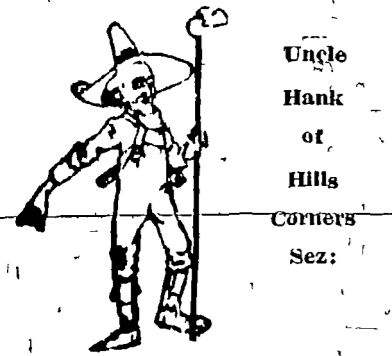


RAIN BRINGS RELIEF TO LATE CROPS

Stanley Hanover Drowned in Motor Boat Accident in St. Joe River

Half-Inch Rain Tues. Morning Spurs Pastures

Now Here's the Proposition



Little countries are just like little men—it's easy to hold you temper when the other fellow is a lot bigger

A lot of us peep in Buchanan take baths on Saturday night so they can show a clean pair of heels to the preacher on Sunday

THE STENOGRAPHER You write the letters, row on row, With careful space and dating—Last eve the night club lights were low The music syn. opating.

And I who do not care to know Must yet surmise at random How you between two worlds can go

And blithely drive them tandem. I trace no shadows of regret But still suspicion lingers—Is that a shade of cigarette I see upon your fingers

I fear those arching brows disclose Acquaintance with a steed. Those fingernails of shaded rose—Is that done with a pencil?

Does naught but guilelessness abide Behind your glistening eyelids—Who were last night a gay Miss Hyde, Today a staid Miss Jekyll?

To Fred Edinger A short time since, on Aug. 27, there passed away at Three Oaks a man of more than usual character and influence and of distinctive personality in the person of Fred Edinger of Three Oaks.

Edinger had been an employee of the Warren Featherbone company of Three Oaks for a half century and for some time before his retirement had been superintendent of the plant. To the end he was a member of the board of trustees of the Warren Foundation, governing the several endowments of the Warrens, including Warren Woods, the Chamberlain Museum and others. He was a keen lover of nature during his whole life, and a man of fine sympathies. His nature was indicated, by the character of his funeral, held Aug. 30, with Dr. J. M. Artman in charge. All arrangements for the funeral were carefully planned by Edinger himself.

The arrangements did not include the usual funeral sermon, but did include a reading of the beautiful twelfth chapter of Ecclesiastes, and of selections from Genesis. Most numerous were readings from poetic and prose selections—that were favorites of Edinger. The character revealed a man who was reverent but not a fundamentalist in religion. A verse read from Herbert Carruth's "Evolution exemplified" was: "A planet and a planet, A crystal and a cell, A jellyfish and a saurian; Then caves where cavemen dwell. Then a sense of law and beauty— And a face turned from the sod— Some call it Evolution And others call it God"

Two selections from Edwin Markham exemplify his human attitudes. They are: "We are all blind unless we see that in the human plan There is nothing worth the making, unless it makes the man Why build our cities glorious, if man unbudded goes? In vain we build the world unless the builder also grows."

And, "Come, clear the way, clear the way. Blind-breeds and kings have had their day. Break the dead branches from the tree. Our hope is in the aftermath, Our hope is in heroic men, Star-led to build the world again"

The selections also reflected his love of nature and of music, and his understanding of a reverence for men. Toward the end of the selections was "A Musician's Prayer," written by himself, and running as follows: "Almighty Power, Director of the Universe, Leader of all that has life, Inspire us to help"

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Tragedy Strikes When Boat Motor Bursts In Flame

Was Resident Of Buchanan 35 Years, Going To Elkhart Six Years Ago

Stanley Hanover, 41, a native of Buchanan and a resident here for 35 years of his life before he moved to Elkhart six years ago, lost his life by drowning in the St. Joseph River when the motor on his boat burst into flames about 2:45 p. m. Saturday.

Hanover had just eaten a heavy dinner and had gone out with his daughter, Patricia, 16, and her friend, Eugene Conley, 17, to go on a hunting trip up the river in the boat. The point on the river where the boat was moored was only two blocks from the Hanover home, at 1101 Grand street, Elkhart.

Conley, who had been a very good swimmer, Conley stated that he had swum part way to shore helping the girl, when he looked back and saw Hanover swimming without a life preserver. Conley got to the bank and helped the girl out of the water and then turned back but Hanover had gone down.

The boat was about 75 feet from shore when the explosion occurred. The body of Hanover was found about an hour later about 50 feet from the bank in 12 feet of water.

Hanover was born in Buchanan and lived here until six years ago, working for a number of years in the rivet department of the Clark Equipment company. He went from here to Elkhart to work in the Foster Gear and Tool plant.

He is survived by his widow, by four children, Patricia, Maryann, David and Richard, by his mother, Mrs. Bertha Hanover, 103 1/2 Lake street, by three sisters, Mrs. Ray Hewitt, 508 Berrien street, and Mrs. Glenn Walter, R. R. 2, Buchanan, Mrs. Judson Stown, Pekin, Ill., Roscoe Hanover, 525 Michigan street, and Perry E. Hanover, North Chippewa street.

The body was brought from an Elkhart funeral home to the Swan Funeral Home at Buchanan Monday afternoon. Funeral rites were held at 2:30 p. m. at the latter funeral home.

U. Of Chicago Is Now Moving Dormitory Bldg.

Demolition is now in progress on the federal dormitory to the west of the federal cafeteria building on East Fulton street, with prospects that the department of transportation and installation in Chicago will require about thirty days.

A force of twenty local men have been working three weeks taking the building apart. The structure had been sawed into sections at the time of transfer from Ypsilanti here, and is now being reassembled and loaded onto trucks by crane.

The building goes to the University of Chicago, where it is to be installed as a dormitory for students at 61st street and Greenwood avenue, on the site of the present university tennis courts. A part of the room furnishings will go with the building. However, the furnishings of 32 double rooms were shipped last week to the Southwestern Missouri Teachers College at Springfield, Mo. The other dormitory, now located to the north of the federal cafeteria building, has been contracted for by Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Ind., and it is expected that the transfer will be under way within thirty days.

Manager Kleichbaum reports that a force of painters is to paint the exterior of the 139 residence units in the Moccasin Court Federal Housing section this fall.

Mrs. Pretz Winner Of Golf Tournament

Mrs. William Pretz defeated Mrs. George Roe in the Class A Flight in the Orchard Hills Ladies Golf tournament. This concludes the contest.

Buchanan School Event Schedule Of First Three Months

The schedule of events for the Buchanan High School during the first three months will be as follows:

- Sept. 20—State High football, there, 3:30
- Sept. 25—P. T. A. & Lions Club Sept. 27—South Haven football, here, 7:30
- Oct. 4—Berrien Springs football, there, 3:00
- Oct. 9—Niles football, there, 7:30
- Oct. 10-11—M. E. A. at Kalamazoo
- Oct. 17-18—Glade conferences
- Oct. 18—First marking period
- Oct. 18—Allegan football, here, 7:30
- Oct. 23—P. T. A.
- Oct. 23-24—Ag. Fan
- Oct. 25—Three Rivers football, here, 7:30
- Nov. 1—Dowagiac football, here, 7:30
- Nov. 8—St. Joseph football, there, 7:30
- Nov. 15—Junior play
- Nov. 20—P. T. A.
- Nov. 27—Second marking period
- Nov. 28-29—Thanksgiving vacation
- Nov. 29—St. Joseph basketball, here

Emma P. Bishop, Life Resident Of Berrien Co., Dies

Was 88 At Death; Lived Here 56 Years

Last rites were held at the Swan Funeral Home at 2:30 p. m. Sunday for Mrs. Emma P. Bishop, 88, a resident of Berrien county during her entire life and of the Buchanan district for the past 56 years.

Rev. Malcolm D. McNeal preached the funeral sermon, and burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery. Pallbearers were Cleon Hathaway, Fred Smith, Eugene Michael, Kenneth Baker, Clinton Smith, C. J. Peck.

Mrs. Bishop was born Feb. 28, 1858, at Berrien Center, the daughter of Charles and Sarah Magliss. She married Walter Bishop, a rural school teacher who is remembered by many older residents who were his pupils. They lived in Berrien Center until his death Oct. 10, 1891.

The following year she moved to Buchanan. She married Charles H. Bishop of Buchanan on April 30, 1895. He died in October, 1927. For many years she made her home in her residence at 120 West Front street. About three years ago, following an illness and because of increasing infirmity she went to live with her daughter, Mrs. Weaver, near Glendora. Last July she became ill and helpless and was taken to Rest Haven, Cleo Lake Woods, where she died Thursday, Sept. 5.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Buchanan, and of the Eastern Star unit of this city. Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Blanche Weaver, Route 2, Buchanan, a granddaughter, Mrs. Richard Scham, and two grandchildren, Richard W. Schram, Jr., and Linda Kay Schram, Glennview, Ill.; one niece and two nephews.

Memorial Park, Inc., To Stage Community Canvass On Sept. 28

The Memorial Park, Inc. finance committee will meet this (Thursday) evening at the Co-ops auditorium to organize a community-wide canvass for the park project.

The committee contacted the following clubs, asking them to send five representatives each to the meeting: Mothers World-War II, Navy Mothers, Legion Auxiliary, American Legion, V. F. W., Auxiliary, V. F. W., Lions Club, Business & Professional Women, Odd Fellows, Moose, Rebekahs, Moose Lodge, Masons.

Sept. 28 has been selected as the tentative date for the canvass.

