

CLARK PLANT GETS MINUTEMEN FLAGS

Snow 18 Inches on Level, Mercury 15 Below in Wake of Blizzard

Over 90 Pct. Take Part In Buying Bonds

Now Here's the Proposition



Uncle Hank of Hills Corcoran Says:

Jim Aichenbottom sez that he wouldn't enjoy his prospects up heaven haff so much eff he thot the rest of the neighbors were gone there too

Mebby nobuddy likes a goody-goody, but you don't hev to turn yourself into a slop can to prove you ain't a rose jar.

10-Year-Attitude

Dads are just frouzed guys with scanty hair
And eyes that always look a little tired
With skin as rusty as the clothes they wear
Loved some, perhaps, but scarce to be admired.
They bring the money in and give it out
And so they'd best be spoken to as "sir."
Perhap they too were young and handsome once
It's hard to think, though, that they ever were

Postpone Meeting Surgical Dressing Unit of Red Cross

The local Red Cross surgical dressing unit which was slated to meet Wednesday, Jan. 20, has postponed its meeting until the following Wednesday, Jan. 27.

The meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church from 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. with Mrs. L. E. Stevens, chairman, and Mrs. Jesse Vele and Mrs. Kelsey Bainton, co-chairmen. Mrs. J. George Mamer, St. Joseph, will be the instructor and will teach a group of supervisors, and they in turn will teach volunteer workers in Buchanan.

Mrs. Stevens' supervisors include Mrs. Harry Graham, secretary, Mrs. Lester Miller, Mrs. J. Semple, Mrs. Frank Habicht, Mrs. A. S. Webb, Mrs. Myrtle Blith, Mrs. W. H. Schuk, Mrs. Sam Rouse, Mrs. William Kollar, Mrs. Sigmund Desenberg, Mrs. Georgia Downey, Mrs. E. M. Gamse, Mrs. Lester Lyons, Mrs. Fred Miller, Mrs. John Sachs, Mrs. Ray Babcock, Mrs. Phil Boone, Mrs. Gladys Dick, Mrs. John Portz, George Franklin and Mrs. Thomas Burke.

Plans have been made to have two afternoon and one evening meeting each week for the volunteer workers to make the dressings.

Wm. Batterson Passes Away at 60

William Batterson, 60, resident of the Buchanan district for the past seven years, died at the Berrien Center hospital at 3 a. m. Tuesday. He was born Dec. 25, 1882, in Appanoose County, Iowa. He married Mary Cridlebaugh at Udell, Iowa, Sept. 26, 1906. She died Jan. 31, 1937. He is survived by the following children: Donald of Aurora, Ill.; Velma of Chicago; Wilma of Chicago; Stewart of Buchanan. The body was sent to Centerville, Iowa, by the Swem Funeral Home and services will be held at Centerville at 2 p. m. today.

Rudloff Twins Expire at Birth

David and Janet Rudloff, twins born to Mr. and Mrs. August Rudloff, R. R. Buchanan, in Pawating hospital on Jan. 16, died shortly after birth. Burial was made in the Oak Ridge cemetery without committal service.

Clark L. Quirk Dies at Birth

Clark L. Quirk, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Quirk, R. R. Buchanan, died 10 hours after birth at his home on US-31 Tuesday. The remains were taken to Oakwood, Ill., where committal services will be held today.

P. O. Calls For Cooperation In Mail Delivery

Only Main Country Roads Are Cleared; Bus and Mail Traffic Is Partly Held Up

The Buchanan district experienced one of the severest storms of recent years during the fore part of the present week, with the mercury dropping to a low mark of fifteen below at the Ind & Mich hydraulic plant at 8 a. m. Wednesday and the accumulated snow totaling an average of 18 inches on the level. Normally the temperature would be from 2 to 3 degrees lower at points further from the river.

The heaviest of the storm was on Tuesday, when roads and even streets were blocked part of the day, and only main thoroughfares were open to traffic. The Buchanan schools were let out at noon to permit the pupils to go home, and mail routes and bus services were partially crippled.

Mail service on rural routes was further impeded by failure of many farmers to clear the road so that carriers could place the mail in the boxes without getting out of their cars or getting stuck in drifts. Postal regulations stipulate that rural carriers are not to place mail in mail boxes if such boxes have not been made accessible without getting out of their cars. The difficulties of the rural mail carriers have been increased by heavier mails, including an increase in mail order business from department stores since gas rationing set in, and also mail to and from the armed forces.

Lt. Kathryn Portz Writes From Africa

Lieut. Kathryn E. Portz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Portz, 115 Clark Street, has arrived safely in North Africa with the Northwestern University medical unit to which she is attached. In a letter received by her parents last week she has the following to say:

"We left an east port in typical winter weather but after two or three days ran into balmy breezes and warm sunshine. There was beautiful moonlight on board at nights and the stars seemed near enough to touch. The ship was always dark.

We traveled first class in nice state rooms with delicious food, the only handicap being rationed water. Passing through the Straights of Gibraltar was a thrill and a beautiful sight. The sight of land provides a feeling never to be forgotten. We had our Christmas somewhere on the Mediterranean Sea—with a delicious dinner, gifts, even a Santa Claus. There were impressive services in the afternoon when we raised our old "Old Glory" to replace the old one the ship had carried over. We never realized before how beautiful the flag really is and what it means today.

Our new home in North Africa is called a "villa". There are ten girls in my home. We are about eight miles from a large town. We expect to go in swimming about once a month. We have English field rations now, which are very good. This country is very poor. I'm taking French lessons to brush up on what I've forgotten. I wish you could give you more details of this strange land, but that will come later. The natives are leaving our area slowly and there are still lots of beggars and urchins left.

Lt. Kathryn E. Portz No. 741371
General Hospital No. 12
A. P. O. 600 Postmaster
New York, N. Y.

Prof. Ellis, W.M.C., To Speak Here Jan. 28 on Child Behaviour

Manley M. Ellis, member of the teaching staff of Western Michigan College, Kalamazoo will speak Thursday, Jan. 28, in the high school gymnasium on the subject "Child Behaviour".

He comes under the auspices of the teachers and mothers of pupils in the second and third grades of the Buchanan schools. Professor Manley teaches in the department of Education of Western Michigan College, specializing in the field of child guidance and development. The talk will be followed by a panel discussion in which six mothers and three teachers will participate.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Bonds

B. H. S. To Meet Central Catholic Here Friday Night

Tales of An Old Town

An Attempt to Reproduce a Cross Section of The American Scene, As Witnessed Here Through the Past Century

Eighty years ago the Berrien County Record, then the Buchanan Union, was published on the third floor of the brick building now known as the Hotel Buchanan.

We don't know what room it was published in, but doubtless all vestiges of printers' ink and the various of it were eradicated by successive generations of good management. The brick building had just been erected by a Mr. Dunbar, for hotel purposes we believe. It was one of a number of three-story bricks erected in Buchanan during the Civil War, from the easy profits of that lush time. For there was a real war prosperity on Buchanan at that time, for those in a position to take advantage of it. And out in the woods, there were women living in one-room log cabins, toiling in small clearings with the aid of small children to keep the wolf from the door until the husband and father came back.

Was the Civil War tougher than the present? Were its hardships greater at the home front and at the fighting front?

The answer is very likely "yes" in both cases. Of course the impact of actual battle is very likely the northern armies were poorly officered. The southern armies were much better off in that respect. The American armies in the present war are tremendously better off.

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In the Civil War this was the way an officer was made. The recruiting authorities would approach a popular young man, who looked to be a natural leader in point of personal popularity, family influence, wealth, prestige, and whatever else it took. He would be offered a commission if he raised so many recruits, the rank depending on the number raised. So the young gentleman would go out with impetuous enthusiasm to sell the army.

Because of this system the northern armies were full of misfits in the lower ranks of officers as well as the higher. A few years ago we made the rounds of Buchanan and Galien communities, talking with all we could find who remembered the Civil War. We were told by one woman, since deceased, that a recruiting officer came to their home to attempt to induce the father to enlist. The father had several children, and he could not see his way. But the officer persisted and his arguments were forceful. Also he painted a rosy picture of army life. A foster son, a boy of fifteen large for his size, listened in. The rosy picture painted by the officer sounded attractive.

"If father can't go, why can't I go?" he asked.

The officer looked him over and said: "Certainly you can. You'll merely go to Ypsilanti and be there a few months and the war will be over. You'll just live in the army barracks there without anything to do but wait, and you can go to the college there and get an education. This war will soon be over and you can depend on it that you will never get out of the state."

So the boy enlisted, he went to Ypsilanti, he was shipped very soon to the fighting front, in the following summer he laid on one of the battlefields before Richmond two days with a mine bell in his hand before he was picked up; gangrene set in in the hospital and although he survived he was weakened permanently.

The task was made easier for recruiting officers because of the fact that when the draft was passed in March of 1863, in the middle of the war, it operated more as a goad to enlistment than as a device to recruit armies. Of more than 3,000,000 from 18 to 45 enrolled in the north, less than 100,000 actual soldiers were secured.

The recruiting officer could tell his "prospect" that he had his choice—to enlist and get a liberal bonus or to be drafted and get

nothing. Bonuses were offered by the federal state and sometimes even by counties and towns, so that it was not unusual for their accumulated total to run to \$1,000 to \$1,200. A bonus of \$1,000 was tempting to a backwoods farmer in those days for at the opening of the war it was sufficient to buy a farm. He could enlist and get a start in life—he could be drafted and run the same risk and get nothing. Consequently when the pressure got too strong, it was the rule that men enlisted.

This is not to indict the intentions of northern men. But the impact of the war on the home front was terrific, and the application of the Civil War draft was savage and inconsiderate in comparison with the impact of the draft in this war. The draft fell on ages from 18 to 45 without much consideration of family or other responsibilities. Men enlisted heavily during the first two years. It has been said that the Civil War was fought by boys. There were over 300,000 boys of 18 and under in the armies of the north alone.

We remember what John Hanley had to tell us about that Hanley emigrated from Ohio at the age of 16. He fought through the entire war. But if you step into a Buchanan shoe store or shoe repair shop, they will tell you that their wares are not as good as they were, because the best leather is going to the soldiers.

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Invaders Have Wide Margin On Past Records

Buchanan Defeats Berrien Spgs. and Bridgman, Each by 2-P. Margin

(By Jack Green)

A Buchanan high school basketball team which has subsisted on nothing more nourishing than 3 defeats did a sharp about-face Friday and Tuesday nights when they beat a strong Bridgman team 24-22 and also Berrien Springs 30-23. They had won a game earlier in the season and are now battling along at a 500 clip. Buchanan will endeavor to keep up their winning streak at the expense of Central Catholics of South Bend, on the Buchanan court Friday evening. There will be two games and the first will start at 7:30 p. m. The Central Catholics Indians will be after their 11th win of the year. They have only lost 2 games this year and walked all over Buchanan in their first meeting at South Bend before the Christmas vacation.

With Trapp, a small but fast forward, starting most of the plays and with Flashy Pete Drietzler contributing 11 points, the Bucks walked off with the game as Buchanan led 23-11 at the half-time. This was a bitter pill for the Shamrocks to swallow as they lost the opening game also, but in defeat the Shamrocks had one consolation. They produced the top scorer of the evening in Betcheck (Berrien Springs) with 12 points.

It was a field goal by Bob Buchanan which actually clinched the game and that shot enabled Buchanan to hold a 30-23 margin with seconds to play.

Drietzler, one of the most aggressive forwards in Southwestern Michigan this season, scored 11 points to keep Buchanan in the game all the time.

Buchanan's second team showed plenty of scrap in taking the opening game from Berrien Springs' second team 20-16. Hal Wood, the heels and Stibbs scored 7 and 6 points respectively to lead their team to victory.

