderton of South Bend.

Legion Auxiliary Past Presidents Parley Held Here

The Past Presidents Parley of the American Legion Auxiliary met Monday evening in the Legion home with Mrs. Guy Eisenhart as hostess. The members worked on cancer pads for the Berrien county Cancer Society with Mrs. Burton Mills as instructor. During the social hour prizes at games were won by Mrs. A. Preston Sprague, Mrs. Jack Pinkerton, Mrs. Warren Juhl and Mrs. William York. The next meeting will be on Dec. 27, and will be a Christmas party and gift exchange with Mrs. Lester McGowan, chairman of the arrangements committee.

LOCALS

Sara Marrs left Ann Arbor on Tuesday afternoon so she could spend Thanksgiving and a long weekend here with her parents, the Fred Marrs. Her sister, Shela, did not get home, so was a guest of the Bonser family in Dayton, O., for the week-end. Charles Crawford of Plano, Ill., was a guest of Sara and her family during the weekend.

Mrs. Charles Karker is recovering from a fall in which she fractured her leg, but is still wearing a cast.

The James Meek family have moved into the rural section of St. Joseph, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geminder and daughter returned to their home Friday after spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman. Their son, Danny, remained to visit here a couple of weeks.

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- TASTE O' SEA Frozen FISH STICKS 10 oz. pkg. 39c
- SU-Z-Q CUT GREEN BEANS . . . 16 oz. 2 for 25c
- SU-Z-Q WHOLE KERNEL CORN . . . 16 oz. 2 for 25c
- SU-Z-Q WHOLE IRISH POTATOES . . . 16 oz. 2 for 25c
- MONARCH SAUER KRAUT . . . 16 oz. 2 for 25c
- SU-Z-Q TOMATOES . . . 16 oz. 2 for 25c

- HEINZ KETCHUP . . . 14 oz. bottle 2 for 45c
- VET'S DOG FOOD . . . 16 oz. 6 for 49c
- BAKER'S INSTANT "4 in 1" COCOA . . . 8 oz. 23c
- SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS . . . lb. box 25c
- SUNSHINE GRAHAM CRACKERS . . lb. box 29c
- DOESKIN TISSUE . . . 4 roll pkg. 57c
- FAB . . . giant 69c
- VEL . . . giant 69c
- CASHMERE . . . reg. 3 for 25c
- BOUQUET . . . bath 2 for 25c
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- CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS . . . lb. 59c
- PORK HOCKS . . . lb. 27c
- LEAN PORK STEAK . . . lb. 49c
- SHOULDER PORK ROAST . . . Tenderized . . . lb. 39c
- FROZEN BEEF TONGUE . . . lb. 23c
- HERRUD'S SKINLESS FRANKS . . . lb. 39c
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SECTION 2
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1954

GOP Gives Williams Free Rein on Policies

When politicians took a fresh look at Michigan's new state government they wondered when the rolling pins would start to fly. For the first time since 1937, the administration will be Democratic from top to bottom, giving Gov. Williams his long-sought "team" on the State Administrative Board. Williams was overjoyed at the

thought, Republicans were disappointed, but thoughtful.

Republican leaders in the legislature already are planning to expand their House and Senate staffs to do work they previously could count on from state officers.

"It's too tempting for a Democrat in state office to do what Williams wants and forget the legislature," said Senator Creighton R. Coleman (R-Battle Creek).

Best bet is that the auditing staff of Comptroller C. J. McNeil will be increased and an informal "watchdog" committee will be created for the legislature.

At the same time, Republicans are leaning toward giving Williams what he wants in the way of legislation this winter and letting him live with the record.

"He has earned the right to have to explain himself," said one GOP leader. "He will have no one to criticize but himself."

The Senate also is ready to confirm 38 holdover appointments they ignored last year in the hope of putting the posts at the disposal of a Republican governor. Helmsmen in the Senate predict that the 38 will be brought out on the floor and confirmed quickly in the 1955 session and 32 others appointed since last spring will also get the nod.

Republicans are itching to see what Williams does with his "cabinet," a handful of comparative unknowns who have only limited experience in government.

"Now instead of blasting a Republican every time things don't go as he wants, Williams will have to be a leader," said one Republican.

Law enforcement officers over the state are jumping at what they consider a mandate to chase charitable bingo out of their counties.

The Nov. 2 election turned down a proposed constitutional amend-



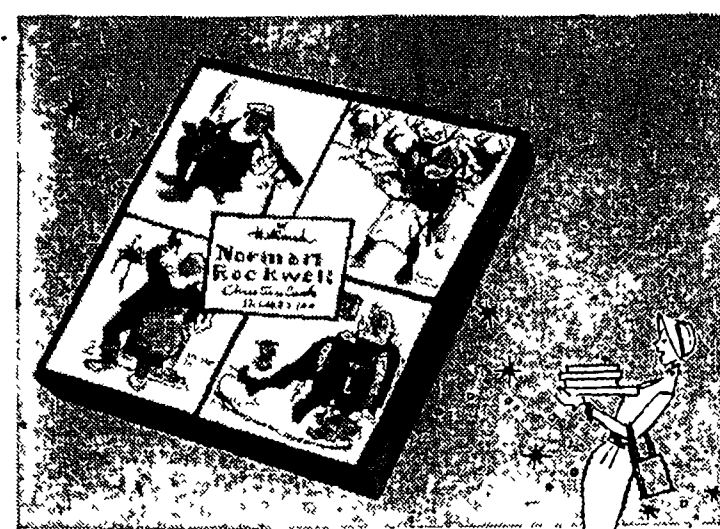
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Ruggerio Ricci To Play Dec. 5 With So. Bend Symphony

Music lovers of Buchanan are reminded of the second concert program of the South Bend Symphony Orchestra Association to be held in the John Adams Auditorium next Sunday, Dec. 5, at 4 p. m. Buchanan time.

The guest artist that evening will be Ruggerio Ricci, world-famous American violinist. Ricci will play on a rare violin valued at over \$200,000 made by Joseph Guarnerius del Gesu in 1734.

Ricci was born in San Francisco 33 years ago. At twelve he was touring Europe, appearing with major orchestras. Since then he has played for thousands of audiences in the United States and many other nations in Europe and South America. After his present tour of the United States he will leave for appearances in the new Jewish nation of Israel.

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Republicans in state offices still are sniping at Democrats, and probably will until Dec. 31 when they clean out their desks and bid adieu to state government.

Auditor-General John B. Martin, who spent the fall digging into the insurance department with embarrassing results, has taken off on the Democratic-controlled Liquor Control Commission.

He said that up to 3,000 cases of liquor are turned loose as gifts every year by the commission. This figures out at 60,000 bottles.

"This is too good a thing to call samples," he said.

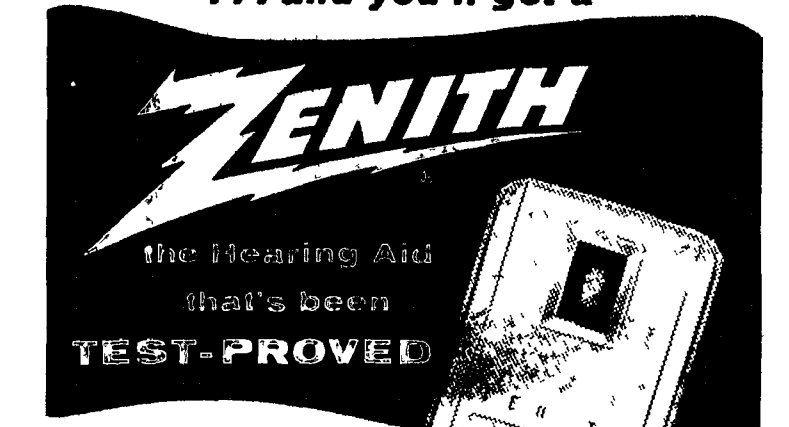
Commission executives say that Martin is exaggerating the situation, that liquor salesmen and vendors are permitted only a restricted amount to distribute each year.

Martin asked one embarrassing question, however: "How many of the 'samples' are going to politicians?"

Advent Dorcas Society
Twelve members of the Dorcas society of the Seventh Day Adventist church met in the home of Mrs. John Barrett, Monday evening. Plans were completed for distributing Thanksgiving baskets to needy families Wednesday evening. The group completed work on a comforter for a needy family and started work on another.

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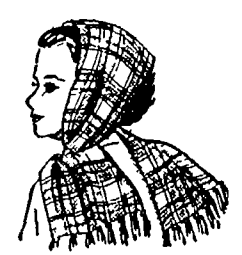
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Court house round-up

St. Joseph, Mich. — Berrien county was accorded some rather startling disclosures of pre-election political maneuvers while getting two duly-installed presiding circuit judges in colorful courtroom ceremonies here last week.

The judges, of course, are Thomas N. Robinson, Sr., and Phillip A. Hadsell, Sr., winners in the Nov. 2 election.

The disclosures concerned the groundwork which had been laid by the Berrien county Bar Association prior to the No. 2 election to prevent the seating of a non-lawyer on the Berrien bench.

Berrien's erstwhile probate judge, Malcolm Hatfield, who is not a lawyer, had shattered all precedent by tossing in his hat to make the non-partisan race for

two circuit judge posts a four-way race. Atty. Karl Zick of Benton Harbor, also was in the race.

As it turned out, Hatfield ran a poor fourth when all the returns were in. But no one has ever denied the politically adroit Hatfield his just due as a politician. A life-long Democrat who first ascended to the probate bench in the Roosevelt landslide of 1932, Hatfield has managed to cling to the post in predominately Republican Berrien county ever since.

So like good boy scouts the Berrien bar decided to "be prepared," just in case Hatfield maintained his never-defeated record in the annals of Berrien politics.

Pre-election talk abounded about the bar association's plans to continue the anti-Hatfield fight beyond the ballot boxes, if necessary. But the attorneys weren't talking about their plans. They already had shattered all precedent themselves by taking an active part in the election — supporting the three lawyer-candidates against the candidacy of Hatfield.

When Glenn C. Gillespie, of Pontiac, a one-time Oakland county circuit judge, mounted the rostrum, to address the bar association at a post-installation banquet honoring Hadsell and Robinson, he told all.

He told how the Berrien bar and the Michigan State Bar Association, which had joined the local lawyers in the fight, had engaged him to prepare an immediate supreme court test of Hatfield's qualification to hold down the circuit court bench if elected. He also told the form the case he was preparing would have taken.

He said he had planned to try and persuade the high court to

rule Hatfield unqualified for the job on grounds that the supreme court has "inherent" powers to set qualifications of officers for inferior courts under its jurisdiction. He also said he planned to show that the term "Judge" as used, undefined, in the state constitution actually connotes a lawyer-trained person. He had law to quote from in support of the claim.

But when Hatfield went down to defeat, the supreme court test went down with him. So, Gillespie and the Michigan Bar Association turned their attention to preventing "such a situation from arising again." Gillespie said he is preparing the rough draft of a law for presentation to the state legislature in January which would, based upon the same two legal tenets, preclude any non-lawyer from holding office as a circuit judge in the future.

