

CITY FORM SUITS ROYAL OAK

BUCHANAN WILL BE HOST TO VISITING TEACHERS

OTHER TOWNS ARE PLEASED WITH CHANGE

Mayor Fred Smith of Otsego, Says No Regrets.

NO TAX BOOSTS Govt. Efficiency Increased With City Form.

Changes from the village to the city status have been made in at least three Michigan towns during the past ten years without occasioning any serious derangements in administration or finance, or without leaving any trails of regrets, if answers to inquiries made by The Record to mayors and secretaries of the Chambers of Commerce of Otsego, Royal Oak and River Rouge may be taken as an indication.

These three towns were selected because they had changed forms of government at a fairly recent date, and their population rendered it likely that their problems somewhat resembled those of Buchanan.

Answers from the mayor and secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Royal Oak were most complete and indicated satisfaction with the change. Both officials stated that the expenses were correspondingly less, increase in population considered, than they had been under village government. Valuations have grown rapidly, due to the corresponding growth of the population and business of the town, but the tax rate was lowered after the change.

Both officials stated definitely that the administration had improved in efficiency after the change, the mayor writing: "I believe there was a great gain in the efficiency of the administration. We adopted the city commission form of government, so that we had a specialist directing the management of the city, whereas prior to that time the party with the strongest political prestige, regardless of the ability to manage, controlled the administration."

Both officials stated that there was no sentiment in favor of a return to the village form. They stated that the change was effected in less than six months after the election, the reorganizations of the departments taking place under the new management without any break in administration.

Royal Oak made the change in 1921, at which time it had a population slightly over 6,000.

Fred Smith, mayor of Otsego, wrote that there was a general satisfaction after the change and little complaint, although the vote was close at the time of the special, and in fact the issue was defeated in a previous test. He stated that he felt warranted in saying that the town had gained in efficient government, and that the expenses were practically unchanged, the only item of expense that could be charged to the government shift being the item of \$100 per year which they had voted to pay their commissioners. This was optional, however, as the state law of Michigan provides that city officials may be paid under either village or city forms at the discretion of each particular town. Otsego made the change in 1918, and in 1920 had a population of 3,168.

The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of River Rouge wrote that to all appearances the people of River Rouge were well satisfied with the city form of government and that as far as he knew there is no sentiment for a change. The amount of taxes paid has not been affected materially by the change, in his opinion. River Rouge changed from village to city form of government in 1921. In 1920 it possessed a population of 9,822.

Although not specifically noted in the answers, the administrative advantages alluded to seem as follows:

Separation from township affairs and escape from the confusion that the mingling of township and village affairs always entails.

The adoption of the ward system of government, with commissioners from each ward, responsible for affairs in their particular parts of the city.

City elections every two years, doing away with part of election expenses and too rapid shifts in government.

POSTOFFICE SHIFTED TO LEGION BLDG.

Move Made Without Interruption Of Service.

OTHER CHANGES

Sargent to Move Dental Office Upstairs.

Transfer of the Buchanan postoffice from the Johnson building, formerly owned by Jake Rough, where it has been quartered for the past ten years, to the American Legion building was effected Sunday without interruption in the usual service to the patrons.

The new quarters are a great improvement in point of light and pleasing exterior. They are well lighted on the east and south, and the steel panels of the lobby partition have an imitation golden oak effect that adds to the interior lighting.

M. J. Cavanaugh, head of the Cavanaugh Construction Company, was in Buchanan Monday from Lansing and approved of the work done by his carpenter force. The government inspector has not arrived to extend the federal approval.

The Cavanaugh force are staying until they complete some additional alterations for the American Legion, making some alterations in the Chamber of Commerce quarters, and altering the upstairs to provide an apartment for Dr. Sargent, who will move his dental office there by April 1.

Francis Hiller Talks to Scouts On Conservation

Francis Hiller spoke to Troop 41 last Tuesday evening on the Conservation of Lumber. The conserving of our natural resources, both timber and mineral is a vital factor in the future of our nation.

Timber is characteristically American for about 30 per cent of our homes are of wood, he said.

In the future timber will be a crop, as corn or wheat is now. Favorable legislation in respect to property producing a crop of timber will soon come. Today large tracts of otherwise useless lands are being set with trees.

There is no other material quite as usable for the average hands as wood. It is the greatest constructive toy for boys. They can make almost anything they wish from it.

Several of the Scouts interested in the new glider which Mr. Hiller and Emerson Longfellow had ordered got talking about gliders and their possibilities, and it was revealed that Germany held the record with fourteen hours flight and that an altitude of 2700 feet above the starting point has been reached. The glider ordered will only fly a reasonable distance above the ground; it being for novices.

Several new and funny games livened things up and the meeting closed with the scout benediction.

Mrs. Jennie Lawton Dies Yesterday at Age of 95 Years

Mrs. Jennie Lawton, 95, died early Wednesday morning at the county infirmary, where she had been a patient for several years, and arrangements have been made for the funeral to be held at the Childs Chapel at 2 p. m. Friday.

Mrs. Lawton had lived most of her life in the vicinity of Buchanan, and is very well remembered by all of the old timers here. For many years she served as housekeeper for the mother of I. M. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berger of Notre Dame called Sunday on the former's brother, William Berger, at the home of Mrs. Dell Bolster.

State Engineers Complete Survey Of M-60 Route

The final survey of the projected M-60 route from Galien to Niles, via Buchanan, has been entirely completed, and the force of highway department engineers which has been employed here for the past several months under the direction of Phil Payne plan to leave about the middle of next week, after completing some minor details of the work.

BUCHANAN HIT BY NOR'WESTER DURING NIGHT

MERCURY DROPS 51 DEGREES WITHIN 15 HOURS.

After a few fleeting hours of spring, Buchanan awoke again to winter this morning, with the thermometer registering nine degrees above zero and a North Dakota blizzard howling through the streets.

During an interval of 15 hours the mercury registered a drop of over 50 degrees, temperatures of 60 degrees above having been registered yesterday afternoon. The blizzard came on the heels of what appeared to be the first week of spring, robins and other harbingers having been general during the past few days.

Fruit and grain crops are so far undamaged according to general reports, the winter wheat emerging from the long ice unscathed, much to the surprise of local farmers, who looked for at least a partial loss.

RIVAL TICKETS TO GO TO BAT MONDAY MORN.

SPECIAL ELECTION TO DECIDE CITY ISSUE AT SAME TIME.

What may possibly be the last village election ever held in Buchanan is scheduled for Monday, March 11, polling beginning at 7 a. m. at the village house and concluding at 5 p. m., both the regular and the special election taking place there.

Rivalry between the two opposing tickets appears to be growing as the hour of election draws near, although the interest has not yet attained the feverish pitch that it did last year.

The completed tickets are: Republican Ticket—Mayor—Chas. H. Boone. Clerk—Phay A. Graffort. Treasurer—Ralph R. Rouse. Trustees, (Full Term), Frank C. Merson, Harry M. Graham, A. Harold Kiehn.

Trustee, (to fill one year vacancy)—Arthur Johnston. Assessor—Harry E. Brown. Citizen's Ticket—President—Claude V. Glover. Clerk—Harry Post. Treasurer—Clarence C. Rumer. Trustee, (full term), Harry S. Berry, Arnold S. Webb, Harry H. Beck.

Trustee, (to fill one year vacancy)—Frank P. Keane. Assessor—Henry Eisele.

Berrien Electric Coming Back To Former Location

Ed Hess is now engaged in installing shelving and other fixtures and partitions for a separate room in the store room in the Riley building formerly occupied by the Berrien County Electric Company, in preparation for the return of that business to their former stand some time this spring. A large amount of shelving is being installed, and the interior will be completely decorated before their return.

