

STREET LIGHT CONTROVERSY RE-AIRED

FURTHER TIME EXTENSION GIVEN SEWER CONTRACTOR QUESTION OF VALIDITY OF CONTRACT UP

Now Here's the Proposition

VOL. 62, NO. 1. By Haws. We're sixty-two years old today...

Reporters die and pass below. And foremen answer to the reaper...

Francis M. Beistle Expires Friday At Los Angeles

Francis Marion Beistle, resident of Buchanan for many years, died at 4 p. m. Friday at his home...

Odd Fellows Hold Installation of Officers Jan. 8

Semi-annual installation of elective and appointive officers was held Tuesday evening by Buchanan I. O. O. F. Subordinate Lodge No. 75...

Myrtle Shipp Dies At Oakland, Calif.

Mrs. Myrtle Strong Shipp, 55, one time resident of Buchanan, died January 4 at her home at Oakland, Calif. after an illness of two weeks.

SUITABILITY OF TILE IS QUESTIONED

Attorney States Iron Pipe is the Only Remedy.

TO INVESTIGATE Village to Co-operate With Contractor in Charge.

The controversy between the village council and Frank Reed, Dowagiac contractor, relative to defects in the Portage Street sanitary sewer which have become apparent since its installation...

Attorney Harvey intimated that he had letters from the Prestite Company stating that their main is not adapted to installation in a heavy flow of water...

Harvey further stipulated that after the investigation is completed that City Engineer Toyne should formulate a plan of remedy for Reed to follow...

After a heated session, the council voted an extension of 30 days, until Feb. 6, with the understanding that the village will co-operate with any engineers employed by Harvey in behalf of Reed...

Et Quammers Hold Christmas Party

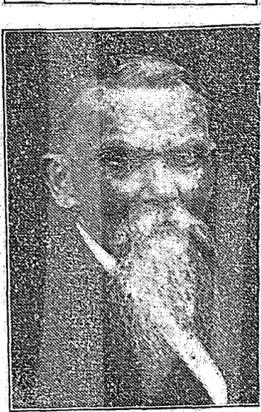
The Docti Adolescentes, Et Quam Club, held a Christmas party in the auditorium last Friday, during the fourth hour...

Solo—Marie Post. Saxophone and Cornet duet—John Strayer and Phillip Hanlin.

First National Elects Officers In Annual Meet

The annual organization meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank was held Tuesday afternoon, resulting in the following selection: president, D. S. Scoffern; vice president, C. F. Pears; cashier, A. E. Howe...

Pioneer Passes On



Ashley Carlisle, soldier-pioneer, born July 3, 1842; died Jan. 2, 1929.

BUCHANAN GIRLS DEMONSTRATE ART OF FOLK DANCING

Misses Teresa White and Peggy Merrifield, two youthful Buchanan exponents of the Terpsichorean arts commonly referred to as dancing were signally honored last week by being included in the program of the National Dancing Masters Association...

Teresa White and Peggy Merrifield went as the representatives of the dancing class of Mrs. Mary Grace Mohn of South Bend, the distinction being the greater in that they were the only two selected...

County I. O. O. F. Association to Meet Friday Eve.

Buchanan Encampment 169 will meet tonight (Thursday) to avoid conflict with the sessions of the Berrien County Oddfellow Association...

Ted Siekman Buys W. P. Rough Farm

Ted Siekman has purchased the W. P. Rough farm on the east side of the South Bend road, three miles south of Buchanan...

Zwergel Resigns Managership of Michigan Bell

Edward Zwergel former manager of the Niles district of the Michigan Bell, has left that post to take charge of sales and sales development for the same district...

WOULD BAN DIPHTHERIA FROM COUNTY

Head of State Board Suggests Plan to Strayer.

SERUM TO BE FREE Expense Would Be Nominal For Buchanan.

County-wide immunization of all school children against diphtheria looms as a possibility of the near future, as the result of a communication received by Dr. J. C. Strayer, president of the Berrien County Medical Association...

Dr. Poole's communication indicated that expenses of immunization would be small, the state furnishing the anti-toxin free. In the case of the Buchanan schools the expense would scarcely exceed \$25...

The townships will be asked to defray the nominal costs in case the immunization program is undertaken, according to Dr. Strayer.

While there is little diphtheria in the state now, according to the state health authorities, two years ago Michigan experienced an epidemic which resulted in the loss of many children...

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MUIR & SANDS ASSUME CHARGE OF SMOKE SHOP

The firm of Muir & Sands took charge of the Smoke Shop Tuesday, Jan. 1, ending a 27-year ownership and operation by Matt Kelling. William Van Meter, who has been employed in the store 16 years, will remain there...

LOCAL INVENTOR DEMONSTRATES A TALKIE DEVICE

A rich musical treat, and a complete surprise, was given the people at the Princess Theatre Tuesday night when the premiere hearing of the Robinson Symphonophone was given under the personal direction of R. R. Robinson, the inventor, proprietor of the local music store...

ROBINSON MACHINE TO SYNCHRONIZE FILM AND RECORDS

The feature picture of the evening was "Avalanche," with Jack Holt playing the part of the big hearted professional gambler in a perfectly smashing way.

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CONTRACTORS PREPARE BIDS FOR NEW M-60

Route Buchanan to Galien Ready For Estimates.

START IN SPRING Bridge Crew Will Be on Grounds Next Week.

An early beginning on the construction of M-60 from Galien to Niles via Buchanan is indicated by the presence of contractors here the first of the week gathering data on the new route preparatory to submitting bids and by orders to the state engineering crew now in the field to prepare the final survey in sections...

The survey is now finally complete from Galien to Buchanan, and the engineers are working between this point and Niles. The state highway department will be in Buchanan next week taking soundings and making estimates for the construction of a crossing over Pike Lake.

The new route leaves the present route at the corner south of Galien, proceeding westward by way of the old tarvia road route for a mile and a half, where it turns to follow the section line due west until it reaches the Michigan Central right-of-way, which it parallels to a point about a half mile from Dayton when it swings south to cross Dayton Lake at a narrow place.

Representatives of a light and power company have been over the route recently, and state that night illumination of the road is planned, with lights 600 feet apart.

Annual Meeting of State Bank Held Wednesday

The annual organization of the Buchanan State Bank was held yesterday afternoon, having been postponed for a day due to the inability of President Henry M. Lee of Dowagiac to be present Tuesday.

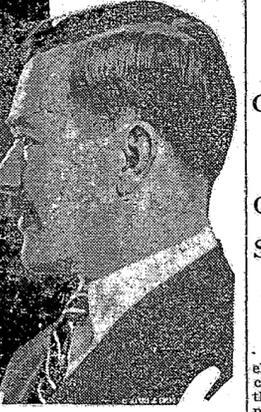
Ultimate Date Tax Payment Is Extended Feb. 15

Last date for payment of township taxes has been extended until Feb. 15, according to Township Treasurer Burton Montgomery. Mr. Montgomery is empowered to refuse payments after today and to impose the 4 per cent penalty, but is extending the time for the convenience of the taxpayers.

Roof Ignites at Shriver Farm Home Wednesday Night

The farm home of P. F. Shriver, located two miles northwest of the Colvin school in Oronoko Township was threatened by fire Wednesday evening of last week when the roof caught fire around the chimney, burning through shingles, sheathing and the water. Mr. Shriver and family were able to extinguish the flames without fire loss.

HONDURAS PRESIDENT



A recent and especially posed portrait of the new President of Honduras, Dr. Vicente Mejia Co. Indires.

BUCHANAN WILL VOTE ON CITY GOVT MARCH 11

TO PICK COMMISSION OF NINE TO DETERMINE CHARTER FORM.

Buchanan was definitely committed to a test of the popular will on the change from village to city form of government at the coming village elections scheduled for March 11, as a result of the passage of a resolution authorizing such action at the council meeting last night.

Action was taken pursuant to the submission of a petition signed by 335 qualified voters calling for such test, which had been before the council 30 days. The voters will also be called on to elect a charter commission of nine qualified electors, who shall determine the form of city government to be adopted in case the town decides for the change.

ALL-MALE CAST PRESENT FARCE MARRIAGE HERE

"WOMANLESS WEDDING" BE PRESENTED ON JANUARY 24-25

Buchanan male footlight stars will appear on the evenings of January 24-25 in a presentation of "The Womanless Wedding," a comedy feature which has been produced with local talent directed by outside management in hundreds of towns and cities with unvarying success.

The presentation here will be under the auspices of the Thirty Club, which will receive 50 per cent of the proceeds to swell their charity fund. The play will be staged in the Clark Theatre, which was offered by the Clark Equipment Company free of cost. Negotiations will be started immediately to line up a strong cast of players, numbering in the neighborhood of 60 men, who will carry both the masculine and feminine roles.

Committees in charge will be as follows: general arrangements, Mesdames Glen Smith, Harold Ormiston, Emos Sahram, George Deming, Jr., advertising, Mesdames J. C. Strayer, George Smith, Charles Pears, Alfred Hall; costuming, Mesdames Ida Bishop, Charles Boyle, Melvin Campbell, T. D. Childs; decorations, Mesdames Jess Viele, F. M. Moyer, John Russell, Fred Howe.

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VALIDITY OF CONTRACT UP

Glover Questions the Legality of Lighting Contract.

OFFICIAL REPLIES States That Buchanan Has Same Rate as South Bend.

Echoes of the 1928 village election reverberated in the council meeting Tuesday night when the issue of the legality of the present street lighting contract between the village and the Indiana & Michigan Electric Company was raised by President Claude Glover, who intimated that the present arrangement had been illegally made by the preceding administration, and that the actual contract binding on the two parties continued to be the former contract set aside by the administration of former President Brown, who expired the first of the present year.

Officials of the Indiana & Michigan, including Thomas F. English, of South Bend, vice-president and general manager, Charles B. Calvert of South Bend, assistant secretary, and Manager H. W. Riley of the Buchanan district, were present by summons of President Glover.

A stormy argument was precipitated when holdover members objected to the phrasing of Glover's announcement, which stated that the former council had either "through ignorance or oversight" failed to take into consideration that the former contract had a year to run yet when set aside last January. Charges were made by holdover members that the present council is determined to make "a political football" of the new light contract, and that the good faith of the former administration had been challenged.

Mr. Calvert of the South Bend office defended the present lighting contract, stating that his company had acted in good faith and possessed a contract whose legality could not be questioned. He admitted that the first contract made by the preceding administration under which installation of the boulevard lighting system had been started was illegal, due to the presence on the contract of Manager H. W. Riley, but he contended that such illegality had been overcome by the second contract drawn under Ordinance 53, after the resignation of Riley and the appointment of Fred Mead as his successor.

He stated that at the time the contract was called in question, his company had already expended over \$5,000 in reworking the entire overhead lighting system of the village and had already obligated themselves to the installation of the boulevard lights.

He stated that his company had made no advances, but that representatives of the Westinghouse Electric Company, manufacturers of boulevard lights, had made the first advance, without collusion with the Indiana & Michigan Electric Company. His company made an offer after having been approached by the administration, he stated, to determine whether or not they could better the offer of the Westinghouse representative. The Indiana & Michigan saved the village \$8,000 by installing the boulevard lighting system without cost to the village, he maintained, and then increased the total street illumination from 40 to 45 percent at a current monthly cost of only about \$17 per month over the cost of the former system.

The Indiana & Michigan has an investment of about \$13,000 in additional equipment installed under the terms of the new contract, he stated, and are confident that that contract will stand any test which the present village administration may care to bring.

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News Around Galien The Happenings of the Past Week Among Our Neighbors to the West

Mrs. R. V. Slocum, Correspondent

Galien Culture Club Holds Annual Mid-Winter Frolic

The annual mid-winter frolic of the Culture Club was held Friday at the home of the president, Mrs. G. A. Jannasch. On account of illness only nine members were present to enjoy the sumptuous chicken dinner served by the committee in charge of Mrs. Clayton Smith and Mrs. Ed. Shearer. The afternoon was enjoyed in different kinds of contests and games. Mrs. John Hamilton, Mrs. Clayton Smith, Mrs. Clyde Swank and Mrs. Austin Dodd were the prize winners. Mrs. M. E. Tooley, of Oakland, Calif. and Mrs. L. Mitchell were the honored guests. The regular meeting of the club will be held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Hamilton.