Frank A. Small, chairman of the Berrien board of supervisors, put his whole 250 pounds into a big sigh of relief here this week.

For chairman Small had in his possession a letter from Berrien county prosecutor Joseph Kilian which absolved him of unethical business dealings with Berrien county while serving as a member and chairman of the board.

Small felt the sting of criticism in an audit of Berrien finances by the state auditor-general's office. The audit singled out some \$5,500 in purchases made by Berrien county from the Twin City Boiler Works, Inc., of Benton Harbor, a firm Small once managed, and suggested that an investigation of the purchases by the prosecutor might be in order.

The audit pointed out that state law prohibits members of the board from conducting business with the county during and for a Boiler Works is a partnership time after their tenure of service on the board. It also pointed out that the firm was owned by Small's wife, Carrie, and her two sisters.

"You state that the Twin City board," it also pointed out that the firm was owned by Small's wife, Carrie, and her two sisters owned entirely by your wife and two sisters and that you personally have had no interest whatsoever in it and are not now or have not been for some time employed by the business," Kilian wrote to Small.

"Based upon these facts, it is my opinion that you have no such interest in the business as would preclude (it) from doing work for the County of Berrien."

The Berrien county courtroom was a place of double distinction this week.

In addition to being the scene of the simultaneous installation of two elected circuit court judges for the first time in Berrien county history, the courtroom also saw the largest group of aliens ever to become U. S. citizens at any one time here, sworn in by Judge Thomas N. Robinson, Sr., performed his last official act as an interim appointee to the bench before becoming a duly-elected circuit judge, presided over the ceremonies. Thirty-nine aliens in all took their oaths of citizenship that day.

County Clerk Frank J. Dwyer, Jr., administered the oaths, migration examiner Stanton L. Smiley, of Hammond, Ind., entered the motion that they be admitted to citizenship.

The ceremonies fell right before

What you should know about Christmas

OLDEST of the usual elements of the Christmas feast is the mince pie. The devout were supposed to eat 12 between December 25 and January 6. The recipe symbolized the gifts of the Magi. The crust: gold; the spices: myrrh; the aroma: frankincense.



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West Buchanan

Dayton Rebekahs Nominate Slate of Officers

During the regular meeting of the Dayton Rebekah lodge, Wednesday evening in the Odd Fellow hall, the last nominations for the slate of 1955 officers were held. The election will be held at the Dec. 8 meeting. Named on the special committee for that meeting were Mrs. John Dering and

Mrs. Earl Swann. Tentative plans were discussed for the annual Christmas party on Dec. 22. Games were played during the social hour and prizes went to Mrs. Dering, Mrs. Harold Cautman, Mrs. Valmore Speckline, Mrs. Ross Jakway, Mrs. Dennis Townsend and Mrs. Arden Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dallymple attended a family dinner Thanksgiving day in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Cole, Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frame were guests at a Thanksgiving dinner in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Frame, Mishawaka, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Makowski

and family, Chicago, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pylman, Thursday to Berrien Springs, where they had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Doughlen and son, Howard, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Doughlen and their daughters of Gallen were guests at a family Thanksgiving dinner in the home of the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Renbarger, Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilcox were Thursday dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilcox, Portage Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Williams entertained twenty-five guests at a Thanksgiving dinner. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kahlmorgen and son, William, Mr. and Mrs. William Nijak and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tomkins, Mrs. Russell Roush, Jr., and daughter, all of South Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kahlmorgen, Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pylman of Chicago were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pylman.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tumbleson and daughters of Portage Prairie were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wilcox were among the guests at a family Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gridley of Three Oaks.

Mrs. Shuman Server spent Thanksgiving day with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strunk, Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Frame and daughter, Leanne, were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frame.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. King and family, Elkhart, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dallymple, over the week end.

Richmond, Va., in 1742, is said to have been the site of the first fair in America.

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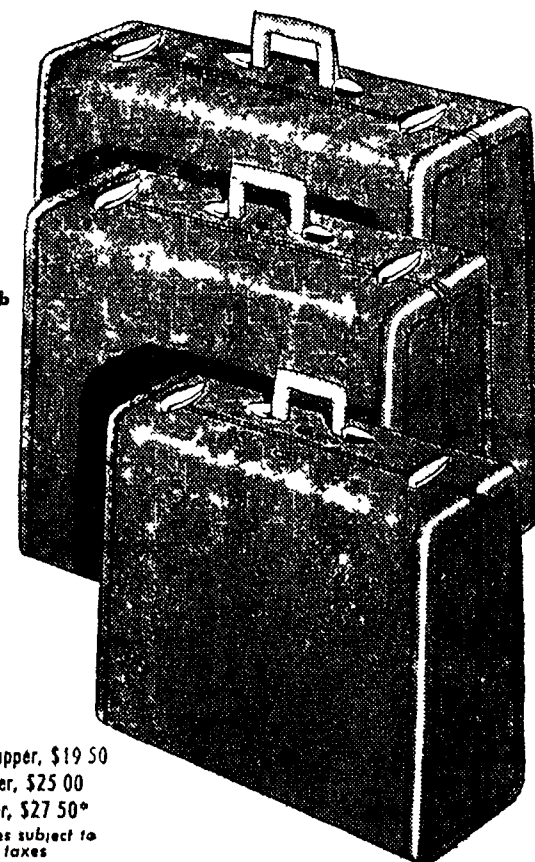
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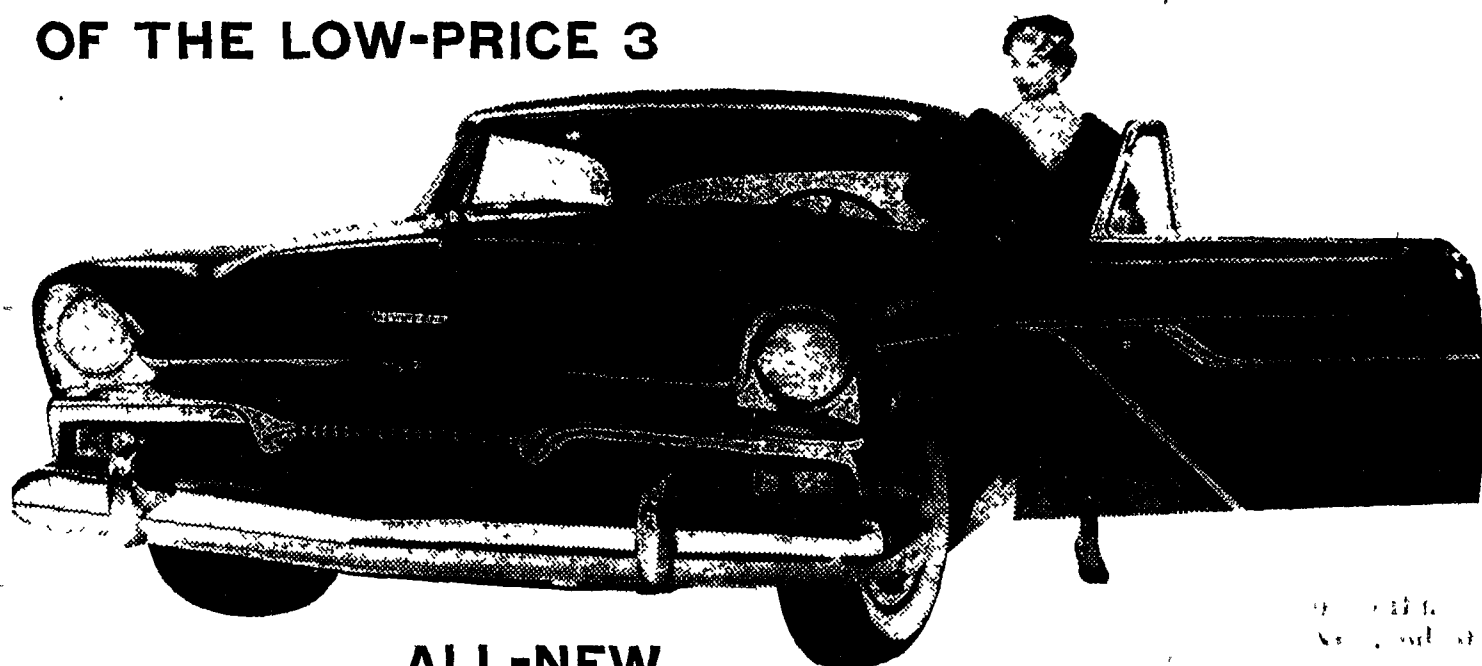
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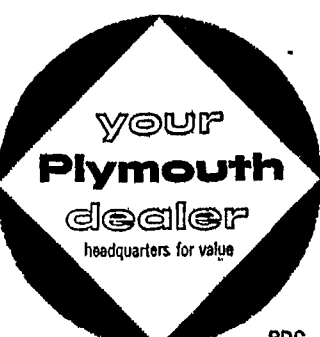
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Bob Bowers Is "Merchant of Week" This Week

This week the Record presents as its weekly Meet Your Merchant feature, Mr. Robert S. ("When your light goes out, think

of me") Bowers of Terre Coupe Road

Personally, Bob shouldn't need too much introduction, as he very narrowly escaped being a native of the town. Anyway he left his native Chicago at the age of 5 years, when his parents moved to Buchanan. The next year he entered the Buchanan grades in the old Dewey Avenue school. He was graduated from the Buchanan



high school with the class of 1933. He didn't do much for two years after graduation. Everyone who remembers that demoralized year will understand why. There were no jobs.

But in 1935 he entered the employ of the Myers Electric company, which had its location in one of the rooms lately vacated by the H. V. Riley restaurant and news stand at 106 West Front street. There he remained a little over two years, learning all about electricity, such as what a watt is — we mean, what a watt is (what is it anyway, Bob?). Then he went to Niles and worked over a year for the Lagoni Electric Service. When World War II got under way he returned to Buchanan and joined the maintenance staff of the Clark Equipment company, where he remained 5 1/2 years, until 1946. All this was good training, and when the work tapered off

there Bob entered business on his own.

He now has a flourishing business in a shop adjoining his home on Terre Coupe Road. His home and shop are in the city but they are at the end of a suburban lane which turns left at the elbow in Terre Coupe, just southwest and beyond the intersection of West Chicago and that street.

He married Fern Paulson on July 16, 1939. They now have a fine family of five children. They are: William, age 15, 9th grade, James, 13, 7th grade, Janet, 9, 4th grade, Roberta, 3, George Edward, 9 months.

They have their home in a beautiful location, conveniently in the city and yet as isolated as the lane's end as if it were miles in the country. It's where Bob was reared. Just an ideal place to rear five, or any number of kids

Portage Prairie

Mrs. W. E. Baker

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vite entertained at a family gathering on Thanksgiving day.

The annual Thanksgiving supper of the Dutch Corners school was held at the Bertrand town hall on Tuesday evening with 50 pupils and their parents present. After the supper a film was shown by the teacher, Miss Wilma Carlin. Gene and Glen Baker spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gore in South Bend.

Rev. Wayne Palmer has returned from a hunting trip in the northern part of Michigan.