M. L. Hamlin, director of the presentation of "The Haunted House" by the Clark players, reports that reservations have been made for a party of 114, consisting of officials of the Clark plant at Battle Creek, their wives and friends. The party will visit the local plant while here, and the visit will culminate in a dinner party.

HOBO ARMY GETS SOUSED, RUNS AMUCK

Sons of Rest Fill Up On Commercial Booze.

PARTY IS THROWN

Whereon Sixteen Are Thrown Out Of Town.

"Sixteen men on the Deadman's Chest. Yo, ho, and a bottle of rum."

Only the sixteen men were considered a discrimination, and had been there for the past week, and the bottle contained, not rum, but denatured alcohol, "canned heat," and whatever other commercial substitute the said sixteen men could get for the customary waters of nepenthe.

But on Friday the town got the men off its chest, Chief of Police Ed. Mitchell appearing at the village hose house on the morning of that day and issuing a blanket invitation to all the aforesaid sixteen to depart.

"In all fairness to the non-paying guests who have been 'flopping' the hose house for several weeks, it must be said that only about a half dozen had really made themselves obnoxious, and that number had not attained the proportions of a menace until last week.

Then, due to the stirrings of spring or the change of the weather, or some other innate spiritual cause, a number of the leisured guests acquired a great thirst for anything carrying an alcoholic content. It is reported that from some source they acquired what they sought, and the hose house became a laboratory for the purposes of finding out how much wood alcohol the human system could absorb. Quarrels followed, and on Friday night one drunken bully chased all his companions out into the cold and monopolized the retreat.

On the following morning Chief Mitchell received a request from the administration to take steps to abate the nuisance. The occupants were driven out into the cold world, and the town street department force were set to work cleaning out the erstwhile retreat of Hoboemia, hauling away an entire truck load of refuse which had accumulated as a result of the presence of the army of occupation. The hose house is now being thoroughly disinfected in preparation for the village election on March 11.

Construction Is Resumed on River St. Addition Wed.

Construction of the River street plant of the Clark Equipment Co. was resumed Wednesday of last week by Contractor F. L. Sturgiss and his force, after an interval of over a week while the frost was being thawed from the ground in preparation for laying the cement floor. The structure will in all likelihood be completed in three weeks, if weather conditions remain favorable.

Contractor Reed Making Ready To Resume Sewer Work

Frank Reed, holder of the contract for the construction of the Portage and Third street sewers, was in Buchanan the first of the week, running a few surveys and otherwise preparing for beginning work as soon as weather conditions permit. He dug into the manhole at the corner of Third and Portage streets, and reported the presence of 3 1/2 feet of frost at that point. He said that in his opinion conditions would not be right for resuming the work until April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shreves announce the birth of a daughter at their home on Chicago street March 1.

VILLAGE DADS CLOSE BOOKS FOR 1928-1929

Appoint Officials For The Annual Polls.

WYNN SIGNS OFF

Reed Gets Another Time Extension on Sewer.

The 1928-9 village council held its last meeting and warbled its swan song at the regular March session Tuesday evening.

The main business of the evening was the appointment of election officials and the arrangement of hangover business for the forthcoming administration which will take shape as a result of the spring polls.

Trustee Paul Wynn presented his resignation as a member of the council and shook the responsibility of civic affairs from his shoulders to enter the joys of private life in his St. Joe River road home. The council assured Jerome Seabast, who was present in the interests of a water extension to his residence addition, that the matter would undoubtedly be cared for by the next administration, whatever its complexion. The problem of the Portage and Third street sewer was also willed and bequeathed, by virtue of a resolution granting the Dowagiac contractor another lease on life until May 15, 1929.

The following election officials were appointed by President Glover and approved by the council; inspectors, M. J. Keeling, Ruth Roe, Al Charles; clerks, Ada D. Sanders, Rex Lamb; special clerks for the election of form of government, Roy Pierce, Elsie Kingery, June Koons.

Insurance Will Rebuild Burned School Structure

Plans are now being made for the reconstruction of the burned section of the old school building, to provide quarters again for the mental training department of the Buchanan school system, which has been partially discontinued for the remainder of the school year.

The insurance on the destroyed structure, amounting to \$6,000 on the building and \$4,000 on the equipment, will be sufficient to rebuild, in the opinion of Supt. Stark. It is planned to build a structure lower than the former, with more floor space, to permit of a mechanical drawing class room.

Exchange Tickets For Clark Play On Sale Friday

Exchange tickets for the presentation of "The Haunted House" by the Clark Players will be placed on sale tomorrow (Friday) by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, to be redeemed in reservations, if desired, at Glen Smith's store after March 15.

The sale of seats is being handled on a different basis for this play, in that all tickets for the three night productions of March 21, 22, 23 will sell at 50 cents. Children will be offered an opportunity to attend a matinee performance Saturday, March 23, for 20 cents. Any adults attending the matinee performance will be required to pay the full 50 cents price. Matinee tickets for children will be placed on sale at the school house, and will not be reserved.

The second annual Record cooking school conducted by Mrs. Alma E. Hunt, nationally known domestic economy expert in the employ of the American Electric Company, ended Friday after a very successful four day session by attendance running as high as 225.

The attendance at each session was as follows: Tuesday 125; Wednesday 225; Wednesday night 130, including 50 men; Thursday 190; Friday 200.

Merchants who cooperated in making the session a success were: J. E. Arney, M. L. Sands, C. J. Wilson Dairy, Atlantic & Pacific, Great American, Fortz.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. George Stevenson, Friday, starting at 2:30 p. m. The topic for the day will be "Immigration." Mrs. D. L. Vanderslice.

Car Threatened When Alcohol Of Radiator Ignites

A car owned by Ralph Browlette of South Bend was threatened with destruction Sunday afternoon while parked at the corner of Main and Front Streets, when the rubber tube connecting the radiator with the engine jacket broke, and the alcohol of the radiator ignited from the hot engine. The fire extinguisher from the Princess was secured and the flames extinguished.

APOPLEXY TAKES ST. JOE VALLEY PIONEER SUNDAY

D. W. BOONE WOULD HAVE BEEN 80 NEXT DAY.

Daniel W. Boone, 79, died at his home at 204 South Portage Street at 6:15 Sunday, March 3, death following apoplexy, with which he was stricken on the evening of the preceding day.

Mr. Boone had been in his usual good health until Saturday morning, when he complained of feeling unwell. However he went his usual rounds, and that afternoon was working in the back yard of his home. His wife noticed that he had been out some time and went to see what he was doing. She found him trying to get up the rear steps, a stroke having rendered him unable to use one leg. She aided him into the house and a doctor was summoned who pronounced his trouble to be apoplexy. His condition did not at that time appear to be immediately dangerous, but early in the morning he suddenly passed away.

Mr. Boone was born near South Bend on March 4, 1849, and would have been 80 years old had he lived until the following day. On April 2, 1873, he married Catherine Dressler. Thirty years ago they moved to a farm south of Buchanan, remaining there until 1915, when they retired and moved to Buchanan. He remained quite active, however, and worked at the carpenter trade for a time last summer.

He is survived by his wife and by the following children: Franklin M. Boone, South Bend; Mrs. Edith Dempsey, Buchanan; Phillip E. Boone, Buchanan; Robert M. Boone, Niles; Mrs. Hallie Shedron, Greely, Colo.; Dr. George D. Boone, Royal Oak. All the sons and daughters were present at the funeral. He is also survived by the following brothers and one sister: James Boone, Buchanan; W. T. Boone, Los Angeles; Schuyler Boone, Heartwell, Neb.; Alwilda Crestivon, Baltimore, Md.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the residence, Rev. H. Liddicoat preaching the sermon, and the four sons, son-in-law and grandson serving as pallbearers. Burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Wagner Grange To Be Host To Mt. Tabor Friday Eve.