Buchanan's cheering section has been lax at the home games, in fact, to the stage where it let the Bridgman high school cheerleaders steal the show in the last game. One can not blame the cheerleaders representing the school for this lack of support, but putting their heart and soul into the yelling, but do not get much of a response from the fans. So Friday night let's really put a little effort forth in our yelling for that team of ours, win, lose or draw, because they too are doing their best.

The probable line-up for Buchanan Friday night will be: Trapp, Drietzler, F. Rumsey, C. Bachman, G. Snodgrass, G.

News Photos Show Use of Clark Products in 2nd World War

Two colorful illustrations of the use of Clark Equipment company products over the world in the present war are shown in pictures with an accompanying text placed on the bulletin boards of the general offices by A. H. Kielen.

One picture shows the crippled destroyer Blakeley limping along the Atlantic coast to port with improvised equipment, including a rudder made from a rear axle housing of Clark Equipment mintage, taken from a motor truck on the ship.

The other picture shows a Clark tractor hauling in a Kingfisher equipped plane in an ice-filled Alaskan bay. Both were taken from news syndicate pictures in newspapers.

To Commence Two First Aid Classes

Two new First Aid classes are to be commenced locally during the coming week, according to Archie Morley, in charge.

A Standard First Aid class will start this (Thursday) evening in Room 25 of the high school building. Class sessions will therefore start at this place regularly at 7 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Archie Morley will be the teacher.

An Advanced First Aid class will be started in Room 24 of the high school building Monday evening, Jan. 25, with Miss Maude Slate as instructor. The class will meet regularly on Monday evening and will be open to anyone who has completed a Standard Course, or who holds an active standard card.

Wanted: Silk and Nylon Stockings and Yarn For Soldiers

Boxes have been placed in the D. L. Boardman store for the collection of old silk and nylon hose, the materials of which are wanted for making parachutes and powder bags. No rayon can be used, according to the chairman, Mrs. Edith Willard. Yarn is being collected under the auspices of the D. A. R. to be sent to Ellis Island, New York, to be used for knitting and weaving projects. All who have silk or nylon in any form, or yarn are asked to turn them in at Boardman's.

Add 7 Members to Recreation Room Council

Young People Throng to Room; Age Divisions and Management of Games Is Main Problem

Evidence that the newly-created recreation room is a "natural" in as far as it fits in with the needs of the young people of Buchanan may be found in visits to the center at the corner of Main and Dewey nearly any afternoon or night when it is open.

Miss Maude Slate, supervisor, estimated that the average of young people using the place daily is not less than 100. To anyone watching the operation it would seem that this estimate is quite conservative. At the present time the amusements include 5 ping-pong tables, 3 pool tables, 2 shuffleboard courts, 1 badminton court, a dart target placed in an isolated part of the room, a basketball net for goal practice, and a multitude of "table games," played on the tables of the lounge located in the northwest corner of the room.

The governing board for the recreation center has been in session from four to eleven. The four members during the past two years of Youth Council operation have been Philip Hanlin (Director), Kenneth Herman, Charles O. Clark, Walter Hawes. To these have now been added Mrs. Harold Calbrecht, Mrs. E. C. Pascoe, R. M. Inglehart, Fred Hall, Rev. V. L. Coonlate, William Morgenthau, Robert Koemghshof.

Behaviour and attitude of the young people attending the place has been excellent to date, according to Miss Slate, and there have been no serious disciplinary problems.

The only personnel problem to date has been that of where and how to draw the line between the upper and lower age brackets in arranging a schedule according to age groups. To date the schedule has been drawn to allow only young people attending the 8th to 12th grades or above high school age from 7 to 10 p. m. night. However a number of seventh and eighth grade students have been petitioning for permission to attend at night. They say that in the Buchanan school system they are classed with the high school rather than the grades, and that many of them belong to the band which practices after school hours, thus making it impossible for them to use the recreation room at that time.

There has also been difference of opinion about the ages to be permitted to play pool. To date the line has been tentatively drawn between the eighth and ninth grades, permitting only young people of the four upper grades of high school and over to play. A number of older grade boys have been anxious to play, and in fact have been permitted occasionally when the tables were not too heavily patronized.

Legion Auxiliary Chairman Reports on Sewing Projects

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Monday night in the Legion hall. Mrs. Fred Rikert, sewing chairman, reported that children's sleepers and men's shirts are cut ready to be sewed.

Plans were made to serve a chicken dinner Wednesday night at 7:30 in the Legion hall, honoring members who are leaving for army service. The business meeting was followed by a social hour with Mrs. Glenn Vergon and Mrs. William Thompson in charge.

H. G. Merrill, Alias Penn E. Wise, Is Dead

Buchanan Native Was Columnist of Kalamazoo Gazette for 35 Years

Harrison G. Merrill, native of Buchanan and member of a pioneer family here, died Wednesday, Jan. 13, in Kalamazoo, after an illness of a year.

Merrill is known to many Buchananites not only as a former resident but as a humorist of repute in Michigan. His passing will be deeply regretted by many who knew and loved his humor. The Gazette story adequately narrates his life and describes the man.

Harrison Glover Merrill, he of the kindly humor and gentle gibe, is dead.

Thousands knew him as "Penn E. Wise" and for 31 years chuckled at his sallies, never barbed or tipped with venom, at his friends, at the synthetic gaiety of American festivals, and at the passing show mirrored in his pungent paragraphs under the heading "Just for Fun" on the editorial page of The Kalamazoo Gazette.

For more than a year Harrison fought a losing battle against a complication of diabetes which morning at his home in Fellows avenue, after a long period in the hospital, he closed his eyes on the scenes he had so loved to paint in words that it was his boast had never hurt anyone.

Here is the way Harrison announced his arrival on "The Gazette" Dec. 10, 1910, in a City Diary item:

"Hard-headed as Clarence Pomroy left its editorial staff, The Gazette today was forced to add a new man. After casting through the available talent, the newspaper's own Buchanan correspondent was selected for the task. He arrived in the big city this afternoon and came straight to the office where he conveyed a breath of rural Michigan mixed with a somewhat soon. The neophyte, whose experience is confined to (Continued on Page 4)

Fire Destroys B. Rumsey Home

Overheated Oil Stove Is Origin; All Furniture and Clothing Lost

Flames originating from ignition of an overheated oil stove in a bathroom totally destroyed the Bert Rumsey home, six miles northwest of Buchanan on Monday evening, together with all furnishings and nearly all family clothing.

The fire started about 7:30 p. m. when the overheated oil stove in the downstairs bathroom broke into flames, Mrs. Rumsey and another member of the family attempted to carry it out, but the fire caught on clothing hanging in the bathroom and spread so rapidly that they were obliged to leave the stove and escape from the house.

The daughter of Mrs. Rumsey, Miss Betty Jochem, manager of the Buchanan Fire department, saved part of her clothing, which was all that was carried out aside from the clothing worn by the occupants.

Further difficulties in fighting the fire arose from the fact that the fire very soon put the electric system out of working order, making the house dark and making it impossible to use the electric pump to provide water. The Buchanan Fire department was called and arrived in time to save the other farm buildings.

Mr. Rumsey has had a disastrous experience during the more than 30-year period in which he has owned the farm. The house had been destroyed once before and the main barn has burned down twice. A few years ago a small cyclone badly damaged the house and the poultry buildings. The home and furnishings were partly covered by insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rumsey are staying at the Bert Mitchell home, Robert Jochem at the Lillian Fletcher home, and Miss Betty Jochem, who works in the Clark offices, is staying at the Frank Rumsey home in Buchanan.

Mrs. L. B. Spafford returned to her home Friday from Pawating hospital where she has been a patient for the past month with a fractured knee.

Mrs. Merle Brown, of Berrien Springs, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Proud.

W. J. Wade, State Representative, Holds Ceremonies in 16 Departments

Minute Men's flags were presented to the sixteen different departments of the local Clark Equipment company plant Tuesday by Walter J. Wade, deputy state administrator for the sale of war bonds in recognition of their buying participation to the extent of over 90% in every department.

Each flag was presented in a separate ceremony to the union steward of each department, the different exercises lasting about fifteen minutes each. Short talks were made by Deputy Administrator Wade complimenting the men on their patriotism and their support of their relatives and friends in the armed forces. The machinery in each department was shut down during the presentation and the men were congregated together. Highest in average of employees participating was the rivet department with 100% and second came the Maintenance department with 98%.

Average payroll deduction in the entire plant is now over 9%, according to Lester Lyon, company treasurer, who accompanied Wade on his rounds. The next objective for the plant is the achievement of average payroll deduction of not less than 10% which will entitle the plant to a "bullseye" flag.

Farmers' Credit Union Holds 10th Annual Meeting

Advises Holders of Idle Money to Invest in War Bonds

The War Bonds act of the United States are the best place for a good American investment in the war games, in the belief of the management of the Buchanan Farmers' Credit Union as expressed at the tenth annual meeting of the organization held at the Buchanan Co-ops Thursday, Jan. 13.

The dividend rate was fixed at 2% this year by the officers, the rate being lowered from last year is on the ground that farmers have not been borrowing, on account of increased receipts and because of general money conditions in this area. This has left considerable deposits of idle money in the care of the credit union. Officers stated that the bonds of the United States were at least as safe as the money of the United States, and that consequently there is no reason at this time for not buying such securities rather than permitting the money to lie idle.

The Buchanan Farmers' Credit Union was organized on Aug. 10, 1922, nine men acting under the auspices of the farm cooperative now known as the Buchanan Co-ops, Inc., having taken the responsibility. Each paid in \$5, the assets of the infant institution totaling \$45. The organization now has 600 members with assets of \$210,000. The organization was one time the subject of special study by representatives of the U. S. Department of Agriculture which picked out the Buchanan credit union and one in Indiana because of their success in dealing with the problems of farm credit union organization.

A. G. Haslett was re-elected clerk and Robert Koemghshof was re-elected treasurer. L. B. Routh was elected a member of the credit committee and O. J. York was elected a member of the supervisory committee. George Shafer was elected to fill the unexpired term of the late Fred Koemghshof in the directorate.

A talk by P. S. Farquhar, Niles banker, on "Preparing for the Future" closed the meeting.

Detroit Minister Speaks at Annual Cooperative Meet

The Buchanan Co-ops, Inc. will hold their annual meeting on Thursday, Jan. 28, in the Buchanan high school auditorium, at which time Rev. Robert D. Richards, Detroit, will present his talk on "America, My Home."

Rev. Richards is pastor of a Detroit Methodist church. He was born in England and came to Buchanan just before the First World War. His story of his coming and his start in America is a widely known combination of humor and pathos which always pleases. His lecture will begin at 3 p. m. The public will be welcome.

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Gallen News

Mrs. Cornelia Chilson entertained the Jolly club in the home of Mrs. Herbert Fritsch Wednesday night. Prizes were won by Mrs. Fred Jochem, Mrs. Clark Glover and Mrs. Marcia Jannasch.

Mrs. Vern May entertained at a party Tuesday night honoring Mrs. Floyd May, of New Carlisle.

Mrs. Orrin Nogle, Mrs. Earl Swartz, Mrs. Eddie Foster and Mrs. May Doyle attended a home economic leaders meeting held in the Methodist church in Buchanan Tuesday.

Mrs. Ralph Jones spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kolberg in Niles.

Miss Evelyn Roberts has returned to Benton Harbor after spending several days in the C. A. Roberts home.

Private Lee Doyle, Camp Grant, Ill., spent several days with relatives here.

Miss Marilyn Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Roberts, a graduate of the Gallen High School and now a junior at Western Michigan College of Education at Kalamazoo, was included in a group of students who recently became members of Beta Iota chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, an international honor society in education. The initiation took place at a formal dinner in the Union building. Miss Roberts is also a member of Theta Pi Alpha sorority, Early Elementary club, Modern Dance club and LeCerele Francois.

Henry Dellinger and M. E. Gilbert, Buchanan, were guests in the Carl Benson home Sunday.