Olive Branch

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee were in Buchanan Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lysie Nye called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ingles Saturday afternoon. School opened in this district Wednesday after the holiday vacation. Mrs. Millie Bowker, Kenneth, Daniel and Mike Kiefer are recovering from the flu. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fulton are ill with the flu. Vivian and Henry Ingles transacted business in St. Joseph Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Encl Swem were callers in the Nina James home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams and daughters, Evelyn and Irene, have recovered from their recent illness.

The church services at Olive Branch were postponed last Sunday on account of so much illness and inclement weather. Rev. H. D. Meads called in the Harry Williams and C. D. Rhoads homes Sunday afternoon. Word came to Mrs. Jake Sheeley and other relatives in this vicinity that her cousin, Linden Markham, died in Chicago from pneumonia. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at his former home in Wakarusa, Indiana. A white people, the Amus, inhabited the Japanese archipelago before the brown man came; they are now nearly extinct.

BLAKESLEE BLDG. WALL COLLAPSES LATE SATURDAY

OCCUPIED BY THE SWEM STORE; ONE OF OLDEST IN GALIEN

The ravages of time made their mark on one of the historic landmarks of Galien late Saturday afternoon when the upper part of the south wall of the Blakeslee building crumbled and fell into the street next to the Michigan Central. Encl Swem, who conducts a department store in the building, states that the section falling was between 6 and 7 feet high and between 30 and 40 feet long, comprising about 3,000 bricks. The collapse was due to the rotting of two sills which upheld the brick. The structure is the property of Mrs. Ed. Blakeslee of St. Joseph, and is one of the oldest buildings in the town.

Dorr Resigns Position as Supt. Galien Schools

Supt. C. F. Dorr has presented his resignation to the Galien school board in order to assume charge of the hardware business of his father, who died Saturday at Belding, Mich. Mr. Dorr was summoned to Belding Friday by tidings of the illness of his father, who passed away the following day. He is an only son, and will at once take over the management of the store. The Galien board met last night and accepted the resignation, but have not made arrangements yet as to a successor.

Wagner News

The Wagner Grange will hold its regular meeting Friday evening. Roll call will consist of a song or recitation relating to some foreign country. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lehrke are recovering from a three weeks' illness. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Best was taken to the Epworth hospital at South Bend Thursday. No improvement in its condition has yet been reported.

Galien Locals

Mrs. Clark Glover is visiting friends in Parma this week. Mrs. William Beach left Wednesday for a visit in Hammond. Mrs. Warren Hagley and Mrs. Pearl Roberts were Wednesday afternoon callers on Mrs. Paul Metzler. The Economic Club will attend an all day meeting next Tuesday held in the high school of Buchanan. Rev. Pheman Edwards delivered the sermon Sunday morning in the New Buffalo M. E. church on account of their pastor being ill. William Kiefer of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kiefer. His wife and children who have been here since the holidays accompanied him home. Mrs. Henry Swem was a Tuesday caller on Mrs. Oscar Grooms who has not been so well the past two weeks. William Pfahler is confined to his bed unable to sit up. He has been in failing health for over a year. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bailey are the proud parents of a baby boy born Tuesday, Jan. 8th at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hess. Mrs. Clemmy Roundy who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Will Mell in South Bend was called home Friday on account of the sickness of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Washburn. The Parents-Teacher association held their regular meeting in the high school Tuesday evening. Dr. Ellet of Benton Harbor gave a lecture on "Mental Hygiene." Miss Loraine Kelley played the piano for community singing. Mrs. A. Dodd, vice-president conducted the meeting, on account of the president, Mrs. F. Lintner, being ill. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sizer of Sawyer were Wednesday callers on Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sheeley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vinton and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Slocum. Mrs. Dick Hill of Glendora is confined to her bed suffering from injuries she received from a fall. Her grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Tooley of Oakland, Calif., is caring for her. Mrs. R. Wentland is teaching the Hills school this week in the absence of Miss Nellie Clark. H. A. Laycock has taken Prof. Dorr's place and Mrs. Oscar Allen of Niles, is teaching Mr. Laycock's room. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jannasch spent Sunday evening at the theatre in Buchanan. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Goodenough are entertaining the former's sister and husband from Wisconsin. Lester Smith, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Babcock is very ill with pneumonia at his home in South Bend. Dr. L. K. Babcock of Detroit was called to his bed Saturday. Miss Agnes Phillips entertained the Child Welfare Club last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Hohman. Mrs. Ora Kiefer resigned her position as secretary of the club and Mrs. Walter Ender was elected to take her place. Fred Hungerford who has been making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Best since September, was taken sick during the holidays and has returned to his home at Dowagiac. Vaughn Best, year and a half old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Best is very sick in the Epworth hospital at South Bend. Mr. and Mrs. Forest Potter who were married Christmas day, are expected home Tuesday from their honeymoon trip. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prenkert entertained Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Mando Potter. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Goodenough arrived safely at their home in Chicago after spending the holidays with relatives in St. Joseph, South Bend and Galien. Mrs. George Olmstead and son, Douglas, and daughter, Patty, were the Monday guests of Mr. Dean Straub. Miss Ola Green bookkeeper in the State Bank was able to return to her duties Monday after an illness of two weeks. Mrs. Vera Gamander is ill with the flu at the home of her mother, Mrs. Reese.

200 ATTEND FARM BUREAU ANNUAL MEET

Favor Division of The Taxes Into Two Payments.

The annual meeting of the Berrien County Farm Bureau was held Saturday, January 5, 1929 at Berrien Springs despite the rain, ice and slush. 150 took dinner together and others came in during the noon hour making at least 200 in afternoon session. Mr. Sam Kiefer, public relations director of the State Farm Mutual Auto Insurance Co. Our Farm Bureau Company, gave a very interesting and entertaining address on the work of the cooperative associations of the northwest and his experiences in that work. He also entertained the meeting with his dialect sketches. Resolutions on roads and taxes held the attention of the members for several hours, no decision was reached on the Covert Road Act. On taxes, the meeting went on record as favoring a division of the taxes, one-half to be paid on December first and the other half on June first, making it easier for the property holder to pay them. The new proposal for returning some of the gas tax money to the townships in proportion to the amount of mileage, square miles and valuation of the township, was accepted and adopted as proposed in the recent Farm Bureau Road meeting at Lansing. The meeting reaffirmed their previous stand for the following: Truth in Nursery stock. Rewards for thieving from Farm Bureau members. Women's Extension Work as part of the Farm Bureau program. The meeting favor a rigid inspection of the peach orchards for diseases and the appointment of the inspectors by the township boards instead of the appointment by the department of agriculture, as it is done now. Several superlatives were in the audience and supported this measure. The members were strongly opposed to any tampering with the Criminal Code law in regards to life imprisonment for four felonies. F. J. Thar, Coloma, was elected to succeed himself as director from the northern section of the county. Wm. F. Dean, Berrien Township, was elected to succeed himself from the central section, Ralph Ballard was elected to succeed himself from the central section, Ralph Ballard was elected to represent the southern district. A special meeting will be held the latter part of this month to discuss the Covert Road Act and the proposed new road legislation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wray Celebrate Golden Wedding in Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Spaulding have received word from the former's sister, Mrs. J. M. Wray of San Jose, California that she and her husband will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Saturday, January 12th at the home of their daughter, Laura Purinton at Seattle, Washington. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wray are well known in Buchanan, having lived here

Berrien County Scout Happenings

Happenings in January. Jan. 9.—Scoutmasters meeting at headquarters Benton Harbor. Scoutmasters meeting at Headquarters Dowagiac. Jan. 10.—Scoutmasters meeting, Buchanan. Jan. 11.—Executive board meeting at St. Joe and Benton Harbor Y. W. C. A. Jan. 11.—Executive Board meeting Dowagiac, Elks Temple. Jan. 12.—Patrol Leaders Conference headquarters, Benton Harbor, 10 a. m. Jan. 12.—Patrol Leaders Conference headquarters, Dowagiac, 10 a. m. Jan. 10.—Patrol Leaders Conference headquarters, Buchanan. Jan. 24.—Annual Council Banquet, M. E. Peace Temple Benton Harbor. Coming Events. Anniversary Week February 8 to 14th. Court of Honor Feb. 8—First Methodist Church St. Joseph. Scoutleaders training course, February. The biggest event of the year for the Council will be held at the Peace Temple Benton Harbor.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 11 Olive Brook "FORGOTTEN FACES" ODDITIES—NEWS SATURDAY, JANUARY 12 Milton Sills "THE HAWKS NEST" Special Comedy—Fables SUNDAY, JANUARY 13 Ruth Taylor, James Hall "JUST MARRIED" MATINEE AND NIGHT MONDAY, JANUARY 14 William Haines "EXCESS BAGGAGE" "THE MYSTERY RIDER" Number 1 TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15-16 Irene Rich "WOMEN THEY TALK ABOUT" "THE COLLEGIANS" COMING! Reginald Denny "THE NIGHT BIRD"

January 24th. Banquet to be in charge of the ladies of the Methodist church. It is estimated that 250 will attend. The speaker of the evening will be Rev. Joseph Fox of Dowagiac, a speaker who is in great demand throughout the state. Scout demonstrations will be put on by Troop No. 3 of the Methodist church, Benton Harbor, a ten-year veteran troop.

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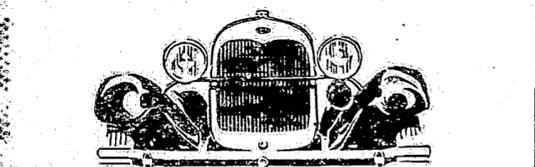
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Local News

Chalmers Luke, who underwent an operation at Pawating hospital in Niles for appendicitis, is much improved and expects to return home today.

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:15 at the home of Mrs. George Hanley on West Front Street. Mrs. W. S. Wells will be assistant hostess.

Allen Stevenson has returned to Woodstock, Ill., after enjoying a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rymearson will leave today for Alhambra, California, where they will spend several weeks visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Treat. They expect to take the Santa Fe route out, returning home by way of Seattle, Washington, and probably will stop in Montana for a visit with their niece, Mrs. Snyder and family.

The regular meeting of the Home Service Department of the Presbyterian church will be held Tuesday, January 15th. A one o'clock potluck luncheon will be enjoyed in the church parlors. This is an experience social and each member will tell how she earned 50c. A large attendance is hoped for.

Mrs. Ida Burnett, who has been ill for the past few months is much worse at this time. Mrs. G. H. Stevenson was in Niles Monday afternoon where she gave a talk on Watson's new book, "Child Training" at the Niles Historical club meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Onan Shipley have returned from a 10 days visit to Fort Smith, Russellville and Van Buren, Arkansas, where they visited Mr. Shipley's parents and

other relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Pennell attended a Pennell family dinner Friday night at Berrien Springs at the home of Mrs. William Pennell. She will spend the week-end there.

Miss Lena Erikson left Friday morning for her home in New Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McOmber, Berrien Springs, spent Thursday at the Walter Reese home.

Miss Janet Thompson was hostess at a 6 o'clock dinner Thursday evening and a theater party in South Bend to 13 young people. The following college students were guests: Celia Eisenhart, Dorothy Charles, Bill Desenberg, Charles Boyle and Robert French.

The following members of the Buchanan faculty were guests of the Niles faculty at their play "Dulcy" Friday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Muir, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Miss Neffenger, Miss Shriver, Miss Olsen, Miss Hanlin, Mrs. Walton, Mrs. Whitman, Mrs. Weaver, Miss Abel, Miss Reams, Miss Hopkins, Miss Clayton, Miss Skeels, Mrs. Heim, Mrs. Tishner, Miss Carnagan, Miss Myers and Mrs. Wilcox.

Miss Alyce Charles and Miss Dorothy Charles left Sunday for East Lansing where they attend Michigan State college after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Charles over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hick, of New Carlisle, and Mrs. Elmer Tatman, of Winthrop, Minn., have returned to their homes after visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mittan for some time.

Miss Winifred Andrews, who is an art instructor in the Flint public schools, and her guest, Miss Daisy Cook, have returned to Flint after being holiday guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Sadie Raymond, Days avenue.

Mrs. Jake Arney entertained the Missionary society of the Church of Christ Friday afternoon. Mrs. J. Arney and Mrs. Enos Schram had charge of the program. Re-

freshments were served.

Mrs. Richard Dougan and son, Darwin, of Berrien Springs, were visitors of Mrs. Dougan's mother, Mrs. Crane, at the Hotel Rex, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Rouse, who was seriously ill with influenza at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Van Halse, of Liberty Heights for the past few weeks, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shrier, Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dagget, West Roe street, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brewer, Sylvan avenue.

Jerry Mann and Arthur Welbaum left Thursday morning for Lincoln, Neb., where they will enter the Lincoln Paige school of mechanical aviation.