The Mt. Tabor Grange will be guests of the Wagner Grange at the meeting of the latter organization at their hall Friday evening. First and second degree work will be given to Kent Kennedy, recently elected member, at that time.

TEACHERS OF BERRIEN CO. TO MEET HERE

County Institute Is Scheduled For March 15.

600 ARE EXPECTED

Program Is Featured By Excellent Talent.

Buchanan will be the educational capitol of Berrien County on Friday, March 15, on which date the educational army of the county to the number of from 600 to 700 will be mobilized here for the annual county institute, to be held in the auditorium of the high school.

In case there is a full attendance of teachers the seating capacity of the high school auditorium, approximating 650, will be taxed. The ladies organizations of the Church of Christ, Evangelical, Presbyterian and Methodist churches have been enlisted for entertaining the visiting teachers. Tickets for the dinners served by these organizations will be on sale at the high school.

Superintendent Harold Stark is director of the institute and has arranged the following program: Invocation by Harry Staver at 9 a. m.

Address, "Attention of the Chief Requisite," by Dr. M. S. Pitman, head of the Department of Rural Education, Ypsilanti Normal.

Music by high school glee club. Address, "An Unofficial Observer in Europe," by Ralph Dennis, dean of the Department of Speech, Northwestern university.

1:15 p. m. address, "Building Communities with Personality," Dr. M. S. Pitman. Musically ladies' quartet. Address, "Europe and the League," by Dean Ralph Dennis. Dennis World Observer.

The teachers of the county are fortunate in having the opportunity to listen to Dean Dennis of Northwestern, who has had a wide opportunity for observation in Europe, having been American vice consul to Russia during the regime of Lenin and Trotsky during the first year of the Revolution. In 1926 he lived an entire year in Switzerland, visiting in Italy, Russia, France, Germany, Austria, Czechoslovakia, England and other countries.

He will give his impression of Mussolini and of Russia.

Aged Railway Man Taken to Aurora Ill. For Burial

Peter G. Modaff, 80, died at his home three miles north of Buchanan on the river road Thursday, Feb. 28, and was laid to rest Monday at Aurora, Ill., beside his wife, who had preceded him in death 26 years.

Modaff was born in the province of Luxembourg, Germany, March 5, 1848. After coming to the United States he entered the employ of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway at Aurora, Ill., as a boiler maker and was at that place for many years. About 15 years ago he came to Buchanan and settled on the farm north of town with his son, Albert, and his daughter, Miss Carrie Modaff, both of whom have since lived with him. In addition to the children named above, he is survived by three more children: Mrs. F. J. Nickson, Frankfort, Mich.; Miss Frances Modaff, Aurora, Ill.; Harry Modaff, McCook, Neb.

The body was taken to Aurora, Ill., by T. D. Childs, who made the trip and returned Saturday.

P. S. Cooney of Michigan City was the guest of Keith Bunker at the latter's home on Charles Court Sunday. Kiehl is able to be about town this week, after a long siege with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cook, with their daughter, Margie, and son, James, were guests Sunday of the former's brother, Harry Cook, at the home of Mrs. Dell Bolster.

Now Here's the Proposition

THE SPOTLIGHT HOGS.

Bi Haws.

Backward, turn backward. Oh Time, in thy flight, Make me a child again, just for tonight; Shorten my legs up by three feet or four— I would crawl back in the cradle "once more. Give me a cute little bunch of a nose. Two budding toothlets and ten little toes. Some ringlets that ring and a cute little grin And a howl that goes out where the bottle goes in— A magnavox howl which whenever begun Will bring seven women upon the dead run.

I want to do nothing for days and days through. But just to say "mama" and "Dada" and "goo." Except when I lift up that magnavox yell And bring all the women a running pell-mell To haul me about with caresses to suit. And "Ain't he the darling" and "Isn't he cute!" For I am so tired that my weary heart aches. Watching the babies get all of the breaks.

Hills Corners Church Honors Rev. H. Barnett

Rev. H. L. Barnett, former pastor of the Hills Corners Church, and his recently acquired bride were the guests of honor at a reception held Tuesday evening at the church, having arrived for a honeymoon visit in this locality after having been married Saturday at Bloomington, Ill.

After a dinner had been served at 6:30 p. m. by the 1930 club, a program was given, with Rev. Barnett acting as toastmaster. The address of welcome was made by Glen Whittaker. Four Glendora ladies gave a playlet entitled "A Bargain in the House." The members of the 1930 Club then staged a mock wedding.

Rev. Barnett now has a good position as director of religious education at the Central Presbyterian Church in Peoria, Ill. His bride was formerly a teacher in the public schools of Bloomington, Ill.

Ninety in attendance at the reception. Rev. Barnett and his bride were presented with a pair of silver candlestick holders by the members of the 1930 Club, and with a sum of money by the Married People's Class.

Fred Hall Matched With Former Rival

Local devotees of the grappling art are following with much interest the match between Fred Hall of Buchanan and Bull Dog Betz of Danville, Ill., to be held at Stoner & Hess Hall, Lake Village, Ind., on Friday evening, March 15.

The match has assumed the form of a grudge affair between the fans of Danville, Ill., and Morocco, Ind., the latter being the home town of Hall. The two men have been matched before, Hall being returned the winner on that occasion. Danville fans are looking for a reversal of the decision, and expect to win the money back which they lost on the previous occasion. Some large bets are reported to be up on the match.

Interest is added from the fact that Betz is now known as a leading exponent of the "Flying Tackle," an innovation adopted from football and popularized by Gus Sonnenberg in his conquest of Strangler Lewis. Hall is being drilled in the straight arm and other methods of defense against this hold by local football men.

Mrs. Charles Huff had as her guests at her home on Alexander street Friday, her brother, Ernest Huffman and wife, Mrs. Clara Baxter, a son, Victor, and daughter, Mrs. Ethel Curtis, and the latter's daughter, Mrs. Esther Putbaugh, all of Michigan City. While here they also visited at the home of Mrs. Anna Bolster on Portage street.

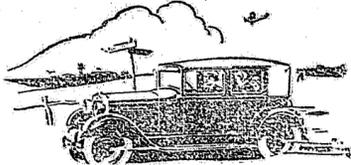
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Mr. Fred Salisbury and son Darcey, and Mr. Floyd and Harold Martin attended the show at South Bend Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ernsperger spent Sunday evening at Hudson. Marjorie Hamilton and Henry

ily to a farm near Culver Monday. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilson left Tuesday for a several days visit with friends in Cassopolis.

Tires for the new Ford are specially made to give long wear



WHEN the new Ford was designed, it was immediately apparent that a new tire would have to be made to match the car's performance.

Though the Ford tires are designated as 30 x 4.50, they have the resiliency and air space of much larger tires because of the drop center rim of the steel-spoke wheels.

For best results, the tires on the new Ford should be kept inflated to an air pressure of 35 pounds and checked regularly to insure this pressure all the time.

So that every Ford owner might be assured of maximum tire mileage at the lowest cost, the Ford Motor Company devoted many months to research and experiment in conjunction with the leading tire manufacturers.

As a result, certain definite specifications were developed for tires for the new Ford. These specify cords of certain strength and texture, a large volume of tread and side-wall rubber, sturdily non-skid design, and reinforced plies for protection against bruise breaks—all the strong features of construction formerly considered for only the largest tires.

Great care also was taken to secure the best riding qualities in connection with the transverse springs and the Houdaille shock absorbers.

At the end of each 5000 miles, when you have the front wheels packed with grease, it is a good plan to have the wheel alignment checked. This will prevent premature wear.

When punctures come, as they will with any tires, you will find the Ford dealer particularly well-equipped to make repairs quickly and at small cost. See him, too, for replacements. Then you will be sure of getting tires built specially for Ford cars according to definite Ford specifications.