The annual Christmas party of the Portage Prairie Child Study club will be held at the Bertrand town hall on Monday evening, Dec. 6. A planned potluck supper will be served. Mrs. Maynard Ewert and Mrs. Wilmer Baker are arranging the supper. There will also be a gift exchange when the Secret Pals will be revealed.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. S. W. S. will be held on Thursday in Fellowship hall. A potluck dinner will be served at noon and Mrs. Ernest Crouch will be the hostess. The group will sew on cancer dressings in the forenoon and Mrs. Fred Reum will be in charge of the afternoon meeting.

Wayne Wagoner, Ralph Hurley, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clifton, Jr., have returned to East Lansing to resume their studies, after spending the Thanksgiving weekend with relatives here.

The Live Wire class will hold an all-day meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. York on Friday. Mrs. William Elsie will be in charge of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hartline entertained on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gamble and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kerchner and daughters of Cleveland Road, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clifton, Jr., of East Lansing.

The Adult and Junior Leagues of the E. U. B. church will meet on Friday evening for a potluck supper and Christmas party in Fellowship hall. Election of officers will be part of the business for the evening.

Miss Donna Vite has returned to her studies at Naperville, after spending the Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vite.

Mr. and Mrs. William Elsie entertained at a Thanksgiving supper. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Vite and sons, Robert and William, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker and family, Gene, Glen and Cathy, Arthur Eisele, Miss Sandra Borst and John Borst.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mitchell and Mrs. Marilyn Johnson spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Mitchell and daughters at Buchanan.

Miss Lois Crouch and Miss Joan Rotzien spent the weekend with their parents. The girls are students at Western Michigan Teachers' College at Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mitchell have returned from a visit with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Raatz, at Lansing. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Chase at Galesburg.

The annual church and Sunday school election of the E. U. B. church will be held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 8.

Mrs. Bernard Fay is a patient in Pawating hospital, Niles.

If your family is too small to make good use of a whole turkey for Thanksgiving dinner, try roasting a half or quarter. Or buy turkey by the piece. Perhaps you will want to buy a whole bird, cut it in two, use one half for Thanksgiving and freeze the other for use at Christmas.

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1954 Tuberculosis Christmas Seals Are Now On Sale

One girl has bangs, another pig-tails; there's a boy in a bow-tie and another wearing a four-in-hand; still another is dressed in overalls. They're on the 1954 tuberculosis Christmas Seals, which will be delivered to Berrien county homes beginning Nov. 22.

In fact, a count shows a total of 250 children run across the face of each sheet of the new Christmas Seals. According to the Michigan TB Association, "they're representative of the legions of children who will be given more safety from tuberculosis through your Christmas Seal purchase."

Christmas Seal sale contributions are leveled at preventing the disease — stopping the TB germ before it strikes. Programs kept up through Christmas Seal buyers range from health teaching in the schools to promoting aid for the TB victims. Out of every dollar

given, 94 cents fights TB in Michigan, with the rest going to the National TB Association for research and other country-wide TB programs.

While the association's Christmas Seals are sold only during the holiday season, the battle against TB is carried on the year-around — the work is aimed, as the association says, toward the time when "no one need be separated from his family at Christmas, or at any other time of the year, by a disease which is entirely preventable."

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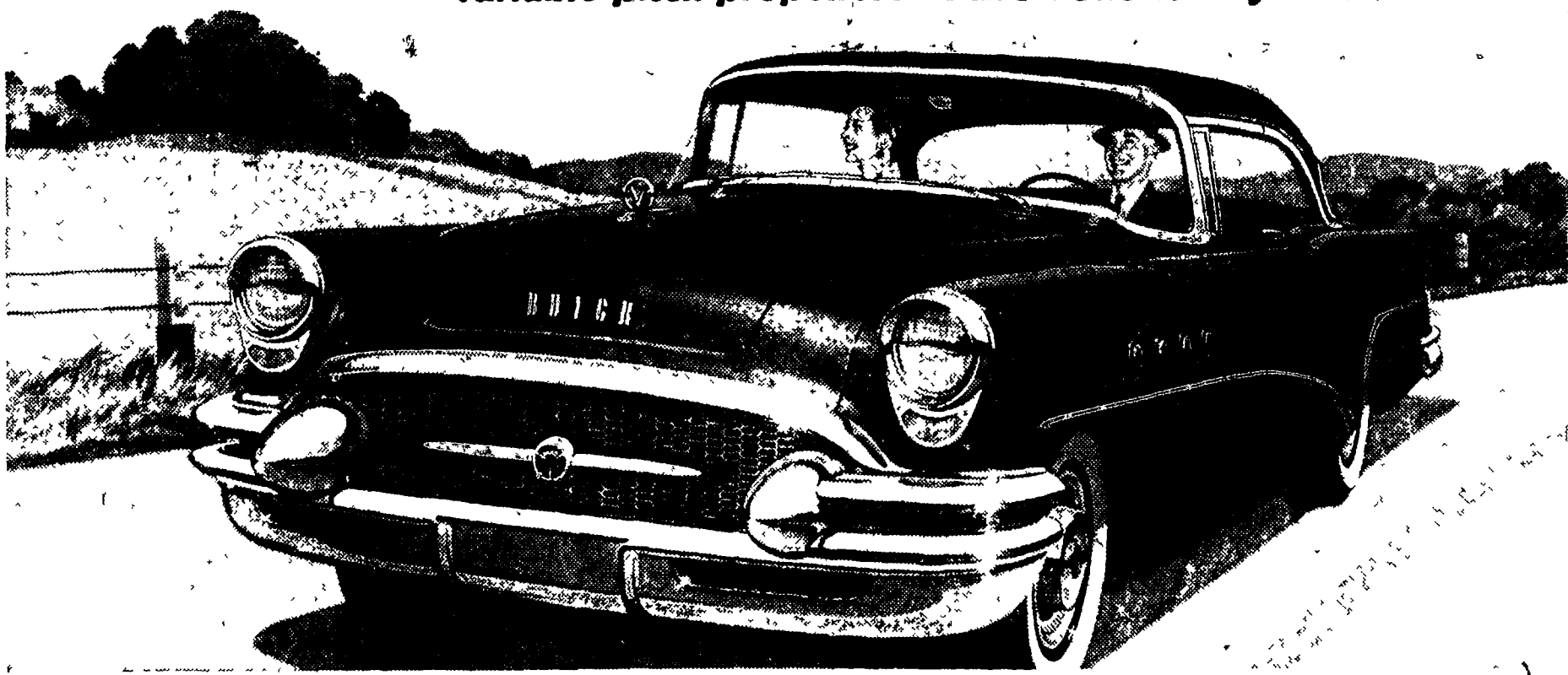
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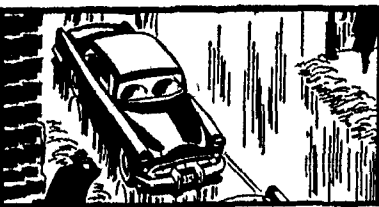
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News From Galien and Vicinity

Gallen 4-H Club Holds Its Achievement Banquet

Last Saturday night in the Galien high school, the 4-H club held their achievement banquet with one hundred parents, members and guests present. The gymnasium was decorated in green and white and the table centerpieces were made of crepe paper in the shape of corn shocks and ears of corn. The 4-H club trophies belonging to the members of the club, decorated the head table. Rex Smith was the toastmaster, Lloyd Burns gave the invocation, Jean Ann Wallace gave two baton twirling acts, Dr. Richard Schaub of New Carlisle showed films of Europe taken when Dr. Schaub was stationed there. Mrs. Geraldine Goodenough awarded the certificates and pins and summarized the year's work as follows: Sixty-seven members completed 170 projects, in county-wide activities, three first place demonstrations were awarded, one second place talent contest winner, one first place plowing contest winner, one second place window display, there were six members on the county judging team, four members were initiated into the country service club, three members were club week delegates and one member was selected to go to forestry camp; there were four county medal winners, nineteen members on the county honor roll.

At the Youth Fair there were five grand champion placings, three reserve champion placings, ten placings in showmanship and horsemanship, eight exhibits at the state show and three have been selected to exhibit at farmers' week.

The local club had a reserve grand champion saddle horse in state show; one first place winner in produce of dam; one third place winner in the tractor plowing contest; three state winners in the national contests; one sectional winner in the national contests; two members will go to the 4-H club National Congress in Chicago; three members will go to Chicago to the live stock show. Mrs. Goodenough also announced that Donald Metzger had a second place blue ribbon in the corn exhibit. She also announced that Morley Bros., corn dealers, contributed seed corn and corn awards. These two items were omitted in a previous 4-H club write-up.

Hazel Black, Clarence Marsh United in Marriage

Miss Hazel Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Black of Chicago, became the bride of A. J. Clarence Marsh, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Marsh of Galien, last Monday night in the Galien Methodist church. The Rev. William Des Autels pastor of the church, performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with baskets of cut flowers. Charles Klaser played nuptial music on the organ. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white ballerina length gown made of lace and net. Her shoulder length veil of illusion was held in place with a white head-piece. Her colonial bouquet was of yellow roses. Mrs. Aaron Dickey as matron of honor wore a ballerina length gown of pink with a matching head-piece of flowers and net and matching colonial bouquet. Miss Pitt Hemp-

Clark Equipment company in Buchanan and Mr. Marsh has been stationed with the Air Force in Korea.

Hold Baptismal Service At Methodist Church

Baptism services were held in the Galien Methodist church on Sunday morning. David Charles, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson of Kalamazoo, and David Fletcher, son of Rev. and Mrs. William Des Autels, were baptized. The Rev. Des Autels' sermon topic was "Believing Too Little, Too Much." The choir under the direction of Mrs. Alwilda Seyfried, sang "Close To Thee."

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Wallace are the parents of a nine-pound two ounce son born Nov. 18. The baby has been named Denise Michael.

Mrs. Mabel Gearhart is a patient in the St. Anthony's hospital in Michigan City where she is undergoing treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Longfellow entertained their family at a Thanksgiving Day dinner on Thursday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marion Dodd and children of Benton Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Longfellow and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Longfellow and children, Tom Longfellow and Miss Pauline Freeling of New Troy.

Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Potter were Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Harker and sons and Mrs. Doris Swartz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Vandergriff and Mrs. Ida Faulstich went to Rochester, Ind., on Thanksgiving day and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melbern McGovern. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Layman and family of New Buffalo, Mrs. Anna Layman of New Carlisle,

hill was the bridesmaid and her ballerina length gown was blue with matching head dress and bouquet.

Charles Snort of Niles was the best man and Arnold Ender was the groomsmen. Teddy Marsh and David Lee ushered the guests to their seats.

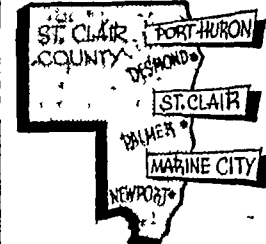
Mrs. Black wore a gray taffeta

dress with a pink rose corsage for her daughter's wedding.