Mrs. Anna Sparks is spending her two weeks vacation with her daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Gilbert, Monroe, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Haslett attended the pot-luck supper at the Rumber club Thursday evening. Hugh Pierce returned Wednesday to Big Rapids, where he attends Ferris Institute.

Richie L. Haffner, S. Portage street, is in Garrett, Ind., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Haffner.

Bill Desenberg, Seymour Gross, Alfred White, Dale Chubb and Carroll Wilson returned to the University of Notre Dame after spending the holidays at their homes in Buchanan.

Lawrence Lauer returned Wednesday from an extended southern and eastern trip. He is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Lauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Siekman and family moved the first of the week to the Lloyd Rough farm on Portage road.

The Girls' Athletic association of the Buchanan high school had a sleigh ride party to Niles on Thursday evening. Miss Mary Jo Allington, head of the girls' physical education department, was the chaperon. Miss Thelma Whitaker and charge of the plans for the party.

Miss Madeline Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Hamilton, Lake street, has returned from Decatur, where she visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Squires.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stange have moved to Three Oaks.

Miss Gale Pears returned Wednesday to Elgin, Ill., where she is a teacher in the Elgin public schools, after spending the holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Pears, 303 W. Front street.

Sam Rouse, of Battle Creek, formerly manager of the Buchanan A. & P. store, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted

Rouse, Main street, over New Year's Day.

Harry L. Curtis, of Chicago, was the guest of his father, John Curtis, over the New Year's holidays.

Mrs. Harry Brown of Oak Park, Ill., spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. M. W. Fowler. She is now in Three Oaks for a few days as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Gelow.

Mrs. Arthur Watson is improved from her recent illness but is still confined to her home.

William Leiter is ill with la grippe at his home this week. Miss Louise Fuller is ill this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fuller, 208 East Chicago Avenue.

The Ind. & Michigan Electric tree trimming crew of seven men under the direction of foreman Lillard left Monday for Elkhart, after spending several months working in the Buchanan district.

Mrs. L. W. Johnson is now improving after a long siege of influenza, from which she suffered one relapse. J. F. Viele of the Hotel Rex returned Sunday to Chicago to remain several days transacting business.

Emerson Longfellow was injured last week when he fell while at work at the Buchanan Lumber Company, driving a nail into his knee.

Miss Victoria Zachman has been ill with sore throat for several days.

Gwendolyn, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ihrie, has been ill for the past week. Miss Priscilla White who spent the holidays at the home of her brother, Mr. J. A. White, returned to Boston last Sunday.

The first Thirty Club meeting of the new year was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. D. Childs. The meeting opened with roll call "Our New Year Resolutions." Two papers dealing with South American affairs were given, "European Immigration to South America," by Mrs. Chas. Boyle and "The Mennonites in Paraguay" by Mrs. Chas. Pears. During the business meeting plans were made for the play, "The Womanless Wedding" which is to be sponsored by the club. This play will be presented January 24 and 25 at the Clark Theatre. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. Strayer.

The Monday Literary Club will meet next Monday, Jan. 14, at the home of Miss Eva Chamberlain, in Charles Court. No meeting was held this week, due to illness of members.

C. D. Arnold has gone to Battle Creek on business for a few days. The Monday Literary Club will meet with Mrs. Henry Adams on January 14th. Eva Chamberlain has charge of the program. Members take note of change in pro-

gram.

Noah Resler was very pleasantly surprised when a number of his fellow workers of the Indiana & Michigan Electric Co., gathered at his home on Michigan Avenue Tuesday night to remind him of his twenty-seventh birthday.

Lunch consisting of ham loaf, mashed potatoes, gravy creamed peas with carrots, rolls, pumpkin pie and coffee were served to the following: Messrs. Roy Anders, Edward Miller and Russell Coleman of South Bend, Sherman Bradley, Mason Hines, and Clarence Maxwell, of Berrien Springs and Ralph Johnson, George Roberts of this place and the honor guest. The men presented Mr. Resler with a lovely Eversharp pencil and fountain pen set.

Rhinehart Schriver was returned to Chicago to resume his studies in the Dental school of Northwestern University, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Schriver.

Mrs. George Hanley received a telegram Saturday morning from her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Newberry telling of the death of her schoolmate, Myrtle Strong Ship, who passed away at Oakland, Calif., Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Newberry went to Oakland from Pasadena on Thursday to visit with Mrs. Ship and were with her at the time of her death. Mrs. Ship is well known here having lived here for a number of years. Funeral services were held Monday in Los Angeles, Calif.

Al Charles was able to be in the Chamber of Commerce rooms for a short time yesterday, after having been confined to his room since Saturday with an attack of influenza. The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular business meeting Friday evening, beginning with a potluck supper at 6:30 p. m.

Nine members of the Hills Corners Economic Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Beulah Kelley, where they made plans for an all-day meeting to be held January 22 at the home of Mrs. J. C. Boyle.

The Teachers' club met Tuesday with Mr. Kaler, president in the chair. After the business part Mr. Ormiston presented Superintendent Stark with a gift for his new son, Robert Joseph, which was a gift from the faculty. The following committees were appointed: Social, Miss Tina Skeel, Mrs. Mabel Wilcox, Miss Doris Reams and Ray Miller; educational, Mrs. May Whitman, Miss Lilly Abel, E. H. Ormiston; publicity, Mrs. Blanche Heim, Miss Mary Jo Allington, Eugene Hubbard.

The Royal Neighbors will have a pot-luck supper Friday night at their hall.

The Book club met with Mrs. Ed. Pascoe, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Stevenson gave the book review on Watson's, "Book on Child Behavior."

The Young Women's Foreign Missionary society met Tuesday night with Mrs. Glen Haslett. Sixteen were present. Mrs. W. E. Sargent had charge of devotionals; Mrs. Fern Wissler sang and Mrs. J. Semple had the study chapter on Africa.

Miss Minta Wagner, who has been ill for three weeks with flu and pneumonia is much improved.

The Girls Athletic association of the Buchanan high school met at the high school on Monday. Miss Florence Bradley was appointed social chairman for January, and she chose Miss Emma Bohi and Miss Cleo Cook, as her committee. The January activity will be a sleigh ride party to Niles, where dinner will be served to the girls of the association.

Robert Dempsey, son of Mrs. Lydia C. Dempsey, 120 South Detroit street, is confined to his home with influenza.

Charles F. Pears, Magnus Lundgren and Ira D. Wagner, Jr., were among those who attended the dedication of the Niles Elks' temple, on Monday evening.

Earl Eaton and Max Eaton, of Toledo, Ohio, who were enroute to Chicago stopped here on Monday to visit Mrs. Effie Crane.

The second of a series of "Family Nights," will be held at the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening. A 6:30 o'clock pot-luck supper will be served, after which there will be a program. Mrs. E. C. Pascoe is chairman of the arrangements.

Misses Alyce Charles and Dorothy Charles left on Monday for East Lansing, where they attend Michigan State college after being the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Charles, 124 South Detroit street, over the holidays.

The Young People's Sodality of St. Anthony's Catholic church had a party at the home of Jack and Miss Francis Irwin, 322 Cecil avenue, on Sunday evening. All attended the Princess theatre later in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Wagner, Jr. attended the Twin City Dancing club party held in the Whitcomb hotel, St. Joseph Tuesday evening.

M. L. Hanlin, Clark street left on Monday for Cincinnati, Ohio, where he will remain for some time.

Miss Reinke, South Portage street, has been ill of influenza for some time.

Arthur Voorhees, Moccasin avenue, who was quite ill with influenza, is much better.

Sounded Suspicious "Why do you think that Fanny doesn't like you?" "I told her there was a fool in every family!" "What did she say?" "She asked if I was an only son."

We are the kind of man that would pay out a \$5 gold piece by mistake for a dime, if he had the gold piece.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Presbyterian Church Church school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Subject: "The Ability of Christ."

Young People's Society at 8 p. m. Evening service at 7 p. m. Subject: "Doubt."

Coming: At the Morning Service on Sunday, Jan. 20th, Winfield Scott Hall, M. D., Ph. D. will speak on the subject: "Whither, America." This will be a rare opportunity for the people of this community to hear a National authority on the social conditions of today in our country.

Harry W. Staver, Minister. Evangelical Church. Bible school at 10 a. m. I. N. Barnhart, Supt. Morning sermon at 11 a. m. Subject, "Doctrines of Jesus Taught."

E. L. C. E. meet at 6 p. m. Under present organization, we have four groups, namely, Adults, Rev. L. May, president; Seniors, George Nelson, president; Juniors, under the leadership of May Rose. Prayer meetings each Thursday evening at 7:30.

T. E. Van Every, class leader of the Seniors. Mrs. Lula Decker, leader of Young Peoples Department.

Christian Science Church Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject: Sacrament. Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45.

Reading room open each Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4. "God" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches on Sunday, Jan. 6.

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory forever and ever Amen." (1 Tim. 1:17).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "God, the great I AM; the all-knowing, all-seeing, all-acting, all-wise, all-loving, and eternal; Principle, mind, soul, spirit, life, truth, love, all substance, intelligence" (p. 587).

Advent Christian Church. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Subject, "Suffering and Its Reward."

Evening service at 8 p. m. Subject: "The Counselor." W. O. Williams, Pastor.

Methodist Community Church. Church school at 10 a. m. Mr. Ormiston, Supt.; Mrs. Resler, Jr. Supt.

Morning Worship at 11 a. m. Sermon, "Conversation as an Art." Music by Choir, anthem, "In Perfect Peace," Ira B. Wilson. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7 p. m. Organ prelude, Mrs. Jennings, Community song fest. Prayers.

Anthem by Choir, "The Lord Is My Shepherd." Bertha Tamblin, with alto solo, Mrs. Liddicoat, and alto tenor duet, Dr. Sargent. Cornet solo accompanied with Pipe organ, offertory. Sermon, "Numbers of Gold." Benediction. Dismissal number by choir, "Now the Day Is Over." E. Liddicoat, Minister.

Methodist Church Notes An attendance contest is now on between the boys and girls of the Junior department, Mary Jane Zerbe has been appointed captain of the girls with Stephen Liddicoat piloting the boys. At the present the boys and girls are about evenly divided and it is going to

be a close race to see who shall win. The contest will end on Easter Sunday. The losing side will then be called upon to entertain the winners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Resler, of Buchanan, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Maxwell were guests at a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hatfield, at Elkhart, Thursday.

W. B. Rymearson Starting Today For California Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rymearson are leaving Thursday for Chicago, where they will visit at the home of their son, Lester, and then go on by train to California, where they plan to visit at the home of Mrs. Rymearson's brother, Frank Treat, at Alhambra, and at the home of the former's brother at Long Beach. They plan to visit until the middle of March.

REBEKAH LODGE DELAYS VISIT TO CASSOPOLIS Bayleaf Rebekah Lodge 248 will not go to Cassopolis Friday evening, Jan. 11, to be the guest of the lodge there. The visit has been postponed on account of bad roads, and will be held at a later date.

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### New Year's Rich Offering

What does the new year mean to you, what is your appraisal of all it brings in opportunities, and how do you plan to use them that you may be better for the experience and the world no poorer?

On his recent birthday Thomas A. Edison said he would give all his accumulated fortune if he could be given the privilege of living for the next 20 years, close enough to understand the scientific development and material progress that would be made.

To him the world appears to be on the verge of the greatest developments, affecting humanity, in all its history. Scientists have bored their way deep into the store of hidden things, they are near some of the wonderful revelations Nature appears to have in store for them, they are entering new fields, promising to open up treasures of which the scientist long has dreamed and speculated. Mr. Edison thinks it will be a great time to live. He would give all he has won from the world with his achievements, discoveries and inventions, just to have a chance to stay in the great scientific struggle and take some part in pushing back still farther the curtain. To his mind the most modest part in that campaign would be sufficient to thrill the soul of a man.

Science has begun to reach out, with more certainty, better understanding and greater courage, determined to wrest from Nature some of the facts hidden from man through all the ages. Invention has been making over the world in which we live, changing our views of life, but the great inventions, that will give basis for more wonderful achievements, the scientists feel remain to be made. Evidently Mr. Edison joins in that agreement.

The world is in the scientific age, the marvelous has become nearly commonplace to the unlettered, so simple are the truths that have been wrested from Nature that the commoner understands. Children are handling the radio, do that task with intelligence, yet the greatest of scientists cannot explain in full what it is and how the results are secured.