FORD MOTOR COMPANY

To Picture the Extent and Value—

of checking account service, consider, first, that one hundred times the amount of money in circulation is paid out by checking depositors in the United States, through the use of checks.

If you have no checking account, doesn't this give you a new viewpoint on its advantages? Why not come in, then, and open yours today?

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK Fortieth Year in Business

Mr. and Mrs. William Fette and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ernsperger spent Sunday afternoon at the A. Ernsperger home.

WEST BERTRAND. Mrs. Celia Walker spent Thursday and Friday at Niles caring for her sister, Mrs. Jno. Wideman who has been very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blitter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cauffman, and son of South Bend were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cauffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Dalrymple spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cauffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lysle Graham and son of Kalamazoo were week-end guests of latter's sister, Mrs. Joe Haus and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coleman spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Proud and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Proud spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proud.

Portage Prairie Grange held their regular meeting Tuesday, March 5. A pot-luck dinner was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Straub's children have the measles. Lelia and Cassie Rozell spent

Saturday at South Bend. Miss Gertrude Gowland was a guest of Miss Blanche Sheldon Wednesday evening and Thursday.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Alice Wilson Thursday afternoon.

The all star class of Portage met with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith Tuesday for their regular meeting.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. D. A. Boone are sorry to hear of his sudden death.

Hills Corners. The male quartet from Hills Corners Christian church sang at the Evangelical church in Niles Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sebasty and daughter spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seyfred.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Klanser, Gander, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klanser, Galien, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Southerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler went to Cassopolis last Thursday to visit her father who is quite ill.

Clarence Weaver has opened a grocery store in Glendora.

Plans are going merrily on for the Hospital Benefit Hard Times party and dance to be held in the local I. O. O. F. hall under auspices of the local Rebekah lodge, March 13th.

U. S. Consumption of Rubber. The United States consumes more than 70 per cent of the world's rubber production.

Qualifications of Republican Candidates. On Monday, March 11, the voters of Buchanan are going to be asked to select their choices for the administration of village affairs for the coming year.

For President—Chas. H. Boone, chief engineer of the Clark Equipment Co., Past Master of Masonic Lodge and active in its affairs, active member of Presbyterian church, promoter and supporter of many civic affairs, a very capable man who will earnestly and diligently endeavor to take care of the duties of his office.

For Council—Frank Merson, director of Building and Loan Association, assistant superintendent of axle department, member of Masonic fraternity, active supporter of all prominent civic affairs, resides on Rynearson St., Liberty Heights.

Harry Graham—World war veteran, active member American Legion and Masonic fraternity, production manager Clark plant, civic bodies, and a loyal booster for all community projects, resident of Front street.

Arthur Johnston—World war veteran, active in American Legion and Odd Fellows fraternity affairs, active member of Methodist church, and choir; employed as stockkeeper in axle shop; resident of Theoda Court.

A. H. Kiehn—Member board of trustees of Presbyterian church, secretary of Masonic Lodge, paymaster at Clark plant, and also director of first aid and safety, prominent in all civic affairs and

a loyal booster for Buchanan, resides on Lake Street.

For Treasurer—R. K. (Ted) Rouse, well known barber and a man filling the office for which he is a candidate.

For Assessor—Harry B. Brown, former president of village, under whose administration many progressive improvements were instituted.

If elected, these candidates pledge themselves to a proper and progressive administration of Buchanan's affairs, and will actively promote the interests of every resident of the community.

- 1. Home building, extend streets, walks and water. 2. Completion of Portage and Third Street sewers as soon as possible, so that these streets may be used, and the pavement project not be held up by any further bickering. 3. Ecter care of streets. 4. A plan for collection of garbage, ashes and refuse at little or no cost to taxpayers. 5. A plan to reduce village debt, thereby saving heavy interest payments, and later reducing taxes. 6. Support City Plan.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE—AD.

Banking by Mail

We call the attention of readers who live outside of our town that this Bank receives deposits by mail. To farmers and others who desire banking connections of the highest character we courteously remind them that this is a safe Bank for safe people conducting its affairs with courteous conservatism.

Our method of Banking by Mail will be explained upon request. Its simplicity and safety are among its attractive features.

The Buchanan State Bank

Record Liners Pay--Try Them!

Advertisement for Standard Oil Company featuring 'TWO GOOD MOTOR OILS' (Polarine and Iso-Vis) and an illustration of a car. Text includes: 'Times have changed! Faster driving speed—higher compression engines—more congested traffic—have put a heavier load on the engine.' and 'The Standard Oil Company (Indiana), always geared to anticipate changing conditions, has kept Iso-Vis and Polarine abreast of development. These two good oils are up to the minute—both do a good job.'

Local News

The Friendship class of the Evangelical church will meet Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Marsh for their regular business and social meeting.

Epsilon chapter, B. G. U. sorority was delightfully entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Doris Reams. Following a short business meeting a report of the convention was given after which bridge furnished the diversion for the evening.

Mrs. Wm. Shearon of Greeley, Colorado, arrived Monday night, being called here by the sudden death of her father, D. W. Boone.

Dr. and Mrs. George D. Boone of Royal Oak, Mich., were called home Sunday by the death of the former's father.

We have Shamrock candy and other green novelties for St. Patrick's day, March 17th. Princess Ice Cream Parlor, phone 183, 911c.

A party of local Odd Fellows, comprising George Slater, Warren Willard, John Luke, and Harley Seidler motored to Michigan City Saturday afternoon where they attended the North Michigan meeting of the I. O. F. About 300 were present and a good meeting was reported.

Ivove Hoag is very ill in Pawating hospital.

Mrs. Perry Green is improving from illness at her home.

Don't wait until the last minute to order your ice cream moulds or bricks for St. Patrick's day. Princess Ice Cream Parlor, phone 183, 911c.

Master Dicky Snodgrass is ill with measles at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass on West Chicago street.

Ralph Leaveny completed the rebuilding of his North Main street home Monday, having repaired all the fire damages and added another second story room in addition. He moved his family in Wednesday.

Let the Main Street Electric do your wiring and repair work. Stuart Holmes, 505 Main. Phone 76, 92c.

Dr. W. F. Sargent attended the meeting of the Tri-County Dental Association held at Benton Harbor Tuesday evening.

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The Monday Literary club was delightfully entertained this week at the home of Mrs. J. C. Rohm on Main street. Mrs. Emma Fehner opened the meeting with a piano solo after which Rev. Harry W. Staver gave a review of "One Increasing Purpose" by A. S. M. Hutchinson, author of "If Winter Comes."

Mr. Staver, who is a delightful speaker, gave a most thorough and interesting review of the book, then ended up by reviewing Honore Willis Morrow's article on "Learned About God from a Nigger," which appeared in the current issue of the Cosmopolitan. J. R. Rood, of near Galien was present and delightfully entertained the guests with three groups of songs. Mrs. E. C. Pascoe accompanied at the piano. Mr. Rood is a bass singer and is in great demand at social functions. The entire program was one of enjoyment. Mrs. Roy Bradley will be hostess to the club at her home next week at 208 West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Gilman of Edwardsburg were Sunday callers at the home of their son, Harold, and wife.

Regular meeting of Sylvia Chapter No. 74 will be held March 13. This is to be advance officers night and a committee will entertain.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Evangelical church will meet Tuesday, March 12, at the home of Mrs. James Tillman, on South Detroit street. Be sure and bring your Lincoln pennies.

Chicken supper at Church of Christ, Saturday, March 9. Price 50c, 91c.

Mr. and Mrs. William Widmoyer of Napanee spent Thursday and Friday of last week at the home of their son, Dr. L. F. Widmoyer.

William Fette has begun the construction of a sun parlor at the home of Clarence Arnold.