Season Play Starts At Bowling Lanes

The 1946-47 bowling play began at the Buchanan Bowling Lanes Sunday, Sept. 8, the start having been delayed a week after its original scheduling because of incompleteness of installations. A committee of team captains met Tuesday night to schedule the season play.

Electro-Voice To Finish Move Here By Oct. 1

Assembly, T. E. L. N. G. Repair Lines Now Operating At Local Plant

It is expected that the entire production equipment and personnel of Electro-Voice, Inc. will be installed and in full production in the new location in the former Dry-Zero, Inc. building here by Oct. 1, according to plant officials.

At the end of last week the assembly, repair and test departments were here intact, with about 60 employees operating five assembly lines, including the hp-type, sound-excluding microphone developed during the war for battle use, the velocity-type, used in broadcasting, type developed for aircraft and police car use, the dynamic-type, and a line employed in winding coils for microphone installation.

In addition a carpenter force is at work installing partitions in the southwest corner of the building for the laboratory and "dead room", a highly soundproof apartment for testing.

The People's Rapid Transit bus company had altered its schedule and started an added bus last week to furnish transportation for the employees to and from South Bend. The force at work is coming here from South Bend, partly by bus and partly by car. Officials stated that as soon as the bus company installs an additional bus, affording seating facilities for all the employees most of them will use that means of transportation.

The 60 employees who were here Friday of last week are mostly women employed in assembly.

They compose the working force which had occupied the plant on Hydraulic Avenue, South Bend.

The remaining departments in South Bend occupy the plant on South Bend avenue, and include the offices, laboratory, tool department, dye-casting department and machining department, with about 100 employees, really all men.

Many of these will use their own cars for transportation, according to officials.

The assembly department was moved to Buchanan a line at a time, each having been transferred and set up for work in one night, between the closing time of 4:30 p. m. and the opening time of 8 a. m., with a net loss in plant production of only one day.

The laboratory assembly, repair and testing departments now occupy most of the new addition to the Dry-Zero building. Added installations will take up the remainder of the new part of the building and about two-thirds of the older part which was originally built for the Campbell Transmission company.

Officials state that the remainder will provide space for expansion, which may also require additional building on the twelve acres which they purchased with tax addition to give more space than they did in the South Bend buildings, where operations were cramped for lack of space.

The Harrigans And The Frames Fish Two Wks. In North Woods

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Harrigan and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Frame arrived home Monday from two weeks spent in the wilds of the Canadian north woods. They went to Sault Ste. Marie, Canada and thence about 80 miles to a point of the Georgian Bay, on Lake Huron.

There they fished several days, after which they hired a guide to take them out to a new fishing lake, Round Lake.

They took the guide 82 miles over a forest trail, and then left their car and went 15 miles by water to Round Lake. The road was terrible, reports Harrigan. Most of the time he went in low, and blew out a tire en route.

At Round Lake they found an old Indian village, with only rough log cabins. The guide had a tent opened up this lake, and less than thirty white tourists had ever fished there before. There were no other whites there. Pike fishing in the lake was wonderful. They would catch their limits of pike in a half hour. Mrs. Andrew Harrigan caught five pike in five straight casts. In the trout streams the hooks, baited with worms, brought up a trout at nearly every cast, the only trouble being that only one of a dozen would be of legal length. They took all supplies with them.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Bonds.

Memorial Park Finance Boys Make \$5 Naming Joe Jacob's Baby

When You Have A Baby, Park Boys Will Name It—For \$5

Well, Memorial Park, Inc. made some dough for their project in the last week—they got \$5 for naming Joe J. Jacobs' baby.

And with that success a great future opens—Estimating the birth rate of Buchanan at about 20 per thousand, when checked with the vital statistics—average in the United States, there should be about 110 babies born in this town in the coming year, and if that up-and-coming aggregation, the Memorial Park Finance committee, can just get a contract for naming them all at \$5 each, that will mean \$550. There's just no end to the possibilities. Or should not be, anyway.

But getting back to that name it's been named Michael Ray Jacobs. This name was submitted along with some eight or ten others by the Memorial Park Finance committee. We might as well come out with the truth—the name was suggested by John Shanahan. This is going to raise some dissatisfaction, as, with all John's experience in naming boys, he has an entirely unfair advantage. But Mr. Jacobs, Sr., never took that into consideration, so it will have to stand.

Knowing of John's experience this writer (who is on the Memorial Park publicity committee) kept prodding him for suggestions. He promised. Came the hour of 11 a. m. when Jacobs was to call at the Record office and went up to the Kelley Maternity home where the boy was born last week. Then 10 minutes after 11 here came Shanahan.

Put out as we were, we took the envelope, with his suggestions up to the maternity home. We gave the letter to Joe and he started reading. Suddenly he shouted to his wife "Hold everything, we've got to change that decision." This fellow suggests Mike. There wasn't a Mike in all that list. That's my choice.

Mr. Shanahan's suggestion was as follows:

"Dear Mr. Jacobs: We note in the Record that you are offering a \$5 reward for the best name suggested to you for your new son.

How about Bill? Also how about turning over the \$5 bill to the Memorial Park project, no matter who wins the prize? We were going to suggest Mike, but we are afraid that anyone named Mike Jacobs might grow up to become connected with prize fights, and perhaps be required to fight Joe Louis. As he weighed ten pounds at birth your son will probably be in the heavyweight class when he grows up. We think having to fight Joe-Louis might be a gum prospect for any young man to look forward to so Bill might be a better name.

Yours for more sons, Memorial Park Finance Committee."

Before Shanahan's suggestions arrived Jacobs had decided to name the baby David, a suggestion made by Suzanne Gilbert of Kalamazoo—Here was her letter:

"Dear Mr. Jacobs: I'm sending in two of my favorite names, David and Dickie. I know they sound quite ordinary but I think they are both nice names. And if I did get the check I would certainly like it. I'm saving money for Christmas presents (I'm 11) and I've just got a little money in my bank. My mother won't let me work for money so please consider it. I'm visiting at my grandmother's in Buchanan now but my address is Miss Suzanne Gilbert, 1015 Gull Road, Kalamazoo, Mich. Yours truly, Suzanne Gilbert."

Even after falling for Shanahan's suggestion of Mike, Jacobs hated to back out on Suzanne. So he tried to put it up to Mrs. Jacobs.

"Name him yourself, she said, "This is your party." "That's the way it is," said Joe, "The agreement was that if it was a girl she'd name it and if it was a boy, I'd name it. She's sticking by her agreement. I'll just send the little girl a check for \$2.50 as the runner-up."

And so he did.

"I never thought a little suggestion like that would raise so much interest," he said, "besides these names I got through the Record, I got 48 names over the telephone. They started in Wednesday night. The next day I was doing the washing and they kept calling me out of the basement to answer the telephone, giving me names. Most of them said they didn't care about

Only 800 Voters Re-Register At City Hall To Date

State Politicos Fear More Neglect In Rural Villages, Townships

About 800 Buchanan voters are now re-registered for voting in accordance with provisions of the new state law, reports City Clerk Harry Post, but there is still a lot of the 2,400-to-2,500 potential voters yet to come in before the deadline on Oct. 15.

It is quite likely that not nearly all the eligible voters will re-register, since this is a "bye-election", but if 1,200 more should re-register, it would be well that as many as possible come early and avoid a last-minute rush.

The situation is likely to be even worse in rural townships and villages. Think of George of the Detroit Free Press staff. He writes:

Michigan's November vote may shrink 300,000 to 350,000 because of the statutory requirement for re-registering citizens in villages and townships, informed observers believe.

Some guesses are being made that the total will be within 1,500,000, compared with 2,027,000 two years ago.

With their backlog of rural strength, the threatened Republicans are grappling with the problem as a major issue.

It may also have wide ramifications in influencing approval or rejection of the city-aid, soldier bonus and airport development amendments to the constitution.

Rural politicians admit they expect difficulty convincing qualified electors who haven't changed residence in years that they must register again to qualify for ballots.

It is probable also, that substantial portion of the party's campaign chest will be devoted to an educational campaign and to backing up township units in making personal contacts with voters.

Cities of 5,000 or more have permanent registration for a dozen years or more. They keep the poll lists up to date through wedding out every three years the names of those who may have died, or who have been inactive at the ballot box.

Townships have paid little attention to this.

Fraud and abuses probably are rare, but the Legislature has decided to put townships and villages on the same basis as cities.

Old lists will be discarded and every voter will have to register anew with his township or village clerk or lose his vote. The uniform deadline is 20 days before the election.

Sigler has suggested that schoolhouses be made registration centers and that an educational campaign be carried on through the schools.

The deputizing of registration clerks also is being urged.

Democrats, aware that their strength lies with the watching Republican moves carefully.

The word has gone out to local Democratic committees to demand strict compliance with the statute calling for bi-partisan election boards.

The statute assures the minority of representation on each board. Outstate rural areas have paid no more attention to it than some cities.

Re-registration apathy might affect some congressional contests.

Democratic pressure will be in the cities. It could even up the otherwise one-sided contests.

Primary Mothers Ask All Members To Attend Meeting

The Primary Mothers club will hold its first meeting of the year at the high school at 2:15 p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 18.

The club wishes to emphasize that any woman who has a child that is a pupil in any of the five grades from kindergarten to the fourth grade inclusive is automatically a member of the club. The club is very desirous that all such mothers attend the meetings and become active members. If it is not possible to attend all the meetings, at least they are to attend the first meeting, become acquainted with other members and the purposes of the club, and then to attend as many meetings as they can.