In that age it is our privilege to live, a time when life is made richer with each discovery, when our outlook changes and we view and consider the world as a whole. No longer are we isolated. All nations join to entertain and interest us. Through all these changes man remains the same, even if our understanding may be broadened as we gaze upon the new and study the changes in progress all about us. One obligation for all is to make certain adjustments to meet new conditions and correctly understand the larger privileges of life today and tomorrow over life in the past. And in this new age the world and all activities of man are hunting for those competent to lead on the march of progress. Each individual has that rich opportunity.

### The Five-Day Week

Henry Ford announces a plan to put the five-day week into effect at once in his Detroit factory. The factory will continue in operation six days a week but, through the employment of 30,000 extra men, it will be made possible for each individual worker to have two days off in seven. In this way Mr. Ford expects not only to give his employes more leisure but also to increase the output of the plant. "A six-day week is all right for machines," he says, "but a five-day week is enough for men."

The tendency toward shorter hours of work has been observable for some time in these days of labor-saving inventions and factory efficiency. A few years ago the late Judge Gary thought it would be ruinous to the United States Steel Corporation to abolish the 12-hour day in some departments of the company's mills, though he was proved wrong before he died. The American Federation of Labor is pledged to the principle of the five-day week, not only as a means of giving

workers more time off but as a means of relieving unemployment. But we note one omission in the account we have seen of Mr. Ford's new plan. It says nothing about wages. If the five day week means only five days' pay on the present scale, we hardly think it will prove popular with those affected. More leisure more often than not means more spending.

### ENCOURAGING EXAMPLES.

After playing fast and loose many times with the law, Joe Sals, the widely known as Chicago's beer baron, and "Big Earl" Herbert, described as his chief of staff, have both finally felt its teeth. For 20S days Salsit's eluded federal and state officials, being wanted by the former in connection with charges of violating the prohibition laws and by the latter to serve a 60-day sentence for carrying concealed weapons.

He gave himself up, expecting to get a continuance of the federal charge against him while he served the 60-day term, and hoping to save the \$5000 bond on which he had been arrested. Instead, the government moved to forfeit his bond and moved to have him serve a jail term for every day he had been absent on a charge of contempt of court. It also objected when his attorney sought to have bond fixed for him. At about the same time, the internal revenue department began an inquiry into his income tax returns which are alleged to have been, entirely too modest for a man who prides himself on being a gentleman farmer, with blooded stock and a golf course on his farm.

Herbert, meanwhile, was found guilty by a jury on a charge of assault with intent to murder, which in Illinois carries a penalty of from one to 14 years in prison. This lieutenant of Salsit's is described as having been arrested frequently in recent years in Chicago's perennial liquor war, but never before has been found guilty on a felony charge. He professed to have been in Canada when the killing which figured in the case took place. Before being forced to trial on the charge he obtained 19 continuances.

These are among the encouraging signs that Chicago is awakening to a new day for justice. One reason the city has had an evil name is just because gangsters and other undesirable citizens have managed, apparently with ease, to flout the law. A few salutary examples made of such gangsters will do more to restore the self-respect of Chicago and its standing among other cities than anything else. No other remedy is at once so simple or effective.

### The Flu.

The flu situation is pretty bad. Many an office force is sadly depleted and the doctors are extraordinarily busy. One of them told us yesterday that he was either eating no meals at all these days or else bolting them and was so tired at night that his sleep seemed to do him no good. Thus he goes directly against the advice he gives his patients, but that is often the way with doctors and an emergency is no time for consistency anyhow.

The doctors do not appear to know much about flu. The germ has not been isolated, as they say. But, bless their hearts, they do know how to take care of you when you have it and they have some good general advice to offer on its prevention in the individual case. Death loves a shining mark no more than the flu germ loves a tired-out man or woman. Therefore don't work or play to the point of exhaustion. Go to bed early in a well ventilated room. Eat moderately, be regular in all your habits, take things easily. If you take these sensible precautions, you may still have the flu but you diminish the chances of it and, at the very worst, you can have it with a clear conscience, a great aid toward a speedy recovery.

### Fireplace Pictures and Music

Happy are those who are able to visit with a wood fire in a grate, or a log fire in an old-fashioned

fireplace, who can look, listen and dream while the logs sing, sputter and snap as the fire takes hold and makes headway. A wood fire in the grate or fire place always is friendly, makes its contribution of warmth and provides as much good cheer as those around it can absorb. When the winter winds blow and the cold is intense, one may pull up the arm chair, sit on a new log, not too dry, with enough moisture to make it steam and sizzle and snap and sing, light the pipe, forget all troubles, absorb the peace of domestic content, and know some of the joys too deep for full expression.

Fire under control is the friend of man, wood rightly used gives shelter and aid in a thousand ways. The wood fire waves defiance to the cold, insures bodily comfort, invites mental relaxation and ease, brings an opportunity for vagrant fancies to wander, and pictures appear no man ever will see save under the spell of the log fire, during evening hours when all the world is still. Under such conditions how those logs do visit with and seek to entertain the dreaming soul in the arm chair!

There is less snap and crackle in pine wood, it is light, has many air spaces, burns rapidly, makes a quick heat, but an oak, or hickory log in the fireplace is different. There are air pockets in the logs, the heat plays upon these chambers, the air is forced out through tiny openings, one hears the hissing, notes the tiny puffs and jets of smoke and steam as the air is released or gas generated reaches the fire. The hard woods burn slowly, there is much of hissing and sputter if a part of the sap is still in the log, there is snap and crackle when the heat dries out the wood and the fire hurries its task on.

Chestnut logs make the ideal fireplace fire, as chemicals in the wood contain gases that flash forth in snapping bursts of flame. One may spend hours watching a chestnut log consumed and never see two snaps or tiny explosions that are the same. There is infinite variety provided by Nature in such displays. There is a fragrance that fills the rooms as cedar is burned. It comes from the oils that are vaporized under heat and find their way into the air.

Those who hear the music of the wood fire find endless pleasure in visiting before the fireplace as the new log is consumed, one is reminded of pleasures of other years as the pictures move and flit about in the fire light glow. There is revelry and retrospect, fragrant and delightful. Happy are those who can hear the music of the fireplace.

President Coolidge has become such an ardent sportsman and such an expert with the rifle that we should think the photographers who accompany him on his hunting trips would be a little nervous, after all the provocation they've given him.

Of course we're young yet but we can't remember the time when one Booth didn't think it would be better if some other Booth than the one occupying that important position at the moment were at the head of the Salvation Army.

The Boulder Dam law leaves it to the discretion of the secretary of the interior whether the power

plant shall be operated by the government, or by private interests, and we'll bet old A. B. Fallis is signing for what might have been.

This is a world of change, as we remarked to the best dressed girl in this neighborhood the other day when she came in and sat down for a few minutes, and the shortages of yesterday are the longies of tomorrow.

The flu is so prevalent that we suppose Countess Szechenyi, who reached our shores the other day, keeps looking around every time she passes along a busy street, thinking someone mentioned her name.

We doubt the wisdom of Henry Ford's advice to us young men never to save a cent and one of our most important New Year's resolutions is to save systematically in 1930 or sometime.

It is very hard to be completely frank and when the esteemed advertisement conscientiously explains that Northern seal is dyed coney we suppose it means dyed rabbit.

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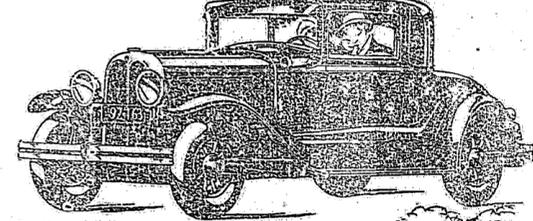
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This reduction, which is the third announced during the past two years and four months, will apply to interstate calls made between 4:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. and for distances between 130 and approximately 1,500 miles. Evening and night period rates will remain unchanged.

The new interstate rates will represent a reduction of from five to 25 cents each on day station-to-station calls, or calls in which the calling party does not express a desire to talk with some person in particular. Equivalent reductions will be made in the rates on

person-to-person calls, or calls in which the calling party specifies that he wishes to talk with some certain person.

The speeding of long distance service has made it possible to handle long distance calls at lower cost, and the saving is being passed along to the telephone user, it is stated. Connections on more than 80 per cent of long distance calls of the country now are completed while the calling subscriber remains on the line, which is made possible by improvements in equipment and methods and the increase of facilities. During 1928, approximately 1,500 miles of long distance telephone cable was constructed by the Bell System, which set a new record for a single year.

Mr. Zwergel states that the reduction is in keeping with the Bell System policy, announced by President Walter S. Gifford of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, of furnishing the "best possible service at the lowest cost consistent with financial safety."

The last previous reduction in rates on interstate long distance calls became effective December 1, 1927, and resulted in an annual saving to telephone users of approximately \$1,500,000. A reduction effective October 1, 1926, represented an annual saving of \$3,000,000.

### Wife of Former Buchanan Doctor Expires in Iowa

(The Record is indebted to J. G. Homes for the following.)

Mrs. Agnes Haugen Wells, wife of Dr. Jay L. Wells, formerly of Buchanan, died January 1, 1929, at their home in Iowa City, where Dr. Wells is employed as instructor in Iowa State University, Dental department. Mrs. Wells was ill but a short time with pneumonia. Her former home was near Decorah, Iowa, and the remains were taken there for interment.

Dr. Wells will be remembered as the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. (Tote) Wells, who lived in Buchanan previous to 1899, and are now living in Boone, Iowa.

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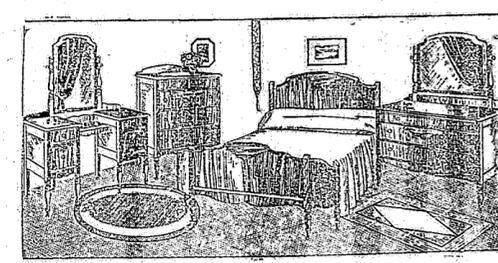


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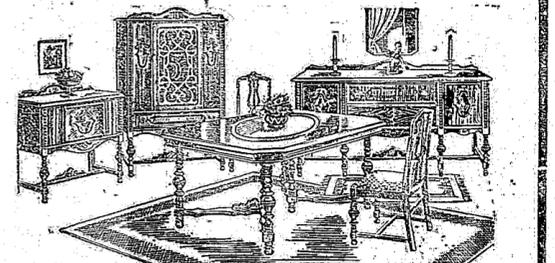
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# THE MICROPHONE

# News of Buchanan Schools

News of Student Life Gathered and Written by Upper Classmen of Buchanan High School

## BUCKS TAKE MEASURE OF BERRIEN SPGS

Buchanan whipped Berrien Springs 24 to 9 on Berrien's floor. The team guarded their basket very tenaciously and kept close possession of the ball, but they had not yet regained their eyes for baskets after vacation.

Berrien Springs fought hard right up to the finish, as the score by quarters shows their making points on a par with Buchanan in the fourth quarter. The Springs boys are a rangey crew with plenty of "go," but they were no match for the Maroon and White coached so carefully by Coach Bradford.

Prings sank the first basket for Buchanan right off the tip-off. Graham then made a basket for the Springs and things were started right. The first quarter ended Buchanan 7, Berrien Springs 3, however. The second quarter Berrien came back and slowed things up considerably, holding Buchanan to only 2 points while she made the same. The third quarter Coach Bradford set the quintet straight again, and they blanked Berrien Springs and made 11 points too. The fourth quarter Berrien strengthened and again came on a par for a quarter, the game ending Buchanan 24, Berrien Springs 9.

Berrien Springs' Seconds put up a real scrap defeating Buchanan's Reserves 15 to 13. The Buchanan boys were ahead till the last few minutes of the game, when Berrien sank a basket and a free throw before Buchanan could regain the ball. It was a real game.

The first team lineups were: Buchanan. Berrien Springs. Fingst. L. F. Graham. Sawicki. R. E. Duran. Pierce. C. G. Gifford. Roe. L. G. Tillstrom. Morse. R. G. Hoopingarner. Morse was high point man for the evening with 9 points to his credit as running guard.

The Second's lineups were: Buchanan. Berrien Springs. Chubb. L. F. Bunnell. Eisenhart. R. E. Wetzel. Dreitzler. C. G. F. Jones. Shultz. L. G. E. Stover. Lawson. R. G. Snavelly.

FOR SALE—Late Victor Records, excellent numbers. 75c values at 40 cents. Robinson Music Store.

## Assistant Supt. Schools Reports For Duty Sunday

Harold Jr., assistant superintendent of our schools, arrived Sunday morning at the home of his parents, 306 W. Third St., at 1:20.

