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City Petitions PHA For Exceptions To Removal Moccasin Ct. Houses

Select Lot On West Side Of Pres. Church

Now Here's the Proposition

Arctic Owl Killed During Barnyard Breakfast

Norris Buchanan, who doesn't love all birds, including Arctic owls, came to town yesterday morning displaying an Arctic Snowy Owl with a wing-spread of over 60 inches, which he had shot in his barnyard that morning, 3 1/2 miles north of Buchanan on Range Line Road.

Norris had heard a squawking among the farm fowls before day-break. He took his gun and went out, seeing the said Arctic owl sitting on the carcass of a large mallard duck which he had just killed.

Here Is What We Need

Long-winded two-somes over the telephone are reported to be under control in the little town of Chimax, Kalamazoo county, where the privately-owned telephone company has installed a new device called the "Conversation Timer".

The device went into use there Saturday, Jan. 30. It automatically limits the conversations to 6 minutes.

Here's how the device works:

Its timer runs in 8-minute cycles, allowing a maximum range of from 6 to 8 minutes per call.

After the maximum conversation time has been used, the timer sounds a buzzer warning to persons using the line. One minute after the warning buzzer sounds the call must be terminated or disconnected by the mechanical device.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collier, who operate the local phone company, believe that only one other Michigan community uses the timer device.

That is the village of Munger, located near Saginaw.

Toll calls will not be affected by the new system since it can control only area phones.

Although the new system has not yet been put into use, the men of the village are already hailing the revision. The women haven't appeared too happy about the system, but many of them are reserving judgment.

One irate homemaker at Chimax made no bones about the new device. She said: "Next time we know they'll put time devices on our TV sets and then we'll have to resort to housework for daytime activity."

The Cate Little Crocuses!

Crocus bloom, which usually grace the front of April or later, are reported in flower on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith on South Portage Road. The bloom appeared after the rain of last week, and at last reports had not been hurt by freezing weather.

Ida Freeland Dies Monday On 84th Birthday

Resident Of Buchanan For 40 Years; Ill 14 Months

Last rites were held for Ida Freeland at the Swem Funeral Home at 3:00 p.m. Thursday, with the Rev. H. C. Carlyle in charge. Burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery, with her nephews acting as pallbearers.

Mrs. Freeland was born at Shoals, Ind., Feb. 1, 1870, the daughter of Orrin and Anna Bailey. She married John W. Freeland in 1888 at Shoals, Ind. They came to live in Buchanan in 1914. He died here Dec. 24, 1921.

Several months after his death Mrs. Freeland came to live at the home at 113 North Cayuga, where she spent the remainder of her life. Her son, William A. Freeland and family came here in 1950 to make their home with her because of her growing ill health.

She is survived by three sons, William A. of Buchanan, Perry F. of South Bend, Curtis M. of Dayton, O., by two daughters, Mrs. Olive Holsington of Adak, Alaska, Mrs. Lena Clem of Evanston, Ill.; by one brother, Robert Bailey of Shoals, Ind.; by 8 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

She was a member of the Church of The Nazarene of Buchanan.

Advertise the Classified Way

Offer Plan To Retain Houses Moccasin Court

City Offer Applies Only To A Limited Number Housing Units

The city commission gave assent to a tentative plan for salvaging at least a few of the housing units of Moccasin Court at the second January meeting last week, following the report by the special committee named to investigate possibility of enlisting private enterprise.

The plan endorsed by the city commission provided that any individual who owns property on which the housing unit is located may retain it on the following terms:

1. He must entirely rehabilitate the unit on its present site to meet zoning and building requirements of the city.

2. He must furnish an adequate bond setting forth the work to be done and the period in which such work will be completed.

3. Each such request will be considered by the commission, passing judgment on the merit of the individual application and whether the final result will be a permanent welling suitable for long-term use.

These are the "assumptions" 1. If satisfied the commission will write the Public Housing Authority recommending that the application be granted and such unit be excepted from the previous blanket order for the disposal of all Moccasin Court housing units. Assent will depend on the approval of the city and the acceptance of the housing authority.

The commission also passed a resolution that a moving permit would not be issued for the moving and relocation of any such units elsewhere within the city limits.

The commission has been notified by the Public Housing Authority that the Moccasin Court project will be totally vacated by June 30, 1954. The Special Advisory Housing Committee appointed by the commission made an extensive survey and investigation for a possible method whereby private individuals could convert a major portion of these units into permanent homes on the present sites. The committee finally reported that they could not enlist such aid.

It was the feeling of the commission that it cannot permit the moving of units to other parts of the city because such relocation would tend to depreciate property valuations in the area of re-location. Also the commission felt that it could not initiate a policy whereby the city might engage in provision and maintaining of housing with city tax funds.

The measures adopted had been recommended to the commission by City Manager Barkley Omans, who stated:

"I am concerned that the closing of all units at once may cause considerable crowding and doubling up in negro housing in particular, and the construction of temporary housing worse than the project."

"Even though crowding and shack buildings are violations of the zoning ordinance, once established it would take time and considerable effort to evict the families. My thought is that we may be creating for ourselves a worse situation than we have."

Red Cross Will Launch Its Annual Drive On March 1

To its extensive responsibilities for humanitarian service at home and abroad, the Berrien County chapter of the American Red Cross will launch its annual campaign March 1, with a goal of \$44,020.

"This will be a campaign for both members and funds," Richard Peters, Berrien county drive chairman, said. "We hope to make every Berrien county citizen aware that through his membership he participates in Red Cross Service just as surely as if he had extended a helping hand to persons in need himself."

This year our aim in addition to securing the funds needed, is to enroll 20,000 active Red Cross members who will help direct Red Cross work and who will assist as volunteer workers in Berrien County.

The theme of the campaign will be, answer the call, "JOIN AND SERVE."

Robert Shepherd On "Welcome Travelers" Hour; Gets TV Set

Robert Shepherd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shepherd, Arctic street, is an ardent sports fan, covering local, state and national games by listening to the radio and when he can he sees the events on his neighbor's television set.

One day he wrote to one of his favorite announcers to tell him how much he enjoyed his broadcasts and mentioned the fact that he could not watch the sports as much as he would like to, as because of his father's health he could not have a television set.

The announcer, much impressed by the letter, went to work. He contacted another network and plans were made for Robert to appear on the "Welcome Travelers" TV program in Chicago on Thursday, Jan. 21. After Robert and his mother had been interviewed, he was presented with a 21-inch television set and a new suit of clothes. To top this, he will sit in the press box with this sports announcer when Notre Dame plays its biggest football game next fall.

Eura C. Florey Dies Suddenly

Worked 27 Years At Clarks; 4 Years At Hubbard Tool and Gage

Eura C. Florey, resident in Buchanan 36 years and a veteran industrial worker, died unexpectedly in his sleep at 8:15 a.m. Monday, Feb. 1, 1954, at his home at 219 Lake street.

While his death was unexpected, it did not come without a warning. Beginning Wednesday of last week he complained of a severe pain in the left arm and shoulder. He seemed to recover and did not feel it again that day but it recurred with increasing severity Saturday and Sunday. Sunday evening he had attacks of pain and nausea, but the attacks subsided, and he slept soundly and apparently in comfort the remainder of the night.

Mrs. Florey was in an adjoining room when she heard sounds as though he were trying to clear his throat. She went into the room and saw that he was dying. He died a few seconds later about 8:15 a.m.

He was born Jan. 26, 1893, in Lake City, Ill. His parents, John and Letta Florey, and their family moved to Niles, Mich., about 1908, when he was 15 years old. He moved from Niles to Buchanan at the time he married Belle Decker on June 3, 1918.

He entered the employ of the Clark Equipment company in 1918 and worked there 27 years, quitting because of ill health in 1945.

In 1949 he entered the employ of the local Hubbard Tool & Gage plant where he remained until the week he died. Several years ago he received injuries in an automobile accident and had been inclined to attribute the arm and shoulder pains to that.

He is survived by his wife; by his mother, Letta Florey of Buchanan, by a son, Dale of Buchanan, and a daughter, Joy, at home, three brothers, Bonnie and Ted of Buchanan and Jack Florey of Beardstown, Ill.; by a sister, Mrs. Della Edwards of Buchanan, by a granddaughter, Daleen of Buchanan.

He was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren Church of Buchanan.

The funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 4, 1954, at the Swem Funeral Home with Rev. L. E. Lee in charge. Burial will be made in Oak Ridge cemetery, with the following acting as pallbearers: Milford and William Schultz, Irving Swartz, Donald McLean, Vernal Shreve, Robert Henriksen.

Mrs. Charles Hess Winner Spell-Down At Wagner Grange

Members of the Wagner Grange met at the Wagner hall Friday, Jan. 29. A potluck supper preceded the business meeting. The president, Ralph Hess, presided.

The members voted to make a contribution to the March of Dimes. They also planned to have a pancake-sausage supper to precede their next regular meeting on Feb. 12.

Mrs. Orville Newport presented the program, an "Old-Fashioned Spell-Down." Mrs. Charles Hess was the winner, having spelled down all the rest of the folks.

Bucks Vanquish Watervliet In 73-44 Triumph

Reserves Win Close Game With 21-17 Results

Buchanan met Watervliet in Buchanan Friday, Jan. 29, with an easy 73-44 triumph. The victory gave the Bucks a record of 9 wins and 2 losses. Buchanan took the lead in the first minute of play and never lost it. The Bucks scored 32 points to 14 for Watervliet in the first half and 41 points in the second half. Buchanan was outscoring Watervliet all the way Buchanan hit 38 percent of their shots, while Watervliet hit 28 percent of their shots.

As the first quarter got underway, the Bucks got the tip and scored after a few shots and never lost the lead. In the first quarter, the whole starting team made at least one basket. Midway in the first quarter Buchanan had captured a 9-2 lead and later made it into a 12-3 lead. Anderson led Buchanan with 5 points, while Davis led Watervliet with 4 points. At the end of the first quarter Buchanan led 15-7.

As the second quarter got underway Buchanan opened the scoring and never stopped. G. Smith found his mark and scored two fast ones. The Bucks were certainly on. In the second quarter J. Helweg went to the bench with three fouls and then Dannelief came in to replace him. Midway in the first quarter Buchanan had captured a 9-2 lead and later made it into a 12-3 lead. Anderson led Buchanan with 5 points, while Davis led Watervliet with 4 points. At the end of the first quarter Buchanan led 15-7.

During the half 12 girls performed a tumbling act under the direction of Mrs. Steffen. The girls were H. Moore, L. E. Baird, A. Borland, T. Lezenby, M. Keyes, C. Gamble, E. Conrad, J. Streiling, S. Flanagan, S. Nordin, J. Stark, and L. Seigie. The girls did a wonderful job.

The third quarter got underway and G. Smith put a fast one on, and action started fast. J. Dannelief put a couple in for the Panthers and Watervliet was having their best quarter, but Buchanan was too hot. G. Smith, Letcher and Anderson put more in, Buchanan took a bigger lead yet. G. Smith led Buchanan with six points in the third quarter while Dannelief also had six. The third quarter ended Buchanan 52, Panthers 32.

The fourth quarter got underway with the Bucks getting the tip. Coach Steffen changed his whole team except for one. The Bucks still held and in the meantime had the best quarter of the night scoring 21 points. Conrad, Bendley, Nichols and Anderson, all made baskets and Buchanan won an easy game. The game ended, Bucks 73, Panthers 44. R. Anderson was high with 22 and G. Smith had 20. Helweg and Davis each had 10 for Watervliet.

Buchanan won the reserve game 21 to 17 which was close all the way. The reserves now have a record of 6 wins and 5 losses. They are doing a good job and play a very good defensive and offensive game. A Wade had 6, Nichols and Karpenski each had 5 for Buchanan while Flugrad had 7 for the Panthers.

Player FG FT PT Anderson, f 10 12 21 D Smith, f 1 2 2 Letcher, c 6 2 0 G. Smith, g 10 0 1 G. Manspeaker, g 2 1 3 Phoenix 1 0 0 Conrad 1 0 0 Pendley 1 0 2 Schmidt 0 0 2 Schirmer 0 0 2 Nichols 1 0 0

Watervliet 7 7 13 17 Buchanan 15 17 20 21 73

Lions Club Enjoys Venison Stag Dinner

The Buchanan Lions club enjoyed a Venison Stag on Thursday evening, at the American Legion.

The venison was supplied by Robert Burrus, from a deer which he shot on Manitou Island last fall. The meat was cooked by a Lions committee who achieved that master touch which is so typical of the male chef when he really applies himself.

Since the Lions staged the dinner they gleaned a profit which went to a fund for payment of Wally Weber, University of Michigan freshman football coach, for the speech which he gives at the annual All-Sports Banquet some time in March.