Cooperating with local townships and with talent for surrounding cities the club has many interesting programs planned for the coming year. They invite the presence and support of all eligible members.

Pearl B. Cramer Dies At 62 Years

Lived Here 4 Years; Had Been Invalid For 18 Years

Mrs. Pearl Blanche Cramer, 62, died at 2:15 p. m. Thursday at her home at 109 North Cayuga street.

Funeral rites were held Sunday, Sept. 8, at 2 p. m. at the Church of the Brethren near Bourbon, Ind., where she formerly lived.

Rev. Miller of that church officiated and burial was made in Mt. Pleasant cemetery near the church. Her brothers acted as pallbearers.

She came to Buchanan four years ago from Cando, North Dakota. She had been an invalid 18 years, and bedfast the last three years.

She was born Jan. 16, 1884, in Marshall county, Ind., the daughter of Andrew Gerard and Mary Ellen Cart Geard. She married Let Cramer on Feb. 24, 1907, at Bourbon, Ind. She was a member of the Church of the Brethren.

Survivors are the husband, two daughters, Gladys Hinegardner of Buchanan and Carrie Thompson of Three Oaks; two sons, Clarence of North Dakota, and Arnold of Buchanan; three sisters, Mrs. Grace Neidig of Plymouth, Ind., Mrs. Emma Cook of Costa Mesa, Calif., and Mrs. Mary Delph of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; five brothers, Frank, Fred and Jess Gerard of Bourbon, Ind., and Ralph and Leo Gerard of Mishawaka, Ind., by thirteen grandchildren.

Mrs. Jack Post Is Taken By Death

End Comes At Home In Dayton, Ohio, After Brief Illness

Mrs. Millic Post, 46, well known former resident of this community died at 6:50 a. m. Tuesday in her home at 215 South Dixie avenue, South Hills, Dayton, O., following a brief illness.

The family lived near Bakerstown for a number of years before moving to Dayton last May. Mrs. Post was employed by the Clark Equipment company and was active in organizing the Foreman's club. For the last two years she has been managing director of the National Association of Foremen with headquarters in Dayton.

Mrs. Post leaves, besides her husband, four daughters, Mrs. Harvey Glosinger, Three Oaks, and Frances, Kathryn and Ruth Ann at home, a son, Richard, of Buchanan, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Windbigler, Betland, and a brother, R. H. Windbigler, Phillipsburg, Mont.; a sister, Mrs. Eleanor Hammond, Cleveland, O., a granddaughter, Michael Glosinger. Funeral services will be held at 8:30 a. m. Friday in St. Emmanuel's Catholic church at 9 a. m. Burial will be made in Calvary cemetery in Dayton.

Miss Willa Miller left Monday to resume her studies at Carleton college, Northfield, Minn.

Temperature Range Last Week From 40 To 95 Degrees

Following three days of heat and wind that put additional crimps in prospective yields of corn, late potatoes and other late crops, a fine shower of rain came early Tuesday morning, with a precipitation of .56 inches of moisture.

In the three-day hot spell the latter part of last week the mercury rose above 90 degrees two days, the highest reported here being 95 degrees in the shade. The hot, dry wind accompanying effect of swift deterioration in already scorched corn crops. Temperatures of 95 came three days after the mercury had registered 40 above here.

On Tuesday morning, came the first appreciable rain of September, the .56 inches that means raising the total to .59 during the first third of a month whose normal is 3.18 inches.

However many corn fields on low ground where high ground-water levels gave relief, have weathered the summer in good condition and the rain is helping such fields in maturing fully-developed, plump-kernelled ears.

Probably the greatest aid is the sput which it is giving the dry pastures.

Farmers report that the moisture went down about two inches, but did not meet wet dirt, as the soil below is totally dry over a foot. Consequently it will not enable farmers to resume plowing. But it will make it possible to harrow and drag and plant fields already plowed. Some planting of spelt and winter barley is now under way.

Winter wheat sowing will begin about Sept. 20 and continue for a week. The official freeze date this year is Sept. 22.

Mrs. Arlin Clark Resident 40 Yrs., Called By Death

Funeral Held Friday, 2:30, And Burial In Oak Ridge

Mrs. Joanna Myrtle Clark, resident of Buchanan for the past 40 years, died at her home at 113 West Bee street at 10:30 p. m. Tuesday.

She had been in ill health for a long time, and in late weeks her condition had gradually worsened. She was unconscious a week before death.

She was born Sept. 1, 1876, in Jasper county, Ind., the daughter of Milton and Ruth Chipman. She married Arlin B. Clark in Buchanan in June, 1905. He died Oct. 17, 1919.

She is survived by two nephews, Marvin M. Chipman, Cleveland, O., and Dennis Chipman, California, by three cousins, Mrs. Lucy Wilhite and Mrs. Bessie Byers, South Bend; Mrs. Margaret Quincey, Lowell, Ind.

The funeral will be held at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the Swan Funeral Home with Rev. M. M. Martin of the Church of Christ officiating. Burial will be made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Claude Carter On Miami Faculty

Claude F. Carter, former science teacher in the Buchanan high school, has been appointed associate professor of mathematics at the University of Miami at Coral Gables, Fla. For the past four years Mr. Carter has been associate professor of physics at Hillsdale college.

During the past year he has done surveying and drawing of plans for the Veterans' barracks and trailer camp on the back campus of Hillsdale college. Mr. Carter is now working for his doctorate from the University of Michigan.

Professor Carter and his wife and daughter Nancy, moved September 10 to their newly purchased home at 287 S. W. 25th Terrace, Miami, Fla.

Library To Give Party For Summer Reading Club Sat.

The Buchanan public library will entertain 41 children who completed the work of the Summer Reading Club at a line party at the matinee of the Hollywood theatre Saturday afternoon. There will be refreshments at the library following the matinee.

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## Galen News

Mrs. Arthur Roundy is convalescing at her home after undergoing surgery at Holy Family hospital, LaPorte.

Mrs. Helen Angom has enrolled in the Benton Harbor Business college for the coming year. She was graduated from Galien high school last spring.

John Gowland, Jr. and Charles Roberts have returned from a visit to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Pyle entertained Mrs. Pyle's aunt, Mrs. Nellie Royce of Arcadia, Neb., at their home last week. Mrs. Royce, who is 85 years old, is a former resident of Berrien county.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gowland entertained recently for Mr. and Mrs. George Light and family of Benton Harbor and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wenzloffs and family of St. Joseph.

Mr. Light and Mr. Wenzloff served in the European and Pacific theaters with the Gowland's son, John, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Zippich and sons and Mrs. John Murray and Mrs. Jack Hickey, all of Berwyn, Ill., have returned home after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ender and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Elbeys are taking a two-weeks motor trip through the west, where they will visit Colorado Springs and other

## Dayton News

After an absence of two weeks Floyd and Charles Klaser returned Saturday night from a pleasure trip to Ontonagon and Grand Marais, Mich., which are located on Lake Superior.

Thirty pupils were enrolled on the opening day of school. Four colored children have since enrolled. This is almost an increase of 50% from last year.

Mrs. Bertha Richter and Clara Einsperger accompanied Mrs. Myrtle Einsperger Buchanan to St. Joseph Wednesday of last week. They also visited the fruit market in Benton Harbor.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Val Schmidt have sold their remaining property holdings near Dayton Lake and have purchased other property similar to their property here, at Flint, Mich.

Admiral and Mrs. R. E. Ingersoll from LaPorte, Ind., were guests of Fred Fischer last afternoon. Fred accompanied them on a trip to the Portage Prairie and Dunkard cemeteries.

Floyd Klaser and William Alfred were in Lansing, Mich., Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Arnold of Battle Creek, were visitors at the home of his father, George Arnold, last Monday.

## Bend of the River

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Granger were guests Saturday evening of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luman Granger of Schoolcraft.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Granger of Mansfield, O., are guests this week of Mr. Granger's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Granger.

Mrs. Charles Oxender and Mrs. Myron Granger attended the Cassopolis fair last Thursday all day.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bunker, Buchanan, were guests Sunday afternoon and evening of Mrs. Guy Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vol Atvas of Mishawaka, Clarence Huss and son, Bobby, and daughter, Dixie, of Galien, called on Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Huss Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oxender moved last week from their home on Victory street to their farm in this district, which they purchased recently from Dick Thurston.

Robert Luster, who was in an accident recently, is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. Georgie Roe left Friday for New York City to spend several weeks with Miss Mildred Roe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hague of Battle Creek and Mr. and Mrs. D. Snyder of Dowagiac were guests

## West Buchanan

Members of Wagner grange met Friday evening in the grange hall. Master William Whittaker presided during the business session. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stover of Mishawaka, were Sunday evening dinner guests of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Shuman Sarver.

Miss Addora Keyser and Mrs. David Rotzien called on Miss Madge Seyfred of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Arnold of Battle Creek, are guests of his father, George Arnold.

Mrs. Carl Rotzien and daughters, Rita and Joanne, Portage Prairie, called on Mr. and Mrs. David Rotzien Sunday afternoon.

Ardon Brown has returned from upper Michigan where he spent several days fishing.

Miss Mary Adams of Benton Harbor, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Velmore Speckne.

Mr. Ardon Brown spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Working, Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee and family of VanLew, Mrs. Blanche Stenback and daughter, Betty, and Mrs. Rose Anna Habbe and son, Grover, Stenback, and Frank Crooker, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Black in Chicago.