Last Wednesday Mrs. Walter Reese entertained in honor of her birthday. Mrs. Bob Hoyt, South Bend; Mrs. Maud Conley, Niles; Miss Margaret Holmes, Stockbridge, Mich.; and Mr. and Mrs. Fred McOmber, Berrien Springs.

Mrs. Linda Sanford, North Portage street, entertained the N. M. club, Wednesday afternoon. The occasion was a bridal shower on Mrs. Gladys Simpson and a birthday of Mrs. Olive Melvin. Bunco was played and refreshments served.

Mrs. Henry Smith returned Wednesday from Alliance, O., where she was called by the death of her uncle, W. C. Weed. She stopped en route at Warsaw, Ind., where she visited her brother-in-law, Fred Smith and wife, who are former Buchanan residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blaney and family moved Thursday from De-

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way avenue to Cayuga street. The monthly family night of the Presbyterian church was held on Thursday evening. After a 6:30 o'clock dinner the following program was given: A talk by John Ream; vocal solo, Miss Hollis Fairman; two saxophone and clarinet duets, Roger Thompson and Sheldon Ryan; address, Rev. Harry Staver; a reading, Miss Virginia Arnold. The committee in charge of the evening was Mrs. Glenn E. Smith, Mrs. Bay Rough, Mrs. Harry Beistle, Mrs. A. E. Muir, Mrs. John Russell and Mrs. Ralph Wegner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hartman, 708 S. Oak street, announce the birth of a son on Thursday morning.

Anna Mae Linter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Linter, 308 S. Oak street, has measles.

D. L. Haffner and Ira Gering returned to their homes in Garrett, Ind., on Thursday after visiting the former's brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. Richie L. Haffner, S. Portage street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Babcock and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Franklin, Portage Prairie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson, Main street, on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roe, Mrs. Homer Cooper and Mrs. J. E. Arney spent Thursday in St. Joseph.

Miss Tina Skeels entertained at a dinner and theater party in South Bend on Wednesday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of Miss Hollis Clayton.

Miss Cleo Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Cook, River street, ill for a week, is improved.

Miss Mary Jo Allington spent the week-end with college friends in Battle Creek.

Miss Zura Major, who has been teaching in her home town, Pleasant Lake, Ind., has accepted a position as English teacher in the Three Rivers high school and will start work on Monday. Miss Major is well known in Buchanan.

Bill Strayer, son of Dr. and Mrs. John Strayer, has recovered from measles.

The Michigan Gas & Electric Co. is experiencing much inconvenience due to the gas main setting on Portage street, where the new sewer pipe has recently been laid.

T. M. Swain, of Niles, general manager of the company, states that the main will undoubtedly be relaid in the spring.

Mrs. Martha Ansley, of Three Oaks, the assistant cashier of the E. K. Warren & Co. bank, who sustained a broken arm recently, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Childs, 123 Main street, last week.

Fred Harkrider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harkrider, Moccasin avenue, ill with pleurisy, is improving.

Mrs. D. L. Boardman was hostess for the Citizenship Day program of the Thirty Club Monday afternoon. Mrs. R. E. Franklin's topic for a paper was "Betsy Ross and the American Flag, and 'What new citizens must know about our Government,'" was given by Mrs. T. D. Childs. Mrs. A. B. Muir read a paper "Woman Citizens of Russia" which was written by

Conrad Nagle

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Mrs. G. A. Conroy who is out of the city this year. The mothers of the members will be guests of the club Wednesday, March 13, at the home of Mrs. Charles Boyle.

Bake sale, by ladies of Hills Corners Church at Chamber of Commerce rooms, Saturday, March 9.

The members of Sylvia chapter, Eastern Star, enjoyed a potluck dinner followed by bridge at the hall last Wednesday evening.

Walter Thanning and Mrs. A. H. Kiehn won the ladies' prizes at bridge while A. B. Muir and Eugene Steele held high score for the men. In the hat making contest Mrs. Charles Boyle won the prize.

The program consisted of a Russian Peasant dance by Peggy Merrifield followed by a reading by Helen Mogford. Peggy Merrifield and Eleanor Miller then did a clog dance, all of which were much appreciated.

Mrs. Geo. Chubb, Mrs. A. E. Muir, Mrs. Ruth Smith, Mrs. Jesse Wiele were on the entertainment committee.

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NOTICE OF CAUCUS. A Democrat Caucus will be held at the council rooms on Saturday, March 9, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various township offices and the transacting of other business that may properly come before the meeting.

By Order of Buchanan Township Democratic Committee. Dated March 4, 1929. 911p

Card of Thanks. We wish to extend thanks to the kind friends and neighbors for their aid and sympathy and for their gifts of flowers at the burial of our loved husband and father, Jackson Hanover.

Mrs. Nellie Hanover and son, Lysie and family. 911c

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Special! Ladies' Shoe Sale Saturday, March 9th. We are showing all the new latest Spring Styles, beautiful shoes, all the newer combinations. Special new styles in built-in-arch styles. FREE! One pair of our regular \$1.00 Silk Hose, Not-a-Seam and Romance Quality with every pair of shoes, pumps or slippers sold on Saturday, March 9. Purchase your New Easter Shoes on Saturday, March 9. Select the \$1.00 Silk Hose—all colors. FREE. PRICES ARE— \$4.00 \$4.50 \$5.00 \$5.50 Glenn E. Smith

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# News from around Galien

## Galien Locals

### Norris Bachmans Give Miscellaneous Shower for Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bachman gave a miscellaneous shower at their home Friday evening, in honor of the new bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Swanson, who were married a week ago Saturday 22 were present. Buncio was the evening's diversion. First ladies' prize was won by Miss Mildred Payne. Joseph Galaske carried off gent's first honors. Many useful gifts were received by the bride and groom. A luncheon was served.

### Galien Couple Celebrate First Wedding Anniv.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Warnke celebrated their first wedding anniversary at their home Sunday by entertaining their relatives and friends. Those present who enjoyed their first anniversary dinner, were, Mr. and Mrs. Curry McLean and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Newell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Courd of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. David Ender of Bremen, MI, and Mrs. Welcome of South Bend. All enjoyed the day showering Mr. and Mrs. Warnke with gifts, and wishing them many, many more wedding anniversaries.

Bible Study was held at the home of Mrs. R. J. Wentland Thursday evening.

Miss Frances Konkin of Chicago will spend the week-end here, at the home of her parents.

Miss Ruth Sharfenburg spent the week-end in Buchanan with her aunt, Mrs. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Babcock are spending a few days in Detroit with their son, Floyd.

Mr. Howard and family spent Sunday in Benton Harbor with relatives.

### 1930 Club Will Present Play at New Troy Mar. 15

The 1930 Club has arranged to present their play, "Cyclone Sally" at New Troy Friday evening, March 15. There will nine characters, taken by the following: William Whittaker, Charles Spalding, Bert Mitchell, Milton Mitchell, Alberta Kline, Bernice Hartline, Arlene Stevens, Anita Boye and Bira Wollett.

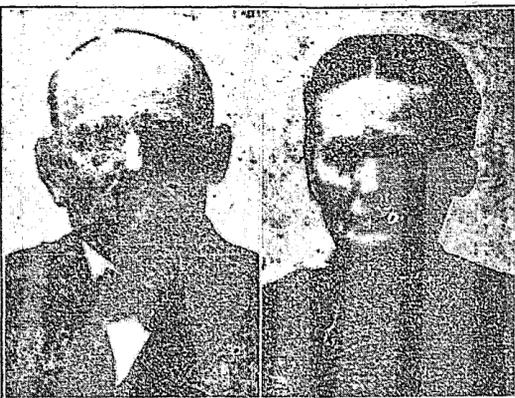
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### Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary



Saturday, March 2, was the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel William Wolfe, who were married in Galien March 2, 1879 at the home of the groom's parents, by the Rev. William Varohime of Niles. The bride's mother, Mrs. Fleischhorn, and the groom's father completed the wedding party. Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe have lived in Galien all of their married life, and were the parents of three children, Edmond and Elizabeth, having passed to their reward, their only daughter, Mrs. Cecil Hyatt living at Flint, Mich., who was unable to be with them on Saturday. They also raised four grand children, their granddaughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Galaske, and her son, are making their home with them. Mr. Wolfe's only sister, Mrs. Kate Smith, lives at Elkhardt. They also have ten nieces and two nephews living in California. Mrs. Wolfe has been a faithful member of the German Lutheran church since her marriage and was the Aid Society's treasurer for 23 years; also was an active member of the Macabee lodge for 33 years. Amelia Augusta Fleischhorn was born in Saxony, Meiningen, Germany, May 15, 1851, and came to America with her parents in August, 1864, where they lived in Niles.