2nd Semester Of 1953-54 Takes Off

The new semester got underway smoothly Monday, February 1, at the high school. The change of semester for students in the 10th grade and below usually does not involve any schedule changes. Nearly all courses at this level run for a full year.

For juniors and seniors, however, several of the courses are set up on a semester basis. Business arithmetic, sociology and economics are semester courses offered this term and are open to juniors and seniors. It is expected that this is the last year that speech will be open to students for one semester only. The extensive area that can be covered in this course makes it desirable that the course run for an entire year.

Jessie Gowland, Of Record Staff, Taken By Death

Lived Useful And Busy Life In Spite Of Frail Body

The truth that heroism is found not only in high places was brought to the attention of many by the passing of Jessie Gowland Monday, Feb. 1.

During at least the length of the writer's residence in Buchanan, since 1928, her life has been an embodiment of the triumph of a brave spirit over a weak body.

During a ten year period following that time, Miss Gowland had been entered 35 times in the University Hospital at Ann Arbor, for operations, treatments or check-ups.

Since that time and until recently she appeared improved in health, and undertook serving as social reporter for the Record in 1942. Whether she was ill or well the news noted came steadily until the week she died. She wrote notes for the Jan. 28 edition although confined to her bed in the last stages of an incurable disease.

During recent months she had been in charge of the nursery room at the Presbyterian church where she made a legion of friends among the youngsters.

Jessie F. Gowland died in Buchanan hospital at 7:20 a.m. Monday, Feb. 1, 1954, after an illness that had entered final stages during several weeks.

She was born Aug. 5, 1898, at Goodland, Ind., the daughter of Henry and Maude Gowland. The family came to Berrien county in 1920, living first at Dayton, Miss. Mary Kolch and her sister, Mrs. Mary Kolch had moved to Buchanan in 1927.

She was a member of the Rebekah and the Royal Neighbor lodges. Survivors are six sisters, Mrs. Mary Kolch (with whom she made her home), Mr. Claude Sheldon and Mrs. Edward Slocum of Buchanan, Mrs. Joseph Kendall (twin sister of Jessie), of Argus, Ind., Mrs. Robert Stiles of Plymouth, Ind., Mr. Leonard Thompson of Niles.

Last rites were held yesterday (Wednesday) in the Swem Funeral Home, the Rev. H. Carlyle officiating and burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery. Pallbearers were: Richard Slocum, Kenton Wallace, John H. Gowland, Henry Kendall, Robert Stiles, Roger Stiles.

Watervliet Girl Takes Cherry Pie Title In Berrien

Mildred Benak placed third in the Berrien county contest for Cherry Pie Queen as the finals were held in St. Joseph on Thursday. First place went to 16-year-old Mari Lou Hennessey, Watervliet, and second place was given to Lois Stokney, Niles.

The contest was close, and the judges studied the nine entries for more than an hour before announcing their decision. Miss Hennessey received a perfect score of 1,000, based on the method of preparation, the quality of the pie, and personal qualifications. The quality of the pie is judged by taste of crust and filling, appearance, texture of crust and consistency of filling.

The Berrien county Queen will compete in the state-wide contest at Grand Rapids, Feb. 11 and 12.

Mrs. Margaret Mosler is showing some improvement and it is expected that she will return home from Pawling hospital within a few days.

Bucks Revenged With 55-40 Win Over N. Carlisle

Buchanan Clinches Game With Big 4th Quarter After A Neck-and-Neck Race In 3 Periods

The Buchanan Bucks met the New Carlisle Tigers, Tuesday, at New Carlisle, Jan. 26, and captured revenge on the 55-40 loss to New-Carlisle earlier in the season. A big fourth quarter of 34 points and a 78 percentage helped the Bucks win its eighth game. The team's percentage for the whole game was 44%. The game was very close until the fourth quarter and nobody knew who was going to win until the fourth quarter, in which Gordon Smith scored 10 points.

Starting the game the Bucks got the tip and some fast baskets by G. Smith and L. Anderson, Buchanan took the lead. Then D. Lewis brought the Tigers back with a quick basket and it looked like the game at Buchanan. Then with baskets by Letcher and D. Smith, Buchanan held a large margin until D. Tolman made a basket and D. Zielinski made 3 free throws and the Tigers came back up. Then a few minutes later the quarter ended and Buchanan led 16-14, with Anderson, Smith and Letcher, leading the Bucks, while Tolman and Lewis made 4 each.

Then, as the second quarter got underway things started to happen and New Carlisle caught up with Buchanan, but the Bucks took the lead right back with baskets by Anderson, Letcher, and G. Smith. Baskets by Tolman and Zielinski brought New Carlisle right back and nobody could keep a large or small lead. But then, as the second quarter ended, the Bucks led by one point. The score was 30-29 with Anderson leading Buchanan with 8 points and Zielinski led the Tigers with 9 points.

The third quarter got underway with a boom with G. Smith and J. Letcher making quick baskets and Buchanan got the lead and G. Smith started to hit and J. Letcher also started hitting, but Lewis and Coddens started hitting too for the Tigers and brought them back up. G. Smith was having his best game and hit 9 points in the third quarter while Lewis hit 10 for New Carlisle. The score at the end of the third quarter was Buchanan 50, New Carlisle 48.

The fourth quarter got underway with the Bucks getting the tip and really started going, while New Carlisle slowed down. G. Smith started hitting for Buchanan and then G. Schmidt put three fast ones in for Buchanan, and the Bucks took a lead and never lost it. The whole team made baskets and increased the lead to 13 points and then just before the game ended Buchanan put another in and won 54-49. G. Smith led Buchanan with 26 points while Zielinski led New Carlisle with 18 points.

In the reserve game Buchanan pulled the game out of the fire as Dodge Karpenski made a basket from about the middle of the floor near the side, which put the Bucks in the lead 27-26. Then as the game ended Wayne Nichols was fouled and made 2 free throws. The game was over and Buchanan won 29-26. Andy Wade led the Bucks with 10 points and Nichols had 9. Anderson and Hoover each had 7 for New Carlisle.

Score by quarters:

New Carlisle 5 12 17 26 Buchanan 3 12 18 29

fg ft pf R. Anderson (f) 8 7 4 D. Smith (f) 2 3 4 J. Letcher (c) 7 3 4 G. Smith (g) 12 2 1 L. Phoenix (g) 1 1 3 J. Conrad 0 0 1 S. Pendley 1 0 1 J. Schmidt 3 0 0

34 16 18

24 New Carlisle 14 15 21 49 Buchanan 16 14 20 34

Enrollment Open In Adult Classes For 2nd Semester

The adult education class in typing will not meet this week. Registration for second semester Adult Education classes are being taken at the Buchanan high school office, or you may register by calling Tel. 40.

J. Giver Burned By Explosion Of Gas Space Heater

The gas ceiling space heater in the Buchanan Dry Cleaners shop was giving John Giver quite a bit of trouble last week. He checked it Sunday morning and when he went to relight it, the accumulated gas exploded in his face. He was badly burned on the forehead and face, but responded to treatment given by a local physician. Fortunately he was wearing his glasses and his eyes escaped injury. He can now attend to his work, but cannot expose his face to the outside air.

Shuman Sarver Veteran Farmer, Builder, Dies

Came To Dayton 51 Years Ago; Kept General Store

Shuman C. Sarver, a long-time resident of the West Buchanan neighborhood, for 51 years, died at his home about two miles southwest of Buchanan on the Barkertown Road, on Monday, Feb. 1. Last rites were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 3, at the Swem Funeral Home with the Rev. Wesley Oldt in charge. Burial was made in the Oak Ridge cemetery, with the following acting as pallbearers: Robert Koenigshof, Carl Koenigshof, Ivan Price, Gordon Covert, William Elaney, Ward Doughton.

Mr. Sarver was born May 5, 1876, in Millerstown, Pa., the son of Henry and Elmina Sarver. He married Ida Long Sept. 17, 1902, in Millerstown, Pa. They moved to Buchanan the following year.

During the first seven years they lived in and operated a general store at Dayton. Then they moved to Peyton, Colo., not far from Colorado Springs, where they lived on a ranch three years. He returned to Buchanan and bought the farm where he died, in 1920.

Mr. Sarver had joined the Odd Fellow lodge while in Millerstown, Pa. and had his membership transferred to Dayton, where he remained active. He had served on the Buchanan township Review Board for scrutiny of the tax roll 7 years, being a member at the time of his death. In addition to farming he worked with William Fette in construction and general carpentering many years.

He is survived by his wife, by a sister, Mrs. William Pines, of Millerstown, Pa.

Chas. Mutchler Veteran Fruit Farmer, Dies

Last rites were held for Charles C. Mutchler, well-known farmer of the North Buchanan district, at the Swem Funeral home, Jan. 30, 1954, at 2:30 p.m. with the Rev. H. Carlyle of the Buchanan First Presbyterian church in charge. Burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery with the following acting as pallbearers: Maynard Polley, Harley Raymond, Orville Newport, B. R. Desenberg, Robert Koenigshof, Claude Imhoff.

Mr. Mutchler died Jan. 25, 1954, at the West Orange Memorial Hospital, Winter Garden, Fla. He had been critically ill for three weeks, but had suffered ill health many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutchler had been spending the winters for several years at nearby Clearmont, Fla.

He was born in Medina county, O., on Nov. 9, 1880, the son of Frederick and Sarah Behney. Mutchler The family came to Buchanan about 4 weeks later, settling on a farm which the father purchased in the Madron district S. Des Moines, Iowa.

He married Frances Hamilton in South Bend on Jan. 14, 1942. Survivors include his wife, a sister, Mrs. Grace Able, the following step-children, Mrs. Ralph McWilliams of Niles, Mrs. S. T. Reid Jr. of Niles, Mrs. Fred Van Dyke of Willow Run, Mich., Mrs. Calvin Dumas of Flint, and Lt. John D. Hamilton of Amberg, Germany; by the following nieces, Mrs. Charles Ashton of Gulfport, Miss., Mrs. Paul Harris of Englewood, Calif., and Miss Myrtle Mutchler of Des Moines, Iowa.

He was active in farm organizations, being a member of the Northwest Community Farm Bureau, and of the Berrien County Farm Bureau.

Committees Study Plans For Structure

The Buchanan Public Library Board in co-operation with the special finance committee, has purchased a lot for the site of the future building, from William Goodknecht.

The lot is situated on West Front street, immediately adjacent on the west to the First Presbyterian church, the future address being 117 W. Front. Approximate dimensions are frontage on West Front street, 100 feet, extension to south, 234 feet.

The lot was formerly the site of the old Churchill home which was burned down nearly 15 years ago. Preparation for the library site will require considerable grading down and dirt removal as the building will not stand much higher than the central point of the east and west frontage.

The lot was selected by the Library board and received the approval of the drive committee, headed by Wayne Castle, chairman. Reasons for selection were:

1. Nearness to business center, rendering it convenient to visit on shopping trips by city or rural people.

2. Convenience of location for high school students, who often constitute a large part of the patronage.

3. Its contribution to the appearance of the main traffic avenue through Buchanan.

4. The advertisement the library will constantly receive on such location.

The finance committee and the library board held a joint meeting last week inspecting several alternate plans for the building. Personnel of the drive committee are: Wayne Castle (chairman), City Manager, Barkley Omans, City Engineer, Desenberg, Wayne Stibbs, Arthur Anderson (industry), Mrs. Margaret Snyder (retail), and Albert Kahhn (industry).

The committee has been proceeding slowly and very carefully, but has made some encouraging progress which will be announced later. The general drive will not be held for some time, but in the meantime an organization is being built up for that purpose.

Uses Flashlight As Prisoners Resist Arrest

It was again demonstrated Saturday night that in Buchanan a cop has often to defend the peace not only of the public but of himself.

That happened to Officer Russ Dillavou, who met up with trouble on North Portage street while cruising in that area at 3:15 a.m. Sunday.

While driving past the Sausman dry cleaning plant on North Portage Dillavou saw a car pull into the plant driveway. The officer stopped and checked. He found Allen Kyles of 312 Richard St., Buchanan, and his brother John Kyles of the U. S. Army, in the car. Allen Kyles claimed that a mailbox on the property was his, and that he had merely stopped in to get his mail.

Dillavou questioned further and it was apparent that civilian Kyles was drunk. So the officer asked them to accompany him to the police station. Suddenly Private Kyles slid under the wheel of the car and started the motor. Dillavou reached in the window and yanked the keys out of the ignition switch. Allen Kyles grabbed hold of Dillavou and ordered him to leave the car alone. Then Dillavou hit him with his flashlight and he was quite docile for the remainder of the proceeding, including the time while Dr. Vastine was taking two stitches in a gash on his scalp.