Gene and Bob Stenback were week-end guests of their brother, Bill Stenback, Michigan City.

Pfc Harry Hatfield, of Selridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Mich., was a guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Irving VanLew.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee and family of Mrs. VanLew called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee, Galien, Monday.

Members of the Ladies Aid society of the Dayton Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon, Sept. 19, in the home of Mrs. Shuman Sarver for the first official meeting and election of officers.

Mrs. Addora Keyser, Mrs. David Rotzien and family called on Miss Madge Seyfred of South Bend, Wednesday evening.

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## Mary Louise Payne To Wed

Niles Man

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Payne announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Louise, to Joseph A. Quick, son of Frank Quick, of Barron Lake, Niles.

The wedding has been set for Saturday, Sept. 14, at St. John's Evangelical church in Three Oaks.

Miss Payne is a graduate of the Galien high school and Mr. Quick was graduated from Niles high school and spent three years in the army, serving overseas in Europe.

## Robert Noggle Marries Former Galien Teacher

Miss Fern Hafnerichter, who taught home economics in the Galien high school for the past two years, was married to Robert Noggle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Noggle, at a ceremony performed in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hafnerichter, in Plainfield, Mich.

The Rev. Henry J. Soltan, Minneapolis, Minn., officiated at the double ring ceremony, assisted by the Rev. LeRoy Huntley, pastor of the Oswego Prairie Evangelical church.

Preceding the ceremony, John Hafnerichter, cousin of the bride, played several selections on the organ and during the ceremony another cousin of the bride, Jim Hummel, sang "O Perfect Love."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white with a satin brocade bodice and a net skirt. Her veil was of fingertip length and she carried a round bouquet of white asters. Her only jewelry was a string of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom.

The matron of honor, Miss William Leigh, cousin of the bride, wore a gown of shell pink lace and carried a white bouquet. The junior bridesmaids, Barbara Mary Davis and Rita Rae Burkart, nieces of the bride, wore identical floor-length lace gowns in aqua blue. Sra. Elizabeth Dittman, another niece of the bride, was flower girl and wore a floor-length yellow lace frock.

Lawrence Noggle, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

The mothers of the bride and groom wore black sheet dresses and white corsages.

At a reception for 100 relatives and friends after the ceremony, the bride's table was decorated with a three-tiered wedding cake. Music was provided during the reception and one number played by John Hafnerichter on the organ was "Aoramo Te," an original composition of Miss Maxine James, a Galien high school student.

Three young cousins of the bridegroom, Linda Lou Kaisei, Gail and Judy Zimmerman, passed the attractively wrapped bridegroom's cake to all present.

Mrs. Noggle has taught in the Galien school for the past two years and Mr. Noggle is engaged in farming.

The couple will return here to make their home after a wedding trip to California.

## Olive Branch

Mr. and Mrs. Lester James and sons of New Caniste, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon G. Crow, Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Brown and son, Therou, of Benton Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Crow and son, Larry, of LaPorte, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lydie Nye.

A baptismal service for Mrs. Pearl Kellogg was held Sunday afternoon at the Lydie Nye creek with Rev. and Mrs. Clifford N. Stormes in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dickey entertained Saturday evening with a square dance party for twenty-five couples. Music was furnished by Mrs. George Seyfert, Kenneth Dickey and Miss Shirley Schmidt of Bridgman. A potluck supper was served during the evening.

Mrs. Lewis Truh is on the sick list.

## Oliver Branch

Members of Wagner grange met Friday evening in the grange hall. Master William Whittaker presided during the business session. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stover of Mishawaka, were Sunday evening dinner guests of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Shuman Sarver.

Miss Addora Keyser and Mrs. David Rotzien called on Miss Madge Seyfred of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Arnold of Battle Creek, are guests of his father, George Arnold.

Mrs. Carl Rotzien and daughters, Rita and Joanne, Portage Prairie, called on Mr. and Mrs. David Rotzien Sunday afternoon.

Ardon Brown has returned from upper Michigan where he spent several days fishing.

Miss Mary Adams of Benton Harbor, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Velmore Speckne.

Mr. Ardon Brown spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Working, Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee and family of VanLew, Mrs. Blanche Stenback and daughter, Betty, and Mrs. Rose Anna Habbe and son, Grover, Stenback, and Frank Crooker, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Black in Chicago.

Gene and Bob Stenback were week-end guests of their brother, Bill Stenback, Michigan City.

Pfc Harry Hatfield, of Selridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Mich., was a guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Irving VanLew.

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Local News

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A party consisting of Mr and Mrs. Mike Ross, Mary Rabano, Mary Ross and Olga Ross spent a recent week-end attending boat races in Detroit.

Mary Ann Hartl of Birchwood, Wis. has been a guest in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Zachman.

Ward Pohly is home from Kalamazoo to spend this week with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. William Y. Pohly, before entering Albion college, where he will take up a pre-medical course.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schram and family have returned to their home in Glenview, Ill., after being called here by the death of the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Emma Bishop, who died last Thursday.

Hi Grade Trims Donleys To Take Softball Trophy

Stewart, Coloma, Miss Mildred Och and Mrs. Edith Kendall, Benton Harbor

operative supper at Three Oaks, Sept. 11, when the local lodge will put on the entertainment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Huebner and daughter, Clara, and son, John, have returned to Detroit after spending several days with the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Huebner, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Avery of Three Oaks, are the parents of a 7 pound, 12 ounce son, William James, born Saturday morning at the Boyce Maternity home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritzler, Jr., returned to their home in Lafayette, Ind., Monday, after spending several days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritzler, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Merrifield returned during the week-end from a week's outing at Diamond Lake, near Newaygo, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bromley had as their guests last week the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Welch, Saginaw, and her niece, Mrs. Clarence Goodwyn and son, Charles, Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keller of Atlantic, Ia., who are visiting relatives in Buchanan, spent Friday at the George Marsh home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gill of Watseka, Minn., and daughter, Miss Mary Gill, a nurse in Mercy hospital, Gary, were recent guests of Mrs. H. R. Adams and daughter, Louise, as they were enroute to Altona, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Longworth, Jr. returned to Holt, Mich., Sunday after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Longworth, Sr.

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# Michigan Survey Analyzes Sales Tax Amendment

## Both Sides Of Measure To Be Voted On At Nov. 5 Election

### SECOND INSTALLMENT Arguments Favoring State Assistance

A number of arguments have been advanced as to why state assistance is justified. A summary of these follows:

- 1 The property tax system, upon which local government places principal reliance, was not designed to and cannot meet the many costly demands of modern society, particularly in heavily urbanized areas.
- 2 Although property taxes and assessed valuations have been mounting steadily since the depression (approximately 25%) the cost of rendering essential local services has increased far more rapidly.
- 3 Local government now is rendering services which are properly state functions, such as providing tax supported institutions of higher learning, extensive park systems, mental institutions, prisons, health and welfare services, and others of similar character.
- 4 State administrative agencies often force local units to undertake costly projects for which they are financially unprepared.
- 5 The insurmountable difficulties attendant upon efforts toward local levying and collection of certain taxes makes it administratively wise to levy and collect such taxes on a state-wide basis, returning or sharing the revenues with local units. This is a workable alternative to complete loss of such revenues. The intangibles and sales tax fall in this category.
- 6 The state has been accumu-

lating unspendable surpluses during the past few years, which is detrimental to sound, economical operation. All excess revenues rightfully belong to the producing units. This state has a moral obligation to return to source any appreciable surplus it may collect.

**Arguments Against State Assistance**  
In spite of the arguments in favor of state assistance, there are many who feel that the state and the local unit should be completely independent.

Following are the arguments given:

- 1 Legislative bodies at every level should have full responsibility for raising the money they spend. If democratic government is to be maintained, state assistance of any kind violates this fundamental principle.
- 2 The American form of democratic government is built upon a foundation of strong local government. State assistance, particularly when it is given by the state government by encouraging local government to increase their reliance upon state instead of local sources for the revenues needed.
- 3 No formula for distribution of state aid in Michigan has as yet been employed which does not discriminate against certain economic areas.
- 4 The only admissible basis for sharing in returning state collected taxes is according to source. This has been recognized in Michigan, resulting in an annual "grab" for funds from economically prosperous areas for distribution to uneconomic areas as vote-getting gifts.
- 5 State assistance to uneconomic governmental units guarantees the perpetuation of such units without providing a lasting and practical solution. In this way it materially hinders the democratic development of economically sound local government throughout the state.

**The Sales Tax Amendment—The Immediate Question**  
Proponents of this amendment feel the move is fully justified in

addition to the arguments favoring state assistance in general (given above), they bring out the following points in support of the present effort.

1. Every attempt to obtain permanent relief through legislative action has been blocked.
- 2 The bulk of aid granted in 1945 is from a tax which expires in 1947.
3. earmarking of specific revenues for local government through constitutional amendment is the only positive means of assuring adequate, continuing aid to local units.