The bride is employed with the Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mrozinski and family of Rolling Prairie and Miss Geraldine Ellsworth of Three Oaks were dinner guests. Thanksgiving of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kinne Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson and family had as Thanksgiving

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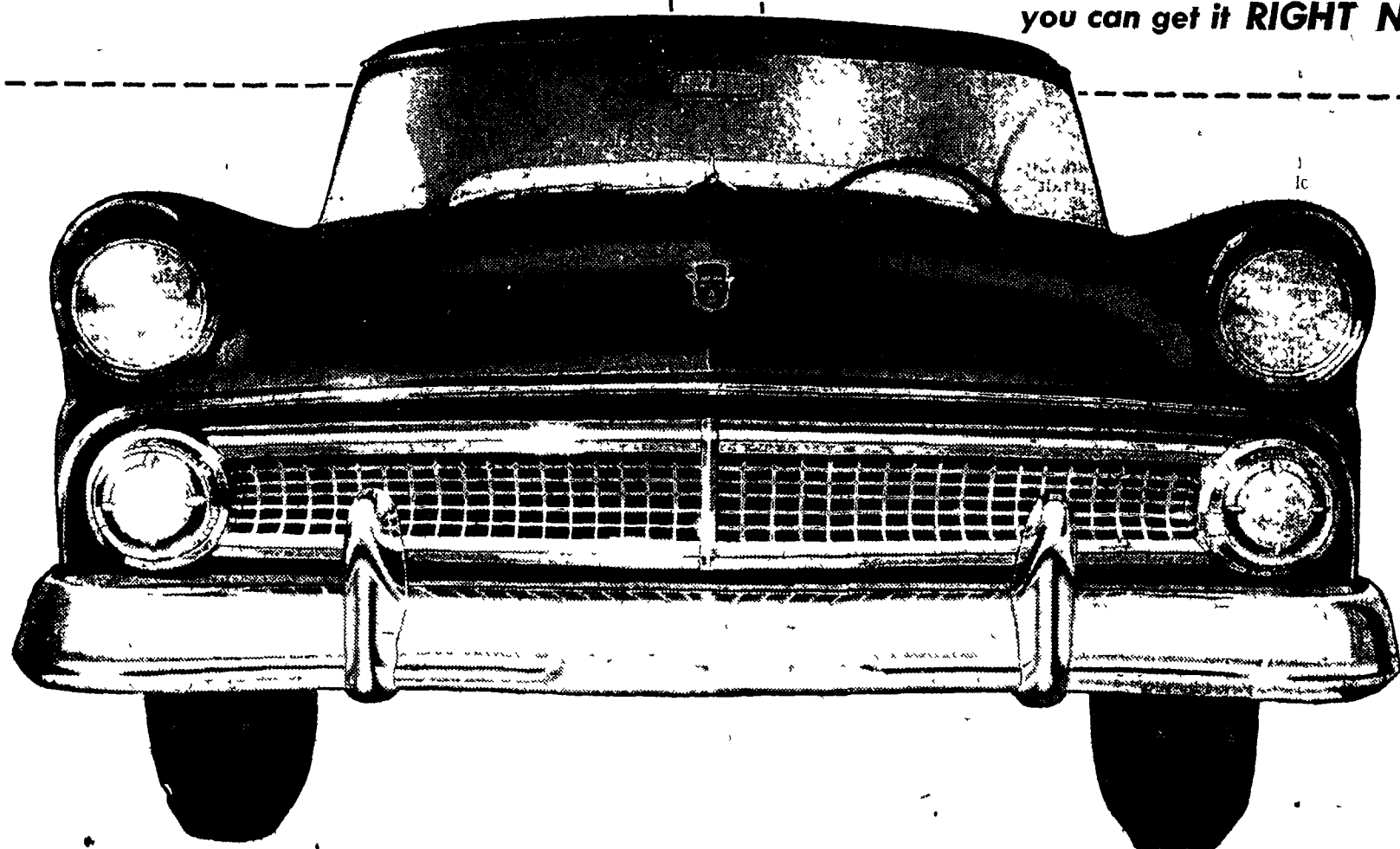
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day guests, Dr. and Mrs. G. G. O'Malley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Creamer and children spent the holiday week end with Mrs. Goldye Creamer in Sedalia, Mo., and Manville Carothers in Kirksville, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cook and son had Thursday dinner with his folks, the Lawrence Cooks.

Thanksgiving day dinner guests of the Carl Renbargers were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hinman, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Renbarger and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Renbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Seyfried spent Thursday in Manchester, Mich., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Con Allen were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Dasher in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dalrymple and children spent Thursday with her family, Mr. and Mrs. William Guhl and family in New Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Koefel and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schroeder have gone to California for the winter months. Their plans are to return in March.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Renbarger came from suburban Detroit to spend the week-end with his parents, the Earnest Renbargers, on Thursday. The Earnest Renbargers, the Ray Renbargers and Mrs. Carl Nisch went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Griffith in Mishawaka for Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. Leslie Goodenough has returned from Elkhart, Ind., where she spent the last two weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. Foster Potter and daughters, Pat and Dorothy, and son, Johnny, Mrs. Claude Myers and Mrs. Marvin Shank spent Friday in Chicago, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern May had Thursday dinner with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd May.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley James and sons left Monday to return to their home in Charleston, South Carolina, after spending several days in the home of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ward James, Miss Maxine James has returned to her teaching duties in the Birmingham schools after spending the holiday week-end in her home here. Mrs. Ward James, who underwent surgery recently at the Memorial hospital, South Bend, was brought to her home Friday and is making good recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley had as guests on Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelley and daughter of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hebblewhite and son of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Graham and children.

Zenith Radio Announces New Hearing Aid

Zenith Radio Corp. today announced it has the most powerful hearing aid in its history at a price no higher than other models in Zenith's "T" series of tubeless, transistor instruments, according to William N. Brown, manager of Zenith's hearing aid division.

The new, completely tubeless, transistor instrument identified as the Ultra-Royal T, was especially designed by Zenith to help those who suffer extremely severe hearing impairments. They, who can use far more power than conventional instruments supply, will enjoy better hearing through the exceptional power of the Ultra-Royal T.

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Co. Farm Bureau Holding Annual Drive This Week

The Berrien county Farm Bureau held its annual Roll Call kick-off meeting on Monday, Nov. 29, at the Youth Memorial building near Berrien Springs at 8 p.m. Albert Skibbe, chairman of the membership committee, said that a large number of Berrien county Farm Bureau members were at this meeting. The Berrien county goal is 2,700 member families. There will be more than 6,000 workers in 64 counties active during this week in this drive. They will seek to raise the membership in the Michigan Farm Bureau to 65,559 farm families or more. New members are their primary aim.

The speaker for the occasion was Walter Wightman of Pennville, who is a director of the Michigan Farm Bureau. He spoke on the advantages of Farm Bureau as an organization through which farmers can plan and take action together on many questions and projects important to agriculture.

Raymond DeWitt, president of the Berrien county Farm Bureau, says that the Berrien county goal for this year is a membership of 2,700 families. The Roll Call manager for this year is William Forbes of Berrien Springs.

In 89 B.C., all free inhabitants of Italy became citizens of Rome.

Probate News

Judge Malcolm Hatfield has been petitioned to appoint Marjorie I. Russell as executrix of the estate of Thomas J. Ingleright, who died on the 17th day of May, 1925. The deceased was, at the time of his death, an inhabitant of the township of Oronoko; the estimated value of the estate is \$1,400.

The beneficiaries of said estate are: Rebecca Ingleright, widow, Rt. 2, Berrien Springs; Dick Denison Ingleright, Rt. 2, Berrien Springs, and the issue of Robert J. Ingleright, son.

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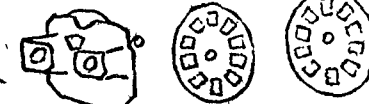
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Wagner Grange Meeting

The regular meeting of Wagner Grange was held Friday evening in the grange hall. The members voted to hold the next meeting on Dec. 17 instead of Dec. 10 to avoid the second meeting falling on Christmas Eve. A co-operative dinner was planned for that time. Mrs. Orval Newport was in charge of the lecture hour program. She read the story of the first Thanksgiving and conducted a word contest. A buffet lunch was served by the women after the meeting.

The Mt. Tabor Home Arts club will meet this Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Herbert Walkquist. The members will work on their basket weaving project.

Mrs. Max Yazell, Niles, was the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Yazell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bates entertained 30 guests at a Thanksgiving dinner in their home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ravish and

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mitch and family of Buchanan, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bennett and daughter, Dixie, were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bennett, Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dellinger and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Malott and children, and Ed Hamilton, were Thanksgiving dinner guests of the latter's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Lelter of Mishawaka, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Yazell and daughter, June, spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Robert LeCount in Elkhart, Ind.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Shreve were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Letcher, Dale Shreve and daughters, Debbie and Lynn of Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sonnenberg and daughter, Robin, of Watervliet. Robin remained with her grandparents until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reese and daughter, Joyce, have returned from Ann Arbor where they spent several days with their son and

daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Walter Reese, Jr., and family. Mr. and Mrs. Arley Judy had as Thanksgiving dinner guests, Roy Norlander of South Bend, Miss Beverly Peck of Niles, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Judy and sons, Buchanan.

Olive Branch

Mrs. Lucille Clark spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sheeley and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sheeley and son, Harrison, and Mrs. Lucille Clark called in the homes of Mrs. Mary Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLaren in South Bend.

Elo, Donald Sheeley and wife left Friday for Colorado Springs and Camp Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and daughter, Helene, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Loy Hendrickson at Hamlet, Ind.

Lawrence Smith, Jimmy Lutz, Richard Koziel and Richard Reese have returned from a several days trip to Kentucky and Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lysie Nye spent Thanksgiving day with Grove and Eleanor Lewin near New Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dickey and children of Three Oaks, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dickey had as their guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Martin and family, William Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Warren and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zabel, all of Three Oaks, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grayson of South Bend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clark of Niles, were Thanksgiving guests in the Elwood Rickerman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee entertained their family Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee and children of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLaren and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Smith and sons.

Miss Janet Roberts of East Lansing, was home to spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Odean Roberts and family spent Thanksgiving with

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Puffall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Koziel entertained with a family dinner on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lysie Nye spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Devere Wade at Bertrand.

Clear Lake Woods

Quite a few folks here from Chicago for Thanksgiving, their spirits not dampened by the weather. By the way the forsythe bush in the Hostler yard is yellow with bloom.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Young and daughter, Sheila, and their new son, Wayne, were guests of the Pat Zaninls for the holiday weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Mori and son, Dale, joined them Friday.

Bernie and Helen Peterson spent Thanksgiving in Chicago with his mother, Mrs. Betsy Peterson, and other members of the family.

It was a happy Thanksgiving for the Wallins. John was released from the hospital there, without surgery, visited for a couple of days with his daughter, Mrs. J. Gaeke, and her family, and then he and the Mrs. came home Saturday.

Arrived in time to see a large tree on their lawn topple and fall into the lake.

Gene and Connie Shepherd were dinner guests of the senior Shepherds at Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. Henry Mueller entertained her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Denne, and her family of Evergreen Park, Ill., and her son, George, and his family from Mishawaka, Ind., at dinner on Thanksgiving day. The Dennes remained for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Monford Taylor entertained the Roy Barz and Bob Taylor families at dinner on Thanksgiving day. They drove to Chicago, Sunday, to visit relatives.