Dillavou then pulled a revolver on the men and escorted them to the station.

Both men appeared Monday morning in the court of Justice Lamb. Allen Kyles pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while drunk and was fined \$50 and costs of \$430, with alternative of 60 days in jail. He paid the fine and then demanded a circuit court examination on the charge of resisting an officer. He furnished \$200 in cash bond to appear in the circuit court.

Doc Sews Up Two Stitches—But Who Pays For The Flashlight

Local Topics

Pvt. Donald Gray, son of Mrs. Oscar Reams, has been transferred from Ft. Knox, Ky., to Camp Chaffee, Ark., and will report at his new base today (Thursday). He has been home on a 10-day furlough and Sunday was honored at a family dinner in his mother's home. Twenty-two guests were present, including his brother, Ralph Gray, of Danville, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Young have returned home after spending several weeks with their son, Lyle Young, and family at Niles.

Sgt. William D. Monaghan, Donagiac, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Monaghan, Hotel Buchanan, has returned home after serving an 18-month tour in Korea.

Charles Barrett, formerly of Red Bud Trail, is a patient at the Foote hospital, Jackson, Mich., following surgery. He is improving. He and Mrs. Barrett will leave Jackson early this week and will spend several weeks in Osprey, Fla.

Paul Robert is the name of the new son of Mr. and Mrs. James Liskak, born Saturday morning, Jan. 30, in Pawating hospital. Quite a boy too, as he weighed 8 1/2 pounds when he arrived.

Lee Pierce and his brother, David, of Homewood, Ill., were honored at a birthday dinner in Lee's home, Sunday. Other guests were Mrs. David Pierce, their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pierce, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kindley, Benton Harbor, parents of Mrs. Lee Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. John March have a new daughter, born Jan. 25 in St. Joseph hospital, South Bend. She weighed five pounds and has been named Jacqueline Marie.

George H. Davis, Berrien St., is spending several days in Benton Harbor with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Brightup.

Mrs. Ada Schwartz is making an excellent recovery from her recent fall. In fact, she will be brought back to her home within a short time from Pawating hospital.

Harry Luke of Buchanan, who has been in critical condition in the Niles hospital for some time, was reported to be slightly improved yesterday (Wednesday).

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newsum of 701 Main street, Buchanan, are the parents of a son, born in Pawating hospital, Niles, at 9:21 Wednesday morning (Feb. 3, 1954). He weighed 9 pounds and 10 1/2 ounces at birth.

At the Court of Awards the following girls received Second Class badges: Carol Kahn, Luanne Lyon, Ann Schurmer, Nancy Renbarger, Pat Land, Mary Smedley, Patty Jo Keller, Lari Mullen, Ruth Ann Horn, Nora Snow, Pat Heney, Sharon Johnson and Diane Carlson.

An Attendance pin, given for perfect attendance for the past year, was presented to Nancy Samson. Five-year pins were presented to Madalyn Myer, Kay Wile, Janet Ender and Anna Holston. Proficiency badges were given to Carol Johnson, Judy Pinkerton, Kay Wile, Anna Holston, Janet Ender and Luanne Lyon.

Membership star and troop uniforms were also given.

Girl Scouts Hold Investiture And Flag Ceremony

Girls Receive Membership Pins And Merit Awards

The Girl Scouts of Troop No. 2 were hostesses to the new members and leaders of Troop No. 5 at their regular meeting Saturday morning, Jan. 30. The program consisted of a flag ceremony, in charge of Kay Wile, an investiture ceremony, in charge of Anna Holston, games in charge of Patricia Lind, songs in charge of Nancy Renbarger, and refreshments in charge of Madalyn Myer.

The following girls received their membership pins at the investiture: Kalene Shreve, Nancy Everingham, Susan Lozacki and Geri Frame, all of Troop No. 5; Lynn VerValin, Nannette Pruitt, Maissie Barbour, Donna Lind, Bonnie Birdsong, and Sandra West, all of Troop No. 2. Also invested were Mrs. Robert Pulliam and Mrs. Don Metzger, Troop No. 5, and Miss Gisela David, Troop No. 2.

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Membership star and troop uniforms were also given.

Harold Gaul is now located at Sampson AFB in Geneva, N. Y. That's a long way from home and letters from his friends will be most welcome. Here is his new address: A/E Harold R. Gaul, CAF 16450843, 3655th BMTS, Flt 306B, Sampson AFB, Geneva, N. Y. An error was made in our item last week. Leonard Gaul is stationed at Geiger AFB in Oregon and not in Maine.

Robert Marsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Marsh, Arctic St., left Benton Harbor, Monday, on his way to the U. S. Army induction center in Detroit. He is the fourth son of this family to be called for service. Three of his brothers saw active service in the Korean war. Gerald was discharged last year and is now employed at the local postoffice. Sgt. Richard Marsh returned to the States in December and is now at camp in Aberdeen, Md. Lawrence, Jr., is still with the 17th Infantry Regiment in Korea.

Louis Pinkerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Pinkerton and Floyd Kelley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelley, Red Bud Trail, have enlisted in the US Air Force. They with Harold Gaul have been assigned to Sampson Air Base, Geneva, N.Y. Recently the three of them met and had real gettogether.

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J.C.'s Whoop Up Big Gas Business For March Dimes

Porchlight Parade Takes In Over \$800, 2nd Largest In Hist. Event

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Loyal Temperance Legion Meeting Monday, Feb. 15

Cloverleaf 4-H Club Meets And Plans Projects

The Loyal Temperance Legion met Monday after school in the Evangelical U B church. The meeting was called to order by Julie Oldt. Barbara Heimgardner led in the flag salute, Connie Beatty led the pledges and national hymn, and the yells were led by Sharon Walker.

After a short blackboard lesson on "Clever Elsie", the youngsters worked on Valentines to be taken to the hospital. A new membership contest has been started. The next meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 15, again at the Evangelical U B church, after school.

The Cloverleaf 4-H club met at the Bertrand township hall Tuesday evening with 30 members present. Plans were made for entries in a 4-H Talent Show to be held in April.

Various 1954 projects, such as archery, gun safety, and handicraft, were discussed. An excellent movie was shown on gun safety by Chuck Clark, who is in charge of the project. The Cloverleaf 4-H meets the second Tuesday, night of each month.

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Homemakers Club Plans For Dinner In Bertrand Hall

Members of the Modern Homemakers Club Held an All Day Meeting Thursday in the Home of Mrs. Lester Henson with a Dessert Luncheon at Noon

The Modern Homemakers club held an all day meeting Thursday in the home of Mrs. Lester Henson with a dessert luncheon at noon. The group sewed for the Berrien County Cancer society, and the lesson "Good Design for Home Furnishings" was presented by Mrs. Henson and Mrs. Gordon Covert.

Mrs. Clyde Marble presided and plans were made to hold a family night dinner and party in the Bertrand township hall on Feb. 6. The dinner will be a co-operative affair at 6:30, arranged by Mrs. Claude Hess, Mrs. Marble and Mrs. Lester Holston.

The next meeting will be an afternoon affair in the home of Mrs. Hess, with Mrs. Fred Hagley as co-hostess, on Feb. 18.

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Meth. Men's Club Is Organized At Galien And Dayton
At a meeting of the men of the Dayton Community Church and the Galien Methodist church congregations Wednesday night it was voted to organize a Methodist Men's club.

Rev. David Crawford, pastor of both churches, was in charge and plans were made to hold a meeting Feb. 22 in the Galien Methodist church when organization of the club will be completed and officers elected.

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I wish to thank all my friends for their many cards, gifts, flowers and all their well wishes that made my stay in the hospital more pleasant. I also wish to thank Norma Metzger, Berta King and an unknown friend for their kindness. Arthur Mayhew Sr. 101 E. 4th street 511c

Altar and Rosary Plans Mardi Gras Party On Feb. 20

A committee from the Altar and Rosary Society of St. Anthony's Catholic Church met with Mrs. John Fulks to discuss plans for a Mardi Gras to be held Feb. 20 at Moccasin gym for the members of the parish. There is to be dancing, card playing and just general visiting for members ranging from the ninth grade through all-adult age groups. Costumes will be in style for the evening, and prizes will be awarded to the most clever one in the student group, to the cutest costumes worn by a couple and to the best one of the adult group. The evening of entertainment will begin at 8:30 and end about 12:00 or thereabouts, with refreshments being served towards the end of the evening. Mrs. Fulks heads the committee, and assisting her are Mrs. K. Gill, Mrs. R. Swetish, and Mrs. R. Dougherty.

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LEGAL NOTICE

1st insertion Feb. 4, last Feb. 18. ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien. In the Matter of the Estate of Edward O. Hanson, Deceased. At a session of said Court, held on February 1st, A.D. 1954. Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate. Notice is hereby given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon Rex E. Lamb of Buchanan, Michigan, attorney of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate office on April 12th, A.D. 1954, at ten A.M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, and that the final cause of said estate be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least five (5) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing. MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

1st insertion Jan. 28, last Feb. 11. ORDER FOR PUBLICATION Final Account. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien. In the Matter of the Estate of Carrie E. Starnes, Deceased. At a session of said Court, held on January 14th, A.D. 1954. Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate. Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Alice T. McCallahan, the administrator of said estate, praying that her final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, be heard at the Probate Court on February 22nd, A.D. 1954, at ten A.M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing. MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate.

1st insertion Jan. 21, last Feb. 4. ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien. In the Matter of the Estate of Jessie M. Russell, also known as Jessie Russell. At a session of said Court, held on January 13th, A.D. 1954. Present, Honorable MALCOLM HATFIELD, Judge of Probate. Notice is hereby given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon John H. Russell, administrator of said estate, at the Probate office on March 20th, A.D. 1954, at ten A.M.

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Church News

Church of the Brethren
3rd and Cayouga
Rev. George Stull, Pastor
Sunday school 10 a.m.
Morning worship 11 a.m.
Bible study 6:30 p.m.

Oronoko Methodist Church
"The Friendly Neighborhood Church"
C. V. Bigler, Pastor
Morning worship, 10 a.m.
Church school, 11 a.m.
Pau Spaulding superintendent
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Olive Branch Church
Evangelical United Brethren
Lloyd B. Hansen, Pastor
Morning worship 11 a.m.
Church school 10 a.m.
Jr. C. E. Saturday 3:00 p.m.

Ethel Temple
Elder W. Ruff, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship, 11 a.m.
Sunday evening evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday night, 7 p.m., Young People's Service.

Friday night, 7:30 p.m., Bible study.

Hills Corners Bible Church
East Glendora
Rev. Charles Optiz, Minister
Sunday school 10 a.m.; morning worship 11 a.m.; Young peoples 6:45 p.m.; Evening service 7:45 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., followed by choir practice.

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

Church of the Nazarene
Corner Fourth and Moccasin
Rev. Chas. H. Hare, Minister
Phone 1012
Tuesday night 7:30, Youth meeting
Thursday night 7:30, gathering to pray
Saturday night 7:30, Gospel



LICKING A PROBLEM—Postmaster Henry G. Riecks of Mercer Island, Wash., tired of complaints about the taste of glue on postage stamps—so he did something about it. The inventive Riecks devised a sign with a sponge tongue for wetting stamps.

Minute Men meet for counsel and prayer.
The second Thursday night of each month is Missionary Society meeting.
The second Saturday night of each month the church board meets.

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

St. Anthony's Catholic Church
111 S. Detroit St. Phone 995
Rev. Francis L. Sharpe, Pastor.
Sunday masses 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a.m.
Week day mass 7:15 a.m.
Baptisms by appointment.

First Presbyterian Church
Rev. H. Carlyle Carson
9:45, Church school, Mrs. Evelyn Dokey superintendent.
11:00, Worship - "Christian Re-venge."
2:30, County Youth Convocation at St. Joseph high school.
6:30, Union Youth Meeting at the Evangelical U. B. church.
Thursday, Feb. 4, Trustees meeting.
Monday, 7:30, Session meeting.
Tuesday, 2 and 8 p.m., Circle meetings.
Thursday, 7:30, Choir rehearsal.
Mrs. Claude Imhoff director.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
W. Front and Lake Sts.
Rev. Fred G. Wilkins, Pastor
Sunday school 9:30 a.m.
Adult Bible class 9:30 a.m.
Divine service 10:30 a.m. Topic "Our Compassionate God."
Lutheran Radio services, each Sunday, WHFB, Benton Harbor, at 9:05 and 11:05 a.m.
The Lutheran Hour, Sunday, WGN, Chicago, 7 p.m.
The television program: "This is the Life," each Friday, WGN-TV, channel 9, at 4:30 p.m.; also each Sunday, WKZO-TV, channel 3 at 11:30 a.m.