He reported immediately that his clothes were too small as he had gained about four pounds along the journey. However, the parents recognized him immediately and welcomed him into their home, advising him to take up his share of the routine necessary for a complete, well rounded and efficient life among his fellowmen.

The new mother, who is told, is breaking all records for health and happiness. Needless to say Supt. Harold Sr. is certainly wearing a smile unparalleled in the history of our schools.

## This and That

Last Thursday Mrs. Lamb and Mrs. Pennell attended the mental clinic held in St. Joseph for the benefit of the children of the county who need mental care.

Margaret Harrington, who is in charge of the Thrift banking of the First National Bank, visited our schools last Friday, checking the bank books belonging to the pupils.

We feel this work of no little importance since our last report shows \$8,821.27 to our credit.

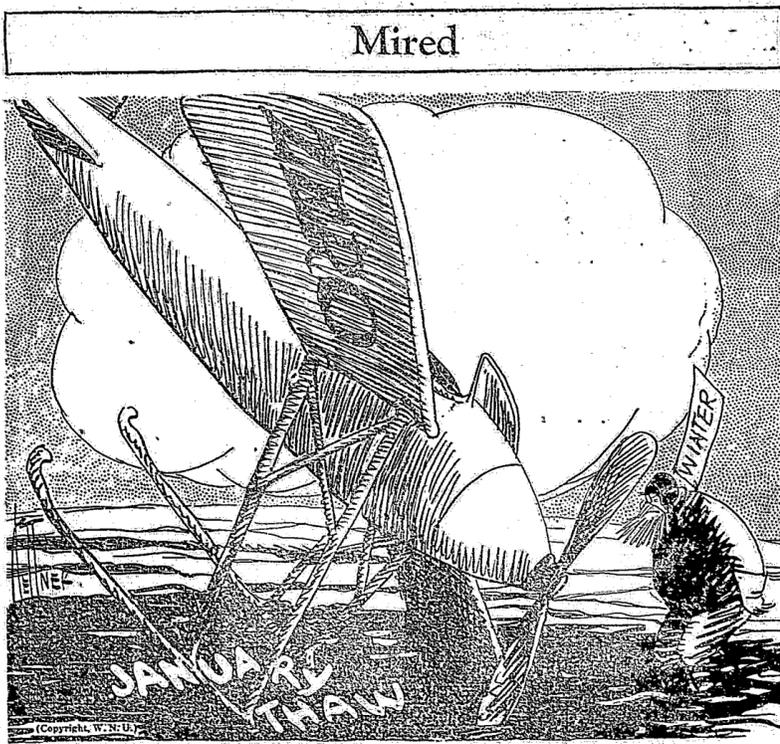
While Mrs. Pennell was in New York City during vacation, Mr. and Mrs. Charles King, who moved from Buchanan last September and who are now living in Irvington, N. J., spent the afternoon with her.

Mr. King has been most successful in his work in the Irvington schools and especially so as the debating coach, his team of two untrained debaters being matched with older ones in the field, and carrying away equal honors.

Mr. and Mrs. King have found a goodly number of their Wheaton college friends located in and near Irvington, and Mr. King has been honored by being elected President of the Eastern Wheaton Division. They wished to be remembered to all their close friends.

During vacation the members of our Faculty could be found at various points extending from South Dakota, where the temperature registered 20 degrees below zero, to New York City, where the weather was balmy like that of April.

Mrs. Lura French is absent from her duties this week on account of an injury to one of her feet. Her sister, Mrs. Zerbe, is teaching for her.



## Mired

## DOWAGIAC TO TRY FOR REVENGE ON HARDWOOD FRIDAY

## POSTPONED NILES TILT TO BE PLAYED OFF JANUARY 16

Next Friday, January 11, Buchanan goes to Dowagiac for a real tussle. It's bound to be some fracas the way the teams are showing up. Training rules and practice are ever improving the squad. Dowagiac is out to scrap for rights, now that Buchanan handed her a 13 to 0 defeat in football. Any fan wanting to go may be able to secure seats on one of the busses going to Dowagiac if they speak to Mr. Ormiston in time.

Next week, Wednesday, January 16, the postponed game will be played with Niles here. This is always a thriller and promises to be an exceedingly good one this time. It must be remembered that there are two games at each fracas this year, and they start at 7:30 p. m. Next Wednesday, those wishing seats had best come early.

## SCHOOL-HOME CO-OP. PLAN IN FORMULATION

Beginning Jan. 21, the first day of the new semester, a new plan for the strengthening of school and home ties will be started. The boys and girls of each class will meet separately every week for 30 minutes under the auspices of a teacher especially delegated to meet with them. The purposes of this plan are that the teachers may learn what the students are doing to see if investigation of the home is necessary, to take care of the regular school banking, and to discuss such problems as citizenship and school government.

The teachers who will have charge of these groups are the following: Mr. Muir, freshmen boys; Miss Shriver, freshmen girls; Mr. Kayer, sophomore boys; Miss Neffenger, sophomore girls; Mr. Bradford, Junior boys; Miss Skeels, Junior girls; Mr. Hubbard, senior boys; and Mrs. Dunbar, Senior girls.

## HOLMES SCHOOL

Marian Baltz is the honor pupil for December. She received an average for the month.

The pupils not absent nor tardy for the month of December are: Marian and Charles Baltz, Aletha and Thelma Hartline, Ivan Price and Chester Head.

Carol Sebasty and Ralph Gilbert were both ill with the flu and were unable to attend the Christmas dinner and program at the school the last Friday before vacation.

Our school has a new liquid soap and paper towel container. Now we can wash our hands and faces before lunch.

Miss Batten presented a phonograph record, "Christmas Bells" and "Santa Claus Workshop" to the school at the Christmas program.

We mourn the death of our second grade pupil, Thelma Hartline.

An editor gets many an idea from folks who suggest how to run the paper. Most frequently it is the idea that he'd like to shoot the suggester.

Doctors declare that fasting for 15 days will restore one's basic metabolic rate if you care for that sort of thing.

## Grade News

### First Grade.

For language work we are talking about the Eskimos. The following were neither absent nor tardy during the month of December: Beulah Anderson, Richard Dilley, Robert Donley, William Fatter, Wanda Forge, James King, Goldie Reitz, Rivlio Ross, Lee Topash, and Theodora Walker.

### Third Grade.

The language class wrote the story of the Christ Child. The best story was written by Paul Liddicoat.

Agnes Kovich leads the class in spelling.

We are learning the multiplication tables. Beverly Koons has learned the first seven tables.

Ben Marvel has recently been visiting in Jonesville, Virginia, and has been telling the class about his trip.

### Junior High

The Junior High assembly boasts of an orange tree on which may be found four ripe oranges and several green ones. The pupils remember when the tree was in full bloom late last winter.

The flu has enrolled a goodly number of our pupils on its list, but we hope they shall be absent a very short time, as the general review work all through the grades will soon be well under way preparatory to the mid-semester examinations which are to be held Jan. 17 and 18.

The Friday morning assembly program was in charge of Miss Theo Olson, head of the music department. Community singing was the main source of entertainment. Roger Thompson and Sheldon Ryan played the High School Song. A short pep meeting was also a feature of the program.

### First Grade News.

We still have a great many absent in the First Grade at Dowey Avenue because of sickness.

The First Graders are learning to spell and are working hard.

We have a new pupil in the First Grade, Russel Walters from Galien, Mich.

### Second Grade News.

In spite of bad weather, the attendance in Mrs. Wilcox's room is very good, only two absent on Monday.

Laurence Dillinger, who has been very ill, is not able to be in school yet this week.

Mrs. Wilcox's second grade are studying the poem "Winter" in Language work. The Art work consists of illustrations of scenes in this poem.

We are glad to have William Snyder, Dorothy Hoover, Elberta and Orlo Maxson with us again after several weeks absence on account of flu.

The girls and boys in Mrs. Fischer's room are learning a poem called "The New Year." They are reading stories about snow, ice, winter birds. The art work consists of original drawings representing these stories. On account of our many absence we are reviewing in spelling and are working hard for high marks.

The faculty members of the Buchanan schools attended a complimentary program staged at Niles by the Niles faculty on Friday. The play "Dulcy" was staged, and a very pleasant time was reported by the attending guests.

The Buchanan Debating team will debate this week with Paw Paw. The regular state debating question will be used, of which,

## Buchanan School Savings Total is Nearing \$6,000

School Bank Account is growing; the total amount saved by the boys and girls of Buchanan Schools, today, reaches a total of \$5,732.37. This is a remarkable result of thrift that has been undertaken by our schools.

The Junior High leads all other departments of school. With a percent of 100. In the grades 75 percent of the boys and girls are banking, while in the high school only 60 percent are banking. Those in charge of the project believe that this is one of the most important activities that can be sponsored by the school. Thrift is needed in all fields today, and the saving of money, though it is in small amounts, is surely to be encouraged among our boys and girls. Parents should take an active interest in watching the bank account of their own boys and girls.

## New Troy School Notes

On account of so much "flu" among the faculty members and students our school news has been slighted for the last two or three weeks.

The Honor Roll for the second term of school in all classes is as follows:

Beginners—Victor Pearson, Shirley Liskey.

First Grade—Mary McKeen, Virginia Michalski, Jean Stratton, Alden Sexton.

Second Grade—Robert Keefer, Peter Ritchie.

Third Grade—May Marx, Bobbie Liskey, Hazel English, Vera Penland, Helen Ritchie.

Fifth Grade—Jay Sexton, Henry Marx, Doris Liskey, Henry Coupe.

Sixth Grade—Eugenie Plomb, Ruth Decker, Genevieve Skibitzki.

Seventh Grade—Walter Wetzel, Charles Kennedy, Hope Kelley.

Eighth Grade—Carmen Findel, John Ratz, Adelane Waters, Marjorie Weaver.

High School—Ninth, Alice Colke, Tenth, Lydia Mansinger, Francis Shermak, Doris Peterson; Eleventh, Katherine Boyd, Russell Most, Phillip Sexton; 12th, Elizabeth Schaeffer, Dorothy Schopbach, Irvin Pearson.

Two new students have entered school the past week. Virginia Hoag from the Gardener district has entered the eighth grade.

George Bower has transferred from the Holland school. He is in the seventh grade.

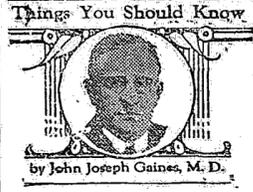
Tonight, (Friday, Jan. 11)—we

## About Your Health Things You Should Know

This is not the age of chance—of good or bad luck. It is an age of scientific accuracy if anything. Intelligent young men and women nowadays weigh important contracts before entering them—and, there is no more serious engagement than the marriage contract.

Perfect happiness is impossible without perfect health. Each party to the marriage-vow has a perfect legal and moral right to demand and expect physical capability, on the part of the other. Given a perfectly healthy couple—and that

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## Buchanan Engages St. Joseph in Two Practice Debaters

On Friday, January 4, the Buchanan debating team held a practice debate with St. Joseph. Buchanan upheld the affirmative side of the question. The debate was staged at St. Joseph and no decision was rendered.

St. Joseph will bring their affirmative team to Buchanan this week for a return debate, and in the meantime practice debates will be held with Niles. These encounters are in preparation for the debate with Paw Paw on January 11.

The Basques speak the only language in Europe that is not of Aryan origin.

## Timely Specials —on— HOT WATER BOTTLES

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## PUBLIC SALE!

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TUESDAY, JAN. 15 SALE COMMENCING AT 1 O'CLOCK SHARP

3—HEAD OF CATTLE—3 Registered Guernsey Cow, 9 years old, with Heifer Calf by side; Grade Guernsey Cow, 7 years old, to freshen in March.

4—HEAD OF HORSES—4 Brown Gelding, 10 years old, weight 1400 lbs.; Bay Gelding, 9 years old, weight 1400 lbs.; Gray Mare, weight 1200 lbs.; Bay Mare, 6 years old, weight 1100.