The Rebekah lodge members met in the I.O.O.F. hall Thursday night. Plans were made to hold public joint installation for the I.O.O.F. and Rebekah lodges in the hall Jan. 23. Mrs. Lawrence Jannasch was in charge of the entertainment and prizes in games were won by Mrs. Joseph Murdoch, Mrs. Arthur Kuhl, Frank Kelley and Hiram Khene.

The women's department of the Latter Day Saints Church met with Mrs. Fay Renbarger Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Richard Wentland attended a Red Cross meeting in St. Joseph Thursday.

Mrs. Henrietta Babcock and son Roy, were callers in the Gene Boyce home at Glendora Sunday.

Philip Hienrich, Au Gres, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Stewert, Stevensville, Mich., spent Thursday in the Robert White home.

Papers were given by Mrs. Philip Keen, Mr. Leslie Bishop and

Mrs. Lawrence Cook when the Friday Culture Club met with Mrs. Carl Renbarger last week. The club is studying South America.

Red Cross workers in Gallen finished the sewing a few weeks ago and now are giving their attention to the soldier kits, given to men who go overseas. Several organizations already have given money for the kits and others are to follow. Everyone is being generous in helping fill the quota set for Gallen, it was announced.

Lloyd May underwent an operation in the Holy Family hospital in LaPorte last week.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Siegmund are the parents of a daughter, Susan Lou. Mr. Siegmund was formerly coach at Gallen school and is now in the marines.

William Kelley, T. M. First class, U.S. Navy, has graduated from mosquito torpedo boat school in Portsmouth, N. H. and has been transferred to New York. He is now spending a furlough with his parents, the Frank Kelleys.

Another son, Robert, also in the navy, has been transferred from San Francisco to San Diego, where he is doing printshop duty.

William Murdoch underwent an operation in Pawating hospital in Niles last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Dodd and children of Benton Harbor spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Totzke of St. Joseph were Sunday guests in the Ralph Jones home.

P. F. C. Graydon Bauer of Brooksfield, Texas is spending a furlough with his parents, the William Bauers.

The Home Economics Club met with Mrs. A. P. Taylor last Friday. Mrs. Dean Straub had the lesson on "Care of Colds."

A planned dinner was in charge of Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Foster Potter, Mrs. Ward James, Mrs. Paul Luther and Mrs. Louis McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thorson and children spent several days in Buchanan with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lintner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crandal and children spent Sunday in Lawton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Crandal.

Mrs. Claude Myer and daughter spent Friday in Buchanan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hess.

Miss Jane Baldwin of Kalamazoo spent the week-end with Miss Betty Burns.

Gallen Boy Battles Japs In Jungles. A veteran aviator of the battle of Midway, Lieut. Jerry Kenney, of Gallen, is now engaged in the fierce battle for possession of the Solomon Islands.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kenney of Gallen, where his father is a well known undertaker. The crew of the Flying Fortress of which he is navigator all were schooled at Miami, Fla., nearly two years ago.

He was in the army nearly a year before the Jap raid on Pearl Harbor, and during the period before the U.S. declaration of war he was the first to be flying a ship that landed at Midway.

Jerry attended the Gallen High school, the University of Notre Dame for one year and was graduated from the University of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. York with Mr. and Mrs. Olive B. York The Portage Prairie Child Study club will meet Tuesday evening, Jan. 26, in the home of Mrs. William E. Baker. The president, Mrs. Frank Wagent, will present the lesson on "Perspective on Parenthood."

Mrs. Glenn Vite, assisted by Mrs. Dorothy Kell and Mrs. Clifford Scamehorn will be co-hostesses Thursday to members of the Portage Prairie Home Economics Club No. 2 in the Vite home.

The Little Dressmakers club met Saturday afternoon in the home of the leader, Mrs. Lawrence Mitchell. Margaret Gogley was elected president, Helen Schantz, vice-president, and Elsie Schantz, secretary-treasurer. Sewing projects were started, with two first year girls, two second year, one third year and one fourth year attending. The next meeting is set for Saturday, Jan. 23, in the Mitchell home.

Miss May Rose is nursing at Healdton, near South Bend.

Charles E. Hess, Jr., writes from Ft. Bliss, Texas that the weather is like August in Michigan. A little snow fell the first of January.

The Wagner school was closed Tuesday on account of the bad weather. The New Troy school was closed for two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chubb have sold their farm in the Miller district to J. M. Bechold of Buchanan.

The Hills Corners Home Economics club met Thursday with Mrs. Howard Gardner.

Mrs. Milton Bachman and grandson visited her parents, the Orville Roses, Sunday.

Grover Rose, who is employed in South Bend, has been staying over there this week due to bad roads and weather.

Richard Harroff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harroff and Maryne Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mitchell, are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Runsey are staying at the Bert Mitchell home since their home was destroyed by fire Monday night. Betty Jochem is staying in Buchanan at the Frank Runsey home and Charles Jochem is staying at the home of Mrs. Lillian Pletcher. Neighbors have tried to make them comfortable with clothing for the immediate time.

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Taxpayers using return Form 1040 obtain personal exemption proportionate with the number of months during which the particular status is held. Thus, for a person who married on July 1, (who was not a head of family prior to his marriage) the personal exemption would be \$850 (\$250 for the

six months as a single man, plus \$600 for the six months as a married man). In this example it is assumed that the wife has no income.

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If a husband and wife living together both have income and file separate returns on Form 1040, the personal exemption applicable to a married person may be taken in the return of either or divided between them in any way as they may agree, but the total personal exemption taken in the two separate returns may not exceed \$1200.

True Enough

There are a number of things one can enjoy before one is 14 years old, but it is likely a classical concert is not one of them.

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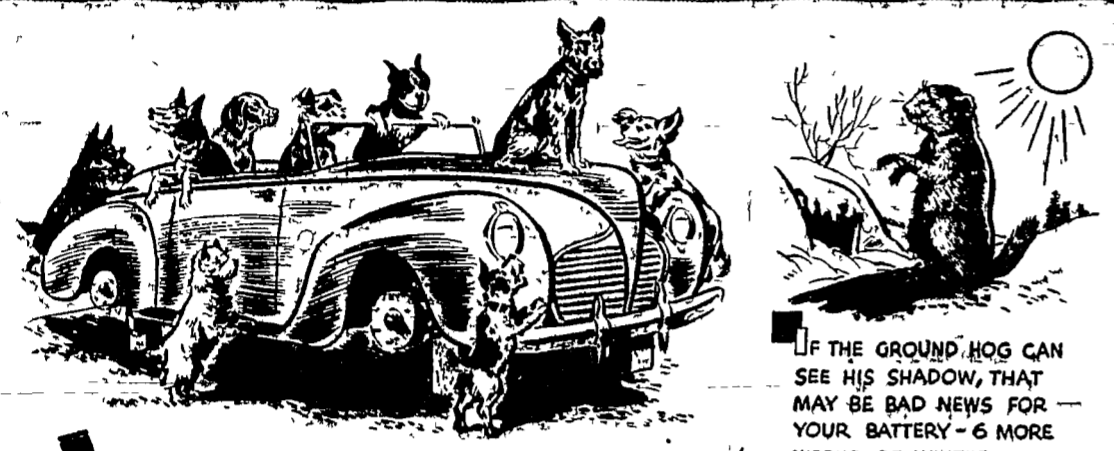
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"I should say it does, Chet. I understand the beverage distillers around the country are producing about 240,000,000 gallons of industrial alcohol this year for ammunition, tires, and other things I'd say it's mighty fortunate these distilleries are available to do the job. Otherwise, if we still had prohibition, the government would have had to spend millions of dollars and use up a lot of critical materials to build plants... to say nothing of all the time it would take. It might have been just another case of 'too little, too late!'"

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Portage Prairie

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Mrs. Lloyd Hathcock was moved Sunday from Pawating hospital to the home of her mother, Mrs. Paul Crawford at Berrien Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. York were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kreighbaum in South Bend Saturday.

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BUY BY THE POUND

ORANGES	Dr. Phillips	5 lbs.	23
Idaho Baking POTATOES		10 lbs.	39c
ORANGES, Sunkist		doz.	39c
GRAPEFRUIT fancy		doz.	39c
POST TOASTIES		2 lg. pkg.	17c
IVORY FLAKES		lg. box	23c
Elf SALT		2-lb. boxes	2 for 15c
PANCAKE FLOUR, Elf		5 lb. bag	27c
Bursley's Hi-Grade COFFEE		lb.	33c
SOAP CHIPS	Nu-Crest finest for the finest	lg. pkg.	23c
SUGAR		2 lb.	13c
ENGLISH WALNUTS		lb.	29c
ORANGE SLICES		2 lbs.	25c
KRAFT DINNER		2 lg. pkg.	19c

In Our Meat Department -- Friday and Saturday

Smo. Sausage	lb.	31c
PORK LOIN ROAST	lb.	31c
Veal Loaf	Picade Pimento lb.	29c
Cream Cheese	lb.	33c

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LOCALS

Mrs. Alfred Deeds and children returned home Tuesday from a visit of several days with the former's sister, Mrs. Ted Clevenger, at Jackson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Peters, Roe street, a son, Robert Charles, at the Pawating hospital Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John Lockey, who underwent a major operation Jan 6th in Pawating hospital, is recovering as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Decker and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Marsh were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Keller.

Mrs. Floyd Antisdel was a Tuesday guest of her sister, Mrs. Floyd Williams, Niles.

Clyde Lolmaugh, Fourth street, underwent an appendectomy at Pawating hospital.

The Misses Shirley Erskine and Barbara Palmatier, Battle Creek, spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Erlsline.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McNeal, son John and Mrs. David McNeal of Tipton, Ind. were week-end guests of Rev. and Mrs. Malcolm McNeal.

Mrs. L. R. Schram, daughters Mildred and Jane, Michigan City, Ind. and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Grandorf and sons, James and Thomas, LaPorte, Ind. were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Schram.

Miss Jean Holmville, Galien, was a week-end guest of Miss Mary Margaret McNeal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester VanHalst and son Lyman, Rome City, Ind. were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. E. Arney and daughter, Alene.

Miss Marian Hansen, Chicago, is spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hansen.

Henry Swem left Monday to spend several months at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ellick, Ft. Wayne, Ind. were recent guests of their daughter, Mrs. Eugene Castro.

David Squiter, Allegan, and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Westfall, Plymouth, Ind. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Squier.

David Pierre, student, Michigan State college, East Lansing, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cavin were recent guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Nellie Cripe, Cleveland, O.

Miss Doris Reamer, who underwent an appendectomy at Pawating hospital Jan 8 was brought to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reamer, Saturday.

Mrs. Mason Clark and daughter Virginia returned Saturday from Dorsett, O. where they spent several weeks with relatives.

Miss James Clark and infant son, George Leo, Niles, are spending the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dalrymple, M-60.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hathaway, Wayne, Mich., are parents of a son, Jack Allen, Jr. born Thursday, Jan 14. Mr. Hathaway is the son of Cleon Hathaway, Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Drake, of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walter.

Mrs. W. K. Schultz has returned from Pittsburg, Pa. where she was called by the death of her aunt, Miss Alice Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hanover and family—Edwardsburg, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Hanover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dalrymple, M-60.

Mrs. Glenn Smith is spending the week with her son and daughter-in-law, Supp. and Mrs. Max Smith and family, North Muskegon.

Mrs. Elaine Blaney Babcock has gone to California to join her husband, Pvt. Walter Babcock, who is stationed at Camp Beal, Marysville.

Mrs. Babcock has accepted a position in the main post exchange at the camp.

Corp. and Mrs. Rex Weller, Fort Wayne, Detroit, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dalenberg and family.

Mrs. James Everingham and infant daughter, Linda Beth, came home Friday from Brown hospital, Berrien Springs.

Report Shortage Of Potato Seed

U. S. Book Advises on "Being Kind to Household Equipment."

Good Potato Seed May Be Scarce
Potato growers should check up now on their seed for 1943 planting. The Michigan potato crop of 1942 was several million bushels below normal and because of late blight, losses in storage may be severe. Growers having good quality potatoes should keep an ample supply of seed and should not sell too closely on the table stock market. Those with crops badly infected with late blight or with seed of inferior quality should order Michigan certified seed early in the winter. Most of this seed may be gone by late winter.