Christian Science Society
Sunday service 11 a.m. Subject "Spirit" Golden text (I Cor. 2:10) The Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God."
Sunday school 10 a.m.
Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45.
The reading room in the church building is open every Wednesday afternoon except holidays from two until four o'clock.

The Methodist Church
Rev. Wesley Oldt, Pastor
Church school 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship 11 a.m. The Cub Scouts will be our guests with their parents, Sermon "For God and Country."
Youth Fellowship will meet in

a union young peoples service at the Evangelical church.
Choir practice: Junior Chorusers Thursday 7 p.m. Seniors 8 p.m. Thursday.

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
9:45 Church school
11:00 Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
11:00 Junior church
Feb. 4, 7:30 Fellowship service.
Feb. 6, Bake sale.
Feb. 9, 3:30 Skylarks, 6:30 Orioles.
Feb. 10, Children's Valentine exchange party, hostess, Mrs. Everett Curtis.

Rebekahs To Honor
Jessie Gowland At
Friday Meeting

A memorial for Miss Jessie Gowland will be held during the regular meeting of the Bayleaf Rebekah lodge, Friday evening. Those officers not installed last month, will be installed at this meeting. An auction sale will follow the regular business meeting.

Honored on Golden Wedding
Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Horner gathered at their home in the past week to honor them on the occasion of their golden wedding. They were married Jan. 27, 1904. Instead of bringing many separate small gifts the guests had all "chipped in" and brought them a refrigerator.

Berrien County Farm News

Bulletin Available On Strip Cropping

A new bulletin on "Strip Cropping for Conservation and Production" is now available from the Office of Information, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C., reports J. P. Hoekzema, Berrien county agricultural agent. The practice is becoming widely adapted, he notes, to conserve soil, plant food and moisture. Interest in strip cropping was increased through demonstrations to thousands of farmers by the U. S. Soil Conservation Service and local soil conservation districts.

Special delivery of mail in the U. S. has been in effect since 1885. The postal money order

Black Hills of South Dakota are reputed to be the richest 100 square miles in the world, producing about one twelfth of the total gold output of the United States.



HOME'S WHERE IT'S FOUND—Although this pose is just for laughs, "Suds," pedigree unknown, is much happier in the beer glass than he was a while back. The puppy was found in a park during a cold December night and brought to the Fort Worth, Tex., police station. He has since been adopted by a kind citizen.

U. M. Surveys Aid Business Men Improve Service

Many Cities Take Advantage Of Customer Service Questionnaires

Ann Arbor—In a continuing effort to help businessmen improve their customer services, the University of Michigan currently is working on Better Business Surveys concerning six state communities.

Developed and prepared by the Bureau of Business Research in the U-M School of Business Administration and the U-M Extension Service, the surveys are conducted on request from the individual business communities, usually under sponsorship of the local Chamber of Commerce.

These questionnaires are all "tailor-made" for the individual community. They are distributed to students in the fourth through tenth grades of school, whose parents fill them out and return them unsigned.

Questionnaires have been distributed to Marquette, Sault Ste. Marie, Menominee and St. Ignace and should be ready for report by the early part of this year, says William J. Carey, survey field representative. Survey results from Ishpeming and Negaunee currently are being tabulated.

Carey points out that it takes approximately two months to complete each survey, and the results then are reported to the community sponsors.

The program was developed and is carried on in cooperation with the Michigan Retailers' Association. These surveys develop information on individual community attitudes and needs in regard to such questions as store hours, night opening, parking, prices, service, and similar points, Carey explains.

Communities for which surveys have been completed and published include—Cadillac, Coldwater, Dearborn, Frankenmuth, Gaylord, Grand Haven, Manistiquette, Marshall, Niles, Owosso, Petoskey, Port Huron, Ypsilanti and Menominee. A summary of these surveys is available.

Other communities surveyed and reported on are DuPont, Monroe, Flint, Birmingham, Stephenson, Big Rapids and Saginaw.

A. T. & T. Reports Total Of 84,000,000 Phones In World

Washington Leads Cities With 65 Telephones Per 100 People

Recent statistics released by the American Telephone & Telegraph company showed that the present number of telephones in the world exceeds 84,000,000.

There were nearly 5,000,000 telephones added to the global network during 1952, to bring the world total to 79,400,000. A. T. & T. explained that it takes more than a year to gather information for its annual world telephone count, hence all of its figures quoted are as of Jan. 1, 1953.

More than half the increase in telephones was in the United States, which has only 6% of the world's inhabitants. The U. S. tabulation shows one telephone for every three persons in the country, compared with average of only three for every 100 persons in other countries.

New York City, with 3,531,918 telephones, had more than any other city in the world. Among the foreign cities, London with 1,766,000 telephones ranked first. Washington, D. C., had the greatest density of telephones per population with 65 for every 100 persons. Atlantic City was second with 57, and San Francisco was third with about 55. The foreign city reporting the greatest telephone saturation was Stockholm with almost 51 telephones per 100 persons.

Canadians averaged 389 telephone conversations per person for the year, the highest per capita calling rate reported. The United States ranks second in this respect with approximately 382 conversations.

State May Control City Traffic Laws Says Supreme Court

The Supreme Court by unanimous decision filed Dec. 29, 1953, dismissed a complaint by the City of East Lansing because the State Highway Commissioner and the Commissioner of Public Safety had made effective state statutes to prohibit parking on US-16, a state trunk line highway within the corporate limits of the city.

The city claimed that the regulations of the state statutes invoked by the State Highway Commissioner and the Commissioner of Public Safety were unconstitutional because Article 8, section 28 of the Michigan constitution reserved to cities, villages and townships the right of "reasonable control of their streets, alleys and public places," and that, therefore, a city ordinance allowing one hour parking controlled.

Clark Takes Part In Career Carnival At Michigan State

(Clark News)
Selecting a future career in a land filled with opportunities is a problem continually facing the young people of today. To aid them in this end, Clark has for the past two years participated in the "Career Carnival" held at Michigan State College. The purpose of holding the "Career Carnival" each year is to acquaint the students with the opportunities to be found in various fields of employment.

Clark's purpose, of course, was to acquaint the students with the career opportunities at Clark. To do this an attractive display-board was used and an exhibit background outlining Clark products, career opportunities, diversified fields, working conditions, benefits, recreation programs, and on-the-job training programs, plant locations and fact sheets on each of the plant cities were available along with product pamphlets.

On hand to answer student's questions were Clark representatives Fred Mason, Buchanan; Dick Corey and Charles Monica, Battle Creek; Roy Crissy, Jackson. Working miniature models of a Clark lift truck and tractor added animation to the display.

Record want-ads pay

William M. Weaver Honored By Friends On 94th Birthday

William Martin Weaver, native and long-time resident of Buchanan township and now living in Berrien Springs, was honored at his home last week at a party celebrating his 94th birthday. Eighteen friends, most of whom are members of his church, the Grace Brethren Church, gathered at the home in which he lives with his foster daughter, Elizabeth Baldwin. They brought a beautiful birthday cake inscribed with the number "94" and the words "Happy Birthday Brother Weaver."

He is the last survivor of a family of six sons and two daughters, the children of Jacob and Orpha Weaver. Seventy years ago he married Fannie Veary, who, with their only son, preceded him in death. He was formerly a member of the Old Order of the Church of the Brethren. He farmed in Buchanan township until 1927, when he moved to Berrien Springs, working since as farm hand, gardener and at odd jobs. He is in good health for his years, reads much, cares for a large garden, and regularly walks up town and back.

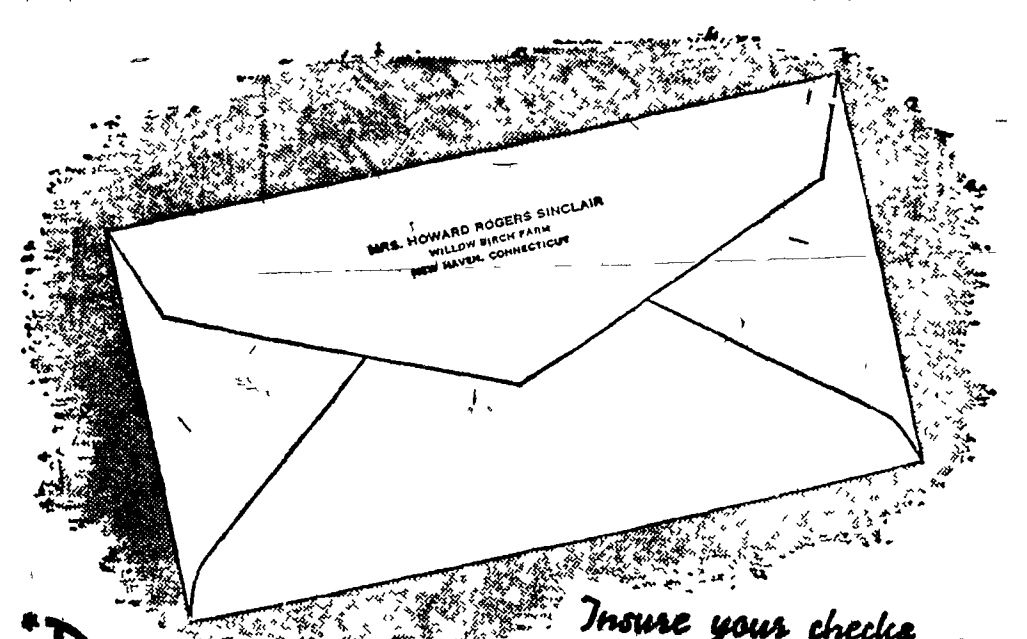
Three grandsons survive, Ronald of Owosso, Dee of Lansing, and Lovell of Kentucky, seven great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

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1950 BUICK Super Riviera Hardtop, Radio & Heater -----	\$1,195
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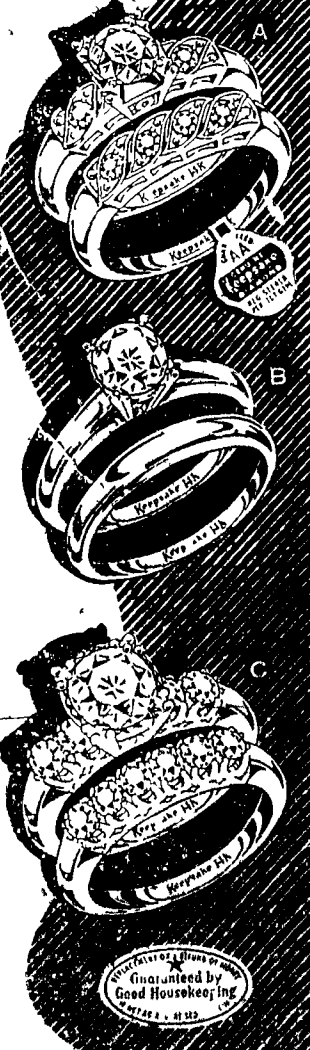
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Society

Church Christ Loyal Workers
The Loyal Workers class of the Church of Christ will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, in the church parlors. The hostesses for the evening are Mrs. Earl Glossenger,

Mrs. John Bowman and Miss Pearl Paul.
Royal Neighbor Lodge
The regular meeting of Primrose camp of the Royal Neighbors of America will be held this Thursday evening in the R. N. A. hall. On the entertainment committee will be Mrs. Ralph Schwarz, Mrs. Fred Welch and Mrs. Glen Hushower.

The Evangelical U. B. Church ANNOUNCES



Revival Meeting February 4-7

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Youth Luncheons
Each Evening, 5:30
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Announce Engagement
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taube, announce the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie June, to John T. Florey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Florey, North Buchanan. The wedding has been set for February 27. Miss Taube attended Buchanan high school and Mr. Florey graduated from there in 1953. He is now employed in Niles at the Kawneer Aviation plant.

Terre Coupe Club
Mrs. John Kelly was hostess at the monthly meeting of the Terre Coupe Road Home Economics club Thursday. There were 12 members and a guest present for the potluck dinner. Mrs. Clayton Spaulding presided and the group voted to donate to the March of Dimes. Plans were made to meet at 10:30 a.m., Feb. 18, with Mrs. A. E. Clark when the lesson will be "New Fabrics." The current lesson "Good Design for Home Furnishings" was given by Mrs. Truman Bever, Jr., and Mrs. Chester Collings. It was announced that Dr. Elmer Knowles, specialist on parent education and child development at Michigan State College, East Lansing, will lecture on "Understanding Children" at a meeting in the First Methodist church Tuesday afternoon, March 16 and the group made plans to attend.