38 BROWN LEGHORN CHICKENS 38 HAY AND GRAIN 4 tons Timothy Hay; 3 tons Clover and Alfalfa; some Oats; Straw in barn.

IMPLEMENTS Seven-foot cut Deering Binder; Deering Mower, Disc Grain Drill, nearly new; Cultipacker; Dump Hay Rake, Walking Corn Plow; Potato Digger, Disk, No. 43 Oliver Walking Plow; 3-section Spring-tooth Drag, 2-section Spike-tooth Drag; Single Shovel Plow; two 3-horse Evershams, 3 1/2 Birdsell Wagon, Iron Wheel Wagon, new; Hay Rack, Wood Rack, set Dump Boards, pair Bob Sleds, Open Buggy, 2 Wheel Barrows, Grain Sacks, Slip Scraper, new; Shovels, Manure Forks, Hay Forks, 3 Log Chains; 2 Cow Chains, 10 Barrel Water Tank, 40 rods Hog Fence, Chicken Fence, Extension Ladder, 25 Iron Fence Posts, 50 Gallon Gasoline Tank, Kerosene Barrel, 2 Scoop Shovels, 2 Picks, Keg of Nails, pair Posthole Diggers, 1 Set Blocks, Sack Truck, three 50 Gallon Barrels, Cross Cut Saw, one-man Cross Cut Saw, new; pair Ply Nets, 2 Crow Bars, 30 gallons Medium Motor Oil, 1500 feet New Lumber, 2 Sawn Wagon Tongues, several Wagon Reaches, one can Harness Oil, one pair Horse Blankets, Set of Double Harness, 2 Sets Single Harness, several Collars, old Harness and many articles, too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE All Sums of \$10.00 and under, Cash; on Sums over \$10.00, a credit of 8 months will be given the purchaser to give bankable note, with 7 per cent interest, if paid when due. If not paid when due, attorney fees added. A discount of 4 percent for Cash.

Claude Mitchell, Prop. JOHN WOODS, Auctioneer. JESSE BOYLE, Clerk.

means mentally as well—and the divorce courts will be shy in clientele by the couple who prefer a higher plane of existence.

I suppose there are haphazard matches, by youngsters who are impelled by animal desire to undertake marriage. These do not last long after disillusionment. It is very easy to deceive one's self in the age of inexperience—and the awakening is mighty painful sometimes.

The young man or woman should never enter the marriage state unadvised. I know of no situation where the advice of the sympathetic family physician is more demanded. Let the young man go to his doctor and ask every question he can think of about matters of which he is ignorant. He should submit cheerfully to a full physical examination; and, it is perfectly proper for him to learn from the same source how to care for the trusting young woman who is giving herself into his keeping. Young man, there is no better counsel than this I'm giving you. Please bear it in mind constantly, ere the most important step of your life is taken.

Miss Lillian Budoff of Chicago returned to her home Saturday after visiting at the home of her aunt for the past two weeks. Word has been received here of

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TOTAL \$865,924.69

Capital stock paid in \$50,000.00 Surplus 25,000.00 Undivided profits—net 28,462.67 Reserves for dividends, contingencies, etc. 3,000.00 Circulating notes outstanding 50,000.00 Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding 8,886.27 Demand deposits 268,283.22 Time deposits 432,089.32 Other liabilities 203.21

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State of Michigan, County of Berrien, ss: I, Alonzo F. Howe, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Alonzo F. Howe, Cashier. Correct—Attest: Chas. F. Pears, Oscar E. Swartz, A. E. Housworth, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1929. Wison Leiter, Notary Public.

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# The Old Timers' Corner

## Old Timer Tells of influence Hard Knocks on Character

And now we have a brand new year. Let us hope that it will be all that we desire in the way of health, happiness and good business.

Have just been having a talk with a younger man, who thinks he is very old and experienced, and he is in a way, for he is thirty years old and that is more than twenty-one, alright. He knows his business very well, but he will know his business still better when he has added a few more "tens" on top of what he now has. He said something just now that impressed me, however, and that was that when he sees an older man or woman and talks with them, he feels that they have been thru the mill, so to speak, and that they know a lot of things that they have learned from hard knocks and experience, that he does not yet know and that he would like very much to know, taking it from them and their judgment. I was surprised that a man so young as he, would take that sensible a view. So I guess that NOT ALL of the younger generation are heedless of we "old timers" after all.

Now I don't want you to think that my idea of a good time is to sit around and lean on a cane and tell the younger generation how to do things, far be it from me. I like to watch them do them and see how well they can do, and then I look back on the days when I was in their boots and trying to put the best foot forward. We all have to grow up and no matter how much we try to make people believe we know, we are at times doubtful as to just how much we DO know and what is best to do next. And to tell the plain truth, I have never gotten so "wise" that I didn't have times of that same kind all of my life. Just have to do the best you can and try not let folks know that you are uncertain at all.

Most of you know that to "move" is not a very inviting job. Well, I have been going thru that for the last few weeks, it seems to me. I am all settled again in my new quarters and feel almost young again. I shall not take time to tell you all about the new place for you wouldn't be interested in it anyway. It's just of interest to poor fish that has to change things around now and then for his own benefit and so let us hope that it will all be for the best.

I guess most of you know that "Old Timer" has been doing mechanical work all his life and doing it in a profession that is second to none, in importance, in human life. So some of these days I am going to give some of the little rules for right doing as regards my particular profession, as I have seen them in the light of over 30 years experience. It may not appeal to all of the old timers, but it won't do them any harm to have some one tell them things that hurt a little, if it will make for their betterment in the long run.

So next week, unless the editor stops me, I am going to write a letter and tell you something about teeth that you may already know and maybe you don't, but I will write it anyway. I remember a story of an old lady that was at a religious meeting and they were all sitting up and telling what they were thankful for. She told, among other things, of one of her sons that had been hanged for horse-stealing, one who had been shot as a burglar, and many other such things, but she stated with a slight quaver of sincerity in her voice, that "I still have two teeth, and they HIT." Well now, as we grow older, some of us have been so unfortunate as to have very few that "hit", but others of us have been more fortunate. That's fine, and so next week I am going to deviate from my regular line of talks and talk to you on something that I think I know about, Your Teeth. "OLD TIMER"

### Hills Corners

Mrs. Clem McClellan is convalescing from her recent illness. George Allen, Amiel Villiard, and Tom Carpenter have returned from a motor trip to Florida where they visited Tom Walton. Eleanor Peterson has gone to Chicago for the rest of the winter. Miss Beatrice Boyle has returned to her work at Lansing, after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Boyle. The Hills Corners' Christian church held their annual meeting at the church Sunday, Jan. 6. A fine dinner was served at noon. In the afternoon reports for the year were given, officers elected and plans for the new year talked over.

The Hills Corners' school gave their postponed program Saturday evening. "The Little New Year" given under the direction of the music teacher, Mrs. Con Kelley, Kenneth Blackman took the part of the new year, Ralph Styburski, the old year, and Earl McClellan, Father Time. Each of the twelve months and their holidays were represented. Fred Kennedy as the Little April Fool was especially good.

Mrs. Dick Hill is sick with the flu. The children in Loens Strauss' family are among the sick ones. SHAWNEE

The Shawnee school gave an entertainment at the close of the holiday vacation. There have been quite a number of flu patients in and around this vicinity namely Mr. and Mrs. George Shaffer and daughter, Evelyn, and son Clifford; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shaffer and daughter, Helen, have all recovered.

Ronald Weaver was absent from school two weeks on account of the flu. Quite a number from this neighborhood attended the Farm Bureau meeting held at Berrien Springs Saturday, January 15, and report an enjoyable event, their being good speakers and a nice program.

Clare Dungleberg is attending business college at South Bend. Mr. and Mrs. Grace Scheetz of South Bend were callers at the Wm. Weaver home Friday evening.

Mr. Starver who is at the Jenny Dungleberg home has been ill with the flu, the former's daughter, Helen, are visiting him at present. Mr. Wm. Pagel and daughter, Ella, and son, William, accompanied by Lazell Weaver, attended the skee jump at Berrien Springs Sunday afternoon, which was both interesting and entertaining, but owing to the severe cold, many left before the finish.

Mason Smith motored to Dowagiac Thursday where he is pianist in an Orchestra where they played to a large audience.

### COLVIN DISTRICT

Colvin school opened Monday after two weeks holiday vacation. Many repairs were made at the Colvin school during vacation.

The following have neither been absent nor tardy during the first four months of school: Arlene Lolmaugh, Melvin Stoner, Elsie Blanta, Mildred Lolmaugh and Winifred Abele.

During vacation Colvin District lost two pupils as Frances and George Grenert have entered school in South Bend.

The following had an average of 100 percent in spelling during December: Melvin Stoner, George Grenert, Elsie Blanta, Blanche Blanta, Frances Grenert, Mildred Lolmaugh, Albert Lolmaugh, Ralph Lolmaugh, Ardell Kinney and Winifred Abele.

The following had an average of 100 percent in arithmetic during December: Melvin Stoner, Ralph Lolmaugh, Ardell Kinney and Winifred Abele.

The following were flu victims during the holidays: Aena Lolmaugh, Arlene Lolmaugh, Albert Lolmaugh, Mildred Lolmaugh, Jean Stoner and Melvin Stoner.

Charles Mutchler has been elected director of the Colvin School Board to fill the vacancy of A. F. Grenert.

A. L. Grenert and family have moved to South Bend.

Miss Lois Kinney returned Sunday to Albion to resume her duties as teacher after spending two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinney.

Matilda and I met in France.

Coming back she taught me to dance.

But the ocean was rough, and I soon had enough.

For I slipped and tore quite a gash in my pants.

Our Teddy's girl at Junior Week

Received an awful scare,

You see she got mixed up in rooms

And saw our Teddy bear.

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### RAPID GROWTH POINTS TO INTEREST IN OWNING HOME

The building and loan movement, nearing its centennial as an American institution, has "come into its own" in Michigan only in the last five years, and made greater headway in this state during 1928 than in any previous year. Furthermore, with industrial and financial conditions for 1929 pointing up, it is confidently expected that the 1928 mark for progress will be eclipsed during the new year.

Building and loan had its introduction into America in 1831, and started in Michigan in a small way in 1868, with the founding of the Germania association at Jackson. Several more associations were organized in the ten-year period starting in 1887. From that time it grew moderately until 1923, when it leaped forward. The year 1928 found resources at more than double those of 1925.

Figures of June 30, 1928, showed that Michigan building and loan had gained \$15,840,000 during the previous 12-month period, bringing its total of resources to \$142,638,653.51. I believe that figures on the calendar year 1928 will show an increase of \$16,000,000. This gain speaks for itself, is an indication that Michigan is becoming more strongly a home-owning state than it has been in the past; also, that the state as a whole has

enjoyed a prosperous year, for building and loan savings, like bank savings, are a criterion of general prosperity.

The automobile industry is thriving today beyond any point that it has ever reached, and few exceptions, all industry, is moving forward in Michigan. It appears now that 1929 will be a banner year. Should it be so, there is every reason to believe that building and loan will keep in line with the forward movement.

### Holmes Adds Note On Death Former Foreman of Record

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Jan. 5, 1929.

Editor Record: The death of E. L. Harper gives a bit of history that may be worth repeating. E. L. Harper was the oldest son of B. D. Harper, (Benjamin David). I see that in the heading of this Record is this: "Sixty-first year, No. 52." That takes it back to 1867 when Dan Wagner bought the "Buchanan Weekly Union" from Lloyd & Turner, and gave it the name, Berrien County Record. At that time B. D. Harper was running a grocery in the frame building on the Northeast corner of Front and Oak street. He sold the grocery to D. C. Nash, and took the position of foreman of the Record, which position he held until he was disabled by a paralytic stroke in 1897, an event thirty years. During that time he was sold and transferred as an office fixture, at least seven times. For a number of years he was secretary of the Masonic Lodge, and of the Odd Fellows, also village Recorder. Before coming to Buchanan he had worked at his trade for Mr. Rand, head of the Rand McNally Company, when Mr. Rand was foreman of Chicago Tribune office, job department.

My twenty-five years acquaintance with him causes me to look upon him as one of the best, all round, reliable, trustworthy men that Buchanan has ever possessed as a citizen.

J. G. Holmes.

### Soldiers of 3 Wars Meet in Honor of Ashley Carlisle

Veterans of three wars gathered at the Carlisle home on North Main street Saturday afternoon to attend the last rites over the body of their fellow-soldier, Ashley Carlisle.

Though the weather was very inclement, a dashing rain falling and the streets a sea of mud and water, the four remaining C. A. R. veterans, Sam Bunker, John Dick, George Hanley and John Curtis, were in attendance. The Spanish-American war was represented by John Fortz and Frank Rinker.