Mrs. O. K. Christensen and son, Jim, spent the holiday and weekend with the George Sullivan's. The Clifford Stull family were dinner guests on the holiday.

Bob and Lou Antonides were here for Thanksgiving and entertained nine guests.

Gene Shepherd came home with a spike deer. Ernie Maas also spent two weeks in Northern Michigan but returned without a deer. He attended the Notre Dame-Southern California game in South Bend, Saturday, and found that Rita Stull and Jim Christen-

sen had the seats right next to him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earl and youngsters spent Thanksgiving with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gilmore, in Kalamazoo.

The Lowell Dokey family and Mrs. Dokey's father, Harry Thompson, were Thanksgiving dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Charles Stroud and her family.

The Kenneth Herman family had their holiday dinner with her parents, the Larry Smiths, Terre Coupe Road.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Steininger and daughter, Sharon, were guests of Mrs. Steininger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hyatt, Indian Springs Park, Thanksgiving day. The Brewers remained for the weekend.

Bernice Anderson and Phil Bodemer spent Thanksgiving here with her folks, the Ames Andersons.

LOCALS

Major and Mrs. Richard Yoder and family of Mobile, Ala. were guests last week of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Furner.

Mrs. Oscar Fisher returned Sunday to her home in Dalmatia, Pa., after visiting for several weeks with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson.

Miss Donna Vite returned Sunday to Naperville, Ill., where she is a freshman at North Central College, after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vite.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bellaire and family spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Bellaire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poupard, Windsor, Ontario, Canada. Mr. Poupard returned home with them to remain several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ralston and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lear and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Leimbaugh and family were Thanksgiving dinner guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Clara Green.

Mrs. Mary Kolhoff and Mrs. Mary Frame spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Neidlinger and the former's mother, Mrs. Lila Neidlinger, near Hinchman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kolhoff and daughter, Carol Sue, of Berrien Springs, were Sunday guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Kolhoff.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Craw and family had Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Grant, at Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph DeNardo spent Thanksgiving with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent DeNardo, at Royal Oak, Mich.

Mrs. Maurine Reed has returned to Charleston, Ill., after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. Murphy.

A. James Behrendt, administrator of the Baraga county Memorial hospital, L'Anse, and son, Pierce, a student at the Michigan College of Mining and Technology at Houghton, returned Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Behrendt and another son, George.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McKinnon over the Thanksgiving weekend were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Fitch and children, Battle Creek, and cousin, Miss Mary Dutch of Flint.

Harold Forburger, a student at the Michigan College of Mining and Technology, Houghton, accompanied by his roommate, Chauncey Carpenter of Boston, Mass., spent the Thanksgiving weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Forburger.

Harry Carson and his classmate, Russell Jack of Boston, Mass., who spent the Thanksgiving holidays with the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. Carlyle Carson, have returned to Ann Arbor, where they are seniors at the University of Michigan.

Mrs. R. A. Chaulk has returned to Oklahoma City, Okla., after spending three weeks with her mother, Mrs. William Wangerin, and her brother, William.

Richard Swen, student at Wayne University, Detroit, and Miss Swen, daughter of Marshall, Mich., were Thanksgiving weekend guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell O. Swen.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Pease over the weekend were Fritz Sprick of Lake City, Minn., and Miss Alice Keheren, Minneapolis, Minn.

Oma Harner, a patient at the Deering rest home, spent Thanksgiving with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Montgomery.

Mrs. Jay Woolley entertained at a family Thanksgiving dinner Thursday. Guests included her brother-in-law, Fred Woolley, Galien, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Woolley, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Woolley and daughter, Carolyn Ann, and Norman Decker. Mrs. Woolley's sister-in-law, Mrs. Sylvia Nye of Decatur, Mich., now visiting Mrs. Lillian Viganaky, who has been quite ill, spent the afternoon and evening with Mrs. Woolley.

Guests of Mrs. Ira Snider for Thanksgiving dinner were her mother, Mrs. Effie Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Arley Boyer and sons, Donald and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Hathaway and Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder, Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Beers and children, Donald and Suzanne, have returned to Royal Oak, Mich., after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Beers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Montgomery.

Mrs. Sylvia Ellis and son, Dick, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Borst in Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Henry Smith was a guest of her grandson, Donald Smith, and his family in St. Joseph on Thanksgiving day.

"Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Dalrymple entertained their son, Keith, and his family on the holiday.

The Leslie Huff family have moved into their new home on West Chicago street.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hampton on Thanks-

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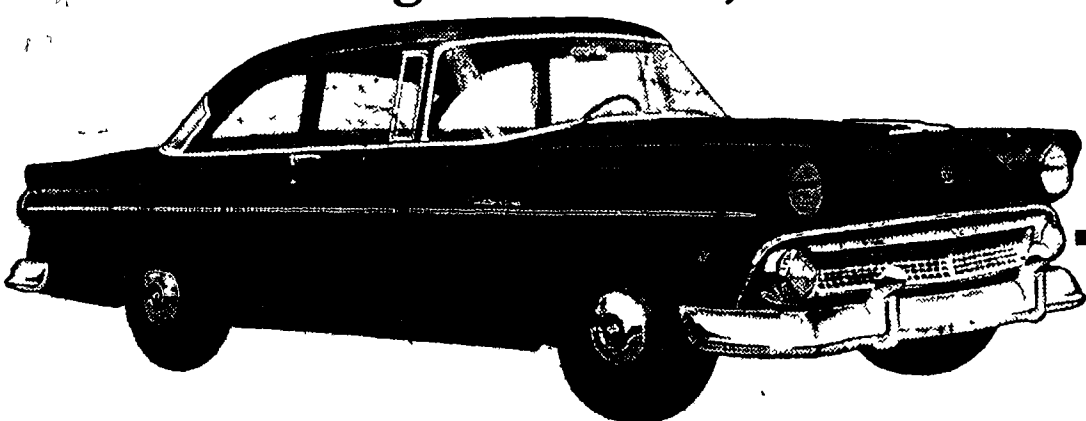
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Saturday they got set to auction off "Sis" Brown's house for non-payment of taxes. Buck Stone was the auctioneer. Everybody who came to the auction knew that "Sis" is a war widow.

When Buck began the bidding he said, "Anybody can bid. Just remember 'Sis' and three nice kids live here. Now who's going to start the bidding?"

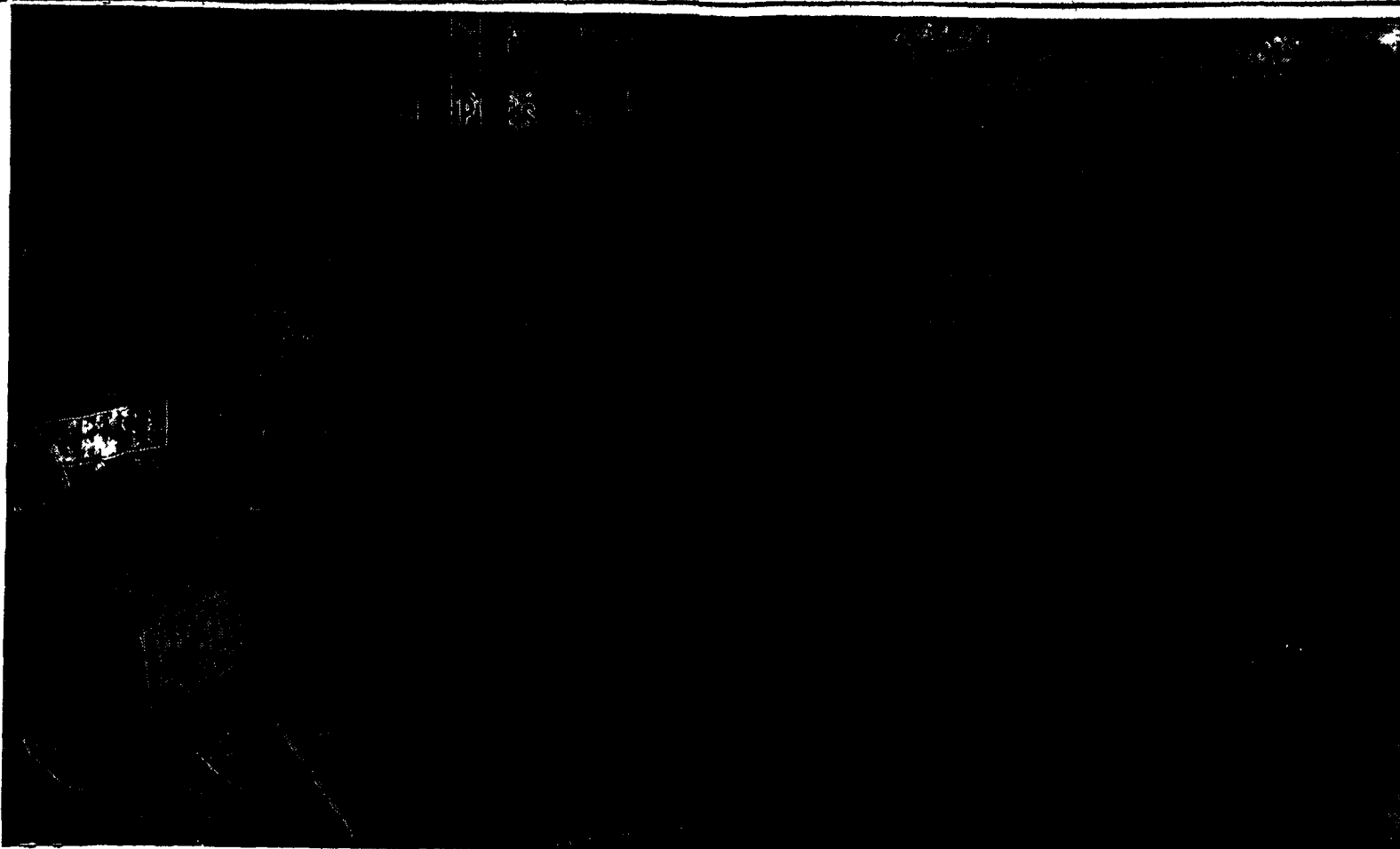
There was silence. "Sis," standing in back, got the point. She reached into her purse for just about all the money she had in the world. "I'll bid \$75," she said.

"Sold," bellowed Buck and "Sis" had her home back.

From where I sit, Buck Stone used a helping hand instead of a gavel. It was real neighborliness. You know, even in something as small as respecting another's choice of beverage, a person can be neighborly. You might like buttermilk. I'm "sold" on a temperate glass of beer. And I can't "buy" anyone's telling me I'm wrong.

Joe Marsh

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Wisner's remodeled and modernized drug store has been recognized by two separate illustrated articles in the leading trade magazine, "American Druggist," in October and November numbers.

The October illustration features the self-service idea. It shows the giant medicine bottle displayed in the middle of the rectangular cut-out window in the self-service fixture which constitutes the front of the Rx-laboratory at Wisner's Drug Store.