Those opposed to the amendment point out that, in addition to the general negative arguments presented earlier, the present proposal should be rejected because:

- 1 Any specific dedication of revenues at the local level of government is unwise in that such a step cancels local responsibility for raising revenues and tends to destroy our democratic form of government.
- 2 Taxation and related fiscal problems are fundamentally legislative (or statutory) matters and, as such, should be left in the hands of the legislature to permit periodic modification required by changing circumstances.
- 3 The proposed amendment would freeze the sales tax into the present system and create nearly insurmountable obstacles to needed future modifications or alterations. The only change possible would be in the rates, unless a subsequent amendment were adopted.
- 4 Under this amendment, the equivalent of approximately 76% of total sales tax revenues from the present 3 cent levy would be earmarked for local purposes. This would hamper future state operations unless new taxes were devised to make up the difference or some present sources of aid withdrawn. This would happen because the amendment, in addition to dedicating one cent (33 1/3%) to cities, villages, townships and school districts, requires that an annual appropriation to schools be made that bears at least the same ratio to sales tax collections as was the case in 1915, or 42.64%. Thus, only the equivalent of 24% of sales tax revenue from the present 3 cent levy would be left for general appropriation by the legislature.

### PURELY INCIDENTAL

by Lew Barwick  
(Ed Note: This column submitted under the title of Purely Incidental—incidentally more incidental than pure—is submitted by Lew Barwick, in the employ of the safety department of a local manufacturing plant and until his boss reads all this. What business has a columnist in a safety department?)

Before his present employment Mr Barwick did time on Illinois wrecks and dashes and later as a public relations representative of the U S Coast Guard service. He has his stripes to show for the latter service, and should have for the former, if you get what we mean.

Dear Readers:  
"This is my first column for the Record, which I'm proud to pass on for those who care to indulge. It is written purely for pleasure with no slants or criticisms aimed at anyone. It is strictly as I see it and is not to be judged as the opinion of this paper or staff, I call it 'purely incidental'."

### APPROPRIATE MUSIC

I dropped into a local restaurant the other day to have a cup of "java" which is my usual morning habit. Before I had finished I noticed (how could I help but smell?) an intoxicated character partaking of some morning "I didn't say mourning but might as well food, mainly a cup of jet black coffee. This of course didn't turn my head in the least, but when the individual played so conveniently "I'm Gonna Get Lit Up" on the juke box, I left. Brother, that was "enuff."

Eddie Helms, (I believe he's an officer of some type) was passing out the cigars the other day. He announced that he just had received a bundle from heaven.

"Boy or girl?" we asked.  
"Neither," he replied. "It was my laundry."

WELL, WAS SHE?  
Then I heard about a Buchanan chap who got married recently. On the morning after the marriage, the bridegroom left his wife long enough to go down to the hotel lobby for a morning paper. When he came back he discovered her nestled in the arms of a bellboy. She looked up at her husband coyly and remarked "I bet you're going to think I'm an awful flirt."

BREVITY SIMPLICITY  
To prove to the fairest sex that I'm an unjudicious individual I weekly submit the following ditty which I've noticed under many desk covers lately.

Women's faults are many  
Men have only two  
Everything they say  
And everything they do.

CHOP SUEY This is the time of the year when some men go fishing while others continue to do their drinking at home. A sergeant is a guy that cusses you out after the Army swears you in. A woman in Southern Michigan found that she could get a divorce from her husband because of his flat feet. She found them in the wrong flat. So in closing, let me remind you "position never makes you happy—it's disposition."

Sleep 'Stock  
Sheep with jaws of unequal length are not such good producers of meat and wool as a normal sheep

# Farm Tractors Have Many Uses, State Engineers

## John Borland On S. A. E. Tractor Program At Milwaukee, Wis.

Versatile farm tractors, capable of doing more farm work faster than either men or horses, whether the job be loading hay, digging post holes, or hauling loads, were described before the National Tractor Meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers in Hotel Schroeder in Milwaukee, Wis., yesterday.

Power requirements of self-propelled agricultural implements were reviewed by John Borland, of Clark Equipment Company, Buchanan, who said that use data are becoming increasingly important, since designing for peak conditions tends to unnecessarily increase weight and cost. Operations, soil conditions, grades, and rolling resistance all must be considered important factors, explained Mr Borland, describing the development of helpful charts on which all factors can be plotted.

K. W. Anderson, of Deere & Co., Moline, Ill., reported that crop trends directly are influencing tractor design and that the all-purpose tractor is proving to the American farmer that it has no substitute for timely, productive performance. Tractor engineers are cooperating with implement engineers, said Mr Anderson, to develop ease of attachment and operation, further enhancing the versatility of the tractor.

He pointed out that the ownership of some implements and attachments is shared by several farmers, who borrow them in turn for use with their own tractors. He cited the front-end loader, which he said came into wide use during the wartime shortage of manpower and is becoming even more popular because farmers are reluctant to resume older, harder methods.

**Ten Times Man's Efficiency**  
Mr Anderson declared that the post-hole digger attached to a tractor, can dig 10 times as many holes per day as the human worker with hand tools. Tractor wood saws are finding widening acceptance, both for cutting wood and clearing land. Mechanical cultivation and harvesting of cotton, with the aid of tractor and implements, was said to be mandatory if American cotton growers successfully are to compete in the world market, particularly against synthetic fibers. Mechanical cultivation and harvesting of sugar beets, again with the aid of the tractor, were said to offer high economic rewards.

### Probate News

Judge Malcolm Hatfield transacted the following matters the past week—Wills and the petitions for the probate of the last will and testament were filed in the estates of Mary Painter, George J. Ganter, Gertrude O'Neal Jones, Althea K. Morrison, deceased, petitions for the appointment of administrators were filed in the estates of Cora M. Agard, Ida Holley, Maxine White, Henry Swam, Emma F. Gest, Estelle Esfeldt Miller, Lula M. Barman, Martha Bishop, George A. Kelly, William Littlejohn, James R. Lee, deceased, bonds were filed and letters issued in the deceased estates of Lula M. Barman, Marion Sharp, Lane Hirsh, Louise Knuth, Mary O. Atwood, Esther Augustovich, Helen Berndt, James L. Broderick, Marie La Violette, Duane A. Kesterke, Marie La Violette, John Dooley, Sopana Wagner, Henry Swam, John Kerl, Frank Sarsha, Madge Pugh, William Kort, deceased, inventories were filed in the estates of Philip F. Cohn, Bradford Barnes Brown, Clarence M. Poole, Antonina Szymkiewicz, Ralph Agard, Rebecca Grant, Richard Schebel, John J. Theisen, Sophia Wagner, Esther Augustovich, Harley C. Bookwalter or H. C. Bookwalter, William G. Ryther, Hilda J. Troost, Roy S. Moline, Lula M. Barman, deceased, and final accounts were filed in the estates of Bradford Barnes Brown, Antonina Szymkiewicz, William Lusse, Laura La Pointe, Rose Fish, Roy S. Moline, Edward R. Beshens, Guernsey Laase, Edward P. Hossfield, Richard Schebel, Louis P. Fisher, Ebrahim Hargreaves, Iva Louisa Soll, Ettie Jan Crall, Salvatore Santino, John J. Theisen, Katherine M. Tuttle, deceased.

Judge Hatfield entered orders of probate on the hearing of claims in the estates of Teresa Wetzel Behrens or Theresa Wetzel Behrens, May L. Gogue, Salvatore Santino, Lillian Watson Reifsnider, William Eggert sometimes Wm Eggert, Gladys Moulton Davis, Carl Leitz or Charles Leitz, deceased, an order confirming sale of real estate was entered in the estate of Irla Zimmerman Saxe, Harold Hall, Fannie D. McBain, deceased, and closed the estates of Pauline Keswick, Peter Lakovich, Rose Fish, Mary Christinson, Ina Rathbun, Richard Schebel, deceased.

### U. Michigan Gives Course Management For Small Business

Nearly one hundred veterans have completed special training offered by the University of Michigan to prepare them to organize and manage small businesses of their own. Prof. Charles L. Jamison, of the School of Business Administration, has received a four-month course in business management will be repeated

in Detroit this fall, beginning Oct. 1, by the University Extension Service. This course is offered under the G. I. Bill and gives intensive training in accounting, management, merchandising and public relations. Emphasis is placed upon retail and service enterprises, since about 60% of the veterans are in these fields, Prof. Jamison explained. The Michigan Plan, as the short course is called, was started on the University campus in Ann Arbor last November, and 67 men completed the course there. In the spring, classes were moved to Detroit because of crowded housing conditions at the University, and a second group of veterans completed the course there in mid-August. Many of the veterans who finished the first course are already established in their own businesses, though others have postponed going into business for themselves because of shortages of materials and supplies.

### Reading By Pupils Is High In 5th And Low In 10th Grades

Books hold more interest for pupils in the fifth grade than for those on any other level of the public schools, a survey conducted by a University of Michigan professor of education, reveals. A study of reading interests of more than 3,500 Michigan school boys and girls showed that interest in reading reaches its maximum in the fifth grade and declines thereafter to a low point in the tenth grade. Professor Clifford Woolly, explained.

Purpose of the study was to find out what types of books have most interest for students to help educators in planning courses of study for maximum pupil interest.

### Protection Canada Geese To Cut 1946 Mich. Hunting Sport

What goose hunting, if any, the Michigan hunter will get this fall, now that Canada geese are on the protected list, is so doubtful, a

matter not even conservation department ornithologists will hazard an estimate. Michigan hunters are concerned only with Canada, blue and snow geese, for all other species west of the state so rarely they are simply scientific curiosities here. The Canada has been the most abundant goose, and provided the dependable shooting. With blue and snow geese there always are the questions of whether their route this season will take them over Michigan, and if it does, whether they will stop here. Only three times in the last 12 years have they stopped here in sufficient numbers to provide good shooting, and the fact that last season was one of those years makes the conservation department's waterfowl

specialists pessimistic about their repeating the visit in force this fall.