Sources of good seed may be obtained from the Farm Crops Department or County Agricultural Agents.

Legume Seed is Short
Alfalfa, red and alsike clover seed is apt to be scarce and high in price next spring. Any small lot of seed on the farm should be cleaned now and made ready for spring sowing. If seed has been lying in the granary for some time, have a germination test run to determine the percentage of live seed. Those farmers with no legume seed on hand should make arrangements now for their spring supply.

Plant good seed by making sure it is free of weed seed and high germination. Prepare seed bins well, firm, and less seed will be required.

Watch the Soys
Watch the soybeans which were stored with too high a moisture content to keep safely. If they begin to heat, stir or move them to keep them cool.

Some Vegetable Seeds Scarce
Spinach, onion, carrot and beet seeds are 50 per cent normal, therefore, gardeners, buy your seeds early. Another important request from seed firms is for gardeners to buy only what they need and to stretch your seed this year. Seed thinly and do less thinning. This also helps the labor situation. Home gardeners or Victory gardeners should buy package seeds when and where possible. Leave bulk seeds for the commercial grower.

Make Those Repairs
Despite the fact that machinery repairs are to be made and repaired quarterly, repairs for combines, balers, corn binders, etc., should be ordered now. Dealers will need three months or more after orders are placed before they can deliver some parts. Winter time is repair time and 50,000 farmers trying to order their repair parts this winter may indicate the necessary parts and assure their release.

Farm Labor Survey
A farm labor survey has just been made on 210 farms selected at random in three Michigan counties. The average size of these farms was 160 acres. It took an average of 16 men to operate the average farm in 1942. Sixty per cent of the labor force was represented by the operators, thirty per cent by other members of the family and ten per cent by hired help. Twenty per cent of the farms had sons at home doing farm work.

It is significant to note that 30 per cent of the sons and regular month hands 18 years of age or older were on the farm in 1942. Two-thirds of this group leaving farm employment will be employed elsewhere and one-third will be in military service.

Household Equipment
The household equipment that you now own will have to last for the duration. That may be years. Following the manufacturer's directions is the best way to care for this equipment, use oil where needed, keep the equipment clean, watch for first signs of trouble, and repair before the trouble becomes serious, are sensible plans for preserving this equipment.

Bureau of Mines Charts Michigan Dolomite Supply
Michigan's pre-eminent position as a source of high-grade deposits of dolomite, an ore containing the "new" light metal, magnesium, is charted in a new report on high-grade dolomite deposits of the nation by the U. S. bureau of mines. Magnesium is essential now in vast quantities in the manufacture of war machines and is destined for a multitude of post-war uses.

Four other large states—Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio—share the same limestone formations Michigan has in a broad belt along the southern shore of the upper peninsula in Chippewa, Mackinac and Schoolcraft counties. These other states' deposits, however, do not have Michigan's easy access to cheap water transportation and freedom from overlying material that makes for low-cost quarrying. Besides being the purest and most accessible of America's magnesium-bearing rocks, these dolomites of the lake states are so immense that deposits in other parts of the country are minute in comparison.

The Michigan reserves of more than two and a half billion tons of the ore, as estimated after surveys by the geological division of the Michigan department of con-

servations, are divided as follows: 50 million tons near Inland Lime and Stone company dock, Schoolcraft county, 180 million tons near Buel lake, Mackinac county, 135 million tons near Engadine, 200 million tons near Garnet, 200 million tons near Ozark, 630 million tons near East lake, Chippewa county, 50 million tons near mouth of Pine river, 410 million tons near McGregor, to Patrick south to Bush and McKay bays, 22 million tons near Gostzville, 10 million tons near Detour, and 290 million tons on Drummond Island.

A Pledge to the Unknown Soldier
by Ruth Taylor
"And thus this man died, leaving his death for an example of a noble courage, and a memorial of virtue, not only to young men, but unto all his nation." 2 Mac VI 31

Agan on this Armistice Day, the highest dignitaries of the land will gather at a grave in Arlington Cemetery to pay honor to the unknown soldier who represents all who fell in the last World War symbol of those who have fallen in the renewed struggle between tyranny and freedom.

No one knows who this unknown soldier is. He may have come from any part of the nation—from some teeming factory town or from behind the plow. No one knows or cares who or what his ancestors were, whether he was among the humble or the favored of fortune, or by what path he sought to climb to the heights to sit humbly with his God. All that is known is that he gave his life for the United States of America.

What he was, is not of import. It is what he did and what he has passed on to us the living that is vital.

Heroes are an inspiration, not a creed—an altar from which to progress, not a grave by which to mourn. We truly honor our dead not by making their earthly resting place a spot of beauty and of peace, but by completing the task they set out to do. We dishonor them when we leave undone the work for which they gave their lives.

Unknown means not recognized. But the task that the Unknown Soldier left is recognized by all of us. He was an American—not rich, not poor, not Protestant, Catholic or Jew, not a German-American, a Russian-American, an Italian-American, not a "son of the American Revolution," not an immigrant—but just a citizen of the United States—an American who loved his country and its ideals of freedom and equality enough to offer his life that these ideals of justice and democracy might not perish.

It is for us the living to carry on where he left off—to rededicate ourselves to those ideals which carved this country from the wilderness, formed it into a confederation, welded it into a nation, and made it and its Constitution the hope and the aspiration of the oppressed multitudes of the Old World. Our pledge of the continuance of these ideals is the wreath of immortality we lay on the grave of the Unknown Soldier this Armistice Day 1942. It is his right—and our duty!

For Crippled Children
Council Bluffs crippled children who have difficulty walking and from school, are called for each morning in a special automobile and transported to the schoolroom.

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Squirrel's Nest in Piano
In a piano, which had been standing for some years in an unoccupied house, a New York dealer found a squirrel's nest well stocked with nuts.

\$2,000,000,000
The bureau of biological survey estimates the annual returns from game and fur resources total approximately \$2,000,000,000

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Being a grouch is as much due to habit as to temperament

Self-Control
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Peckham's Remedy FOR CHILDREN COUGHS
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ORANGES 8-lb. bag 46c

FRESH - GREEN
NEW CABBAGE 2 lbs. 13c
LARGE SIZE
TANGERINES doz. 20c

FLORIDA
CELERY 1 lb. stalk 9c
SALAD PEARS
AVOCADOS each 10c

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FOOD STORES

Lilly M. Abell To Teach Course In Bible Literature

The course in Biblical literature which will become a part of the curriculum of the Buchanan high school for the second semester starting next week, will be taught by Miss Lilly M. Abell, retired teacher, who had originally been selected as assistant. The course will consist of one hour weekly, at the Presbyterian church, starting at 2 40 p. m. on Tuesdays.

If more students enroll than can be accommodated in the one class, another will be given on each Wednesday. Miss Abell was a well-known teacher of the grade faculty for many years. As the instructor in biblical literature, she serves without pay. The course will be based on a syllabus compiled under the auspices of the Michigan Department of Education.

Suggests 9 Don'ts For Care of Home Electric System

Electricity serves more than four of every five farms in Michigan. A warning has been issued that the blessing of this silent hired hand must be treated with respect to prevent accidents from improper use.

"Electricity proves itself every day in aiding production on Michigan farms but there are danger points often ignored," says Richard Witz, extension farm-electrician specialist at Michigan State College.

He lists some of the don'ts in using electrical power:

1. Don't use extension cords under rugs or where they will be walked on.
2. Don't use electrical appliances which do not carry the Underwriter's Laboratory approval.
3. Don't use extension cords or equipment if they seem unsafe—repair immediately, or discard all worn cords and faulty equipment.
4. Don't tamper with wiring or appliances unless you know what you are doing and then only when the current is shut off.
5. Don't replace a fuse with a larger fuse so it will carry an additional piece of equipment without first consulting your service man. Arrange to stagger the use of the equipment so that a rise of the original size will carry the load.
6. Don't pull on cords to remove from outlets—grasp plugs to detach.
7. Don't run extension cords over nails, radiators, or other places where they are subject to damage.
8. Don't handle electrical equipment with wet hands or while standing on a wet floor.
9. Don't take chances.

Protection of Steel Casements
An important seasonal precaution, especially in wartime, is making sure that steel window casings are thoroughly protected against rust. That would be a prudent precaution in any year, but it is especially so in wartime when replacement of metal work may have to be deferred for years. They should be cleaned of all rust and dirt and then thoroughly coated with paint or varnish.

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CRACKED WHEAT BREAD National 16-oz. loaf 9c
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NAVELS - MEDIUM SIZE **ORANGES** doz. 27c

FANCY **FANCY SPINACH** 2 lbs. 17c
FANCY **McINTOSH APPLES** 3 lbs. 19c \$2.39 bushel

FANCY **FANCY RUTABAGAS** lb. 3c
FANCY **RUSSETT IDAHO POTATOES** 10 lbs. 39c
FANCY **PORTO RICAN SWEET POTATOES** 4 lbs. 25c

HOUSEHOLD NEEDS PRICES LOW

SWAN SOAP 3 lbs. 29c
SWAN SOAP 3 med. cakes 17c
SWEETHEART TOILET SOAP 3 cakes 21c

HAZEL TOILET SOAP 3 cakes 12c
GOLD DUST POWDER 2 1/2-lb. pkg. 17c
HAZEL CLEANSER 2 14-oz. cans 7c
HAZEL TOILET TISSUE roll 5c
HAZEL KITCHEN TOWELS 2 rolls 17c

SMOKING TOBACCO Velvet Prince Albert, Half & Half, Kentucky Club 2 pkgs. 23c

KELLOGG'S GRO-PUP Dog Food 28-oz. pkg. 25c

NATIONAL FOOD STORES

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Living room suite, 2-piece Kiochler make, color, dusty rose. Walnut St, Rte 2, Buchanan, Russell Walters 312p

FOR SALE—7-room, all modern house, garage attached, on 2 large lots N. Hillview. Phone 530. 31c

FOR SALE—Jonathan apples, one vinegar, pop corn. Leo Heberner, 212 Lake street. Phone 402-31f

FOR SALE—Nice Hereford steers by the quarter. Lloyd Wetzel, Tel Baroda 49F41 312p

FOR SALE—Real estate and insurance of all kinds, including automobile insurance. Also probate bonds. Herbert Roe, 105 West Dewey avenue. Tel. 89 29fc

LIVE AND DRESSED POULTRY—grain fed two weeks before dressing. Please order before 10 a. m. Sat. We buy live poultry—Leo Kolhoff, West Front St, Tel 721 35ft

FIFTEEN ACRE FARM

in apple orchard, grapes, berries and land for garden, grain and forage, with 7 room home, furnace, electricity. On a slight knoll. Nice shade, good drainage, paved road east of Berrien Springs, barn, poultry house 16 x30 Price \$4000 Terms A-1 Bargain Plan New Troy 17F6 or write DAVID ANDREASON, Sawyer, Mich 412c

WANTED

WANTED—Cattle, hides and beef fat. Dan Merson, Phone 7136-F2 Niles, reverse charges 50ft

WANTED—Fat hogs for slaughter, also live poultry. Paul DeWitt, Tel. 7136-F11 213p

MAGNETO REPAIRING—Factory trained—latest equipment. For McCormick Deering, John Deere, Allis Chalmers, Oliver, Case. Prompt service. A. P. Taylor, Galien 18, McCormick Deering dealer 115c

WANTED TO BUY—Baby stroller. Harry Stewart, 904 Victory St. Phone 324-W 313p

WANTED—Man or woman for full or part time work in local store. Good working conditions. Experience preferred but not necessary. Write Box 191Z, Buchanan 41c

WANTED—To rent, apartment or house, furnished or unfurnished. Marshall Dretzler, Chippewa St Buchanan 413p

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five room modern house in Buchanan. Write 191-M, Buchanan 41p

WANTED TO BUY—Single bed with good springs. Write P. O. Box 161-PD 41p

WANTED—brakemen and switchmen, inexperienced, between ages 18 and 35. Also car repair men and laborers. Apply New York Central, Niles, Mich 412c

Rosicrucians Predict Labor And Trade Pool

Future economic upheavals will be avoided by the surplus commodities of all nations being deposited in an international trade pool. Credit at the market value of the commodity will be given the nation having the surplus, which credit must be taken out in purchases from the same pool. This is one of a series of predictions issued by the Rosicrucian Order (AMORC), a philosophical fraternity, with international headquarters at San Jose, Calif. According to Howard Barbour, one of the Buchanan members, the predictions are not founded upon any fantastic system of divination, but upon an analysis of the trends of the present, and a logical projection of them into the future. Further predictions are that the present decentralization of industry will continue after the war, resulting in the establishment of many new, modern-sized cities formerly strictly agricultural areas. This will encourage the youth to remain on the farm and enjoy the facilities of an adjacent city, checking the exodus of farm labor. Japan, it is claimed, will not lose all of the area she had gained through aggression prior to the present war, for the victorious allied nations will see the danger in further compressing her dense population. The global war will weaken the intense spirit of the necessary nationalism that now prevails. The returning warriors will have such a thorough understanding of the problems of other peoples throughout the world, as not to tolerate their economic and political oppression under any guise. They will be skeptical of the theory of a "supreme power" or "preferred nation". The Rosicrucians, in annual booklets of prophecy, states Mr. Barbour, predicted the abdication of King Edward and that with President Roosevelt there would end the traditional terms of office of American presidents, each of the prophecies at the time causing considerable controversy. Contributed.