### Hills Corners Church Elects Heads Sunday

Following the morning church services at the Hills Corners church, a dinner was served after which the annual church and Sunday school election was held. The new officers for the church are, Henry Hess and Seigel Stevens, who were re-elected for a term of three years as deacons; treasurer, Sam McClellan; assistant treasurer, Clayton Spaulding; financial secretary, Mrs. Dell Blackman; recording secretary, Mrs. Claude Blackman; pianist, Marian Boyle. The Sunday school officers are: Supt. J. G. Boyle; Assistant supt., Con Kelley; Secretary, Sam McClellan; assistant secretary, Clay-

ton Spaulding; pianist Anita Boyle, Chorister, Fred Franklin; assistant chorister Vira Wollett, primary teacher, Mrs. Con Kelley and Librarian Clayton Spaulding. Oll' Yes! This is a most unfortunate Ol' Freshman quite antiquate Who came up here to educate Himself Trying to sophisticate

He soon began to dissipate Thus quickly did evaporate His peck. Lessons he did procrastinate; Then Mister Dean did nominate The shelf. Polan Banks. "I can't imagine what we ever got married for; we're totally different in every way." "Oh, you flatterer!"



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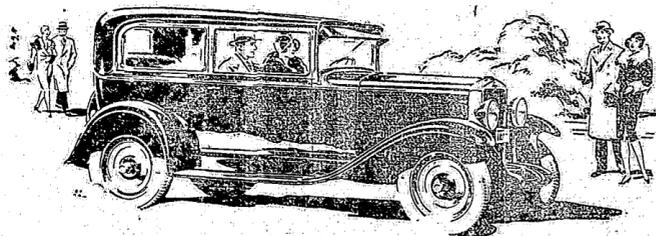
The Outstanding Chevrolet of Chevrolet History has now been seen and inspected by millions of people in every section of America—and everywhere it has been enthusiastically hailed as exceeding all expectations.

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1st insertion Jan. 3; last, Jan. 17. **STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.**

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1928, Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John H. Best, Deceased. Ida May Best, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Ida May Best or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of January A. D. 1929 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

**WILLIAM H. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate.**  
SEAL. A true copy. Lillia O. Sprague, Register of Probate.

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1928, Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank W. Kool, Deceased. Minnie E. Kool, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to The Farmers & Merchants National Bank and Trust Company or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of January A. D. 1929 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1928, Present: Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Viola A. Boyce, Deceased. Harry Boyce having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Harry Boyce or to some other suitable person and his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of January A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

**WILLIAM H. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate.**  
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1st pub. Dec. 13, 1928; East, Feb. 28, 1929.

### NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Fred Sharp and Mildred Sharp, husband and wife to William J. Miller of Buchanan, Michigan, on November 12th, 1925, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Berrien county, Michigan in Liber 153 of mortgages on page 127, interest on said mortgage being in default and the principal of said mortgage being all past due and unpaid for more than thirty days, there is claimed to be due at this date four hundred dollars and ninety cents (\$400.99) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover same.

Now therefore by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided on Friday the 15th day of March, A. D. 1929 at ten o'clock A. M. at the front door of the Court House in the city of Saint Joseph, Berrien county, Michigan the premises described in said mortgage will be sold at Public Auction to satisfy the amount then due with costs and attorney fee to-wit: the following described premises in the village of Buchanan, Berrien county, Michigan the premises described in said mortgage will be sold at Public Auction to satisfy the amount then due with costs and attorney fee to-wit: the following described premises in the village of Buchanan, Berrien county, Michigan, lot number thirteen, (13) High School addition.

Dated December 13, 1928. **WILLIAM J. MILLER, Mortgagee.**  
George H. Batchelor, Attorney for Mortgagee, Buchanan, Michigan.

1st insertion Dec. 13; last Jan. 17. **STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien in Chancery.**  
**NOTICE OF SALE**  
Martin Meffert, Plaintiff,

vs. Jacob C. Rough and Zula B. Rough, his wife, and Harry S. Rough and William Couvelis, Defendants.

**IN PURSUANCE OF A DECREE** of the Circuit Court of the County of Berrien, in Chancery, made and entered on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1928, in the above entitled cause, I, the subscriber, a circuit court commissioner for the County of Berrien, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of St. Joseph, in said County of Berrien, on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1929, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all those certain lands and premises situate in the Village of Buchanan, in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point one hundred eight and one-half Southeast corner of the Southeast quarter of Section twenty-six (26), Town seven (7) South, Range sixteen (16) West, thence North ninety-three (93) feet, thence West fifty-five (55) feet; thence South ninety-three (93) feet, thence East to the place of beginning.

Dated December 13, 1928. **ARTHUR E. LECKNER, Circuit Court Commissioner.**

1st insertion Jan. 10; last Jan. 24. **STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.**

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of St. Joseph in said County, on the 7th day of January A. D. 1929, Present: Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Irvin Helmick, Deceased. Dean Clark having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 4th day of February A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

**WILLIAM H. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate.**  
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1st insertion Jan. 3; last Jan. 17. **STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.**

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of St. Joseph in said County, on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1928, Present: Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew Marzec Deceased. Andrew Marzec having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of January A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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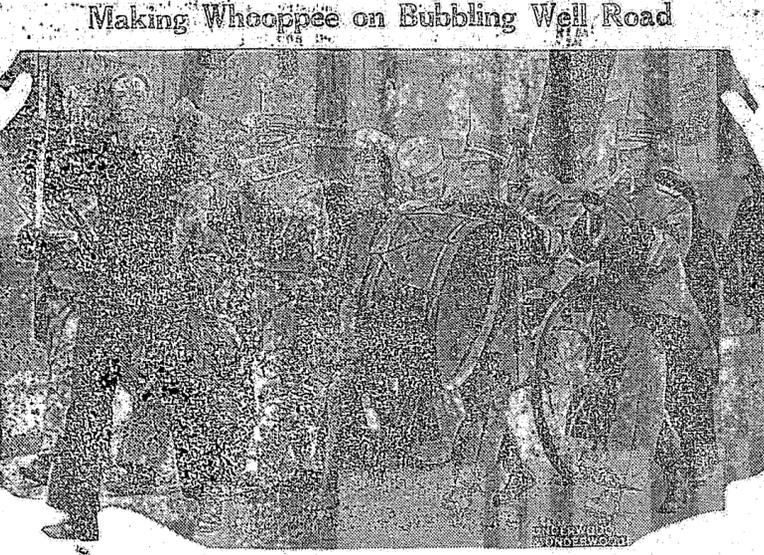
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Gerald H. Glusker, an American sailor from Albany, Ore., had a lot of fun on Bubbling Well road, Shanghai, with his remarkable band which he gathered together for a triumphal parade.

## Obituary

Thelma Hartline.

Funeral services for Miss Thelma Hartline, was held in the farm residence of her parents, 4 1/2 miles west of Buchanan on the Galien road, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, January 4th, 1929. Rev. Wm. H. Canfield, pastor of the local Evangelical church, presiding. Interment was made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Thelma Lucile Hartline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartline, was born in Buchanan township, Michigan, December 2, 1921, and passed away in her home, Wednesday morning at 8:40 o'clock, at the age of 7 years and one month.

She attended the Holmes school of which she was a scholar of the second grade, and also a regular attendant of the Methodist Sunday School, at Dayton.

December 22nd, she was taken ill with the flu, six days later pneumonia developed, and in her weakened condition was more than she could stand.

Thelma was of a loving disposition, and was very grateful, for everything which was done for her.

In addition to the parents she is survived by four sisters: Mrs. Helen Matthews, Mrs. Florence Ravish, of Buchanan, Aethia and Elida, both at home, Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Wilson, also of Buchanan; Mr. and Mrs. David Hartline, of Glendora, and many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Belva May Herman.

Belva May Herman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herman, was born in Buchanan, Michigan, Aug. 20th, 1927, and departed this life in the home of her parents, Tuesday morning at 5 o'clock, January 1st, 1929, at the tender age of 1 year, 4 months and 11 days.

She leaves to mourn her loss, the parents, grandparents, and a number of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held in the Hamilton Funeral Chapel, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Jan. 5th, 1929. Rev. G. W. Weib, pastor of St. John's Evangelical church of Niles, officiating. The little one was laid to rest in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Ellen Chapman Munson.

Ellen Chapman Munson passed away at the home of her son, Jay, in Buchanan Saturday morning, January 5th. She was born in Lincolnshire, England, November 5, 1843, and came to this country when a small child.

Ellen Chapman was married to Paul Jones Munson in 1870 and he lived the greater part of her life in the vicinity of Constantine. Her husband died four years ago.

She leaves to mourn her death, three sons. Will H. Munson of Constantine, L. S. Munson of Wilmington, Delaware, Jay Munson of Buchanan, and one daughter, Mrs. Frank Tolbert of Porter.

There are also seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Funeral services were from the home of her daughter in Porter on Monday, January 7th and burial at Constantine.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our deep appreciation to the people of Buchanan for their kind interest in our mother, during her short residence and to all for their kind expression of sympathy in her illness and death.

Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Munson. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis S. Munson. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tolbert. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Munson.

Card of Thanks.

We want to express our appreciation and thanks to our neighbors and friends for their help and their expressions of sympathy on the occasion of the death of our daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herman. Portuguese ox carts cannot be steered, the wheels are fixed. A government law failed to remedy the custom.

## SPORTS

### LOCAL FISTIC CARD INCLUDE HEADLINERS

Local and Foreign Talents to Trade Haymakers.

### SIX BOUTS LISTED

Lightfoot and Bromley to Uphold Local Hopes.

On Tuesday, Jan. 15, the Buchanan Athletic Association will tilt the lid off the 1929 boxing pan, with a program of six bouts, featuring some of the best talent ever to show their wares in the local arena. The club will offer a card consisting of six bouts showing bantamweights, middleweights and two good heavyweight bouts.

The main go will have Johnny Murphy of Chicago exchanging wallops with Peewee Gale of Three Rivers, bantams, and from all indications, this bout should be a dandy. Gale has won his last seven straight bouts via the knockout route, and feels that he can add Murphy's scalp to his belt, as he possesses a hefty wallop for a little fellow.

Murphy is one of Chicago's leading bantams, and his ability is well known to local boxing fans, as he has headlined several of the shows at Benton Harbor this summer, and has always given a very pleasing account of himself. His ability to stand toe to toe with an opponent and slug it out, has won him a warm place in every fight fan's heart, who has had the pleasure of seeing him perform.

The other main bout will be a heavyweight affair between the coming Jack Kelly of Chicago and Mike Hearst of Toledo. Hearst is an old warhorse of the squared circle, and Kelly (a former football star) is one of the comers. They are both heavy punchers, and from indications, it is doubtful if this bout will go the limit. Both boys are clever enough to make a good showing, as they are in demand for bouts all the time.

Young Stinson of New Buffalo will meet Ross McFarland of South Bend in one of the four round bouts. Stinson has an individual style that is very pleasing to the fans, and very disconcerting to his opponent, and hopes to wrap up an old score with McFarland. These boys are heavy hitters, and it is to be hoped that the boy from Buffalo comes through.

Young Lightfoot of Buchanan makes his debut in fistic circles, in another four round bout against Carl Seifert of South Bend's west end. Lightfoot's fighting ability can be attested by at least six of our local boys, as it is reported that he took on four of them at one time, and two at another, and gave a very excellent account of himself. This being his first bout in the squared circle, it is hoped the local fans will be on hand to cheer him on. Seifert has had a few fights, and while he has not been uniformly successful, he can give a good account of himself against Lightfoot. The winner of this match will be given an opportunity to meet the winner of the Hearst-Kelly match at a later date, and we are pulling for the local boy to acquit himself well enough to take this plum. Lightfoot is a youngster, twenty years old, weighs around 225 pounds, when in condition, has a longer reach than either Tunney or Dempsey, is six foot three inches tall, and has the makings of a

good fighter, if he will take the game seriously.

Another of the four round bouts will feature Georgie Nate of the East Side against Billy Locks of the West Side of South Bend. These boys are hated rivals, each being the newsboy kind of his side in the city, and something is going to happen when they get into the ring together. They have met twice before, and each has a victory over the other to his credit, and this is the rubber bout, and should be one of the best on the program. Each has a large following which will be on hand to cheer for their champion.

Gale Bromley of Buchanan, one of the best amongst our local boys, and who has worked with several of the leading boxers of the district, makes his first ring appearance against Harry West of Benton Harbor, in the curtain raiser.