Rebekah P. N. G. Club
Mrs. Clyde Paxton and Mrs. Orrin Stearns were hostesses at the January meeting of the Past Noble Grand club of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge last Wednesday evening in the latter's home. Games were played and the winners were Mrs. Jessie Lees, Mrs. George Huff, Mrs. Floyd Antsdel and Mrs. Joseph Forgue. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Huff on Feb. 25 with Mrs. Carrie Starr as co-hostess.



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Mary Jo Tuell and Eugene Anderson Wed

Blue iris and pink snapdragons made a beautiful setting at the altar of St. Paul's Episcopal church, St. Joseph, Mich., while Miss Mary Jo Tuell and Eugene Anderson, Jr., exchanged their marriage vows at 4 o'clock, Saturday, Jan. 30.
The bride wore an afternoon two-piece costume of ice blue lace over taffeta. The sleeveless dress was topped by a fitted jacket, the collar of which was embroidered in pearls to match her pearl stud hat. Her bouquet consisted of white carnations centered with pink rosebuds.
Mrs. Donald Soper, the bride's sister, acted as matron of honor, wearing a mauve wool-jersey dress, embroidered in rhinestones. She wore a black straw hat and carried a bouquet of blue iris.
A mottled blue suit with blue hat was worn by the bridesmaid, Miss Barbara Anderson, sister of the groom. She also carried a bouquet of blue iris.

The bride's mother wore an aqua wool-crepe with pink accents and a corsage of pink carnations. The groom's mother wore a dark blue suit-dress and a corsage of white carnations.
Mr. Anderson was attended by his brother, J. E. Anderson, as best man. The ushers were Jack Tuell, brother of the bride, Ralph Anderson, brother of the groom, Lee Pierce and Craig Robinson.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.
Mrs. Donald Norton, church organist, played nuptial music and Mrs. J. E. Anderson sang two selections appropriate to the Episcopal marriage service.
A reception in the church parish hall for 150 guests followed the ceremony. The reception table was beautifully decorated by a centerpiece of blue iris and pink snapdragons, together with white tapers in crystal candleholders.
The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tuell, Nickerson ave., Benton Harbor, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Anderson, 405 Days ave., Buchanan.

The bride is a graduate of Benton Harbor high school, Benton Harbor Junior College, and attended Western Michigan College at Kalamazoo.
Mr. Anderson is a graduate of Buchanan high school and Michigan State College with a degree in Business Administration.
Immediately following the reception the couple left on a honeymoon trip upon their return they will reside in Chicago, where Mr. Anderson is presently employed.

Friendly Neighbors Club
Members of the Friendly Neighbors Home Economics club will have an evening meeting Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Gerald Knapp. Mrs. Louis Balos and Mrs. William Gregor, project leaders, will present the lesson on "Good Design in Home Furnishings."

G. A. R. Circle
Members of the Carlisle-Hanley Bunker circle of the Grand Army of the Republic will hold a cooperative dinner in the home of Mrs. C. E. Ainsworth at 6:30 p.m. Monday Circle inspection will feature the meeting following the dinner.

Bertrand Township Residents:
A donation of a pie for the Volunteer Firemen's Benefit on February 13th will be greatly appreciated. Please call Mrs. Carl Knyan or Mrs. Clarence Canfield, Jr.

dinner. Mrs. John Oehenryder will conduct the meeting.

Buchanan "30" Club
The Buchanan "30" club held their regular meeting Monday in the home of Mrs. C. J. Wilson. Mrs. Ernest Hausman presided in the absence of the president. Mrs. C. W. Kelley presented "Sketches of Authors" for the afternoon program.
Mrs. A. B. Muir will be hostess at the next meeting Monday, Feb. 8.

F. D. I. Club
Members of the F. D. I. club of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge will hold a public Valentine card party in the Odd Fellow hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 11. The affair will begin at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Frank King, Mrs. Leo Dalrymple and Mrs. John Bowman in charge of cards and bunco and Mrs. Clyde Paxton and Mrs. Mollie Proud arranging the refreshments.

Portage Prairie Study Club
The Portage Prairie Child Study club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Robert Kell, Assistant hostess, was Mrs. Robert Haedler. Mrs. Alice Louis was in charge of the discussion program. The social hour included a discussion on Valentines. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ray Hullinger.

B.H.S. Honor Roll In First Semester 1953-4 School Year

The following lists the honor students of the six classes of the junior and senior high school of Buchanan during the first semester of the 1953-54 school year.

Seniors
Ralph Anderson, Rolanda Brado, Pierce Behrendt, Gisela David, Ruth Derfinger, Mary Ann Haag, Alice Hearington, Tom Huebner, Tom Kent, Elaine Koenigshof, Kay Koenigshof, Nancy Lozicki, Sara Marry, Beverly Morelli, Mae Oexender, Bob Pattengale, Albert Rakowski, Sally Scamehorn, Wally Schirmer, Ramon Sexton, Carl Shogren, Gordon Smith, Shelby Wood, Charles Soules

Juniors
Howard Briney, Pauline Burns, Dee Ann Calbetzor, Peggy Cramer, Dale Dellinger, Robert Grundt, Robert Hall, Joy Holston, Harry Kelly, Jim Letcher, Norene Mitchell, Janet Nelson

Sophomores
Mildred Benak, Dennis Brado, Jeannine Collings, Janet Davidson, Lee Frame, Bud Heiermann, Harold Hicks, Nancy Huff, Sara Kahn, Walter Karpinski, Mary Ann Keyes, Charles Klute, Perry Leazensky, Norman Lahren, George Mills, Hilary Moore, Steve Pendley, William Rice, Ronald Huff, Eugene Smith, William Vate.

Freshmen
Dorothy Amon, Brent Batchelor, Ramona Bieard, Anne Borland, Mary Beth Burrus, Karen Carlson, Carol Cease, Barbara Heezen, O'Neil Gibbs, Richard Gowen, Cheryl Irvine, Connie Larson, Dan Lauer, Robert McKel, Carol Morelli, Nancy Mull, Joyce Murden, Doris Nelson, Geraldine Paskiet, Terry Rifenberg, Jane Rose, Jerry Rosow, Warren Snow, Virginia Soules, Janice Thompson, Richard Vite, Mildred Wallace, Ross Wesner, John Woodworth.

Eighth
Laurel Carlson, Rosalie Carson, Dale Chubb, Derrick Coonfield, Guy Danoff, Larry Ditto, Lee Dixon, Janet Ender, Dick Gaxner, Judy Hamlin, Janet Herman, Anna Holston.

Seventh
Mary Anderson, Janice Barnes, Annette Elliott, Linda Cunley, Carolyn Kahn, Marylene Koenigshof, Kay Leiter, David Nelson, Violet Cronin, Larry Ehler, Patsy Lind, Virginia Moore, Judith Houseworth, Elizabeth Krasinski.

Eisenhower Heads First Program Of Legion Project

President Eisenhower will head the American Legion's "Back to God" program on Four Chaplains Day, Sunday, Feb. 7.

The ceremony will be carried to the American public by both television and radio. Check your local paper for time and place of the national program.

Bishop Fulton J. Sheen also will deliver an address on the program. National Chaplain Tom Clark will preside over the service at which National Commander Connell will tell the nationwide audience of the Legion's crusade to encourage a spiritual reawakening through regular church or synagogue attendance, daily prayer and religious education of children.

The highlands of New York and Vermont produce about two-thirds of the nation's supply of maple syrup and other maple products.

Chapin School Club Will Meet Friday

The Chapin school Parents and Others club will meet at the school Friday, Feb. 12, at 8 p.m., with the president, Mrs. Paul Spaulding in charge. The program and refreshments will be under the direction of Mrs. William Konn.

Marietta Circle Postpones Meeting To Thurs., Feb. 11

The Marietta Circle of the Methodist church will be hostess

to the Lucy Beach circle; Thursday, Feb. 11, instead of on Feb. 10, as announced previously. The ladies will meet at 10 a.m. to sew for the Cancer Closet. A potluck luncheon will be served at noon.

Colvin School Club Meets In The School

The Colvin school Community club met at the school Monday evening with Mrs. Elmer Handley presiding at the business session. It was voted to donate \$5 to the March of Dimes. A potluck supper preceded the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd

Phiscator were in charge. Mrs. Harold Seabast was in charge of the program. Plans were made to hold a dance some time in the month of February, for members and their friends. This will be a social get-together.

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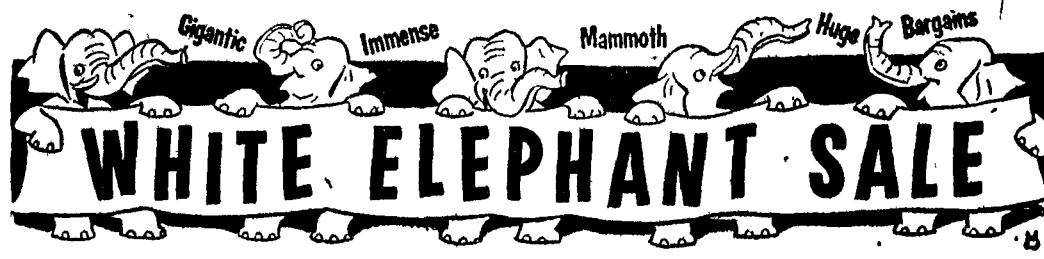


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Drouth Continues Threat to Evergreens, Shrubs, Lawns

City Dwellers May Profit By Spring Watering

Lack Sub-Soil Water Table Means The Threat Of Starvation To Trees

Continuance of sub-normal rainfall and the consequent lack of the usual deep moisture reserves several feet underground may mean the destruction of many deep-rooted trees and also of evergreens, reports Clifton Conrad, of the Berrien county state extension service at St. Joseph.

Trees whose roots stand in dry soil will die from starvation, says Conrad. The only way a tree can

absorb food is in solution in soil waters. With the rainfall for 1953 totaling only about 22 inches, compared to an average of from 34 to 36 inches, the deeper soil moisture tables have dropped several feet below the surface. As a result many trees and shrubs, fruit, shade and ornamental, are standing with their main root system in dry soil.

This is especially true in the case of evergreens whose living leaf systems are "breathing," or transpiring water all winter. If drouth conditions should persist into spring and summer, these trees may start growing normally and then die in mid-season as their winter-stored food supply is exhausted.

Where irrigation is available the deeper soil reservoirs may be renewed, said Conrad. To a less extent the same is true for the shallow-rooted annual grain crops and the perennial lawn grasses which live in part on waters at sub-soil levels which they can reach by deeper root extensions.

It would be a good idea to irrigate evergreens and deep-rooted trees during warm spells at any time during the winter or early spring. This would build up the sub-soil reservoirs which hold plant food in solution, enabling the plants to get food to meet the heavier demands of spring and summer growth.

It would also be a good idea to give the lawn a heavy watering in early spring to soak the soil several feet deep.

The Story of Buchanan



Development Of Manufacturing In Old Buchanan

Being Preface To History Of Machine Industries In This Area

This chapter is designed to be the general preface to the story of manufacturing in Buchanan. The term "manufacturing" is here used in the generally accepted legal sense, "any place where two or more persons are engaged in working for hire or reward in any handicraft."

However the term is now generally confined to operations in a building or buildings where materials are processed by machinery with a division of labor.

Strange though it may seem, this region (excluding the Buchanan area which was an Indian reservation for some years after the Niles area had been settled) experienced the entire range of development of manufacturing from the rude hand processing of materials by the remote settler to the complex processing of materials in factories of today (1954).

Actually the hand work of the first settlers was really manufacturing, since the word originates from Latin, "manus" (hand) and "factura" (making).

When the first few settlers came they built their homes of logs, hewn by axes, with lumber occasionally "manufactured" by whipsaws, somewhat resembling the crosscut saws of today. To saw a log into boards with a whipsaw, two men would first dig a pit, over which they rolled a log. One man stood in the pit beneath the log and the other above it, sawing boards or punchions by pulling and pushing. A further advance was to enclose the blade of the saw into a frame which held it taut and served as a gauge for straight cutting.

From the whipsaw set in a frame was developed the first power operated saw, called variously a "frame" saw, a "gash" saw or a "gate" saw. Even after the power-operated saw was originated, the hand whipsawing represented a sequence of development in an area too sparsely settled to support a commercial saw-mill.

When the earliest mills were developed the gate saws were generally used. However they were cumbersome affairs, the massive frame required producing too much friction and consequently lost energy from the water power. This handicap was in part overcome by the development of the muley saw, which was doubtless the kind used after the establishment of sawmills began in the Buchanan area. The muley saw operated exactly as the gate saw, but, operated in a lighter frame-work, thus achieving the same speed with less power and less power-wasting friction.