MISCELLANEOUS

Rex E Lamb, Justice of the Peace. Office at 113 Main, Tel 12. 37ft

WATKINS PRODUCTS—Wait for your Watkins dealer or mail order to Wm VanMetel, 201 Clark street, Buchanan 416p

REPAIR YOUR TRACTOR—Now by experienced men on all makes. We call for and deliver. Get our quotations. A. P. Taylor, McCormick-Deering dealer, Phone Galien 18. 115c

Insurance pays you real dividends. For estimates write Cyrus H. Atkinson, Caspops 313p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Good modern sleeping room, with outside entrance. Call at 317 Main St or phone 437 41c

FOR RENT—Sleeping rooms close in, kitchen-privileges. Rent reasonable. 304 Main street. Tel 248 213p

FOR RENT—Furnished two-room apartment. Also house trailer and store equipment for sale. 119 West Alexander 213p

FOR RENT—Comfortable sleeping room, suitable for one or two gentlemen. 542 Cherry St, Niles, Tel 374 412p

FOR RENT—3-room apartment at 230 1/2 E. Front. Telephone 400-W 41p

CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank all of our friends, relatives and neighbors for the beautiful floral offerings, also for the kindness and assistance shown us during the recent death of our daughter. Mr and Mrs. Nels Anderson and family 41p

LOST

LOST—Set of 3 car keys and house key on ring, in black leather case and celluloid case of red and white with name of Stallworth, 7400 Stony Island. Finder please return to 302 Main st. Reward. 41c

LOST—Shell-returned glasses, in brown case. Returned at One Tel 214-R 41c

FOUND

FOUND—Plowshare, practically new. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement. Ed Mitchell 41c

Reports Standings Clark Basketball and Bowling Teams

The following report on the activities of the Clark Equipment Company basketball and bowling teams was turned into the Record by Clem Savoldi, director of recreation for the local plant. Basketball Standings Jan. 18, 1943

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost. Rows include Clark A League, New Tool, Army Air Forces, Planning, Booster, Housing Time, Tractor, Clark A League.

Table with columns: Bowling Standing Jan. 19, 1943, Clark B League, New Tool, Army Air Forces, Planning, Booster, Housing Time, Tractor, Clark A League.

With The Boys In Service

Fred Bromley, Jr., Seaman second class, Great Lakes, Ill., spent the week-end with Mrs. Bromley and his parents, Mr and Mrs. Fred Bromley, Sr. Staff Sgt. Leonard Pease, North Camp Polk, La., is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Pease and other relatives. Pvt Edward Arthurhult, with the anti-tank corps at Camp Carson, Colo., is ill in the base hospital. The following V-mail letter was received Friday by Mr and Mrs. Charles Smith, 437 Moccasin avenue from their son, Sgt. Eddie Smith, located somewhere in England. Dec 25, 1942—England Dear Mom and Dad: Another Christmas has passed by, but the next we'll spend together. I sure was lonesome, but the packages everyone sent sure made it nice. Mom, I sure missed your meal as we didn't have much of anything here. Did you have a nice Christmas? I went to mass this morning at an old church built in 1601. I sure was old, but had a very nice organ, so it made me feel more like Christmas. I wish I could have bought something for both of you, but here you are very fortunate to get something for yourself. Those socks you sent me sure are nice and don't think I am not guarding them.

At least two Buchanan men, Charles Baker and Ralph Gray, shared the honors accorded by General Douglas MacArthur on Jan 9 in an order of the day citing the entire personnel of the 32nd Infantry Division for "magnificent conduct, operating under difficulties rarely if ever surpassed" during the recent ground operations against the Japanese in New Guinea. The 32nd is composed largely of men from Michigan and Wisconsin. Mrs Foster DePoy reports that her brother, Lester Leiter, who had been in air corps training at Selfridge Field, was moved just Plans are being made to start work on music for the Holy Week services. Practices will be held Sunday afternoons from 2:00 to 4:00. "The Holy City" by A. B. Gaul will be used. All interested persons are invited to participate.

Church Services

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY Sunday service at 11.00 a. m. Subject: "Truth." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. The Reading room in the church is open each Wednesday afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH "Truth" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, January 26. The Golden Text (Psalm 86:11) is, "Teach me thy way, O Lord, I will walk in thy truth" unite my heart to fear thy name. Among the Bible citations in this passage (II Timothy 2:15) "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p.183) "Living Mind rightly demands man's entire obedience, affection, and strength. No reservation is made for any lesser loyalty. Obedience to Truth gives man power and strength. Submission to error superinduces loss of power."

THE REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS George W. Scymour, Pastor 10 a. m. Church School, Glenn Cease, diocet. 11:00 a. m. Sermon by Elder John Luce of Lansing. "The World of Tomorrow", by Elder V L Coonfar. 7:30 p. m. Thursday Sea Scout Ship No 45, Arthur Myers, skipper. 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Midweek prayer service.

FIRST EVANGELICAL CHURCH Norman W Klump, Pastor Morning worship Sunday, Jan 24 at 11 a. m. Church School at 10 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Song Service and special music. Meeting of the Administrative Council Tuesday evening at 7:45 at the Vandevy home. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. with Chon rehearsal following.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN Ira E. Long, Minister Bible School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 Evening Bible Study and Worship 7:00 at the home of Mr and Mrs Fred Hagley

St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church Rev P. S. McCormick pastor Masses at 8:00 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. each Sunday. Holy Days Masses at 6 and 8 a. m.

METHODIST CHURCH Minister, Rev Chas B Hahn Church School at 10:00 Classes for all age groups and you are invited. Morning Worship at 11:00 Holy Communion will be observed. All members are urged to attend. Methodist Youth Fellowship Rally at the Berrien Springs church at 3:00 Sunday afternoon. All young people are invited. Choir practice Thursday evening at the parsonage. All members are urged to be present.

Everyone besides myself went through all the papers, so you can see everything is appreciated by us all, because we are just one family. At present, I believe all the packages everyone sent have come through, so please don't worry about all of them you have sent. I got your letter the other day and sure was waiting for it. I knew very well you didn't forget me. I always try to write once or twice a week to be sure you may get a letter once in a while. Dad, I hope you kept up my end of the Christmas cheer, as we will always do our part.

Mrs. Alvin Menzel received a cablegram Friday from her nephew, Sgt. Eddie Smith, somewhere in England, saying he had received all the packages she had sent. 2nd Lieut Glenn F Koch, stationed at Camp Davis, N. Carolina arrived Friday to spend a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs. William Koch and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Huss, Bend of the River.

Pvt. 1st class, Walter Squier, Camp Blanding, Fla., is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs Harley E Squier. Lester Beadle left Monday for Kalamazoo, where he will be inducted into army service. Lyman Lewis Loblmaugh, second class mechanic in the U.S. Navy, stationed at Little Creek, Va., is ill in the hospital, according to word received Saturday by his parents, Mr and Mrs Lewis Loblmaugh.

Mrs Eugene Detgen, formerly Marcelle Suit, visited her husband in the Merchant Marines, stationed at the Island near Boston, Mass. and her brother, Pvt. First Class Jack Suit, located at Fort Foster, Kittery Point, Me. Leonard Dalenberg, Jr was located at last reports on Angel Island, a port of army embarkation near San Francisco. He had completed a twelve week course in auto mechanics at the Midwest Trade School at Bloomington, Ill.

On Pacific Island Private First Class James Lloyd Harting, son of Mrs. Hazel Harting, 407 S Oak street, is now stationed with a unit of the army air corps on an island of the Pacific Ocean south of the Equator, according to letters received regularly at his home, but he did not give more definite idea of his location. He has written that he is serving as a truck driver, that he and his comrades keep close to camp, and get little leave, that the weather is warm all of the time, and it is so damp that everything tends to get mouldy. Flies and mosquitos are so bad that it is necessary for the boys to sleep under netting. Hartline left to enter the army air corps on March 23, 1942. He went first to Jefferson Barracks, but was soon sent overseas, hav-

ing been in the Hawaiian Islands by May. His address is now, PFC James L. Hartline A. S. N. 36171718 Hq. & Hq Sq. 11th Bomb Gp. A.P.O. 932 Postmaster San Francisco, Calif

Jake Riner Aalfs is still located at Hamilton Field, near Sacramento, Calif., where his address is 200th Quartermasters Co S S G (A.V.N.) Hamilton Field, Cal

Keith Dalrymple is now enrolled as an Army Flying Cadet and is at his home waiting call. He enrolled after completing a four-weeks course in the Chicago Teachers Review School. Lieut Richard A. Wilson, formerly one of the "college apprentices" at the local Clark Equipment Company plant, now has the following address: 3681d Bomb Sqdn Army Air Base Casper, Wyo

Lieut Henry H. Banke is instructor in ordnance at the army air base at Jacksonville, Fla. Robert Wesner is now taking basic infantry training at Camp Claiborne, La. He was inducted into the army at Camp Grant, Ill., Dec 12, and two days afterward went to Camp Claiborne.

Sweater Knitter Gets Letter From Alaska Mrs Fred Herman knitted a sweater as a part of the local Red Cross effort about a year ago, and fastened to the garment a message and her address. A short time ago she received the following letter: Naval Operating Base Sitka, Alaska Dec 15, 1942

Dear Mrs Herman I am one of the sailors that got a ship-over sweater through the Red Cross, and I found your message and address pinned on the sweater. I want to thank you as one who is trying to make us fellows comfortable and it certainly is very appreciated and will give a great deal of comfort to me here in Sitka. Sincerely yours, Clifton Leon Cowles, A S

Dwight Mairs is now stationed at Camp Wolters, Texas, where he was sent after induction at Camp Grant, Ill. He expects to be reassigned and transferred soon. James Heiermann, son of Mr and Mrs E. F. Heiermann, 306 Berrien Street, is in navy service off the Atlantic coast in the capacity of First Class Fireman. His address is: M.P.B. Ron Four Postmaster Morgan Annex New York, N. Y.

John Carl Heiermann is serving as army kitchen instructor at Fort Riley, Kas. James Ellis, son of Mr and Mrs Charles Ellis, and R J Banke, son of Mr and Mrs H B Banke, were recently transferred from Camp Pickett, Va., to Indiantown Gap, near Harrisburg, Pa.