Through this window patrons can watch the pharmacist filling Rx prescriptions

The November article and illustrations feature the main large room running east and west, with toiletries at left and candy and nuts at right. Local people will recognize the prescription department window at left and the arched entrance to the second room at the far center to left.

elapsed between the building of the cabin and the eventual moving "from the little house into the big." During the same era, as tradition has it, at least, it took several times as long for the easier-going settlers in the "hound-dawg" section of southern Indiana and parts south. The Yankees from upper New York state and originally from the hard-scrabble section of New England, with its rigorous climate, were inclined to work faster, and to make more of their opportunities, while the southerners who streamed westward along the lower longitudinal lines had never been so hard-shoved by nature.

So the first-southern generation was likely to be suited with the original log cabin, and a few acres cleared for a corn patch. Their production was enough corn for corn meal and whiskey, hound

dogs for hunting and, incidentally, an Abraham Lincoln.

"In an early day" "the pioneer's universal phrase for times of first settlement", nature had a tendency to fight back when her virginal wilderness was attacked. The nearly universal pioneer diseases of fever and ague, malaria fever and various liver complaints wore them down and wore them out, making them susceptible to the fatal attacks of "consumption," now known as tuberculosis. Nothing was then known as to the cause of those diseases. So they to an extent steeled themselves to live cheerfully among the shadowy agents of death which beset them.

Early death was the rule, and survival past 30 years the exception, as any survey of the tombstones in old sections of local cemeteries will prove. So it was as it had been since the beginning of the known world and before, and so it remained until within the lifetime of hundreds of people presently living in the Buchanan community. "Media vita in morte sumus" runs the famous old Catholic chant written by the canonized Swiss monk, St. Nokter the Stammerer, in 311 A. D., and later the same in translation in the Episcopal chant for burial in the "Book of Common Prayer"—"In the midst of life we are in death."

It was this heavy toll that caused John Ross, whose mansion now houses the city hall and library, to fly from memories after his first wife and three children had died in four days during the cholera scourge in southern Indiana in 1835. He came to Niles, married again, and saw one of his two children from that union die from tuberculosis in her early twenties.

Though medical progress still lagged in 1880, the rate of advancement in labor-saving equipment was speeding up fast. The coming of the railroads immensely eased the difficulties of travel and also, the cost of manufactured goods from the east. Such goods had become so cheap that in most homes in 1880 the spinning wheels, if any, had long since gone to the attic. Neighboring larger towns, as South Bend, St. Joseph and Niles were installing local telephone exchanges and Buchanan was soon to follow.

Edison had developed a commercially and practically successful electric light bulb and John Holmes, Record publisher, was already mulling over in his mind how he could bring the new lights to Buchanan (which he did in 1893). Brick and later concrete sidewalks were replacing the warped plank sidewalks.

Buchanan never had a leisure class until after the Civil War, and even then there were not hard and fast lines of division as in larger towns. The moderately "upper crust" element remained a part of the general social life of the town, providing leadership in churches and in the staid amusements of the village.

A genuine instance of the social life of this era was that which revolved around the home of Capt. George Richards, who received the title from his earlier experiences on steamboats, first on the lower Mississippi and its tributaries, and later on the St. Joseph river. Richards came to Berrien county in the latter 1850's, where he employed his skill as an engine mechanic on the river boats and also in a large sawmill in the ghost lumbering town of Charlottesville in Lake township, about a half mile west of the present site of Bridgman.

During the rush of mercantile prosperity during the Civil war he opened a store in Buchanan, which he conducted until 1870. That year he organized an industry, the Zinc Collar-Pad company, which had a unique record, remaining in operation 55 years in the hands of the same family. This is still a record duration in Buchanan although the Clark Equipment company is now approaching it. His associates were the patentees, Dex-

When Captain Richards and his family moved into the former Clark home there were six daughters approaching the marriageable age. Sadie and Mattie had been born on a home on a small farm near the river just northwest of the present home of Atty. Desenberg. Lucy, Hattie, Katie and Mary were born later in the home now converted into two apartments where Jerry Carlson and Bill Billings live. Then there were two brothers, Joseph and Harry.

There they lived until the birds had all flown to nests of their own. A long rambling rear section devoted to the homely arts of soap-making, wood cutting and the like, (long since removed by Swem) gave the house an overall length of 125 feet. The premises reached to the lot of the present home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodighiero at 112 Clark, then owned by the captain and inhabited by his son, Joseph.

Every evening when the captain had shooed the beaux out of the parlor, he would say "Well, I guess I'll have to go back to Joe's and start locking up." There were in all eight outside doors to be locked.

During years that passed too soon the Richards mansion was a near-perfect specimen of the gracious gentility of those days at its best. The steady keel of Richards' enterprise, the Zinc Collar Pad factory, gave an appearance of stable abundance during the Captain's life. There for

a few years the serious-minded Richards girls were guiding lights in the church affairs, the culture clubs, and the dramatic events staged in the Rough opera house, on the third floor above the present Koenigshof Dry Goods.

In the next installment a brief glimpse as it was described to the writer in 1941 will be presented as a sample of social life in the 1870's and 1880's.

R. L. D. S. Church Holds Thanksgiving Family Night Meet

The annual Thanksgiving family night dinner meeting of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, held Tuesday evening in the church parlors under auspices of the Oriole and Skylark Girls and their leaders, was attended by more than 75 members and guests.

Mrs. Edgie Helms gave the address of welcome, which was followed by a group of songs by the Oriole Girls. Highlighting the program was a three-act comedy entitled "It Sounds So Cheerful," which depicted the Thanksgiving spirit, presented by the Skylark Girls under the direction of Mrs. Helms.

Between acts the junior choir sang a Thanksgiving hymn and Joseph Gross sang "This Ole House." The benediction was given by Paul Swann.

On the committee in charge of arrangements for the affair were Mrs. Helms, Mrs. Ray Hewitt, Mrs. Paul Swann and Mrs. Paul Starr.