At the close of the Civil war they moved to Madison, Ill., and she recalls very clearly, and relates a wonderful story of train loads of soldiers returning home almost starved, stopping at her parents home and ate everything they had in the house. Her mother was baking bread which was taken from the oven place on the table, with a piece of boiling beef taken off the stove and all the sweet and sour milk from the basement was placed before the soldiers, which they soon devoured leaving the family without a thing to eat, and they had to wait supper until milking time, and made their meal on milk soup.

On arriving in Galien, another interesting story is told by Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, who are Galien's oldest pioneer residents. Mr. Wolfe who will be 82 years old in April, and his wife, 78 years in May, 59 years ago the main street of Galien was paved with sawdust about three feet deep. The sawmill which stood there where the Lintner garage now stands, was owned and operated by George Blakeslee with the Montross handle factory back of the mill. Across the street was a two-story frame building owned also by George Blakeslee who had a store on the first floor, and the T. D. S. church conducted their services on the second floor. Part of this building was moved and is now owned and occupied by Mrs. V. E. Hess. The Galien school house was a log house, and stood on the Wolfe farm, which is now owned by Frank Wilhamer. The

The Culture club held their meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clayton Smith. This being "Narcotic" week the subject was discussed generally by the 12 members present. Mrs. A. Dodd, Mrs. E. Boyle and Mrs. Clayton Smith were the refreshment committee for the afternoon. The Friday meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Paul Metzler.

The Berrien County Federation of Woman's Clubs will be held March 27, at Watervliet.

Dr. W. D. Henderson from the University of Michigan, from the extension department will give a lecture next Wednesday at the L. D. S. church at 7 o'clock, under the auspices of the P. T. A. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Renbarger and son Harold of Three Oaks were the Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger.

Rev. J. W. McNight spent the week-end at Hibbard, Ind.

Miss Ella B. Sloum entertained at Sunday evening supper, Miss Muriel Unruh, Leon DuBois and Frederic Martin of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Alta Unruh entertained at Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark.

Miss Thelma Norris was the Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark.

Miss Muriel spent Sunday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sholey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Clark were in South Bend Monday to consult Dr. Edwards, an eye specialist. Mrs. Clark has been having trouble with her eyes for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Galaspe were business callers in South Bend Thursday.

DeForest Hess and Jack Wetzel spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hess, east of Niles.

J. A. Sholey relates an interesting story of the Buchanan Record, which was the first newspaper he subscribed for about 40 years ago, and renewed his subscription this week for another year, stating "he and his wife could not keep house without it."

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Galaspe entertained at their home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stringer and family of South Bend.

Miss Nola VanTilburg was the Saturday night supper of Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger.

Mrs. Ed. Heckathorn and son, Lewis, spent Thursday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Florence Mensener at New Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Goodenough from Chicago.

Mrs. George Olmstead who has a large music class, held a class day meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. Roy Payne. A contest in "scales" was given the past month. Harley James and Esther Hess winning first prize. Margaret Payne and Harland Lintner won second prize. A "counting" contest is being held for the month of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews and daughter were business callers in South Bend Saturday.

Clarence Hess and Howard Otwell of Buchanan motored to Pe-kin, Ill., Saturday.

A class of six members were initiated into the Rebekah lodge last Thursday evening. Ninety-eight members were present with eight guests. A pot-luck supper was served after the business of the lodge had been transacted. The lodge will give a public dance in the I. O. O. F. hall Saturday evening, March 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lyons were at the Palace theatre Sunday afternoon and enjoyed Ford and Glenn, whom we all enjoy listening to over the radio from WLS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Galaspe were business callers in South Bend Thursday.

DeForest Hess and Jack Wetzel spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hess, east of Niles.

J. A. Sholey relates an interesting story of the Buchanan Record, which was the first newspaper he subscribed for about 40 years ago, and renewed his subscription this week for another year, stating "he and his wife could not keep house without it."

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fay and baby, spent Sunday with relatives in Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Renbarger attended the funeral of their uncle, Henry Stauffer, who passed away at his home in Glendora Sunday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at Wakarusa, Ind.

David Kramer and daughter were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boyce.

Ed. Gillespe and brother, Ott, were business callers in Buchanan Saturday.

Mrs. Ed. Heckathorn and sister Florence spent Monday in Benton Harbor.

Miss Dorothy Wolford spent Sunday afternoon in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thorson have a new Atwater-Kent radio installed in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grafford of Niles were Sunday callers on the former's mother, Mrs. Der-ringer.

Mr. J. R. Rood and Miss Lydia Rood spent Monday evening in Buchanan. Mr. Rood sang for a club meeting.

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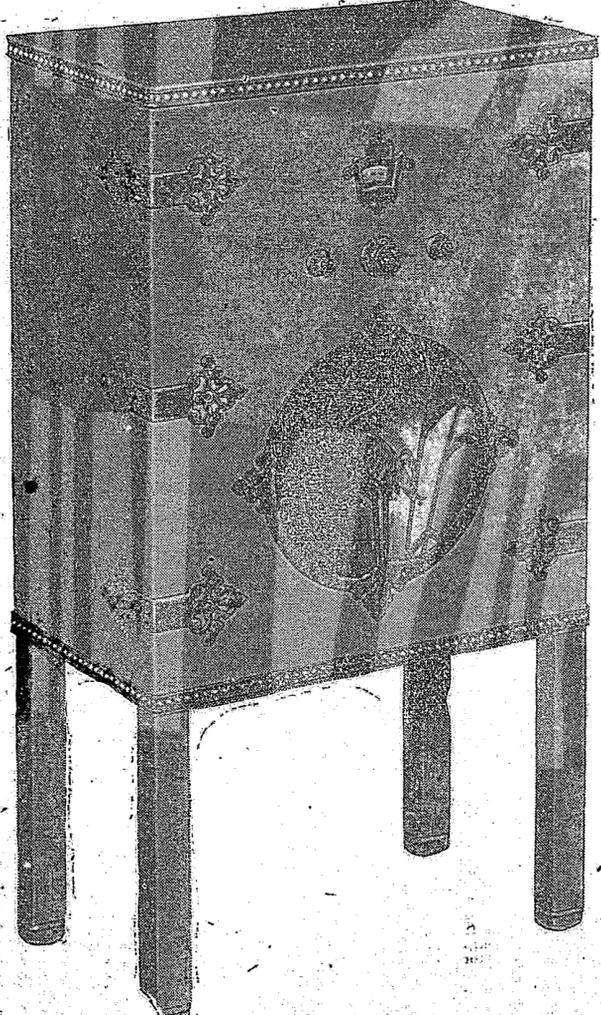
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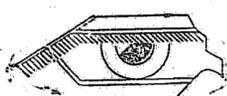
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**FOR SALE OR RENT**—120-acre farm. Would consider Buchanan or Niles property or smaller farm in trade. C. F. Spalding, 404 Main street, phone 103M. 9tp