Both the gate saw and the muley saw made very slow progress, operating with an up-and-down motion, and cutting only on the downward stroke. They served the need while the market for lumber was yet very small. A farmer who had water power available on his farm, could set up a muley saw, set it on a cut and then make the round of a field with a plow or harrow, during which time the cut would be completed. Then he set the saw and made another round, combining farming and elementary lumber manufacture for himself or nearby settlers. This last we know only from tradition of older residents when we came to Buchanan in 1928. The description of the saws and their operation is taken for the most part from "An Empire in Pine," the story of lumbering operations in Wisconsin from 1830 to 1900 by Robert Fries.

With the development of the lumber industry to larger proportions came the circular rotary saw, which spun like a wheel, cutting boards or planks according to the setting in much less time

than the gate saws and muleys were capable of as the ends of the log were shoved against its teeth. The spans of time these different processes covered, the dates when improvements succeeded each other, we do not know. There is no description whatever of processes or the times in which they were used in the Berrien county histories of Cowles, Ensign or Coolidge or, even in the history of Cass county by Howard S. Rogers, so excellent in description of the building of the log cabins and the hand processes carried on within them.

We only know that sons and daughters of the first pioneers who were living when we came here remembered the singing of the rotary saws in the lumber mill, the whistles of the steam engines that powered them. But so it was that Buchanan as other towns and cities located in timber regions of the Old Northwest, ran the entire gamut both of method and power from hand to the electric motor and turbines, covering the entire development of modern manufacturing.

Water power prevailed until the 1870's. Steam engines came in the late 1870's and were superseded by the 1880's. Electric power saw its first beginning here after 1893 when John Holmes realized his heroic dream of a power dam across the St. Joseph river for the generation of electric light and power, bankrupting himself in the effort. That was two years before the first large plant for the generating and transmission of electric power for manufacturing was developed in 1895 at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Later in this story the more specific development of the power series will be described as far as possible in terms of personalities, plants and production. But we will now go back to the rude beginnings of water power. Across the street from the Record office we can see the last visual vestige of the water power industry which was the reason for the settlement in Buchanan—the old mill falls at the northeast corner of the Buchanan Co-op food mill, established in 1868 by William Pears and George H. Rough.

Here, in "the old mill stream," which is the reason for Buchanan being here, we can trace the pattern of the development of water power a century since. There were no natural water falls in the 66-foot decline from the top of the old Pears & Rough falls to its mouth at the St. Joseph river. Therefore artificial falls had to be made, either by dams or mill races. The fall across the street from us was contrived by a mill race. The section from its division from McCoy's creek, in the acreage owned by the city that was once Athletic Field, to the top of the fall was then known as the "headrace". The wooden flume that concentrated the flow to direct it against the top of the former "waterwheel" was the "penstock". The short section between the bottom of the falls and the reunion of its waters with McCoy's creek was the "tail race".

The two usual types of water wheel in use to develop power then were the "overshot" and the "undershot". In the beginning the use of the overshot wheel was practically universal. It is likely that the overshot type was used at the Pears & Rough mill. It was generally used when the water supply was not large but a considerable "head" of water was available. The "head" was the distance the water could fall before striking the top of the wheel. The fall at the Pears & Rough was 16 feet. The four water power developments below had falls of six feet at the William Blake flour mill near the present extension of Dewey Avenue into the Clark Equipment grounds, 14 feet at the former Balmion Bros. mill site opposite the east end of the River street plant, 8 feet at the Blake & Kingery mill about opposite the Spafford home on River street, another site below not named with a fall of from 8 to 10 feet, and a site once powering a sawmill near the mouth of the creek with a fall of 13 feet.

The overshot wheel was a "gravity" type, deriving its energy mainly from the gravity of falling water, plus the "impulse" given from the force of the fall onto the wheel. Robert Koeninghoff, Co-ops manager, states that the water power developed by the turbine was used until 1945 to operate a corn-cracking mill in the basement. It was finally abandoned because of the variability of the flow which made the power undependable. When the flow was good from 20 to 25 horsepower and even more was generated. When the flow was low little or no power was available, and the turbine was removed. John Holmes estimated the potential water power development by the old water wheel in 1880 to be fifteen horsepower. The abandonment of the turbine was the finale of over a century of direct use of water power for manufacturing in Buchanan.

When the United States was established, it had no money, no machinery to collect taxes, no courts, no recognized judicial system, and no means of enforcing the laws of the land.

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Rep. Don Pears Goes To President's Safety Conference

State Representative Don R. Pears of Buchanan, has been named by Speaker of the House Wade VanValkenberg, as a member of the legislative delegation to attend the President's Highway Safety Conference in Washington, D. C. on Feb. 17, 18, and 19. Other members to the delegation hold membership on the Committees on Public Safety and Roads & Bridges, according to Representative Pears, who stated that the House members will travel to Washington by plane from Detroit.

It will be Pears' second attendance at the Conference, having been appointed to attend in 1952 as the personal representative of the former Speaker of the Michigan House of Representatives, Victor A. Knox, now serving as Congressman from the 11th District of Michigan.

Hospital Auxiliary Invites All Women To Valentine Tea

The Women's Auxiliary of Parkview hospital extends a cordial invitation to all ladies of Niles, Buchanan, Galesburg, or anywhere in the surrounding area to attend a Valentine Tea on Thursday, Feb. 11, at 2:30 p.m. in the Queen

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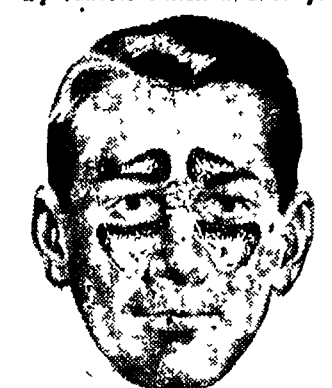
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SEXTON'S

GALIEN NEWS

Bonnie Russell and Karl Rush United in Marriage

Miss Bonnie Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Russell of Galien, and Karl Rush, son of Mrs. Walter Hughes of New Carlisle, Ind., and Arthur Rush of Mishawaka, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon in the Galien Methodist church at 3 o'clock. Miss Colleen Russell, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor, and Miss Yvonne Potter and Miss Lois Schinske were the bridesmaids. Raymond Nixon, brother-in-law of the groom, was the best man and the guests were seated by Richard Bothwell of South Bend and Dale Martin of LaForte.

Mrs. Russell Seyfried played nuptial music on the organ and accompanied Mrs. Leo Trapp, who was the vocalist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white Chantilly lace, featuring a tight bodice, a high neckline with a stand-up collar and a row of tiny buttons from the neckline to the waist, and the long sleeves came to points over the hands. Her fingertip veil was of nylon net, trimmed with lace and fell from a headpiece of net and pearl. She carried a purple orchid on a white ribbon.

The maid-of-honor wore a pink net over nylon gown, floor-length, and a net bodice and a lace jacket to match. She wore a matching headpiece and carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations. The bridesmaids were gowned in floor-length dresses of net over nylon with matching lace jackets and carried colonial bouquets. Mrs. Russell wore a navy blue dress and Mrs. Hughes wore a dress of black and white.

A wedding reception immediately followed the ceremony in the church social hall. Mrs. Melvin Rush, sister of the bride, presided at the guest book, and Mrs. Richard Bothwell and Mrs. Dale Martin served the guests. The bride is a graduate of the Galien high school, class of 1952 and she is now a junior in the Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in South Bend. Mr. Rush is a 1952 graduate of the New Carlisle high school.

Mrs. Lois White was hostess to the reception club when they met at her home on Tuesday night for a pot-luck supper. The members voted to contribute \$2 to the March of Dimes fund. Plans were made for a baked goods sale to be held on Feb. 18. In games

prizes were won by Mrs. Glen Swank, Mrs. James Ioderick, Mrs. Henry Wolkins, Mrs. Fred Johnson, and Mrs. Victor Wolfred. Mrs. Wolfred will be the next hostess when the committee will be Mrs. Wolkins, Mrs. Fred Thorson and Mrs. Clara Partridge.

Mrs. Glen Swank, Mrs. Nora Welch, Mrs. Lois White and Mrs. Fred Thorson attended the Commanders and Past Commanders club of the Maccabees lodge in Dowagiac on Wednesday night. A 6:30 dinner was served the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kool are the parents of a daughter, Rebecca Ruth, born on Jan. 25, in the Pawling hospital in Niles. The baby weighed 8 pounds and 10 ounces. The Kools have one other daughter, Kathy. Mrs. Kool was the former Lois Sheeley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Murdock are the parents of a daughter, Linda Sue, born in the Pawling hospital, Niles, on Jan. 23, and weighed 7 pounds and 4 ounces. The Murdocks have three boys and a girl at home.

Mrs. Walter Dalrymple entertained her pinocle club at her home on Friday night. She was assisted by Mrs. Vern Walls. Prizes were won by Mrs. Leo Trapp, Mrs. Jordan Graham and Mrs. John Gowland.

Miss Colleen Russell, student at Albion College, spent the weekend at the home of her parents here, the Bill Russells. She came to

participate in the wedding of her sister, Bonnie Russell.

Miss Sandra Swen spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Encel Swen. Miss Swen is a student at Western Michigan College at Kalamazoo.

The Cub Scouts met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank McCarty. Monroe Boyce was taken in as a new member and the time was spent working on shadow boxes.

Mrs. Tom Walkins was hostess at a party at her home on Friday night. Mrs. Roy Foster gave a demonstration.

Master Dale Murdock spent last week in Walkerton, Ind., with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Finch, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Payne, Roy Payne, and Guy Hinman have gone to Ft. Worth, Texas, where they are attending the Rodeo.

Frank McCarty, Fred Hampton, Louis Walls and Bernard Renbarger spent several days of last week at Boyd City, Mich., on a fishing trip.

A Boy Scout Blue and Gold Supper will be held on Feb. 10, in the high school cafeteria and a 7 o'clock potluck supper will be served. There will be a display, awards given out and a Court of Honor. A special invitation is extended the PTA, who is the sponsoring organization for the Cub Scouts.

Bob James and Dean Staab, who are taking the agriculture short course at Michigan State College at East Lansing, spent the weekend at their homes here in Galien.

Odd Fellows Plan Benefit Dance For March Of Dimes

Tentative plans to sponsor a benefit dance for the March of Dimes drive were made by Buchanan Subordinate lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows at the meeting Tuesday evening in the Odd Fellow hall.

Harry Post, Harold Coger and John Bowman are in charge of arrangements and further plans will be announced next week.

Legislative News Letter

(Furnished through the courtesy of State Representative Don R. Pears (R-Buchanan))

Under the joint rules in the even year session, bills other than tax and appropriation measures which hope to pass, must be reported from committee within 21 days of introduction; also bills introduced after February 10 will not be printed. A reminder to the members that the deadlines are fast approaching for introduction of bills and for reporting out of committee those which were introduced in the early days of the session, resulted in stepped up committee activity and a raft of new introductions.

The House passed two bills early last week. One of them, and the first to pass either the House or Senate during the session, was sponsored by our own Representative, Don R. Pears, and would permit notaries public whose names have been legally changed since receiving their commission, to use their original name when signing official papers until the expiration of their term. This is primarily designed to benefit women notaries who marry during their term.

The other bill passed would authorize the courts to allow a person sentenced for non-support to be free from jail during his regular working hours to enable him to hold his job and work.

After advancing to its final passage, a bill to prohibit bear hunting below the Manistee-Lake Huron line for a 10-year period, the fact was brought out that such legislation is unnecessary since the matter is an administrative one, and the bill was sent back to the Conservation Committee.

A bill permitting deduction of federal taxes as an expense of settling estates, as debated on Third Reading. Opponents claimed its passage would mean an annual loss of 2 to 2½ million to the primary school fund, while proponents argued for its passage.

on the grounds of justice and fair play. It was finally sent to Taxation Committee for further study and a hearing.

A bill requiring the health committee's rules and regulations to be approved by the Board of Supervisors before becoming effective, was amended to remove the mandatory approval by the Board, and then the bill was voted down. Subsequently a motion was made and passed to reconsider the vote, and the bill was tabled.

Another bill amending the Township Zoning Act relative to the issuance of permits for taking sand and gravel and requiring the refilling of the pits ran into a snag and met with little favor. It was finally put over until the 27th, at which time the introducer moved to send it back to committee for further study.

A highly controversial bill changing the name of Michigan State College to Michigan State University came out of committee without recommendation, and accordingly was tabled. The sponsor of the bill desiring a full and complete hearing, succeeded in taking it from the table and having it sent back to committee for that purpose. Proponents feel that MSC has attained the stature of a university and consequently desire the change effective as of next year when MSC celebrates its centennial. Opponents claim such a change would be confusing, and question the constitutionality of such a measure. Opinions have been requested from the Attorney General on the various questions raised.