Three Enter Coast Guards Among the newly-joined but not yet called are Charles Dale Hanover, Robert D Hanover and William Van Antwerp, all of Portage Prairie. The first two are the sons of C. Dale Hanover, Sr., of Portage Prairie. Charles Dale Hanover, Jr, enlisted in Chicago on Dec 14 and was returned to his home to await call. On Dec 23, his brother, Robert Hanover went, accompanied by a friend, William Van Antwerp. Both enlisted and returned home to await call. Van Antwerp makes his home with his sister, Mrs. Louis Darnell, Portage Prairie.

Jack Markham has entered the navy and is now at the Great Lakes Naval Training School, at Great Lakes, Ill. He underwent his first examination in Benton Harbor on New Year's Day, and his second at Detroit on Jan. 12, following which he went directly to Great Lakes. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mavis Dwight Markham, 308 Main street.

George Riley has been joined by his wife in San Diego, Calif., and has moved into an apartment, his address being: George Riley R M 3/C 1415 Madison St. San Diego, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Ward Mitchell, formerly of Buchanan, live in the same block, and Chapman Jackson lives about 10 blocks away. Mitchell and Jackson are employed in airplane factories there.

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Arthur Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hanson is still at the

naval receiving station at San Francisco while regaining his health following an operation for stomach tumors which he underwent at the naval hospital at Treasure Island. He writes that he is better but has not yet gained his strength back.

Two Crittolds In Dean Crittfield, son of the Crittfields of the Bend of the River, expects to complete an 18-week course in radio at the U.S. army school at the Stevens Hotel, Chicago, next week. He will be transferred then to another location. His brother, Doyle Crittfield, is a member of a medical unit at Fort Custer, Mich., where he has been stationed four months. Both attended the Buchanan high school.

Charles Hess Writes From Fort Bliss The following letter was received Tuesday from Charles Hess, Jr son of Mr. and Mrs Charles Hess, Sr. of the Wagner district Jan 14, 1943

Pvt. Charles E. Hess Btry C, 4807th Central Postal Directory, A.A.T.C. Fort Bliss, Texas Editor of Berrien County Record Dear Mr. Haves. I don't know how cold it is in Buchanan at the time of this writing, but I'll bet it was ten times warmer here this afternoon than it was in Michigan. Nearly everyone has a reddish complexion from being out in the sunshine.

I am stationed here at the Fort Bliss Anti-Aircraft Training Center. The past ten days have been rather strenuous for all of us new recruits. The officers have been drilling us on how to march, salute commissioned officers and also teaching us how to clean and take rifles apart. They also give us a lot of advice on personal hygiene.

All officers here work hard to drill their men and train them so they know their duties and feel first two or three days I thought it silly to salute an officer and say "yes sir" to them, but I found out it was the most important part of military discipline.

There is an excellent chance to become a corporal or sergeant and all of us are working to become one or the other. I get sort of discouraged at this army life, but as one of the sergeants said the other day, "The army is just what you make it." There is no one to rely on but yourself. You should make it all the harder for a soldier.

Fort Bliss is a well-equipped army post. There is an aviation school located near here and we can't sleep very well on account of the roar of the planes as they fly over us at night. The food is very good here and every soldier gets all he wants.

Another thing that makes a better soldier is the fact that he gets mail from home. You should see the crowd that gathers when the mail is issued. It really cheers them up when they get mail. I've met the Chaplain here and he seems like a fine person. I'm glad every soldier gets to attend services.

I hope the High School class will back up all us Buchanan boys, as well as the Youth Council. I wish there were more of them and I want to stay in this army—the sooner we get this war won the happier we'll be.

Sincerely, Charles E. Hess Stationed

Corp John H Zachman, who has been stationed near Macon, Ga, was transferred last week and his new address is: Greenwood Air Field, Greenwood, Miss.

Corp. Orville Hawks of Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is now visiting at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Horace Hawks, 303 Liberty Avenue.

John Schultz, son of Mr and Mrs Henry Schultz, 904 Main St, has been promoted recently from Private First Class to Corporal. He is at Camp Adair, Ore.

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15th day of January A. D. 1943. Present, Hon MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Alice Sarah Peterson, Deceased. Minnie Louise Keller having filed in said Court, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate. It is Ordered, That the 15th day of February A. D. 1943, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. MALCOLM HATFIELD, JUDGE OF PROBATE. A true copy Elsie Krajae, Register of Probate

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1st insertion Jan. 14; last Jan. 28 STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 6th day of January A. D. 1943

Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Jacob E. Vite, Deceased. Merritt H. Vite and Anna L. Vite, having filed their petition, praying that an inventory be taken of the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Anna L. Vite and Merritt H. Vite or some other suitable person. It is Ordered, That the 8th day of February A. D. 1943, at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. MALCOLM HATFIELD, JUDGE OF PROBATE. A true copy Elsie Krajae, Register of Probate

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 7th day of January A. D. 1943.

Present, Hon MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Gray, Deceased. S. C. Sarver having filed in said Court his petition praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described. It is Ordered, A. D. 1943, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. MALCOLM HATFIELD, JUDGE OF PROBATE. A true copy Elsie Krajae, Register of Probate

1st insertion Dec. 31; last Mar. 20 NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE. Notice of Mortgage Sale. A certain mortgage, made by and between the undersigned and Mrs. Mary Jane Hubbard, and her heirs, and the Bank of Oakes, a Michigan banking corporation, and recorded in Liber 215 of Mortgages, on page 63, in the office of the Register of Deeds, Berrien County, Michigan, and which mortgage was assigned by the Bank of Three Oaks, a Michigan banking corporation, to the Berrien County Sunday School Association, on December 19, 1941, and which assignment is recorded in Liber 13 of Assignments of Mortgages, on page 17, in the office of Register of Deeds, Berrien County, Michigan, and which mortgage is due and is to be due at this date, the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars and 93/100 (\$2,693.93) Dollars, consisting of principal and interest, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the money due thereon, said mortgage will be foreclosed by public sale to satisfy the above amount, with all costs of foreclosure, in accordance with the power of sale provisions contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of St. Joseph, Berrien County, Michigan, on Monday, March 20, 1943, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the forenoon of said day. Eastern War Time. The undersigned premises to be sold as described in said mortgage.

Lot lettered "L" in the Plat of Meadlow Lake Park, a subdivision of parts of Sections 19 and 20, Township 7 South Range 9 W. 1, as per plat recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, Berrien County, Michigan, on October 20, 1922, in Liber 6 of Plats, on page 113, being in Berrien County, Chikaming Township, Michigan. The Berrien County Sunday School Association. Assignee of Mortgagee. Theron D. Childs, Jr. Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee. Three Oaks, Mich.

LEGAL NOTICE

1st insertion Jan 21; last Feb 4 STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on

THE MICROPHONE

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Editorial

Why Students Should Not Quit School

When boys and girls are no longer boys and girls, but men and women, they sometimes look back on the days when they were in high school, and sit around in their study hall doing nothing. They look back regretfully on those days realizing they could have done better, in fact they could have done much better, with all their studies. Thinking, "oh, if only I hadn't quit school!" They realize that job instead of having the man say, "Sorry, no openings for people without high school educa-

tions." Don't give up the one chance that you do have to get an education. Look ahead, and think what it will mean to you in the future.

Hi Ya Chum!

All of those individuals who have gone from their school and have left dear chums, and devilment behind them, because they had a goal to reach, will tell you what it means to have school friends. All of those, who have, as yet to attend high school and enjoy friends, will tell you what it means too.

To some it means memories, others it means childish day dreams of the day when they can become a freshman, to be stepped on by seniors.

Remember the time, you and your pal "Stinkie," went around and dated practically every girl that was going "steady," just to cause excitement. It turned out, that you both couldn't fight those right guys at the same time, so it ended up with you and "Stinkie" in McCoy's Creek. Yeah, and there was the time a whole bunch of you kids went together and wore turtle-neck sweaters with all different colored bow ties; to school. Remember?

There were chiches in school too, but that soon melted away, because it got started around that chiches were undemocratic. Funny, isn't it when you really stop to think, that you had some fun in school, even with all the studying. So look up, freshies, here comes a senior, here comes a friend.

G A A News

The G A A is now having basketball tournaments. They have four teams which consist of both the senior and junior G A A. The captain of each team receives extra points. More cooperation and more fun is expected to be had in this way. There will be some penalty or forfeit for the people who fail to come to practice without an excuse.

Who's Who

Who said if we didn't beat Bridgman we'd get the shirt torn off our back?

Mr. Stark announced that Miss Jean Jeffery has resigned to accept a position in Royal Oak, Miss Helen Smith and Mr. J. Hynik have also resigned. He said no one has been hired to fill these vacancies, as yet.

For

Motor Repair Call

HOME MAINTENANCE SERVICE

105 Theoda Court
 Buchanan, Mich.

News Notes

New Semester Courses
 Starting in the second semester there will be several new courses. Journalism will be changed over to Public Speaking, American Government to Consumer Economics, Advanced Algebra to Solid Geometry, Occupations to Economic Geography.

The new course is Preflight mathematics and will be taught by Mrs. Weaver. The subjects required to take the course are Algebra, Geometry and good grades. There is also a possibility of a home nursing course.

Usher Club Meets

The Usher Club held a meeting during home room Tuesday, Jan. 12. Plans were selected by the members. Plans were made to usher Friday evening for the musical review.

Books of Secrets

The library has many stories it has never told. Of the lives of yesterday, of the pirates stories so bold, they lived upon the shelves, when they attacked Sassa. Who now spends his time upon the shelf at his leisure, Joan of Arc stepped out of the cover down to the floor. She sang out, "France! France! I shall help you again, My country forever more!" The books are old and dusty, the covers worn. But the stories of these books have never been told.

Junior Play Rehearsals

"Spring Dance," the Junior play which will be staged soon, is progressing rapidly. The cast is now working on the second act. No fooling, this play will prove to be one of the outstanding events of this school year.

Seniors, Congratulations!

School has become very important to the seniors these days. The army requirements have made many students realize the seriousness of an education. The seniors were first to realize the importance of school attendance. For many days now we have noticed that the seniors have had the best school attendance.

The juniors, it is sad to relate, have the worst school attendance. Juniors, let's do something definite about this difficulty. You will be seniors in a few short months.

Junior Red Cross

The Junior Red Cross girls are finishing the overalls, nightgowns and afghans that are nearly finished. They have planned no further work until after the semester exams.

Jack Markham, who enlisted in the navy, has received his diploma as he completed his senior studies.

Alfadore Widung has enrolled in school.

Stamp Sale

FLASH! News of the week presents the Defense Stamp Sale for January fourteenth. \$75 of this was for bonds. The other sales were Dewey Avenue, \$10.50, grades—\$39.15, Junior and Senior high—\$19.10. The grand total—\$143.75.

James King visited school last Thursday, Jan. 14.

High School Art

The girls in the first hour art class are making cards for Mrs. Lamb that will be used to test the eyes of students in the spring.

January 23rd at 8:15 p. m. a meeting of both Mother's Clubs, Intermediate and Primary, will be held in the gym. The meeting was to have been held in the afternoon but Dr. Manly Billis was unable to be here so it was postponed until evening.

Two days of last week Dr. Gamble was up to the high school to give toxoid to the kindergarten scholars to prevent diphtheria, and he also gave physical examinations so that the children will be ready for school in the future.

Miss Graves attended a conference January 16th at Lansing. The theme of the day's program was "The Effect of the War on the Program of Child Growth and Development." There was a panel discussion in the morning and a luncheon meeting.

Dewey Avenue News

The Kindergarten children sponsored a Baby Show last week. Of course, we used our dolls, Prizes or ribbons, were given to the healthiest, the most beautiful, the tallest, the best dressed, and the one with the prettiest eyes, and the ones with the prettiest hair.