**P. O. EQUIPMENT FOR SALE**  
The postoffice equipment and furniture of the old postoffice buildings will be offered at sale Friday afternoon at that place the building being open at the hours of 1 p. m., 5 p. m., and 7 p. m., or see Dr. L. F. Widmoyer, 115 Main St. Offerings are: 1 good used safe; seven good oak tables; 2 desks, 1 roll top and other flat, with chairs, 5 oak filing cabinets, etc. Dr. Widmoyer. Phone 182. 9tp

**FOR SALE**—Clover and Tennessee hay. Phone will Swartz 7126F12. 9tp

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LOST—17 Jewel Elgin watch, yellow gold, hunting case. Reward. Phone 187. 8tp

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WANTED—Female companion, white and not over 40. Matrimony considered. One who can drive car. Write H. E. Carey, painter and decorator, N. Victory street, Buchanan. 8tp

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**BIENNIAL SPRING ELECTION AND ANNUAL TOWNSHIP ELECTION.**  
Biennial Spring Election and Annual Township Election. To the qualified electors of the township of Buchanan (Precinct No. 1), County of Berrien, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given, that the next ensuing Biennial Spring Election and Annual Township Election will be held at Precinct No. 1, Horse House, So. Oak St., Precinct No. 2, St. Joe Valley Shipping Ass'n. Bldg., Days Ave.; Precinct No. 3, Zinc Collar Pad Bldg., Main St.; Precinct No. 4, 109 Main St., within said Township on Monday, April 1, 1929 A. D. for the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz:

Two Justices of the Supreme Court; two Regents of the University of Michigan; Superintendent of Public Instruction; Member of the State Board of Education; two Members of the State Board of Agriculture; State Highway Commissioner.

Circuit Judge or Judges for the District in which said County is situated.

**TOWNSHIP**—A Supervisor; a Township Clerk; a Township Treasurer; a Justice of the Peace, full term; a Justice of the Peace, to fill vacancy, year; a Commissioner of Highways; not to exceed four Constables; a Member of the Board of Review; and there may be an Overseer of Highways for each Highway District.

Propositions—Also for the purpose of voting upon the following propositions, (if any), viz:

Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls. Act 851, Part IV, Chapter VIII, Public Acts of 1925.

Sec. 1.—On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon and no longer; PROVIDED, That in townships in which inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour and that the township board in townships and villages may, by resolution adopted, 15 days prior to the election and published with the notice of the election, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon, and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election, unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the Polls at 12 o'clock noon, for one hour.

I. SPARKS, Clerk of said Township. Dated March 2, 1929.

March 7-March 14.

Feb. 14-21-28 and March 7th. **VILLAGE ELECTION.**

Notice is hereby given to the Qualified Electors of the Village of Buchanan, State of Michigan.

That the next ensuing Annual Village Election will be held at Engine House No. 1, 114 South Oak Street, within said Village on Monday, March 11 A. D. 1929, at which election the following village officers are to be elected, viz:

1 Village President; 1 Village Clerk; 1 Village Treasurer; also 3 Trustees, 1 Assessor, 1 Trustee for 1 year; 1 Assessor, 1 Trustee

Also for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition:

Shall the village of Buchanan, without change of boundaries, be incorporated as a city?

The polls of said election will open at 7 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as may be, and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. on said day of election.

Dated this 1st day of February, A. D. 1929.

H. A. POST, Clerk of said Village.

1st insertion Jan. 31; last April 25. **MORTGAGE SALE.**

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Herbert E. L. Doggett, unmarried, mortgagor, to Farmers & Merchants National Bank, mortgagee, dated February 16, 1923, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan, in Volume 148 of Mortgages on Page 154, on March 8, 1923, which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Farmers & Merchants National Bank and Trust Company to Alta and Mayme Wright by proper assignment of mortgage dated March 8, 1923, and recorded in the Office of said Register in Volume 6 of Assignment of Mortgages on Page 412 on April 6, 1923, and which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Alta and Mayme Wright to the Farmers & Merchants National Bank by proper assignment of mortgage dated March 13, 1926, and recorded in the Office of said Register in Volume 7 of Assignment of Mortgages on Page 282 on February 14, 1927, and which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by Farmers & Merchants National Bank and Trust Company, formerly said Farmers & Merchants National Bank, to Clayton Beckwith, Trustee, by proper assignment of mortgage dated December 7, 1925, and recorded in the Office of said Register in Volume 7 of Assignment of Mortgages on Page 573, on December 21, 1925, on which said mortgage there is claimed to be due and payable at the date hereof the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-nine and 78/100 (\$2,559.78) Dollars, that being the unpaid principal and interest due thereon, and the further sum of Eighteen and 78/100 (\$18.78) Dollars, that being the unpaid premiums on insurance on the buildings on the premises described in said mortgage, which said sum the undersigned has paid, and which amount is added to the amount secured by said mortgage, all as provided in said mortgage, and an attorney's fee of Thirty-five (\$35.) Dollars provided for by statute, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of April, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph, Berrien County, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien is held, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, with interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from this date, and all legal costs, including the attorneys fee provided for by statute.

The premises to be sold are situated in the Township of Bainbridge, Berrien County, Michigan, and are described as follows:

The East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Four (4) South, Range Seventeen (17) West, containing Eighty (80) acres, more or less, in Bainbridge Township, Berrien County, Michigan.

Dated this 1st day of February, A. D. 1929.

CLAYTON BECKWITH, Trustee. Assignee of Mortgage. Gore & Harvey, Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgage. Benton Harbor, Michigan.

1st insertion Jan. 31; last March 14. **STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien, In Chancery.**

Joseph Schwartz, Plaintiff, vs. Jacob Hoag, John Terpenning, Geo. W. Reynolds, the wife or widow, if any of any John Reynolds, John F. Schwartz, William Redden and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of each and all of them, Defendants.

Suit Pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien, In Chancery, at the city of Saint Joseph on the 30th day of January A. D. 1929.

In this cause it appearing from the bill of complaint on file in the clerks office, that certain of the defendants herein are not residents of the State of Michigan and their whereabouts are unknown.

On motion of Geo. H. Batchelor, attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the above named defendants cause their appearance to be entered herein within three months from the date of this order and in case of their appearance, that they cause their answer to the plaintiffs complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney within fifteen days after service on them of a copy of said bill of complaint, and in default thereof, said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendants.

And it is further ordered that within forty days, the plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that said publication be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that the plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendants at least forty days before the time set for their appearance.

The bill of complaint herein filed was filed to perfect certain defects in plaintiffs title to a parcel of land in the township of Bertrand, Berrien county, Michigan, described as follows: to-wit: the southwest quarter of the South-east quarter of section ten, town eight south, range 18 west.

STUART B. WHITE, Circuit Court Commissioner. Geo. H. Batchelor, Plaintiffs' attorney. Business address, Buchanan, Mich.

1st insertion Feb. 7; last March 14. **STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien, In Chancery.**

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 undersigned, 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 26th day of March 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 and eight and one-half (108 1/2) feet West of the southeast corner of the Southeast quarter of Section twenty-six (26) Town Seven (7) South, Range eighteen (18) West, thence North ninety-three (93) feet, thence West fifty-five (55) feet, thence

South ninety-three (93) feet, then East to the place of beginning. Dated January 20, 1929.

JOHN C. ST. CLAIR, Circuit Court Commissioner. 1st insertion Feb. 28; last March 15. **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 23rd day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edward K. Peer, Deceased.

Mary A. Curran having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to John Redden or to some other suitable person, and her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were the legal heirs of the legal heirs of deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 25th day of March A. D. 1929 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be 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. SEAL. A true copy. Lillia O. Sprague, Register of Probate.

1st insertion Feb. 21; last March 7. **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 18th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Binns Wenzl, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court;

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 24th day of June A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court;

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.

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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 18th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Paul Louis Schulz, Deceased.