Among bills introduced later last week, one would require freeing of some 150 state police troopers for road patrol and other duties by replacing those now assigned to radio dispatching, clerical and desk work with specially trained women.

Other measures would

1. Require fishing license to fish in all waters over which the State has jurisdiction.
2. Make it unlawful to dump refuse on another's property.
3. Appropriate \$50,000 to acquire and furnish a Governor's mansion.

4. Establish a state curfew law.

5. Prohibit the use of any school building for class room purposes which has been declared a fire-trap.
6. Extend the indecent liberties penalties from 5 to 10 years imprisonment, and holding female offenders equally guilty with men.
7. Give the Governor power to remove any public official who refuses to answer in criminal proceedings on grounds of self-incrimination.
8. Provide that fines, penalties and forfeitures for township ordinance violations go to the Township General Fund.
9. Allow the Board of Supervisors to raise dog license fees to cover entire cost of dog wardens.
10. Provide for establishment of a traffic violations bureau in cities and villages.
11. Permit Probate Courts to transfer jurisdiction over minors under 17, who violate the motor vehicle laws or ordinances, to courts having criminal jurisdiction.

The group voted to donate to the March of Dimes. Tentative plans were made to hold a public dinner on Feb. 13 and Mrs. Reams was appointed chairman of the arrangement committee. Mrs. Barbour and Mrs. Laik were named on the social committee for the meeting February 9.

After the meeting games were played and prizes went to Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Bicar, Mrs. Evelyn Smith, Mrs. Hines and Mrs. Boyle.

When a farmer's wife uses a gallon of gasoline to do some cleaning in her kitchen, she is in as much danger as if her child were playing with an 83-pound piece of dynamite beside the kitchen stove. That's pointed out by David G. Steinicke, extension farm safety specialist at Michigan State College.

The 1954 officers of the Buchanan review of the Women's Benefit Association were inducted in a formal ceremony Tuesday evening in the WBA hall.

Mrs. Ralph DeNardo was the installing officer. She was assisted by Mrs. Otto Reinke and Mrs. Howard Barbour as ladies of ceremonies. Mrs. Fred Carbon, pianist Mrs. Francis Baker, chaplain. Officers seated were: Mrs. Evelyn Smith, president, Mrs. Helen Smith, vice-president, Mrs. Retha Thompson, recording secretary, Mrs. Reinke, financial secretary, Mrs. Hazel Huebner, treasurer, Mrs. Grace Reams, acting past president, Mrs. Mabel Shire, chaplain, Mrs. Mayne Boyle, lady of ceremonies, Mrs. Nyle Henderson, junior supervisor, Mrs. Arvada Markham, sergeant, Mrs. Ed Bicar, officer-of-the-day, Mrs. DeNardo, musician, Mrs. Nora Froman, inner hostess, Mrs. Floyd Hines, outer hostess, Mrs. Martin

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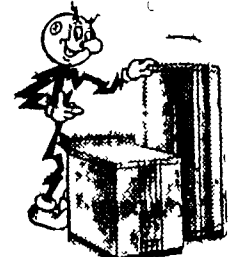
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There will be special services at the E. U. B. church beginning Friday evening. Rev. Glass of the Haven Hubbard home, near New Carlisle, will have charge for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Miss Darlene Trapp of New Troy, spent Sunday with the Foster Bowker family.

Miss Minnie Bohn and Miss Edith Straub were Sunday afternoon callers in the William Janasch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sherman of South Bend, and Mrs. Donald Sherman and children, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Gertrude Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and son, Rex, and Mrs. Ruth Hampton and daughter, Marlene, and Mrs. Gertrude Sherman attended the music festival at Kalama-zoo, Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Sherman spent Friday and Saturday in Kalama-zoo, returning home with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thompson were Sunday afternoon callers in the Lyle Nye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Nye, Sam Dickey and sons attended the John Deere Day at Baroda, as guests of the Baroda Hardware company.

Portage Prairie

Members of the Portage Prairie Home Economics club met for an all day meeting Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Walter Rhoades. A planned dinner was served at noon to 16 members by the hostess and Mrs. Irving Swartz. Mrs. Lloyd Rough presided at the morning session and the group voted \$5 to the fund to buy dishes for the youth building at the Berrien county youth fair grounds at Berrien Springs. It was planned to hold another all day meeting Feb. 24, with Mrs. Donald Waggoner, Mrs. Paul Johnson will be the co-hostess. A demonstration of the lesson "Good Design In Home Furnishings" was given by Mrs. Herman Dillman and Mrs. Donald Schoettler.

B. & P. W. Club Plans Money Raising For Charitable Work

The Buchanan Business and Professional Woman's Club members, at the monthly dinner meeting Monday evening in the First Methodist church, voted to contribute \$10 to the March of Dimes drive. Mrs. Lucy Donley conducted the business session, during which there was a round table discussion of ways and means of raising money for charitable work. William J. Burkett, Berrien county civil defense chairman, who was to speak, was unable to be present.

The civil defense committee, Mrs. Ida Banke, Mrs. Irene Denno and Mrs. Opal Bowling, were in charge of the arrangements.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 15 with the International Relations committee in charge.

River and flood forecasting service of the U. S. weather bureau has 86 district offices and four forecasting centers. It issues flood warnings for all principal U. S. rivers.

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Timely Agricultural Topics

(Berrien Co. Farm Bureau News) by J. P. Roekzema County Agricultural Agent

"Income tax reports" How we dislike to spend time and effort in making them out. Yet, they can be of use to us, if we make use of them. They enable us to "check up on ourselves" and see what we have done during the past year.

These reports mean the keeping of accurate account books. By checking through the account book and the income tax return we can find the weak spots. On most farms there are some. Possibly the production per cow was not adequate. Most of our better dairymen show income of more than three hundred dollars per cow. How many pigs were marketed per sow that farrowed? At what weight were these pigs sold and how old were they? What were the yields per acre? Even our fruit yields (on the average) are not very high. Were yours satisfactory?

For instance, did you know that between the census of 1945 and 1950 the number of farms reporting apple trees dropped from 3,181 to 2,087? Did you realize that the 1,854,000 peach trees had a production of 1,476,000 bushels in 1949, which was before the "big freeze"? When average figures are listed there are as many below the average as above it, but by checking the account books it is possible to know where we stand.

For the benefit of those keeping accounts the Farm Management Department of M. S. C. and the Michigan Bankers Association co-operated in printing a farm account book based on form 1040. These may be obtained free of charge from the Benton Harbor State Bank, National Farm Loan Association, St. Joseph, First National Bank of Niles, and the Bank of Three Oaks. These books are a great help in keeping records and in making out the income tax reports.

Many farm meetings will be held in the county during the next few months. Specialists from Michigan State College will be present to give the latest information. These meetings are worthwhile and you will receive the benefits, if you attend.

Farmers' Week will be held at Michigan State College the first week in February and thousands

attend this event. It is a "Short Course" in agriculture and whether one spends a day or the week he can pick up many new and worthwhile ideas. Some folks plan their vacations to attend this event.

Winter arrived on schedule and while we still do not know how severe it will be there are some things that will help production of our livestock.

Automatic waterers will cut down chores and keep the profits from sinking because the animals do not get enough water. Animals need an ample supply of fresh, clean water in order that they may produce efficiently.

Watering once or twice a day is not enough for profitable production. A dairy cow will drink ten to twenty times a day when water is available. A hog likes to eat and then drink. The more they eat the more they drink and the faster they gain.

The easiest and best way to provide an automatic water supply is to install an automatically-heated drinking waterer. The heated waterers can be used outside and livestock drink more—if the water is not too cold.

All of us think that our hay is of good quality. Wisconsin farmers thought the same but when samples were brought in and judged it was found that 5% graded excellent, 25% was good, another 45% was fair, and 25% was graded poor.

The best hays are free of foreign matter and weeds, are soft and pliable, have fine stems, and have plenty of leaves where approximately 70% of the protein and 90% of the carotene is stored in the growing plant. Good hay should have a bright green color.

Hay that is cured slowly can not be rated very highly. Extended periods of sun-bleaching will remove liberal amounts of many necessary vitamins and nearly all of the carotene. Rained-on hay has been found to cause a trace mineral deficiency. It is necessary to supplement the low quality hay with trace minerals, alfalfa-meal, etc. Check on the hay being fed. Hay should be fed liberally to ruminants, but it should be of good quality—if one is desirous of getting the best results.

Have you ordered your baby chicks yet? Recently in looking over a catalog from one of the large hatcheries your writer was interested in the statement that there would be no pullet chicks available from the top matings during January and February as all were kept for their own use.

Good poultrymen are buying their baby chicks earlier than

ever before. April used to be the largest month for the hatcheries, but it has moved back to March and now many chicks are being purchased in January and February. The pullets hatched in these months will produce during the months of the highest-priced eggs, and should make a larger profit for their owners than the late-hatched birds.

Leucosis of chickens has been estimated to cause 40% of the deaths in flocks. There is no known cure for this disease, but try and get your chicks from disease-free flocks and raise the chicks on clean ground away from the older birds. This may mean moving the brooder houses, but it is certainly a worth-while practice.

It is not too early to be buying fertilizer for this year. Naturally, soils should first be tested. Buy what is needed and accept delivery when you can get it.

Mrs. E. Hausman Elected President Buchanan 30 Club

Members of the Buchanan 30 club elected Mrs. Ernest Hausman president at the weekly meeting Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Blanche McIntosh. She succeeded Mrs. William S. Manspeaker.

Other officers elected for the 1954-1955 year were Mrs. Spencer Gibbs, vice-president, Mrs. J. F. Fennell, recording secretary, Mrs. Albert Kahn, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Charles Trapp, treasurer. Group made tentative plans to attend the Breakfast club radio program in Chicago.

Mrs. Kahn, program chairman, gave an interesting talk on "Liv-

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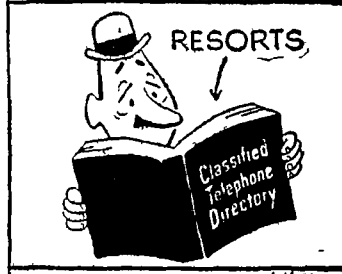
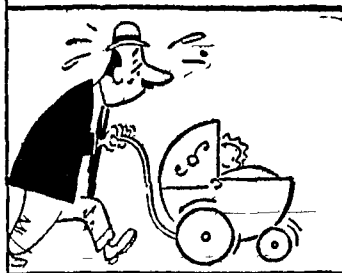
Members of the Dayton Rebekah lodge met in the Odd Fellow hall Wednesday evening for their regular business and social meeting. Mrs. Arden Brown presided and a donation of \$5 was voted to the March of Dimes Drive. Plans were made to adopt a sister in the Odd Fellow-Rebekah home for old people in Jackson, Mich.

During the year the lodge will send her gifts and other items.

Mrs. Edward Koenigschaf and Mrs. Ivan Price were appointed hostesses for the meeting Feb. 10. Games provided entertainment and the winners were Mrs. Lenzy Swain, Mrs. Glen Lear, Miss Blanche Sheldon, Mrs. Ora Welbaum and Miss Valmore Speckline.

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Friday, Feb. 12

11 A.M. Michigan Time — 10 A.M. Indiana Time

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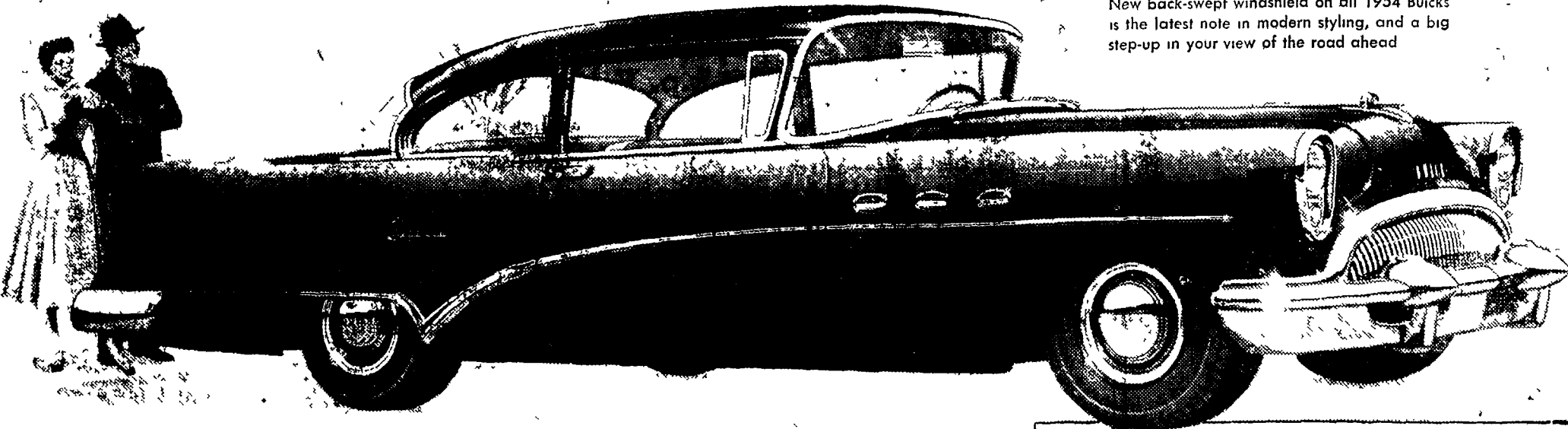
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Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Bare, West Ulrey road, Niles, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dorlea Edythe, to Lawrence Lynn Watson, son of Mrs. Mildred Watson.