The children in Mrs. Heim's first grade are studying triangles, circles, squares, and rectangles. The children are making designs and pictures using just these forms.

The second grade at Dewey Avenue school has started this week to learn cursive writing—up until this time we have done only manuscript printing. The children, of course, enjoy doing anything different, and they are quite excited about learning to write like grown ups.

The children in Miss Wilcox's third grade are making airplane posters. Lowell, Teddy, Lester and Clarence, have some very good ones.

We are working on the table of 3's in arithmetic and learning how to multiply and divide by 3.

In Miss Kappel's third grade we are studying about cotton. After we have written stories and made pictures about cotton, from the fields to our dresses, etc., we are going to make a large book about cotton with this material.

Miss Greussing's fourth grade is now studying about the Netherlands. We find it very interesting to read about these lowlands and how they are kept from being flooded. We are making our own large map of the Netherlands illustrating dikes, canals and the various industries carried on there.

Grade School News

Richard Penland has moved to New Troy. The children in Mrs. Morley's room will be sorry to see him go. The room has a new snowman border. Mrs. Morley's children tore them from white paper. Some snowmen look funny.

Miss Carnagan's first grade was pleasantly surprised on Wally Schurmer's birthday. He had his party at school. In the afternoon Mrs. Schurmer brought in ice cream, cup cakes, candy and lots of balloons. Seven of the cakes had a candle on them because Wally was seven years old.

The children enjoyed the movie last week on the passenger train. It showed the different kinds of cars a passenger train has and how the people working on the train help the passengers.

Several of the children in Miss Fritz's room brought books to school to share with the children in the room. John Yeager brought Munro Leaf's, "Fun Book" and Janet Beck brought "Dash and Dart," the story of two dawns. In music appreciation, Miss Kinneys third grade learned about the composition, "Rondina," written by Beethoven and Kreisler. They enjoyed the music and the story very much.

In art, the children made pictures on lined manila paper. All of the figures were made with straight lines. This was a great deal of fun.

The boys and girls in Mrs. Fuller's fourth grade have started a study of Arabia as a type of hot dry land. They find desert stories interesting to read and illustrate.

The pupils in Miss Ekstrom's fifth grade are reading a story this week about Abdula Aziz, a boy who lives in Tunis. Some of the children know American soldiers in North Africa so the story is more interesting. The people in Tunis have many customs strange to us. When the story is finished, the children will draw pictures expressing their ideas of life in Tunis.

An American Negro folk tune was taught this week in music, called "Ballet of De Boll Wcevil". About twenty-five children are buying milk this week.

The pupils in Miss D. Lovell's room are beginning a series of reports concerning some phase of their social studies to be given during the language period. The information for these reports will be gathered for the most part by the children themselves from the school and public libraries. The first three reports will be given by Lester Hombaker, Peggy Forbes, and Shirley Casto.

Girl Scouts Serve Their Country



Girls aren't barred from taking part in the National Defense program. Under the Girl Scout program, nearly 700,000 girls of the nation are serving their country by preparing for useful citizenship aiding their families, friends and communities and learning the skills that will be useful in emergencies.

Miss B. Lovell's fifth and sixth grades are giving oral reports on the books they have read. We have divided our room into two teams to see who can read the most books. Our chart shows that the boys are ahead of the girls, having read forty-five books while the girls have read twenty-nine.

The fifth grade is working on a freize. It is to show the story of bread. We are trying to get as much material as we can for the freize. Kay Bailey.

Monday the children in Miss Jeffery's room have a play called "Shortly's Victory Club." The play was written and directed by Edwina Trapp.

In geography we are studying about the Australian states. Doris Watry has been neither absent nor tardy this semester.

Miss Reams' room is busy preparing the play "Uncle Sam's Defense Guards," for the grade assembly which will be next Thursday.

HOLLYWOOD

Tells Thrilling Inside Story

Of Nazi-Dominated Europe There have been several films about Nazi Germany in general and the city of Berlin in particular, but for tantalizing suspense, exciting action and tender romance none has equalled 20th Century-Fox's thrilling "Berlin Correspondent," which will be shown on the screen at the Hollywood theatre Friday and Saturday, Jan. 22-23.

And no wonder! Few people know Berlin the way America's famed foreign correspondents got to know it. And this picture is a realistic story of those intrepid men and their fight to find the truth despite almost insurmountable difficulties. This is the story of the nightmares they had to survive to bring the whole shocking tale to America.

That bright young actor, Dana

Andrews, recently seen in "Ball of Fire" plays the title role of the courageous reporter who fights the Gestapo to get news past the censor and loses his sweetheart in the process. Lovely Virginia Gilmore is the distaff half of the romance that, because of its intense pathos, will be long remembered.

'Lucky Legs' Stands

Town On Its Ear! She stepped from the chotus to a penthouse without walking a step! She had chinchilla on her shoulders, diamonds on her fingers and the whole town at her feet! No wonder they called them "Lucky Legs!"

When Jim Falkenberg starts stepping in Columbia's "Lucky Legs," she takes Manhattan for an after-dark joy ride of rhythm, roars and riotous romance! The musical comedy, which will be shown at the Hollywood theatre Friday and Saturday, Jan. 22-23, also features Kay Harris, Russell Hayden, William Wright, Elizabeth Patterson and Leslie Brooks.

Norway In Exile

Gets Sonja's Help In several weeks Sonja Henie will start shooting a new film that will become part of the official archives of the Free Norway of tomorrow.

When Sonja began filming "Ice-land," her latest 20th Century-Fox musical, she received a letter from England written by Sven Gilberg, secretary of Norway in Exile. This group includes former Norwegian Government officials, scientists, artists and teachers.

They are working to preserve Norway's culture and are urging famous Norwegians all over the world to cooperate. Among the first to be contacted was Sonja Henie. Sonja's best contribution will be clips from her pictures demonstrating her incomparable art. These will prove instrumental in developing young skaters in the Home tradition. Her name is important because, in a pit taken in Norway just before the war, she was voted the most famous living Norwegian.

In "Ice-land," which will be here at the Hollywood theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 24-25-26, Miss Henie stars with John Payne, while Jack Oakie and Sammy Kaye and his Orchestra are prominently featured. The film was produced by William LeBaron and directed by Bruce Humpherson.

12 Yr-Old Tops In Screen

Debut Of Different Role Betting on a 12-year-old girl making her screen debut in a Betty Davis picture is like wagering on a filly in the Kentucky Derby. Even experienced players of the movie-acting world often get the nervous jitters at the prospect of stacking up against a lady so formidable.

A little Santa Barbara, Calif.

girl named Janice Wilson didn't know about this legend. She simply moved in on "Now, Voyager" at Warner Bros. and played scenes after scenes with Miss Davis as sincerely as if she were make-believe in her own back yard. The result is that Janice has made a solid hit, has won a contract, and has been cast with Betty again in "Watch on the Rhine." "Now, Voyager" appears at the Hollywood theatre Wednesday-Thursday, Jan. 27-28.

Probate News

Judge Malcolm Hatfield transacted the following matters: The petitions for the appointment of the administrators were filed in the estates of William Drake Crown, Moses Harner, Frederick A. Nelson and Henry R. Schmidt, deceased. The will and petition for the probate of the Last Will and Testament were filed in the estate of Jacob E. Vite, deceased. Bonds were filed and Letters issued in the estates of John A. Hemmell, Frank Joseph Zonick, Velta F. Kitch and Floyd Palmer, deceased. Inventories were filed in the estates of Ruth, C. Rutz, John F. Gamm, Ann Golden, Louise Harmon and Minnie J. Cliff, deceased.

Judge Hatfield also entered the orders closing the hearing on claims in the estates of Benjamin Decker, Charles E. Roberts, Jas. E. Jackson, Virgil Carl Austin, Charles Swanson, Laura Krumie and Burt Latium, deceased, and entered the order allowing Claims and for payment of debts in the estate of Guy P. Keith, deceased. The estates of Pearl G. Capen, Lwight Hancock, Jr., Coze L. Valentine, Mary Bunbury, William W. Howard, Nancy Grace, Olive N. Schoemelder and Ella N. Early were closed.

West Buchanan

Lloyd Wallace has been a patient in Burleson hospital, Grand Rapids, the past week.

Mrs. Lester Cudney and daughter Sharon, Niles, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pease and family, Niles, were Sunday visitors in the Lloyd Biatton home.

Mrs. Effie Wilson spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Jerome Seabast, who is ill.

The Parent-Teacher association of the Holmes school scheduled to meet Friday evening was postponed until Friday evening, Jan. 22.

Office Boy's Idol

What makes a man proud is an office boy who makes him a model.

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People who call "Information" for numbers that are readily available in the telephone directory probably don't realize the serious waste they are causing.

1,450 hours of operators' and equipment time are wasted each day in Michigan by calls for numbers that are listed in the telephone directory. Those thousands of unnecessary calls further congest the war-loaded telephone system.

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SOCIETY

Geneve Babcock And Dean Swem Marry

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Babcock of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Geneve, to First Sergeant Dean Swem, Toccoa, Ga., son of Mrs. Lesta Swem, Galien, which took place Saturday afternoon, Jan. 9 at 5 o'clock in the parsonage of the Methodist church at Toccoa. The Rev. D. S. Patterson officiated. Attendants were Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Gordon Tippet of Toccoa.

The bride wore a street length dress of aqua with brown accessories. Mrs. Tippet wore a brown dress with matching accessories and both wore corsages of Tahiti-man roses. Mrs. Swem was graduated from Buchanan high school in 1932 and from the South Bend College of Commerce in 1940 and has been employed for two years in the office of the Indiana and Michigan Electric company in Buchanan.

Sgt. Swem was graduated from Galien high school with the class of 1935 and was employed by the Clark Equipment company before entering the service about a year ago.

The couple are residing at 47 Forrest Avenue, Toccoa, Ga.

Rebekah Lodge

Bay Leaf Rebekah lodge No. 248 met Friday night in the I.O.O.F. hall with Mrs. Robert Reamer, Mrs. John Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. George Barimore, the committee in charge of the social hour. Contest prizes were awarded Mrs. James Gray, Mrs. Warren Juhl, Mrs. Eura Florey, Mrs. Lyle Young, Mrs. Charles Lightfoot, Mrs. Harley Squier, Mrs. Floyd Antsiedel, Mrs. Florence Wooden and Mrs. Fred Wallace.

Iota Sigma Circle
Members of the Iota Sigma Circle of the Women's Christian Temperance Union met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Charles Hahn.

A paper on "Child Welfare" was given by Mrs. Carl Erwin. Miss Florence Ferris presented a paper on "Temperance Education." The next meeting is set for Feb. 15 in the home of Miss Ferris.

Fortnightly Pnochiole Club
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyddick were hosts to members of the Fortnightly Pnochiole club Saturday evening in their home at Bainbridge. Prizes were won by Mrs. Andrew Lyddick and Phil Boone.

The next meeting is set for Jan. 30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lyddick, Bend of the River.

Golden Rule Class
The Golden Rule Sunday School class of the Church of Christ will meet Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills.

Mary E. Hathaway Weds In New Orleans

Miss Mary Elizabeth Hathaway, daughter of Cleon Hathaway, Buchanan, became the bride of Technical Sergeant Carroll Horn, New Orleans, La., Sunday, Jan. 3 at the army band with the army chaplain officiating. Miss Horn is a graduate of Jackson high school and is employed in civil service work in New Orleans.

Tech. Sgt. Horn was employed in Jackson before entering army service and is with the signal corps stationed near New Orleans.

Hosts at Cards
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allis entertained 30 guests at a card party Saturday afternoon, honoring the guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lehr of Dayton, O.

Child Study Club
The Buchanan Child Study club met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Lee Frame with 19 members present. The lesson on "Children in the Family Budget," presented by Mrs. George Chalmers, was followed by a general discussion by the members. Mrs. George Nelson, who will move this week to Jackson, was honored by a handkerchief shower.