Popular misuse of the term "brant" for snow and blue geese should not mislead the hunter lucky enough to get a shot at blues and snows about the bag limit, he can take four of them, singly or combined. True brant rarely get this far inland from the coast.

Hunters hazy in their goose identification will be safe, game men say, if they refrain from shooting any geese that has a black neck and white cheek patch. Any others they may see in Michigan are almost certain to be blue or snow geese.

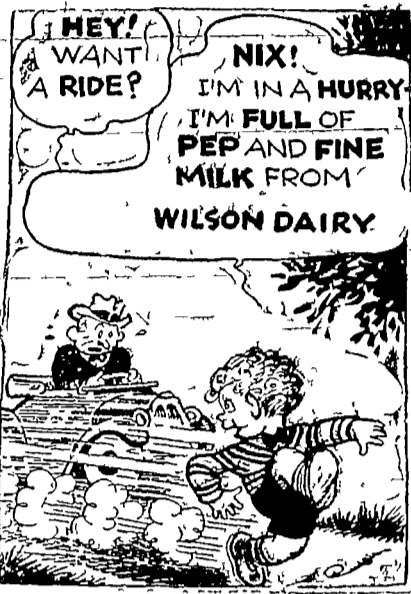
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Portage Prairie

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker were other guests this evening (Thursday) of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schrock, of Goshen, Ind.

Thursday in the church Mrs. Helen Smith presided. A miscellaneous program was presented. The group will meet Oct. 3.

ter, Marvel, of Kendall, Mich. were guests Wednesday night of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ryder.

Peach Tree Borer Destructive Pest In Peach Orchard

The peach tree borer is the most serious, destructive pest of peach trees. Many eggs are laid by wasp-like moths on or near the tree trunk.

Reduce Air Mail To 5 Cents Ounce Effective Oct. 1

Reduction First Move To Make Rail And Air Rates Same

Arrangements are now in progress under the direction of the federal postal department for the reduction in the domestic rate for first class air mail to its lowest point, from 8 cents per ounce to five cents per ounce effective Oct. 1.

and using aviation gasoline tax funds for establishing airports and aeronautical facilities in the various communities throughout the state, its funds are now being held in escrow following a decision by the State Attorney General last spring.

The people of the State of Michigan are not being asked to contribute any money through this proposal. No. 1, and it will not increase taxes. All monies for airport improvement have been derived from income on the sale of aviation gasoline and from fees paid by aircraft owners for registration of their planes and for airport managers' licenses issued by the State.

Detroit Legion Declares War On Obscene Writing

War against the sale of so-called "modern" literature has been declared by George C. Dollar, commander of the Detroit Districts Association of The American Legion.

when the larvae of the Hessian fly are around to damage the wheat in the seedling stage. Agent Zillman advised farmers to plant certified seed and added that tested and approved seed is available this year.

Mich. Will Not Sell Mineral Right Under State Lands

State-owned lands — abandoned once by owners who did not think them worth the taxes — at times can be bought for cabin sites, hunting lands, forestry and in some cases for farming, but purchasers are advised flatly that no oil or other minerals are included in any such bargain.

North Buchanan

Mr. and Mrs. Deah Clark, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Decker, left Sunday for Puente, Calif., to visit the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clark.

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Amendment State Basic Law Would Promote Aviation

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Michigan Doctors Issuing Booklet On Adoption Practice. Recognizing that the doctor is frequently consulted on adoption problems, the Michigan Welfare League and the Michigan Society for Mental Hygiene have brought out a booklet covering this subject which is of importance to physicians throughout the state of Michigan.

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# Social

G. A. K. Circle

Members of the Carlisle-Hanley-Bunker circle of the G. A. R. met Monday evening in the American Legion hall for a brief business session, after which the group spent the evening sewing on articles for their bazaar in October.

Mrs. Elmhurst Starr and Mrs. Carl Remington served refreshments. Mrs. Starr received the unseen gift. The next meeting will be held Sept. 23.

**Come-Join-Us Class**

Members of the Come-Join-Us Sunday school class of the First Evangelical church will meet Friday evening in Albright hall for a 6:30 o'clock potluck supper and farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rudom, who leave next month to make their home in Monterey, Calif.

**Convenience Bridge Club**

Mrs. William Pietz was hostess to members of the Convenience bridge club Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Paul T. Schultz. A planned dinner was held at 6:30 o'clock. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Elmer Keyes, Mrs. John Russell and Mrs. Schultz. Prizes were won by Mrs. Pietz, Mrs. Keyes and Mrs. Pierre T. Bailey.

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### Faculty Dinner Party

The faculty of the Buchanan high and grade schools had as the first social event for the year a dinner party at the Swedish Coffee Pot on US-12 near Sawyer Tuesday evening. Board members and their wives were guests.

### Complimented At Shower

Mrs. Raymond Gregory was hostess at a pink and blue shower Wednesday evening complimenting Mrs. Richard Walkden. There were 16 guests present. Prizes at games were won by Mrs. Clayborn Gooch, Mrs. LeRoy Holston and Mrs. Walkden.

### Child Study Club

The Buchanan Child Study club will meet Monday evening in the home of Mrs. A. S. Boyer at 7:45 o'clock for the initial meeting of the fall and winter season. Mrs. Sheldon Heim will preside. Mrs. J. R. Semper will be the guest speaker. Her topic will be "Highlights of Motherhood."

### Kum-Joy-Nus Class

The Kum-Joy-Nus class of the Methodist church held a potluck supper at the church Thursday evening with thirty-two present. Chairmen in charge were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trapp and Mr. and Mrs. Dale English.

### Young Mothers' Home Ec. Club

The Young Mothers' Home Economics club will meet Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clifford Shafel. This will be a teaching meeting and plans will be made for the coming events of the year. Mrs. Lee Conrad will preside.

### Come Join Us Class

The Come Join Us Sunday school class of the Methodist church will honor Mrs. Erwin Hejerman and Mrs. Arthur Anderson at a pink and blue shower Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shafel.

### Announces Engagement Of Daughter

Mrs. Mary Rauch announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Christina Lace, to Donald L. Dillavou, son of Mrs. Elmina Dillavou. The marriage will take place in the home of Mrs. Paul Stretch, sister of the groom, at 406 Sylvan avenue, at 2:00 p. m. on Saturday, Sept. 14.

### Presbyterian Women Meet

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian church will hold its first fall meeting Tuesday evening, Sept. 17, in the church parlors with a potluck dinner at 6:35 o'clock. The guest speaker for the occasion will be Miss Virginia M. MacKinnon, secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions in the Central Area office, Chicago, and formerly a missionary to Japan. Mrs. Harry Beistle, president, will preside at the meeting. On the hostess committee are Mrs. M. J. Converse, chairman, Miss Kathryn Allen, Mrs. Richard Chubb, Mrs. H. R. Gray, Mrs. L. M. DeSobberg, Mrs. Fred French, Mrs. M. B. McKinron, Miss Barbara Hausman, Mrs. John Meyer, Mrs. A. E. Muhi, Mrs. Paul Owen, Mrs. Lloyd Sands, Mrs. Kenneth Sternaman, Mrs. Edward Thompson, Mrs. W. R. Tuttle and Mrs. A. S. Webb.

### Happy Eight Club

Mrs. George Sands will entertain members of the Happy Eight club Tuesday afternoon in the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Susland, 506 Main street.

### Dr. Trytten, U.M., Speaks Sept. 25 On High School Survey

On Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 25 Dr. Trytten of the University of Michigan will spend the afternoon in the Buchanan high school conferring with the faculty on the results of the survey conducted by the teachers' collaboration with visiting experts last year. On the evening of that day, he will speak on the evidence of the survey before the joint meeting of the Lions Club. The public will be welcome.

### Encampment Goes To Gary Sept. 14 To Initiate Class

The Buchanan Encampment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will go to Gary, Ind., Saturday afternoon, Sept. 14, instead of Sept. 12, as was announced, to attend a meeting of I. O. O. F. District No. 1. The Royal Purple degree team of Buchanan will exemplify the work for a large class of candidates. Clayton Leiter is captain of the team.

### Coach Cautious While Plugging Holes In Line-Up

Lists 19 Players As Starting Material In State High Game

Coach Lester Miller has been a very cautious man this past week about making statements about Buchanan high school's 1946 football prospects, and every time he made anything like a statement he prefaced it with the proviso "Now don't quote me on this."

During the first week of practice he has been weighing the abilities of some incipient (that means "raw") football talent to plug the holes left by the "heavy June crop" in last year's grid stars. It is evident that he believes that he has some good talent if he can develop it in time, but he is not sure he can whip in shape by the date when his team meets the first-studded aggregation of State High in the opening game at Kalamazoo Friday, Sept. 20.

With a tentative promise that he might be able to announce the definite starting line-up by Wednesday of next week, he came across with the following list of nineteen men from whom that line-up will be winnowed. They are: Al Backer, Don Metzger (captain), quarterback, Bob Stark, left half, Don Gray, Kenny Mitchell, Earl Trapp, right half, Bill Burkett, Frank Speckline, center, Clifford Amel, Paul Montgomery, guards, Lowell Dokey, Maynard Martin, Richard Wilcox, tackles, Chuck Ve-gon, Richard Clark, Don O'Byrne, Lawrence Decker, ends, Hubert Havel, Roger Wussler, Bill Blake, Kenneth Heezen.