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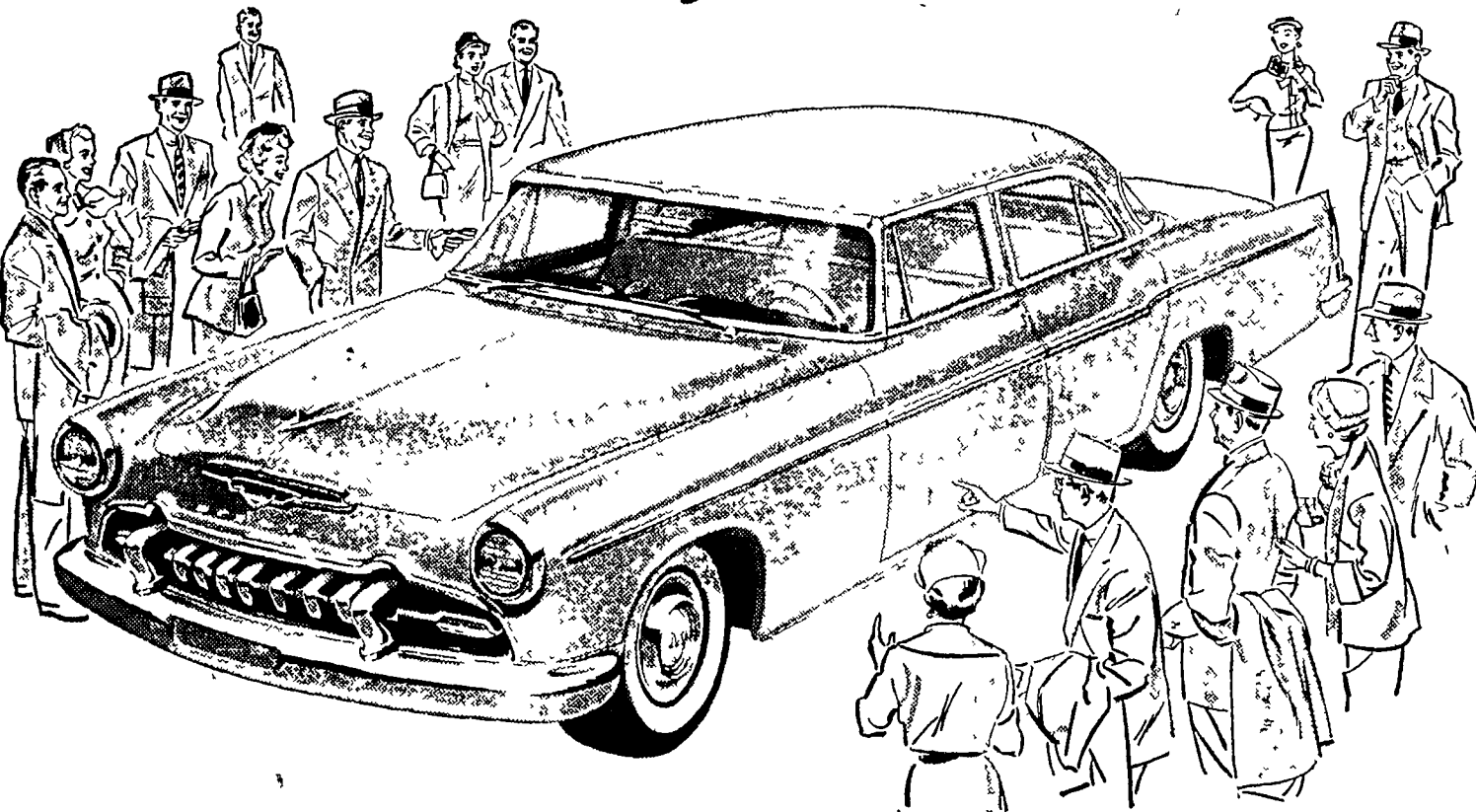
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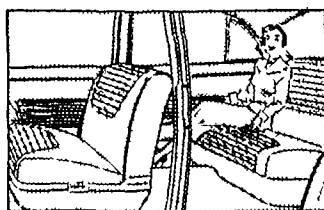
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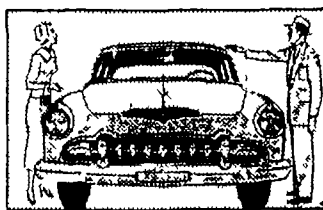
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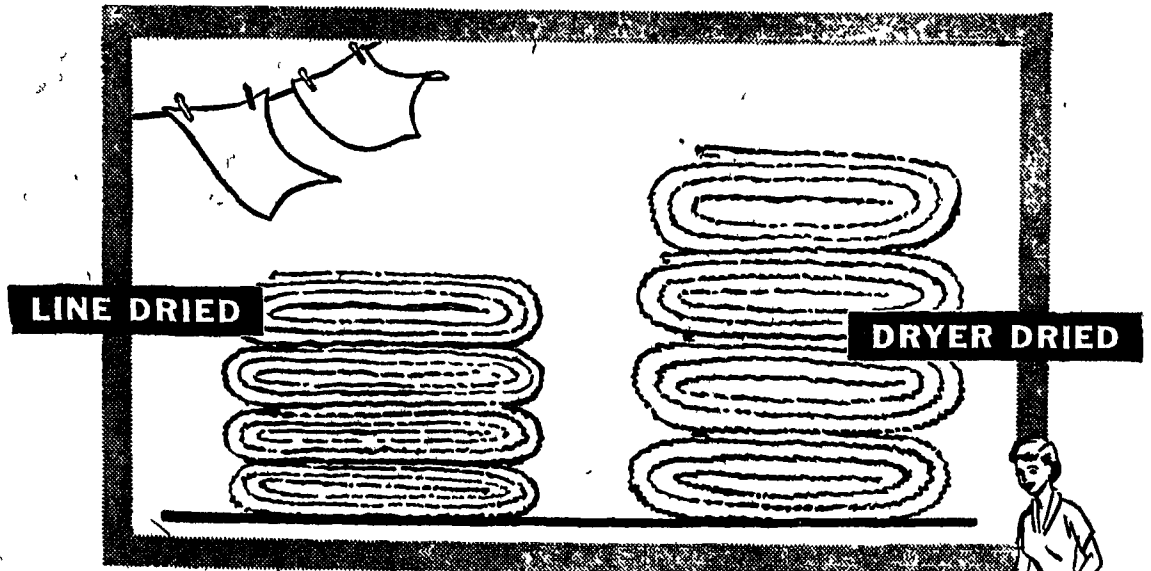
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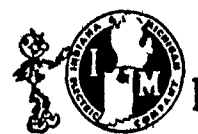
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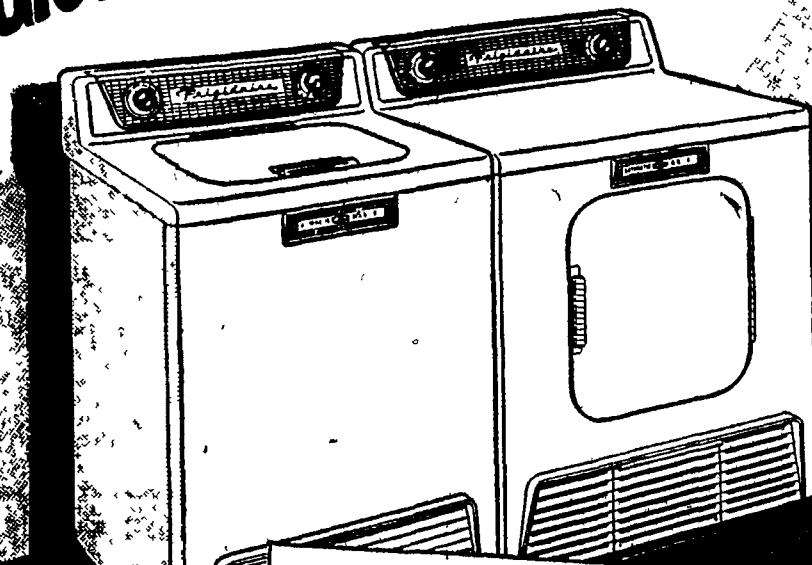
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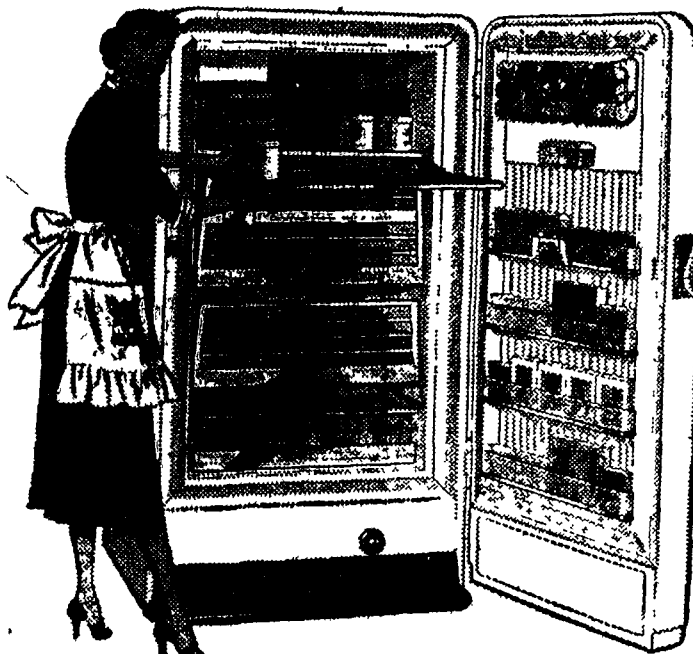
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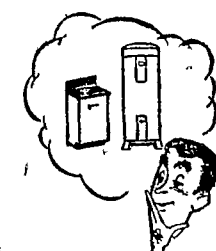
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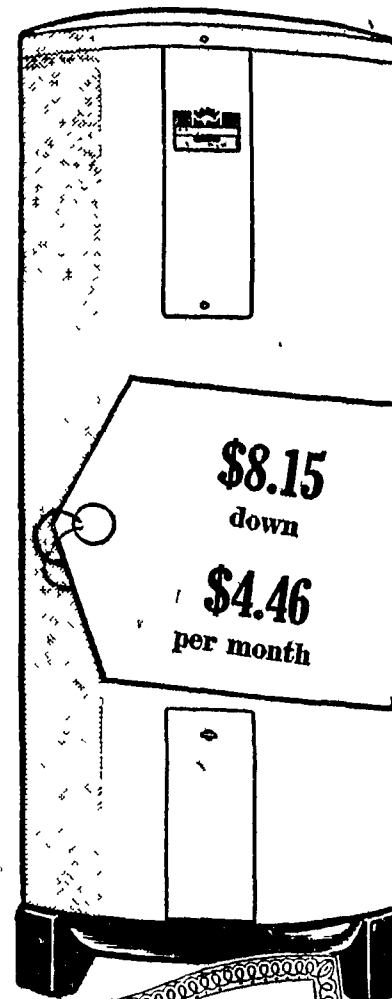
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BUCHANAN SOCIAL EVENTS

Come-Join-Us Class Meets
During a meeting of the Come-Join-Us Sunday school class of the First Evangelical U. B. church following a family night Thanksgiving dinner in the church parlors Friday evening, the 1955 officers were elected. More than 30 attended the dinner.
* Rollie Diethrich conducted the business meeting. The officers elected were: Wesley Strong, pres-

ident; Maynard Walker, vice-president; Mrs. George Eckelbarger, secretary; Mrs. Walker, assistant secretary; Mrs. Chester Collings, treasurer.
It was planned to hold the Christmas party on Dec. 17. The class voted that instead of exchanging gifts members will bring gifts and money to the meeting, which will be used to brighten Christmas for a needy family, Mrs.

Mason Clark and Mrs. Robert Bever were named on the committee in charge of the project. It was also voted for the class to again present the play "For He Has Great Possessions" in the various E.U.B. churches in Berrien county during the Lenten season.

Hosts To Family Thanksgiving Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rotzien were hosts at a Thanksgiving dinner Thursday in their home on the South Bend Road. Guests included the former's mother, Mrs. Laura Rotzien, who is a patient in the Bundy convalescent home at Bertrand, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Klees, and the Rotzien's daughter, Joan, a student at western Michigan College, Kalamazoo.

Surprise Family Gathering
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson were honored at a surprise family gathering in their home Sunday, which celebrated their birthday anniversaries. Attending were Mrs. Anderson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Michaels and son, Kenneth, and Miss Carol Basso, Chicago, a nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Michaels and children of Arlington Heights, Ill., and granddaughter, Mrs. Martin O'Tremblek and family, Oak Lawn.

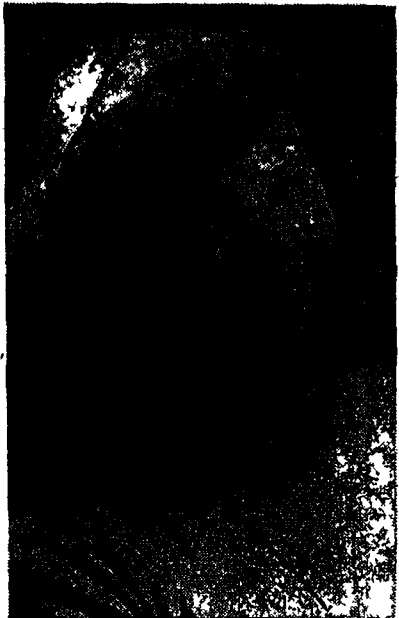
G. A. R. Circle
During the Monday evening meeting of the Carlisle-Hanley-Bunker circle of the Grand Army of the Republic, the members set Nov. 27 as the date for the annual bazaar. Plans were completed for the Christmas meeting to be held with Mrs. C. E. Adsworth on Dec. 13. After the meeting the group marked items for the bazaar.

Modern Homemakers Club
During a recent meeting of the Modern Homemakers club with Mrs. Claude Hess, a demonstration of the Christmas workshop lesson was given by Mrs. Chalmers Luke and Mrs. Hess. The group voted to adopt two disabled veterans in Veterans Administration hospital, Ft. Custer, to whom they will send gifts during the year. Plans were made to hold the annual Christmas luncheon and gift exchange in the home of Mrs. Clyde Marble on Dec. 9. The luncheon will be a planned affair.

Royal Neighbor Club Plans Birthday Party
The Royal Neighbor club observed guest night at the dinner meeting Tuesday evening in the Royal Neighbor hall. Mrs. Robert Reamer was in charge and tentative plans were made for a birthday party in December to honor members with anniversaries in October, November and December. Mrs. John Bowman and Mrs. John Jennings were named on the arrange-

ments committee.
The annual Christmas dinner and party was planned for Dec. 7, with Mrs. Lena Mitchell in charge of arrangements. There will be a gift exchange and program.
During the social hour winners at games were Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. William Lingie, Mrs. Alta Bunker, Mrs. Raymond Gregory, Mrs. Reamer, Mrs. John Jerue, Miss Mabel Miles, Mrs. Beiva Greene and Mrs. Arthur Voorhees.

Nordin-Stanage Nuptials Solemnized
Baskets of vari-colored chrysanthemums decorated the altar and white satin bows marked the pews of the First Presbyterian church for the wedding Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock of Miss Shirley May Nordin, daughter of Nels Nordin and Mrs. Dora Nordin, Buchanan, to Pvt. LeRoy A. Stanage, son of Mrs. Josephine Stanage.



Shirley Nordin

Three Oaks The double-ring service was read by the pastor, Rev. H. Carlyle Carson. Mrs. Richard Cooper was the organist, and Miss Betty Remington sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white lace and net over satin, fashioned with a fitted bodice of the lace, with a round neckline, long sleeves and a full skirt of the net and satin, ending in a long train. Her fingertip veil of illusion was held in place by a crown of net and flowers, and she carried an orchid on a white ribbon with streamers tied with snapdragons. The bride's sister, DeAnn, as maid-of-honor, wore a gown of blue tulle over taffeta and carried a colonial bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids, Miss Jane Star, Buchanan, and Miss Joyce Stanage, Niles, sister of the bride groom, wore identical gowns of pink tulle over taffeta and carried colonial bouquets of orchid chrysanthemums. Rhonda Collins, as flower girl, wore white net over satin with a band of flowers in her hair and carried a basket of rose petals. Pvt. Gene Shepherd of Buchanan, was best man and Larry Phoenix and Robert Marsh of Buchanan, were the ushers.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Nordin wore a blue faille ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of white chrysanthemums. The bridegroom's mother wore an iridescent gray satin ensemble, accented by a white hat and corsage of white chrysanthemums.
Following the ceremony a reception for 125 guests was held in the church parlors. The refreshment table was decorated with an arrangement of yellow, white and orchid mums and a four-tiered wedding cake, made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Stella Touth, St. Joseph. Mrs. Walter Collins and Mrs. Howard Barker served. At 5 o'clock a reception for relatives and friends was held in the home of the bride's mother.