O.E.S. Meeting
The executive committee of Sylvia chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will meet Thursday night in the Masonic hall.

F.D.I. Club
The F.D.I. club of Bay Leaf Rebekah lodge, will meet Thursday night in the I.O.O.F. hall. The committee for the social hour includes Mrs. Roy Pierce, Mrs. Warren Juhl, Mrs. Carl Remington and Mrs. Morley Myers.

Thursday Evening Reading Club
The Thursday Evening Reading club will meet this week in the home of Mrs. George Exner. Mrs. L. R. Bradley will present a review of the book "The Robe," by Lloyd Douglas.

Evan Young People
The Young Peoples Department of the Evangelical church will have a sleigh ride party Thursday night, after which the group will go to the home of Raymond DeWitt for refreshments.

B&PW Club
The Buchanan Business and Professional Women's Club held its regular meeting Jan. 18, 1943 in the Methodist church parlors. Where the ladies of the church served a delicious dinner to about twenty-five members.

President Helen Graves presided and called upon Lucy Batchelor, chairman of the Legislative committee, to take charge of the meeting.

The following subjects were discussed: "What the Women's Bureau Does," Mary McClure, "We Oppose Discriminations," Lydia Harms, "Toward Purer Foods, Drugs and Cosmetics," Elizabeth Longfellow, "Federal Aid in Support of Public Education," Marie Schultz, "Blue Prints for Peace," Lydia Harms.

Reports show that Buchanan B&PW purchased over \$3000 in War Bonds in the 3rd quarter of 1942 and over \$4000.00 in the 4th quarter.

The Executive Board met at the home of Lucy Batchelor January 4th and studied India.

The next Executive Board meeting will be February 1st at the home of Mary Walker, 201 Days Ave.

All members are invited.

Fortnightly Reading Club
The Fortnightly Reading club scheduled to meet Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Cole Hayes was postponed until Thursday afternoon, Jan. 21.

Lucky Club
Members of the Lucky Club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Otto Schmidt.

Prizes were awarded Mrs. Robert Tuhn, Mrs. James Liska, Mrs. Charles Liska and Mrs. Stephen Martin. Mrs. Robert Sherwood will be hostess at the next meeting, Jan. 28.

Come-Join-Us Class
Mr. and Mrs. George Haag, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose, entertained members of the Come-Join-Us Sunday school class of the Methodist church Thursday evening in the Haag home.

Contest prizes were won by Arthur Rose, Mrs. Lawrence Borst, Mrs. Charles E. Hann, Mrs. Lyle Young and Mrs. Lee Conard.

On Feb. 11 the members of the class will meet in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. se.

W.P.A. Meeting
Members of the Women's Benevolent Association will meet Tuesday evening, Jan. 26 in the W.P.A. hall for the regular meeting, which will be followed by guard team practice.

On Wednesday evening, Jan. 27, the Niles and Buchanan Reviews will hold joint insantiated or dances in the local hall with Mrs. Ethel Hayter, Detroit, installing officer.

A class of candidates will be initiated at 6:30 banquet will precede the meeting.

Hi-Lo Bridge Club
Mrs. A. L. Oupurt was hostess Wednesday afternoon to members of the Hi-Lo Bridge Club. Honors went to Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. Benedict Blottt and Mrs. Charles Heiman. The club will meet Jan. 27 in the home of Mrs. Charles Knouts.

Royal Neighbor Lodge
Regular meeting of Royal Neighbor lodge will be Friday night in the Woodmen hall, with Mrs. Claude Lauver and Mrs. Earl Beck, the committee in charge of the social hour.

Victory Club

Members of the Victory Club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Judson Markham.

Contest prizes were awarded to Mrs. Otto Reinke, Mrs. Howard Barbour and Mrs. Bertha Hulscher. Members voted to contribute \$3 to the "March of Dimes."

Mrs. Otto Reinke will be hostess at the next meeting, Feb. 1.

Navy Mothers Club
The Navy Mothers Club, Post 288, will meet Friday evening at 7:30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Enos Schram, 212 Cecil avenue for a social meeting. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. E. N. Schram, Mrs. Mabel Knight, Mrs. William Thurston and Mrs. John Troutfetter. Members are asked to bring sewing equipment.

Honor Soldier
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall entertained at dinner Sunday honoring their son-in-law, Pvt. Alex. J. Nemeth, Jr. of Fort Benning, Ga. The latter is spending a ten day furlough with his wife and infant daughter, Carol Lee.

Pres. Guild
Mrs. Ed-Stutta will be hostess to the Jeannette Stevenson Guild of the Presbyterian Church at her home next Tuesday evening.

Evan Ladies' Aid
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Evangelical church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Hoffman on Lake street.

Methodist Women's Societies
New officers will be installed at the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service in the Methodist church. The Rev. Charles Hahn will act as installing officer, and will present a review of the book "The Robe" by Mrs. C. E. Aisworth, Mrs. Frank Kean, Mrs. Frank Keller, Mrs. Henry Zupke, Mrs. William R. Smith and Mrs. Fred Johansen comprise the committee in charge.

Niles-Buchanan Club
Members of the Niles-Buchanan Home Economics club met all day Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Charles Hiss, Route 3. The leaders, Mrs. Kelsey Barnton and Mrs. Harvey Gandy presented the lesson on "How Proper Diet May Be Helpful in Preventing and Curing Colds."

Mrs. Ray Glover and Mrs. F. J. Vicks were assisting hostesses.

I.O.O.F. Lodge
Buchanan Subordinate Lodge No. 75 I.O.O.F. met Tuesday night in the I.O.O.F. hall.

The first degree was conferred on a class of candidates.

Following the meeting an oyster supper was served.

Berean Bible Class
The Berean Bible class of the Church of Christ scheduled to meet Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Minnie Smith has been postponed on account of the weather.

V. F. W. Meeting
Members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Auxiliary will hold a joint social meeting Thursday night in the V.F.W. home.

Terre Coupe Club
The Terre Coupe Home Economics club will meet all day Thursday in the home of Mrs. Charles Wilcox, with Mrs. A. G. Bowers assisting hostess.

The lesson on "How Proper Diet May Be Helpful in Preventing and Curing Colds" will be presented by the leaders, Mrs. Clayton Leitler and Mrs. Robert Bowers.

Dinner Party

Mrs. George Mathie and Mrs. A. G. Bowers were guests at a dinner party Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roe.

Thirty Club
Mrs. Kenneth L. Mudge was hostess Monday afternoon to members of the Buchanan Thirty club. The afternoon's entertainment was under the direction of Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Lester Miller. Mrs. Smith contributed to the program by showing several reels of motion pictures taken in Canada, Brookfield Zoo and the St. Joe River. Mrs. Miller played several operatic selections.

The next meeting will be Monday, Jan. 25, in the home of Mrs. Lester Miller.

Baptist Mission Society
Members of the Women's Missionary society of the Grace Baptist church will entertain their husbands and children Thursday night at a 7:30 cooperative supper in the church.

Following the supper a program will be presented after which the members will discuss coming activities.

D. A. R. Meeting
Mrs. W. G. Armstrong and Mrs. Harry Fox were named as delegates to attend the state convention in March in Detroit at the Thursday meeting of the Fort St. Joseph Chapter of the D. A. R. in the home of Mrs. Ben Smith, 731 Hickory street, Niles.

Alternate for Mrs. Armstrong is Mrs. Carl Longworth, Buchanan, Mrs. John Murphy, Buchanan, is alternate for Mrs. Fox. The chapter contributed \$35 to the National D. A. R. project to furnish

Hits To Be For '43'

The country's leading bandmasters You'll find the words and music of this newest song hit in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Sunday Chicago Herald-American.

Doris Sheppardson Enlists in WAACs
Miss Doris Sheppardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sheppardson, Glendora, is now at her home there awaiting a call to enter service as a WAAC, in which she was recently enrolled after successfully passing examinations at Kalamazoo. She was graduated from the New Tioy high school and had been employed in a defense industry at Benton Harbor. After being admitted to service she resigned her position and went home to await her call. She is 23 years old. She said that she belonged to a family of six children, five girls and one boy, none eligible for military service because of age or marriage and that she thought there should be one representative of the family enrolled.

Called a Menace
The educated or brilliant man who is destitute through no reprehensible fault of his own is a menace to organized society—Dugald C. Jackson of Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Hills Corners Club
The Hills Corners Home Economics club will meet all day Thursday in the home of Mrs. Howard Gardner.

Mrs. Frank Rumsey and Mrs. Ward Wright will present the lesson on "How Proper Diet May Be Helpful in Preventing and Curing Colds."

DR. C. D. OMANS OPTOMETRIST

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Every Scout who takes care of children while mothers do volunteer work is doing a triple service. She is helping to keep the children of America happy and normal; she is gaining useful training as a future mother; and she is freeing a woman for another vital war service. There should be many more Scouts doing many more such jobs.

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Peanut Butter		1-lb jar	29c
Embassy - finest quality!			
WORLD ATLAS	Rand McNally	Yours for	15c
19 double-page maps, 32 by 22 inches, in full color! Air bases, naval bases, principal cities - 40 fact filled pages of world information			
Tangerines	Sweet, full of juice... thin-skinned, easy to peel	dozen	10c
GRAPEFRUIT	Texas Marshseedless	10 for	39c
PEARS	Fresh, mellow, ready-to-eat	2 lbs	25c
CELERY	New crop Florida. Crisp, sweet	stalk	5c
GREEN PEPPERS	Smooth, shiny, well-shaped	each	5c
CARROTS	California. Fresh, crisp	Large bunch	7 1/2c
MICH. POTATOES	U.S. No. 1	50 lb bag	\$1.39
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5 lb. bag 23c

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NAVY BEANS	5 lb bag	36c
MICHIGAN	2-lb. bag	16c
KIDNEY BEANS	24 oz bag	15c
Cello-wrapped	10-oz. bag	8c
RED BEANS	2 lb bag	19c
Cello-wrapped	12-oz. bag	8c
PINTO BEANS	2 lb bag	21c
Cello-wrapped	12-oz. bag	8c
GREAT NORTHERN	24-oz bag	15c
Beans. Cello-wrapped	12-oz. bag	8c
SEASIDE LIMA	lb. pkg	14c
Beans. Highest quality.	2-lb. pkg.	27c

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Sliced

COOKED SALAMI lb. 38c
No. 1 quality

BRAUNSCHWEIGER lb. 37c
Spoked sausage

RING LIVER SAUSAGE lb. 21c
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HEAD CHEESE lb. 22c
Old-fashioned

Vein-X Shrimp Black vein removed lb. 35c
Large size lb. 10c

Smelt Economical - vitamin rich 2 lbs. 25c

Mullets Ready to cook lb. 15c

Dressed Whiting From the Great Lakes lb. 15c

Cisco Herring Winter caught lb. 21c

Yellow Pike Winter caught lb. 21c

Yellow Perch Winter caught lb. 21c

Trout Small or large size lb. 35c

Pork Tenderloins Fresh - tender lb. 45c

BREAD ENRICHED FOR "VITAMIN BLOOM"

3 Large Loaves 25c

Doughnuts doz 10c
Plain or Sugared, tray-packed

Jelly Roll each 15c
Fresh from the ovens

TOMATOES No. 2 can 13c
Red ripe, solid pack

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46 oz can 27c
Vitamin-rich Unsweetened.

ROLLED OATS 5 lb. bag 27c
Regular or quick cooking

EATMORE OLEO 1 lb pkg 17c
9,000 units Vitamin A in each pound

MACARONI 3 lb bag 25c
or Spaghetti U S No 1 Semolina

FANCY PRUNES 3 lb bag 32c
Santa Clara's

EVAPORATED MILK 4 Tall cans 37c
Country Club approved quality

CIGARETTES Carton \$1.25
Popular brands

SUNBRITE CLEANSER 2 cans 11c
Cleans, scours, brightens!

MOTOR OIL 8 Quart can \$1.38
Penn-Rad 100% pure Pennsylvania

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