"State High favored by having a much better percentage of last year's first-string men in an equal again a hard game is expected."

### County Sportsmen Will Hold Picnic Sunday, Sept. 15

The Berrien County Sportsmen's club will hold their picnic Sunday, Sept. 15, starting at 10 a. m. at the club grounds north of Arden.

The program will include fly fishing, casting all kinds of sport catches, a trap shoot (with plenty of shells) a registered rifle shoot there will be refreshments and hot dogs. All are welcome.

### Golden Elberta Bears 21 Peaches On 18-Inch Branch

At the Weaver brought to the Record office Friday a branch from one of his peach trees which bore within an eighteen-inch section 21 beautiful Golden Elbertas, each measuring from 2 1/2 to 3 inches in diameter and the 21 weighing over 8 pounds.

Mr. Weaver reported that this was just completing the peach harvest from his nine-acre orchard, which yielded 2,000 bushels of fine fruit. He sold practically the entire crop at \$2.50 per bushel. Last year the orchard yielded 2,700 bushels, but he received only \$1.50 per bushel.

The lower yield this year was because of a thinner stand of fruit. The quality of fruit was nearly all Grade 1, the drouth having not diminished size. Mr. Weaver stated that he had constantly cultivated the orchard, and that as a result there was no diminution of size on account of drouth. The highest price received and the lower harvest and marketing cost made the crop more profitable this year than last.

### Foremen Clubs Install Officers

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### Mrs. R. DeNardo And Vincent Leave For Key West, Fla.

Mrs. Ralph DeNardo and son, Vincent, left Wednesday for Key West, Fla., where they will be guests of Mrs. Oliver Almoroy. They will stop in Washington, D. C., enroute, to visit Miss Victoria Zachman in the Walter Reid hospital. Miss Zachman, a Buchanan girl who served with the Red Cross in Europe, incurred a fractured leg while in Austria and was brought to the hospital about two months ago.

### Service Council Asks Donations For Wounded Vet

Mrs. Willard Reports On The Needs Of Percy Jones Hospital

The Veterans Hospital Service Council held its first fall meeting in the city hall Tuesday evening with President Ida Banke in charge. The group voted \$12 to buy bed lamps for Percy Jones General Hospital.

Mrs. Edith Willard gave a report on the state meeting of the Red Cross, Camp and Hospital Council held at Fort Custer Sept. 1. She listed the following items needed for the occupational therapy department at Percy Jones Hospital: zippers, hard and soft wood (any size or shape), croquet hocks, button hooks and small cut steel blades. Other articles needed are 300 bed lamps, 30 small vases, 50 large vases, 100 pins, 1000 paper electric iron covers, 1000 blankets size 32 and 34, current fiction and non-fiction books, deep ash trays, cancelled stamps, hair combs, hallo-wen party favors and decorations, 100 small game prizes weekly birthday gifts, guitars and guitar instruction books. Cash contributions are requested for the new fund for floor lights for the recreation field, the green house fund and the record and film funds.

The list of items sent to the Red Cross center at Battle Creek by the council during July and August included 162 dozen cookies, 12 game prizes 13 birthday gifts, 18 popular records, four stamp books, eight flour sacks, 248 pictures of landscapes, wild life and flowers, 100 pounds of hard candy and 100 pounds of soft candy.

Donations of cash for the funds or any articles listed may be left at the Banke shop on Main street.

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### Teachers To Attend School Conferences

Supt. H. C. Stark attended the legislative conference of the Michigan District section of the Michigan Educational Association at Kalamazoo yesterday, (Wednesday).

He will attend the meeting of the superintendents of schools of Michigan at Traverse City on Sept. 27-28. On Oct. 4, 5 and 6 representatives from the grade and high school teaching staff here will attend the conference on social education in the school curriculum, to be held at Clear Lake near Hastings.

### Mrs. Blanche Heim Talks At Lions Club On Guatemala Visit

Mrs. Blanche Heim, kindergarten teacher in the local schools, will be guest speaker at the dinner meeting of the Buchanan Lions club at 6:15 this evening (Thursday) in the clubhouse at D's cafe. She will discuss her experiences on the trip she made this summer to Guatemala in Central America. A Glenn Hackett and Walter S. Hacking arranged the entertainment. O. Gaylord March will conduct the business session.

### Ray Keefer Buys Everingham Home

Ray Keefer of Buchanan, has purchased the home of James Everingham at 207 N. Detroit street. The Everinghams are making their new home in Jackson, Mich. where Mr. Everingham has taken a position with the Clark Equipment company there. They left Buchanan on August 29, 1946. The Keefers have taken possession of the residence.

Earth Vibrations  
Improvements in seismographs have made it possible to record the tiniest earth vibrations. They can be magnified as many as 100,000 times.

### H. S. Classes Elect Officers

The eighth grade of the Buchanan schools elected the following officers at a meeting Tuesday, president, Betty Womack, vice-president, Dale Wilcox, secretary, Robert Oupitt, treasurer, Wesley Kenzley, student council representatives, Charlene Nehring, and Harold Laitisen.

The ninth grade elected president, Dick Lauver, vice-president, Bill Hess, secretary, Bob Luke, treasurer, Bill Smith, student council representatives, Shirley Powers and Jim McFarland.

The tenth grade elected president, Roger Wissler, vice-president, Kenneth Heezen, secretary, Dick Miller, treasurer, LeRoy Smith, student council representatives, Pat Hahlin and Charlotte Ross.

The eleventh grade elected president, Dwight Heim, vice-president, Bill Burkett, secretary, Charlotte Batchelor, treasurer, Ned Smith, student council representatives, Jim Ott and Joan Kenbarger; reporter, Jim Clements.

The twelfth grade elected president, Don Hartman, vice-president, Jim Havel, secretary, LeRoy Smith, treasurer, Jean Hall, student council representatives, Jo Anderson and John Vandusen, reporter, Mary Joyce Hartline.

The seventh grade held a class meeting but will not elect officers until next Tuesday.

### I.O.O.F. Has Crutches, Hospital Bed And Wheel Chair Banks

A member of the O.E. Fellow lodge has asked that the public be reminded that that organization has banks of crutches, hospital beds and wheel chairs for use without charge by anyone in Buchanan or within a radius of 2 1/2 miles of the town who may need them. Anyone wanting to use a pair of crutches should see Martin Keen. Anyone who wishes to get the temporary loan of a hospital bed or wheel chair should see Clayton Leiter.

### Bumper Corn Crop Is Bright Spot In Farm Feed Situation

The bumper corn crop now in prospect for the nation is the bright spot in an otherwise gloomy stock-feed picture, according to Robert Koemshoff, who attended a three-day meeting of the Farm Bureau Milling company at Aurore, Ill., last week.

Corn is now a critical commodity but it is estimated that the supply will be much more plentiful during the coming year. Among the items that will remain critical are soy bean meal, linseed meal, cotton seed meal, heat scraps and tankage.

### Opening Institute Called A Success

The two-day opening institute for the teaching staff of the Buchanan schools was voted a great success by the participating teachers last week and the sentiment was that it should be a regular feature in coming years.

On Wednesday the following committees on curriculum were named:

Social studies in grade and high school: John Elberts (chairman); Mr. Dean, Mrs. Margis, Mrs. Keating, Mrs. Deas, Mrs. Fuller, English: Mrs. Dunbar (chairman); Miss Barbara Hausman, Wednesday; Mr. Toogood, Mr. Foster, Mrs. VanEverly, Miss Siluka.

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1 model F C. combine, John Deere corn planter with fertilizer, lime spreader, side delivery rake, mow ag machine, 2-see spring tooth drag, 3-see spike tooth drag, mow ag spreader, wagon and grain rack on rubber; 2-wheel trailer, table saw; 1 forge, 100 feet of corn crib wire and many other small tools and items too numerous to mention.

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**Society**

**Observe Wedding Anniversary**  
 Mr. and Mrs. George Roe observed their 30th wedding anniversary Saturday evening with a dinner and party in their home. Out-of-town guests were—S. S. Nielson, Rock Island, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Moldenhout, Davonport, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Martin, of South Bend.

**Methodist Circle I**  
 Circle No. 1 of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening, Sept. 17 at 6 p. m. at the home of Mrs. M. A. Dalrymple for a two-penny co-operative dinner. All attending are asked to bring their own table service. Mrs. Earl Rizzo will lead in devotions. Mrs. Glenn Hastitt will present the lessons. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Gladys Keyes, Mrs. Esther White, Mrs. Fern Wissler.

**Announce Engagement of Their Daughter**  
 Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Alberta Kathryn Herman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herman of Clear Lake Woods, and Richard C. Luke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Luke, Edwardsburg Road, Niles. No date has been set for the wedding. The bride-elect was graduated from Buchanan high school with the class of 1945 and is employed in the Niles office of the Bell Telephone company. Mr. Luke attended Niles high school and was discharged from the Army last spring after serving three years in the European theater. He is employed in the Clark Equipment company plant here.