Miss Bare attended Niles high school, Lynn graduated from Buchanan high school and served two years with the U.S. Army. He spent the year preceding his discharge in Europe.

Hillview Pinocle Club

Members of the Hillview pinocle club were entertained last Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Ted Cramer. High scores were held by Mrs. Harold Kramer and Mrs. Charles Babcock. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Lee Conrad on Feb. 23.

HOLLYWOOD

Thur.-Fri.-Sat. Feb. 4-5-6
"Cruisin' Down The River"
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Buchanan Garden Club

The February meeting of the Buchanan Garden club will be held Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. R. F. Colp. Mrs. Robert Groat will be in charge of the program and Mrs. John Zelder will preside.

Royal Neighbor Club

Plans for a guest night dinner and Valentine party on Feb. 9 were made by members of the Royal Neighbor club at their meeting in the RNA hall Tuesday evening. The dinner will be a potluck affair and Mrs. Robert Reamer will be in charge. Games provided entertainment and prizes were won by Mrs. Lenzy Swaim, Mrs. Charles Oxender, Mrs. George Barnore, Mrs. Orrin Stearns, Mrs. Clyde Paxton and Mrs. William Lingle.

Bend River Farm Bureau

The Bend of The River Community Farm Bureau will hold its monthly meeting Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose. B. L. Florey will conduct the meeting and Andrew Anderson will be the discussion leader.

Sylvia Chapter O.E.S.

The regular meeting of the Sylvia chapter of the Order of Eastern Star will be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, in the Masonic hall. The men of the chapter will be in charge of the social hour with George Chubb as chairman.

Lady of Fatima

The Lady of Fatima division of the Altar and Rosary society of St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church will hold its monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Onofio Morelli. Mrs. Raymond Wantz will assist the hostess.

Band Boosters Club

The Buchanan Band Boosters club will meet Monday evening in the music room at the high school building. Mrs. Charles Day will conduct the business meeting.

Bayleaf Rebekah Lodge

The regular meeting of Bayleaf Rebekah lodge will be held Friday evening in the Odd Fellow hall. Serving on the hostess committee will be Mrs. Howard Barbour, Mrs. Hanley Squier, Mrs. Lee Allis, Mrs. Anna Bales and Mrs. Harry Banke. An auction sale will be held following the meeting.

Hills Corners Ladies Aid

The Hills Corners Ladies Aid society will hold an all day meeting Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Bert Rumsey. A potluck dinner will be served at noon and the group will make surgical bandages for the Berrien county Cancer Society.

Prior to World War II, Germany was the world's greatest potato producing country, with an annual crop estimated to be in excess of two billion bushels.

Some parts of the earth are frozen to a depth of as much as 1,300 feet all the year around.

Probate News

Judge Malcolm Hatfield transacted the following matters. Wills and the petitions for the probate of the last will and testament were filed in the estates of Sarah E. Wolff, Clara Hanspeter, Arthur Abel and John Marion Paul, deceased. Petitions for the appointment of administrator were filed in the estates of Mary Jane Baker, Ernest Hawks, Eugenia LePage (also known as Jennie LePage), deceased. Bonds were filed and letters issued in the deceased estates of Elta Hosler, Leslie M. Hile, Jessie M. Russell (also known as Jessie Russell), Marie Kesticka, Albert M. Stamm, Nora Belle Cox, Edward O. Vinson, Ralph Willard Plumley, Gerald F. Roman (sometimes signed Gerald Francis Roman), and Clara S. Maas. Inventories were filed in the estates of Sallie M. Palmer (sometimes known as Sally M. Palmer), Antoinette Rouse, Virginia R. W. Tiedebohl (sometimes signed Virginia R. Tiedebohl), Edward G. Mochoeur, Ernest L.

Prillwitz, Lorenzo Howard Vary, Louis Curl, Sara Louise Farmer, Ezra Sullivan (sometimes known as Ezra E. Sullivan), Robert Eugene Steele, Viola Virginia Richter, Gerald F. Roman (sometimes signed Gerald Francis Roman), deceased. Final accounts were filed in the estates of Helen M. Miller, Hyman Schwartz, Irene Mathieu, Edgar Brackett (also known as Edward Brackett), Lena M. Johnson, Virginia R. W. Tiedebohl (sometimes signed Virginia R. Tiedebohl), Carrie E. Stearns, Nora Belle Cox, Faye Hart, and Viola Virginia Richter, deceased. Judge Hatfield also entered orders closing the hearing of claims in the estates of Elizabeth W. Bachman, Thomas I. Miller, Robert Eugene Steele, and Robert Cannamore, deceased. Orders allowing claims and for the payment of debts were entered in the estates of Virginia R. W. Tiedebohl (sometimes signed Virginia R. Tiedebohl), Eva Mobeck Anderson, Ezra Sullivan (sometimes known as Ezra E. Sullivan), de-

ceased. Orders confirming sale of real estate were entered in the estates of Anna Brothers, Carrie Bachman Kilmark (sometimes signed Carrie B. Kilmark), deceased. Closed the estates of Frans Edward Erickson, Carrie M. Boehm, Carrie Topping, Fred E. Snyder (also known as Fred Snyder), George C. Kimmick, Darwin Singer, Theron D. Childs, James H. Dewey and Laura E. Naylor, deceased.

Glenn Brant Writes From Winterland

The Record received a subscription check, a letter, and two interesting newspaper clippings last week from Glenn H. Brant, formerly of Buchanan, now of International Falls, Minn. Glenn grew up in Buchanan and worked for many years on the New York Central as a brakeman before leaving in the mid-1930's.

The mercury reading at 3 to 4 a.m., Jan. 21, at that place was 41 degrees below, equaling the all-time record of Jan. 29, 1951. Elsewhere in the county (Koochi-chung) a -46° record was announced. At the time of publication the region was beginning its second week of sub-zero weather. The average low per day for the previous week had been -25°, and the average high per day -7°. The International Falls people seemed immune to low temperatures, as 800 turned out at night at -30° to see the closing performance of the Canadian Ice Fantasy. The schools experienced a 12% absent average, compared with the usual 5 or 6% average. Youngsters wore scarves wrapped around their heads, with a slit for their eyes to see through, donned an extra sweater, and went.

Brant also sent a clipping of a newspaper picture and article showing six big timber wolves bagged by a party of hunters. The largest wolf weighed over 140 pounds. The wolves kill dozens of deer each winter in the vicinity. They shoot the wolves by

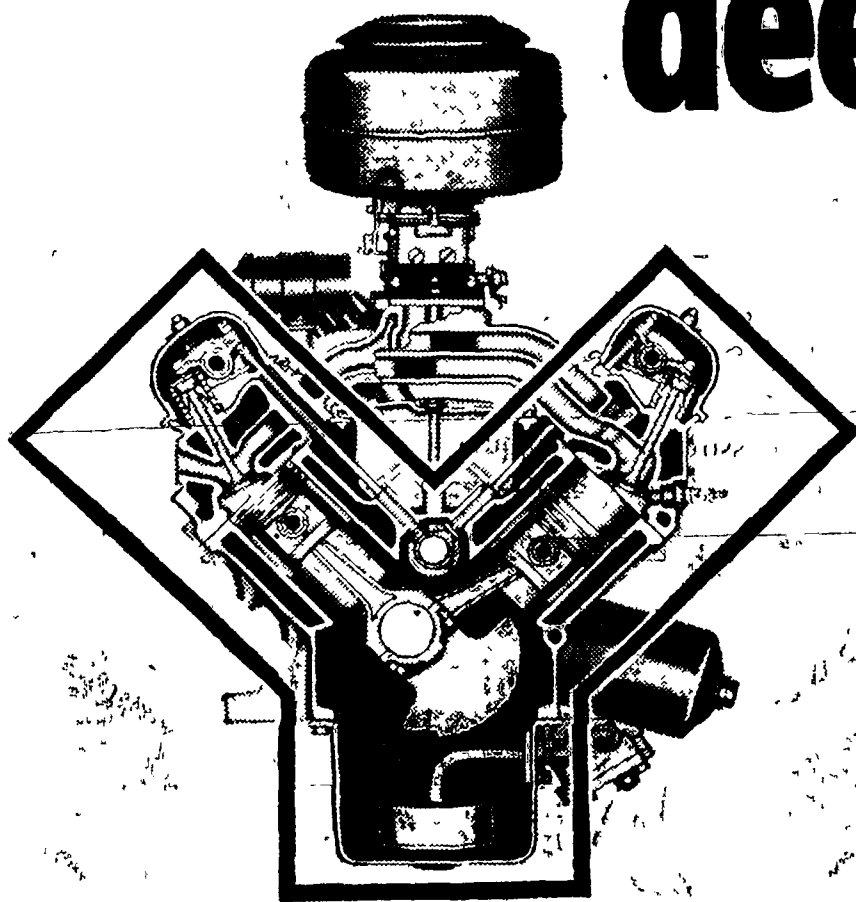
driving them onto the ice of a lake, knocking them off as they emerged from the brush onto the ice. The hunters made their trip on three propeller-driven snowsleds. Six of the seven had Scandinavian names which may explain their hardihood in cold weather.

The Gold Coast has one of the world's richest deposits of bauxite, and plans are underway to develop plants to produce about 200,000 tons of aluminum annually.

There are 50% more hospitals in the U. S. than in 1920 and the bed capacity has been more than tripled, U. S. surveys show.

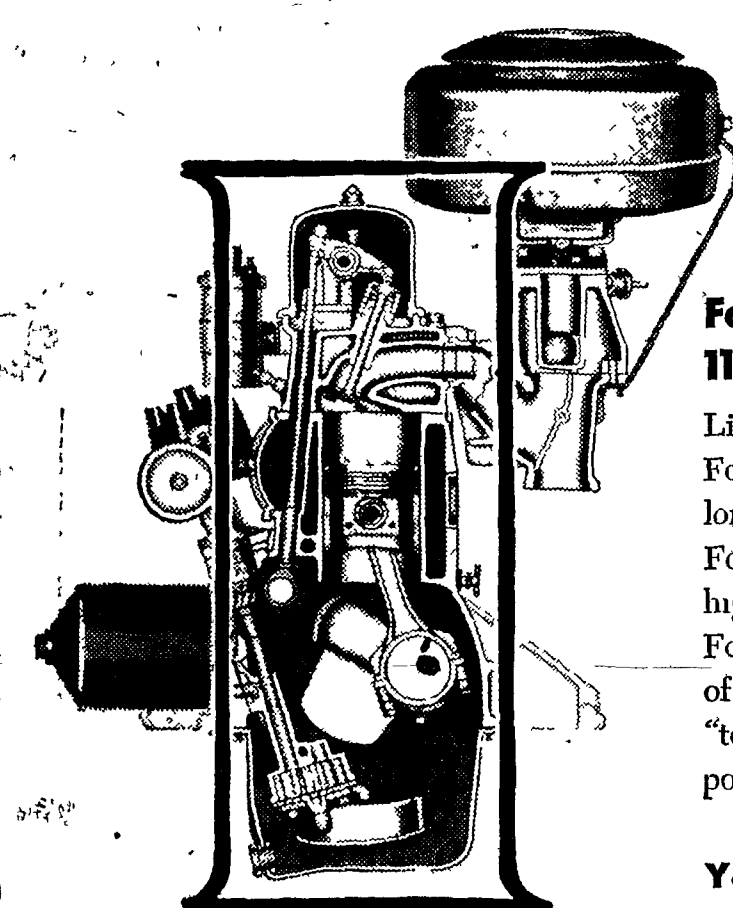
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Ford's new 130-h.p. Y-block V-8

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Ford's new 115-h.p. I-block SIX

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