The above bouts present one of the best ever offered local fans, and it is hoped they will all be on hand. The show is under the auspices of the Athletic Association and any profit derived will go into the fund used to promote baseball and basketball here. The bouts are all under the supervision of the State Athletic Board of Control, whose representative will be on hand to see that everything is satisfactory according to their rules and regulations. Seats are on sale at Beck's Tire and Radio Shop, Mead's Barber Shop, Proud's Cigar Store and Donnelly's Pool Hall. Ringside seats are a dollar and a half and general admission (not reserved) are a dollar tax to be added in each case. Local fans are advised to reserve their tickets early, as out of town fans are certain to flock to this show, and the number of good seats is limited.

### 3 OAKS BASKET SQUAD TO MEET GARY SATURDAY

INDIANA TEAM HAS DEFEATED BRUIN 5 OF CHICAGO

The Three Oaks All Stars will meet the famous Gary Sox Club in a basketball tilt on the court of the first-named team on the evening of Saturday, Jan. 12.

The contest should be worth going far to see, as both teams have been sweeping all opposition before them this season, with a loss of but a single game checked against the record of each. The Gary team has won nine games and lost one, one of their victories being won over the Bruins of Chicago. Their line-up will include such men as Watson Woods and Poljato, and the odds are in their favor in the week-end tilt.

The All Stars have won and lost one to date. However, they have a stiff schedule ahead, including the Gary team Saturday night and the Grand Rapids Boosters, Michigan state champions, on the evening of Saturday, Jan. 19, in the Three Oaks court. The All Stars furnish music with each game. Fans from all parts of Berrien County have been journeying to Three Oaks to witness the games, and record turnouts are expected for the next two contests.

Looks as though some husbands also may have been picked out in a blindfold test.

### 8 GLASSES WATER HELP CONSTIPATION

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### Mishawaka Cage Squad Engages Clark Five Here

The Clark Equipment Company courtiers will stain an invasion of the St. Bavo's Athletic Club of Mishawaka basketballers at the Clark Theatre next Saturday evening. The game will begin at 8 p. m. sharp, with the following lineup scheduled:

St. Bavo's	Buchanan
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Van Looy	White

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### Crickets Tell Temperature

A native investigator says it is possible to ascertain the temperature by counting the number of crickets chirps per minute and then making use of a simple formula which gives the result with more or less accuracy. An easier way is to use a thermometer and more accurate.

### Brilliant Word Painting

"Bright is the ring of words when the right man rings them," says Stevenson, who was no mean verbal lapidary himself. "To see infinity in a grain of sand," wrote Blake, thereby turning as common a thing as an atom of sand into a jewel of philosophy.

### Stuttering and Singing

People who stutter can sing as well as those who are not so afflicted, because the tone is definite and sustained, in speech the tone is gliding and indefinite. Let the stuffer sing his replies to questions, and you will find he has no difficulty in doing this.

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### ELIZA STEINER, NATIVE OF HILLS CORNERS, EXPIRES

WAS BORN NORTHWEST  
OF BUCHANAN 88  
YEARS AGO

Mrs. Eliza Broceus Steiner, 88, a native of the Hills Corners district, and a lifelong resident of Berrien county, died Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George White, 1029 North Front Street, Niles, after a two week's illness with cold and influenza.

Eliza Broceus was born near Hills Corners, Feb. 27, 1841, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Broceus, who had come to Michigan from Ohio the preceding fall. There she grew to womanhood, attending the Hills Corners school, to which she walked through woods where Indians were frequent and where wolves, bear and deer were still seen. One of her teachers at that time was Jacob Ulery, who is still living on the old Ulery homestead north of Niles at the age of 91.

In 1860 she was married to Justus H. Steiner and moved to a farm on Portage Prairie south of Buchanan. Thirteen years later they again moved to the farm, four miles north of Niles which was still in the possession of Mrs. Steiner at the time of her death. Mr. Steiner died in 1911, but Mrs. Steiner continued to spend her summers at the farm, where she maintained a furnished apartment, spending the winters with her

daughter in Niles. Of the seven children born to Mr. and Mrs. Steiner, five survive their mother. They are Mrs. William Wells, Dowagiac, Mrs. H. Hillmer, Vienna, Minn., William Steiner, Niles, Frank Steiner, South Bend, and Mrs. George White, Niles. Among the surviving grandchildren is Miss Stella Hummons, supervisor of music in the public schools. Besides her children and grandchildren, Mrs. Steiner is survived by four sisters, who are Mrs. Mary Ann Quint, Carrol, Ia.; Mrs. George Hanley, Mrs. Anselm Wray and Mrs. Frances Fowler, all of Buchanan. Mrs. Steiner enjoyed a wide acquaintance in Berrien county and many mourn the passing of the prominent and highly respected pioneer.

### THREE M. C. CARS MAKE FLYING TRIP THRU BUCHANAN

### CABOOSE AND FREIGHT CARS MAKE DASH TO END OF SWITCH

Southwest Buchanan enjoyed one of its periodical train wrecks Saturday when a freight car and caboose, which had been set off south of the Athletic park while the rest of the train shunted on the Clark switch, overcame the braking resistance and made a whirlwind dash of half mile past the Buchanan Lumber Company, and ending in a grand smash at the end of the track just east of the St. Joe Valley Shipping Association.

The flying procession was untagged at the Buchanan Lumber Company where the flat car and caboose picked up a box car which had just been unloaded. When the procession hit the end of the track, the box car ran up the bank at the end of the grade, while the caboose plowed head on into the bank, and the flat car at the end of the string was thrown off the rails, forming a V with the caboose.

Neither of the freight cars were materially damaged, but the rear platform on the caboose was mashed in and the trucks were broken loose from the body. A wrecking train was detailed here from Niles and the wreck was cleared away by 6 p. m.

This was the third wreck which has occurred from the same cause at the end of this switch, loss of life having been narrowly averted by street crossing collisions in previous runaways. It is quite usual for several loaded coal cars to be spotted along the route, and it was only through unusual good fortune that the track was clear save for the empty box car on this occasion.

There are three new women members in Congress now, Mrs. Ruth Pratt, Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick and Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen. Glad to hear Congress won't be Ruthless.

A Cincinnati employer says that blondes work harder than brunettes. Well, some of his most industrious helpers may really be brunettes without his knowing it!

The feminine "bloc" is quite strong in Congress now. Let's hope it doesn't prove to be a "block."

### Sets New U. S. Navy Parachute Record



The man loaded down here with all the harness and other paraphernalia is William F. Scott, chief machinist's mate at the Naval Air Station Anacostia, who set a new navy parachute jump record. He made a daring leap from a height of 15,200 feet, subsequently landing on the fire escape of an apartment house. It was his third attempt to break the world's record of 24,000 feet, held by Capt. H. A. Stevens of the Army Air Service.

### LOCAL INVENTOR DEMONSTRATED TALKIE DEVICE

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The violins wept in emotional crises. Full symphony orchestras thundered their terrifying storm-tides when avalanches roared down. Dancers swung to the most seductive waltzes, and lovers gazed into lovelit eyes to the greatest of grand opera melodies.

Mr. Robinson dreamed for weeks of the possibility of reproducing phonographic records fully synchronized with moving picture films. He had in mind the value of emphasizing or bringing out prominently the musical instruments at the top of the gamut, the middle or the deeper basses. In doing this he has worked out a scheme for using three speakers in such a way that they represent these three ranges in the musical scale of the symphony orchestra. He has developed mechanism so that he can throw the emphasis on any of these in the electrical reproduction and amplification of the music keyed to the film being shown.

He immediately set about building his machinery, which he had first imaged and then put into drawings, and within the past ten days he has brought his dream to birth, and the Tuesday night audience were the gainers. He has a number of the instruments constructed for, depending only on his successful demonstration, and expects to have some of them built and installed within three or four months.

With his device it will be possible for any movie theatre to produce as perfect electric wave reproductions of the world's greatest music, he says, as for the most expensive of the city motion picture palaces. The only investment needed is the installation of his machine, the simple wiring of the house, and the purchase of a library of two to four hundred records. "Even the novice can easily synchronize music to any film that has a musical key with it," he declares. It requires one operator at the symphonyphone, besides the one at the projector.

Manager Homer F. Morley plans to use this musical success with his better features, perhaps with the Sunday offerings and with one or two of the major pictures during the week.

There are a number of refinements I have in mind to incorporate in my symphonyphone," said Mr. Robinson, but I am well pleased with this first demonstration, for it promises the highest success."

### QUESTION OF VALIDITY OF CONTRACT UP

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that the South Bend service costs the company less, due to the volume of business. Buchanan overhead lights are furnished with current at a cost of \$60 apiece he stated, as compared with a charge of \$48 per light in South Bend, despite the fact that the latter city has 50 times as many lights, which are spaced much closer. The power company officials assured the council that they were willing to check the equipment of the village water works to determine whether installations of more economical equipment might not reduce the power charges for that department.

### Rev. E. S. Coors To Be Speaker at Fellowship Meeting

Rev. E. Stanley Coors, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Kalamazoo will be the speaker at the monthly meeting of the Fellowship Club of the Methodist church which will be held Thursday evening, Jan. 17. Rev. Coors is one of the best known pulpits speakers of southern Michigan and his presence here will assure a good attendance. He was a high school friend of Dr. W. E. Sargent, and a college friend of Rev. Henry Liddicott.

### Local Sportsmen Report Catches of Massive Bluegills

Local sportsmen have been bringing in good bluegill catches, the spearing season having opened Jan. 1, to continue until March 1. To date the record catch reported is that of Ed. Rotzine, who speared 25 blue gills and two sunfish at Dayton Lake. Catches of two 14 pound bluegills are reported from White Lake and Diamond Lake near Dowagiac. Good results are being obtained at Dayton and Pike lakes southwest of Buchanan.

R. J. Burrows returned last week from Youngstown, Ohio, where he had been called by the death of his father. He left again Wednesday for a short stay in California.

### A "Floating Home" Community —In Chicago



One of the many unique sights around the city of Chicago is its houseboat colony in the north branch of the Chicago river. Efforts have been made several times to evict the "floating-home" inhabitants, but just the other day the city again lost its case against them. They make these boats their year-around homes and live there because they prefer them to ordinary apartments.

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### FROM MEMBERSHIP TRIMS DEADWOOD FROM MEMBERSHIP

### KENNETH A. BLAKE TO BE COMMISSIONER FOR BUCHANAN

With all officers but one present, and all members but one, and in the presence of a number of the parents and other visitors, Troop 41 went on a one-month probationary program Tuesday night, resolved that all inactive members would be dropped from membership at the end of thirty days. The two absentees were sick. It was a record-breaking attendance and an epoch-making plan that was adopted.

Scoutmaster Kenneth A. Blake, who has commanded Troop 41 since its organization nearly three years ago, is slated to become Scout Commissioner for Buchanan. He announced that Assistant Scoutmaster Leo Slate would be Acting Scoutmaster until he becomes of age next July, when he would become Scoutmaster. Don Wood and Lyle Mitchell are Assistant Scoutmasters. As Commissioner, Mr. Blake will have oversight and be adviser to all Buchanan troops.

The drastic action to remove all dead-wood from the Troop came as a result of long study. "Scouting is to help boys with leisure time to make the most of it in developing health, skill and character," explained Mr. Blake, "and it is a waste of time and labor to carry boys on the roster who have no time to give to the work. To remain in Troop 41 a boy must have a percentage of 75 percent in attendance, advancement, and Sunday school or church attendance at the end of this month of testing." The rule applies to officers and other scouts alike.

The next meeting is Tuesday evening, January 15, at the Methodist church parlors. A program of games and study has been prepared by the officers.

### Clayton Niles Is Chosen President of Twin City Bank

Twin City papers of yesterday report the re-election of Clayton Niles to the presidency of the Farmers' & Merchants' Bank at the annual meeting held Tuesday afternoon.

The Friendship class of the Evangelical church will hold their monthly business and social meeting Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mead.

### Leaders Berrien Home Ec. Groups Meet Here Jan. 15

The State Home Economic Extension Clothing Project group leaders will continue their study of "The Well-Dressed Woman" or "Color in Costume," next week. The leaders of the southern groups will meet at the Buchanan

high school, Tuesday, January 15, 1929 at 10 a. m.

On the following day, Wednesday, January 16, 1929, the leaders of the northern groups will meet at the home of Mrs. J. A. Richards, Eau Claire, for the same lesson.

Miss Mildred Gardner, Clothing Project specialist of the Michigan State College, will be the instructor.

RECORD LINERS PAY

### Presbyterians Will Hold Family Night

The Presbyterian church will hold a Family Night this evening (Thursday) with a potluck dinner to which all members and their families are invited. Mrs. E. C. Pascoe is in charge of arrangements, and the choir members will be the assistant committee.