**Minnie Archer and William Payne Wed**  
 Miss Minnie Louise Archer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Archer of Pochontas, Ark., became the bride of William Payne, Buchanan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haiday A. Payne of Doniphan, Mo., at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Roman Catholic church. Rev. Frank J. Burger, pastor of the church, officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. Richard Walkden and Miss Mary Snyder of Buchanan, attended the bride and the bridegroom was attended by his brother, Robert Hamilton, of Niles. The bride wore a street-length dress of light blue jersey with pink accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Walkden wore a blue print with white accessories and a gladiol corsage. Miss Snyder wore yellow crepe and her accessories were black. She wore a corsage of gladioli. Following the ceremony a reception for 25 guests was held in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Hamilton graduated from Buchanan high school in 1942 and has been employed in the local office of the Bell Telephone company. Mr. Hamilton was graduated from Niles high school in 1942 and served 30 months in the Army, most of the time in Germany. He is associated with his father in the monument business. After a wedding trip through northern Michigan, the couple will reside with Mr. Hamilton's parents.

**Lola Dalenberg and Leland Hamilton Marry**  
 Miss Lola Dalenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dalenberg, 508 Days avenue, and Leland L. Hamilton, 944 Cherry street, Niles, were married at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the rectory of St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church. Rev. Frank J. Burger, pastor of the church, officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. Richard Walkden and Miss Mary Snyder of Buchanan, attended the bride and the bridegroom was attended by his brother, Robert Hamilton, of Niles. The bride wore a street-length dress of light blue jersey with pink accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Walkden wore a blue print with white accessories and a gladiol corsage. Miss Snyder wore yellow crepe and her accessories were black. She wore a corsage of gladioli. Following the ceremony a reception for 25 guests was held in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Hamilton graduated from Buchanan high school in 1942 and has been employed in the local office of the Bell Telephone company. Mr. Hamilton was graduated from Niles high school in 1942 and served 30 months in the Army, most of the time in Germany. He is associated with his father in the monument business. After a wedding trip through northern Michigan, the couple will reside with Mr. Hamilton's parents.

**Mothers World War II**  
 The Buchanan unit of Mothers of World War II met in the American Legion hall Wednesday evening for a business and social meeting. Mrs. Frank Welch conducted the business session and the date of the fall bazaar was set for Nov. 7-9. A luncheon sale was planned for early in October. Mrs. George Roberts will be chairman. Mrs. Kelsey Bainton was named representative to meet with the Buchanan Memorial Field, Inc. finance committee. Pinocchio and bunco were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Esther Nelson, Mrs. Mary Kolhoff, Mrs. Harry Banke, and Mrs. Max Morris. Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Frank Rumsey were on the hostess committee.

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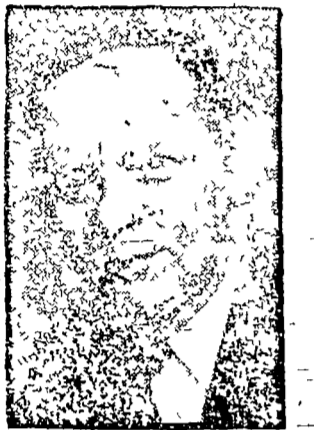
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**Evangelical Junior Aid**  
 Mrs. Carl Irwin was hostess to sixteen members of the Junior Aid society of the First Evangelical church Thursday evening for their first fall meeting. Mrs. Maynard Walker conducted the meeting and the group made plans for a fall bazaar in November and other projects. A gift was given to Mrs. Edmund Rudoni, who leaves next month to live in Monticeto, Calif.

**Royal Neighbor Club**  
 Members of Primrose camp of the Royal Neighbors, meeting Thursday evening in the R. N. A. hall, discussed plans for a bazaar in November. Guests were present from the R. N. A. camp in Niles. Games were played. The group will meet Sept. 19.

**Sunflower Pinocchio Club**  
 Members of the Sunflower pinocchio club will be entertained in the home of Mrs. Leatha Treat Saturday evening.

**Legion Auxiliary**  
 The business and social meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion will be held in the Legion hall Monday evening. Mrs. A. Preston Spague will conduct the meeting and Mrs. Harry Beistle and Miss Ethel Beistle will be in charge of the entertainment.

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**B. & P. W. Club**  
 The September dinner-meeting of the Buchanan Business and Professional Women's club will be held in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church at 6:30 Monday evening. The dinner will be served by the Jeannette Stevenson Guild of the church. The program will be in charge of the co-ordination committee comprising Miss Emu Reams, Mrs. Nellie Boone and Mrs. Esthel Nelson. Sunshine Sisters will be revealed at this time.

**Women of the Moose**  
 The regular meeting of the Women of the Moose will be conducted this Thursday evening in the Moose hall with Senior Regent Ada Poolman presiding.

**Victory Club**  
 Members of the Victory club will open its fall and winter season with a meeting Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Norman Zanour.

**Hillview Pinocchio Club**  
 Mrs. Getrude Cook will entertain members of the Hillview pinocchio club in her home Friday evening.

**Contract Bridge Club**  
 Mrs. Walter E. Schirmer will be hostess Tuesday evening to members of her contract bridge club.

**V. F. W. Auxiliary**  
 The women's Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a business session this Thursday evening in the V. F. W. home. Mrs. Rieta Johnson will preside.

**Hi-Lo Bridge Club**  
 Members of the Hi-Lo bridge club will be entertained Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. George Roe.

**Friendship Class**  
 Members of the Friendship Sunday school class of the First Evangelical church met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. James Dillman, when the class resumed regular monthly meetings. Plans were made to help a needy family. The entertainment consisted of quiz games and contests. Mr. Paul DeWitt will be hostess to the group at the October meeting.

**Hostess At Pinocchio**  
 Mrs. Ivan Shogen will entertain members of her pinocchio club this afternoon (Thursday).

**Altar and Rosary Society**  
 Mrs. Joseph Roti-Roti was hostess to members of the Altar and Rosary society of St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church at the first meeting in the office of Justice of the Peace Thursday evening. President Katherine DeNardo presided and fall activities were discussed and plans were made for the semi-annual dinner-meeting October 3. The dinner, a cooperative affair, will be in the home of Mrs. Clarence Pulks at 6:30 p. m. The committee on arrangements includes Mrs. Onofrio Morelli, Mrs. Charles Zimmerman, Mrs. Joseph Sekan and Mrs. Leo Huebner. Games were played and prizes went to Mrs. Harold C. Starke, Mrs. Zimmerman and Mrs. Morelli.

**F. D. I. Club**  
 Members of the F. D. I. club of Bayview Rebekah lodge will meet this evening (Thursday) for a business and social evening. On the entertainment committee will be Mrs. Leonard Dalenberg, Mrs. Mary Frame, Mrs. George Scott, Mrs. Getrude Cook and Mrs. Charles Ellis.

**Hostess At Cards**  
 Mrs. William Thompson entertained at a card party in her home Thursday evening honoring her sister, Miss Edna Ponting. Prizes at 500 were won by Mrs. Lee Conrad and Miss Ponting. At bridge prizes went to Mrs. Charles Rastetter, Mrs. L. E. Spafford and Mrs. Jack VanderVen.

**B. and P. W. Dinner**  
 Members of the executive board and co-ordination committee of the Buchanan Business and Professional Women's club met last Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Emu Reams and discussed plans for the monthly dinner-meeting Sept. 16 of the B. and P. W. club. The arrangements will be completed by Miss Reams, Mrs. Nellie Boone and Mrs. Esthel Nelson.

**I. O. O. F. Lodge**  
 Subordinate lodge No. 75 of the I. O. O. F. met last Tuesday evening in the Odd Fellow hall and conferred the initiatory degree on a class of candidates.

**Stanley Parties**  
 Stanley parties were held this last week in the homes of the following:  
 Mrs. Olive B. York of Poitage Prairie was hostess to a dozen ladies at an evening party. A Stanley breakfast was held in the home of Mrs. Esthel Wats. Stanley teas were held by Mrs. John Bowman and Mrs. Leo Huebner, Sr. Other hostesses of the week were Mrs. Clara Lingo, Mrs. Norman MacLean and Mrs. E. W. Kelley. Sherrill Ellsworth will attend Stanley assemblies in South Bend and Rochester, Ind., Monday and Tuesday.

**Lillian Club**  
 Mrs. Harley Squire was hostess to members of the Lillian club Wednesday evening for their monthly meeting. Plans were made to hold their annual birthday banquet Oct. 1 in the home of Mrs. W. S. Cull. Pinocchio provided entertainment and prizes were won by Mrs. William Lingie, Mrs. Florence Wooden and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot. The next regular meeting will be held with Mrs. Lloyd Shure Oct. 2.

**Hi-Lo Bridge Club**  
 Mrs. Jack VanderVen entertained for members of the Hi-Lo bridge club in her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Edna Ponting of Dalmatia, Pa., was an honored guest. Prizes at bridge were won by Mrs. O. L. Donley, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. George Demung and Mrs. Charles Kroons. At 500 prizes went to Mrs. Ponting and Mrs. Lee Conrad. The club will meet with Mrs. George Roe Sept. 18.

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<b>Fruit Cocktail</b>	Country Club	No 2 1/2 can	36c
<b>Sliced Peaches</b>	New Pack	No 2 1/2 can	28c
<b>Tomatoes</b>	New Pack	No 2 can	18c
<b>Green Beans</b>	Big "K"	No 2 can	13c
<b>Odessa Peas</b>	New Pack	No 2 cans (12 cans \$1.39)	70c
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<b>Blackberries</b>	White Eagle	No 2 can	32c

<b>COTTAGE CHEESE</b>	full pound	15c
<b>BOSTON BROWN BREAD</b>	loaf	16c
<b>"BIG K" PEAS</b>	New Pack No 2 can	12c
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<b>FRUIT PECTIN</b>	Morgan's bottle	13c
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