The bride was graduated from Buchanan high school in 1954 and is employed at the Reamer Locker plant. Pvt. Stanage attended Gailen high school, and until recently was stationed at Ft. Bliss, Texas. He will leave Dec. 3 to report back to Ft. Bliss for reassignment to Camp Gordon, Ga.

Zephene Pease And Orville Sprick Marry
The marriage of Miss Zephene Janette Pease, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Pease, Portage Prairie, to Orville Raymond Sprick, son of Raymond Sprick, Lake City, Minn., took place in a candlelight ceremony in the Church of the Nazarene on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The double-ring service was read by the pastor, Rev. Charles Hare, before an altar decorated with potted pink and white chrysanthemums. The pews were marked with white satin bows. Before the ceremony nuptial music was played by Mrs. Pauline Turner and the vocalist was B. W. Munson.

The bride, who entered the church with her father, wore a gown of white satin, designed with a fitted bodice made with a net yoke and Peter Pan collar with long pointed sleeves and full skirt ending in a chapel train. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a crown of sequins and seed pearls, and she carried an orchid tied with satin streamers on a white ribbon. Miss Charlotte Pease, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor. She wore a gown of aqua-colored net over taffeta, and carried a colonial bouquet of pink pompons. The bridesmaids, Miss Sue Ann Ketchum, Buchanan, in pink net over taffeta, and Mrs. Audrey Diamond, Chicago, a sister of the bride, in aqua net over taffeta, wore flower headresses to match their gowns. Miss Ketchum carried a colonial bouquet of pink and white chry-

santhemums and Mrs. Diamond carried yellow chrysanthemums. The flower girls, Jeannie Nickerson and Deborah Smith, South Bend, wore yellow and blue dresses and carried baskets of rose petals. The bride's nephew, Thomas Diamond, was the ring-bearer. Fritz Sprick, Lake City, Minn., was best man and the ushers were Denver Pease, brother of the bride, and Ollie Broland Jr., Gailen, the bride's cousin. The bride's mother wore a navy blue ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Following the ceremony a reception for 125 guests was held in the Bertrand township hall. Mr. and Mrs. Sprick will reside on a farm near Lake City, Minn.

Miller School Parents Club Has Thanksgiving Dinner
The Friendly Parents club of the Miller school held a planned potluck Thanksgiving dinner in the schoolhouse at noon Wednesday, at which 55 mothers and pupils attended. In charge of the affair were Mrs. Harry Wier, Mrs. Gail Wregglesworth and Mrs. J. R. Graves, assisted by the teacher, Mrs. Allen Pierce.

The club president, Mrs. Clarence Nelson, announced that the regular meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m., Dec. 13, when Christmas activities will be planned.

L.D.S. Womens Department Plans Church Holiday Program
The Women's Department of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints met Friday evening with Mrs. Joseph Gross. The meeting

was conducted by the leader, Mrs. George Virgil. Plans were made for the group to bake cookies to be sent to the Veterans Administration hospital at Ft. Custer. Plans were also made to furnish more cookies for the hospital in March. Tentative plans were made for the Christmas program to be held in the church on Dec. 21.
Mrs. Gross was in charge of the devotional service and the lesson on "Immortality and Resurrection" was presented by Mrs. Jack Rees.

Former Resident Honored
Mrs. Howard Barbour entertained at a party Saturday evening in her home honoring Mrs. Oscar Fisher of Dalmatia, Pa., formerly of Buchanan. Cards and games provided entertainment and prizes went to Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Leo Huebner, Mrs. L. B. Spafford, Mrs. Roy Knapp, Mrs. Warren Willard and Mrs. Oscar Reams.

Mothers And Others Club
The Mothers and Others club of Wagner school, met Saturday to complete plans for a social dance they will sponsor Saturday evening, Dec. 11, in the Clear Lake Woods pavilion. There will be 16 free door prizes consisting of fowl and groceries. Music will be provided by the Harroff orchestra. The public is invited to attend.

Clark Birthday Club
The Clark Birthday club will meet Monday evening, Dec. 8, with Mrs. Claude DeWitt for the annual Christmas party and gift exchange.

Methodist Marietta Circle
Marietta circle of the Women's Society of Christian Service, of the first Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 8, with Mrs. Cress Watson. Mrs. Richard White will conduct the business session, Mrs. Wesley Oldt will lead the devotional service and the lesson will be presented by Mrs. Ora Briney. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Fred Hamilton and Mrs. Orrin Stearns.

Loyal Independent Club
Mrs. Carrier Starr will be hostess to members of the Loyal Independent club Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 7. Games will be played and a Christmas party and gift exchange will be held.

Currier 4-H Club
The Currier 4-H club will meet Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, in the schoolhouse. Lonna Peterson will be in charge of the meeting, and the committee for the social hour includes Judy and Ardelle Brown, Mary Olson, Jack, Gerald and Dolie Warren.

Eastern Star Meets Dec. 8
Sylvia chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will meet Wednesday evening, Dec. 8, in the Masonic hall. Mrs. James Bleasdale, Worthy Matron, will preside during the meeting. Following the meeting a Christmas party and gift exchange will be held. Mrs. Harry Banke heads the committee for the social hour.

Navy Mothers Club
Mrs. Fred Hagley will be the

hostess at the annual Christmas party of the Paul E. Thurston Navy Mothers club on Tuesday evening, Dec. 7.

17th Wedding Anniversary Honored
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot entertained at a Thanksgiving dinner complimenting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Fink of Cedar Falls, Ia., on their 17th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Fink and their children returned home Sunday.

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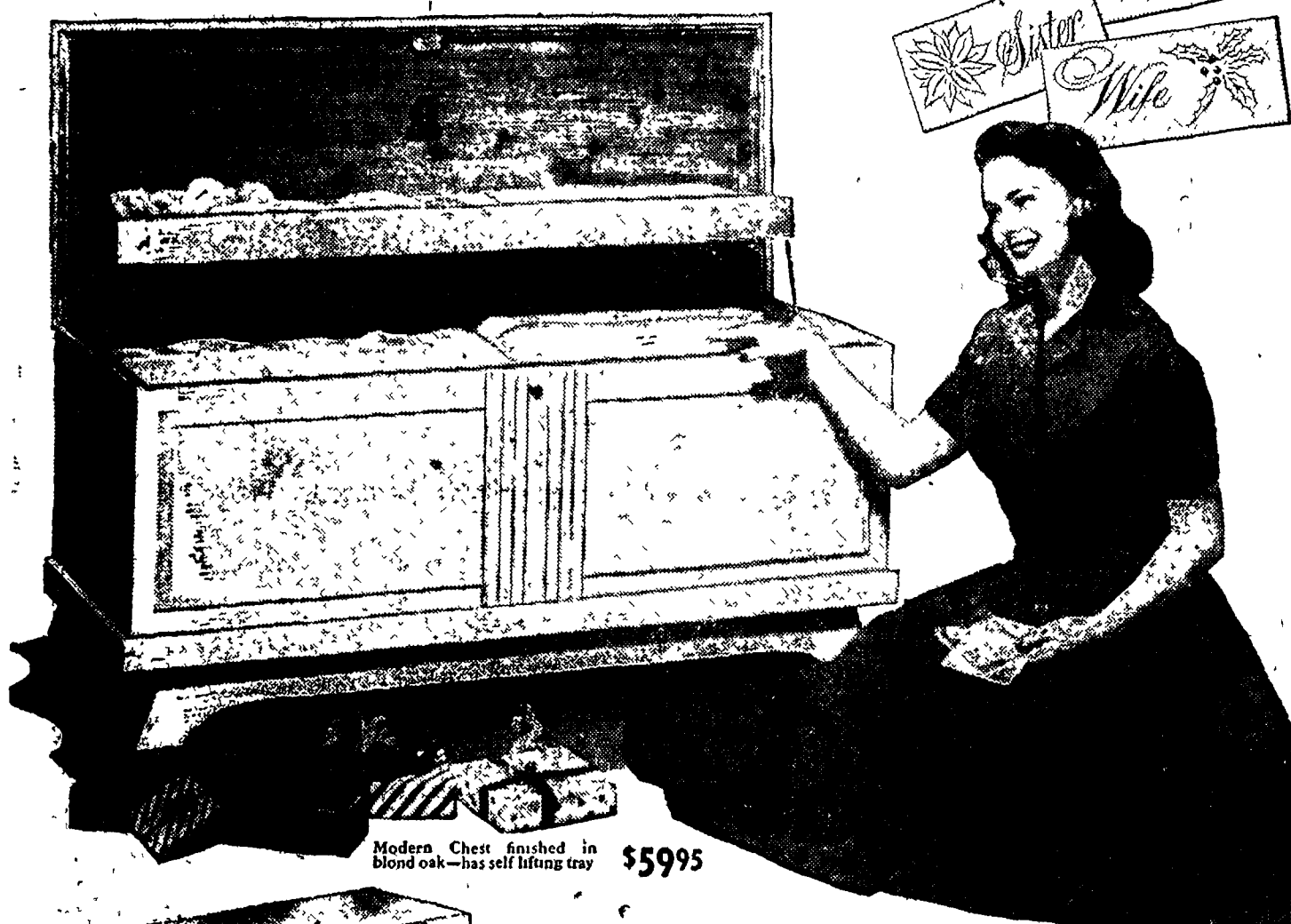
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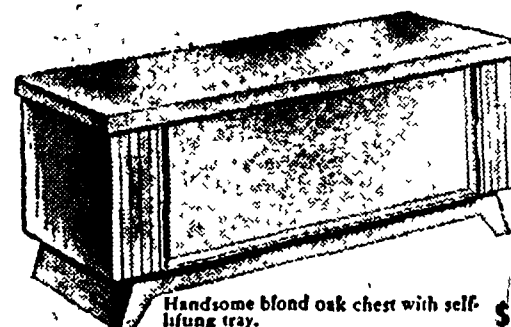
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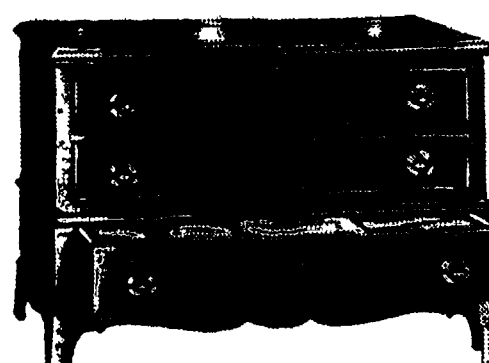
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