Edwin Schulz having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to The Commercial National Bank and Trust Company or to some other suitable person, and his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of March A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be 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. SEAL. A true copy. Lillia O. Sprague, Register of Probate.

1st insertion Feb. 21; last March 7. **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 14th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Irvin Heimick, Deceased.

Gusta Clark having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to John Redden or to some other suitable person, and her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of March A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be 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.

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1st insertion Feb. 21; last March 7. **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 14th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary F. Simmons, Deceased.

Gertrude Simmons having filed in said court her final account as special administratrix of said estate, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof;

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of March A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account.

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. SEAL. A true copy. Lillia O. Sprague, Register of Probate.

1st insertion Feb. 21; last March 7. **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 13th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gertrude Simmons, Deceased.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of March A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account.

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.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of St. Joseph in said county, on the 25th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Isaac Ashley Carlisle, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court;

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 1st day of July A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court;

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. SEAL. A true copy. Lillia O. Sprague, Register of Probate.

1st insertion Feb. 28; last March 15. **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 25th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gordon N. Parkston, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court;

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In the Matter of the Estate of Ida Burnett, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court;

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In the Matter of the Estate of Carrie Peer, Deceased.

Mary A. Curran having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to John Redden or to some other suitable person, and her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of March

# MOVIES

## PRINCESS THEATRE.

Tonight and tomorrow at the Princess Theatre will be seen "State Street Sadie," the lurid picture of Chicago's underworld gang government in operation, with Conrad Nagel and Myrna Loy as the hero and heroine.

Saturday Ken Maynard, champion horseman of all times, will be seen in "The Code of the Scarlet," as a Northwestern Mountie. That code is tersely stated in "Get Your Man," and is so deeply felt by the Mounties that they "don't come back without him." This is a heavy piece of acting that Ken had in "The Wagon Circus," and involves more dramatic situations.

Two stupendous pictures will be seen next week. Tuesday and Wednesday "The Trail of '98" comes. It is a historical picture of the desperate Klondike rush days. Two years were spent in making the films, in which Dolores Del Rio, Ralph Forbes, Karl Dane and George Cooper are supported by the stars.

Thursday and Friday bring the other monster picture, "Drums of Love." D. W. Griffith's mightiest picture since "The Birth of a Nation." The romantic days of the Dons in Southern California furnish the historical story here enacted by Mary Philbin, Lionel Barrymore, Don Alvarado, Tully Marshall and Wm. Austin. Massive views and scenes are taken, two of them depicting battles in which more than 500 men clash in the Middle Ages.

## WALLACE HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Nettie Rouse, River street, was operated on Thursday at the hospital.

Mrs. Ross Batten received treatment Friday for a sprained ankle incurred in a fall.

Mrs. Mary Taylor is ill at her home on South Portage.

Ralph Allen underwent an operation for appendicitis at the hospital Sunday. Dr. Carl Davis of Chicago performing the operation, with Dr. Wallace assisting, and Dr. Cleon of South Bend administering the anaesthetic. He is recovering satisfactorily.

Clayton Painter received treatment Wednesday for a fractured ankle.

H. S. Bristol left the hospital last week, after an operation.

Mrs. H. S. Bristol is in a serious condition at the hospital, due to the shock and other indirect effects of the hip fracture which she incurred two weeks ago.

Miss O'Donnell, registered nurse is here from South Bend caring for Ralph Allen.

Sam Bunker is so far recovered from his hip fracture as to be able to walk about the corridors at the hospital.

## Republican Township Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a caucus of the Republican voters of Buchanan Township, Berrien County, Michigan, will be held at the American Legion Hall in the village of Buchanan on Saturday, March 9, 1929 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the nomination of township officers and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the caucus.

## Olive Branch

Ray Norris is quite sick this week.

Chester Sorgetz lost a valuable horse this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee were South Bend shoppers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Storm of Niles were visitors in this vicinity Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Nye, visited Mrs. Minnie Grooms in Galien Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bessie Sprague and daughter and Dorothy Lee and baby spent Saturday in the Ira Lee home.

Some people have opened their sugar camps in this vicinity and the syrup is very fine.

Myrtle Kiefer spent Saturday afternoon in Three Oaks.

Mrs. Joe Fulton spent the day Wednesday in Buchanan.

Orville Williams and family of Niles spent Sunday in the Harry Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hinman and children were visitors Thursday in the Joe Fulton home.

Rev. H. D. Meads was a visitor in the Col. John Seymour home at Willow Brook Farm recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith and son, Paul, were in South Bend Monday afternoon to the Palace Theatre to see and hear the "Lullaby Boys." Ford and Glenn, and say they are the best ever.

Howard and Justin Shepherd and wife from St. Joe spent Sunday in the Chas. Shepherd home.

Mrs. Anna Roundy and daughter visited Minnie Grooms in Galien an afternoon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rodgers and children of South Bend spent Sunday afternoon in the Chris Andrews home.

Mrs. Alice Rhoads spent Monday afternoon in the Firmon Nye home.

Dan Marble is repairing the pump at the Chas. Smith tenant home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fulton visited Lovina Swank Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Norris was in Buchanan Monday afternoon and Rev. H. D. Meads cared for her husband who is quite ill in her absence.

Mrs. Mary Kolberg and daughter

of Three Oaks spent the week-end in the Al Rickerman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Goodenough and daughter was in South Bend and Niles Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith and children of South Bend spent the week-end in the Dell Smith and Lewis' Truhn homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Frizzo and child of Niles spent Sunday in the Art Chapman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough were Sunday visitors in the Ellis Goodenough home in Galien.

Miss Hazel Chapman spent last week with relatives in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Slocum and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCoy of Buchanan spent Friday evening in the Ed. Phillips home.

The Misses Mildred and Ruth Chapman spent Saturday with Dorothy McMan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee and son, Phillip, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLaren and daughter, Nancy, visited in the Don Dennison home in Niles Sunday and also visited Mrs. Mary Williams in the Pawating hospital at that place.

Mrs. Mary Carpenter and son, Tom, and wife of Benton Harbor and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cornell of South Bend and Kenneth Dickey and wife were Sunday visitors in the John Dickey home.

Currie McLaren and Elba Unruh and their families spent Thursday evening in the Chris Andrews home.

Messrs. Will Newitt and Currie McLaren and their families attended a Sunday dinner in the Anthony Warnke home in Galien.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Nye and son, Lysie and wife were in South Bend Tuesday and saw the "Lullaby Boys," Ford and Glenn, at the Palace Theater.

Mike Bowker and Walt Smith were in La Porte last Sunday Walt has a cancer on his lip and Dr. Sutherland is removing it.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sprague and daughter Marjorie and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bowker and daughter Betty Jean, were Sunday visitors in the Frank Sprague home near Dowagiac and called at the Pawating hospital in Niles to visit Mr. Sprague sister, Mrs. Williams who has been there for some time with a broken hip.

NOTICE!  
The Bertrand Township Republican caucus will be held at the town hall Monday morning, March 11, at 10 o'clock.

## COMMITTEE.

## REGISTRATION.

Registration notice for biennial Spring Election and annual township election, Monday, April 1, A. D. 1929.

To the qualified electors of the township of Buchanan (Precinct No. 1, 2, 3, 4, County of Berrien, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan

Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any

day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township not already registered who may APPLY TO ME IN PERSON-ALY for such registration: Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any regular, special, or official primary election and the day of such election.

The last day for General Registration does not apply to persons who vote under the Absent Voters' Law. (See Registration by Affidavit.)

March 23, 1929 is the last day for General Registration by personal application for said election. Notice is further hereby given that I will be at Clerk's Office, 109 Main St., on March 9th and March 16th A. D. 1929, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of RECEIVING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

Registration by affidavit—Sec. 10—Registering of Electors: Regular Session of 1925—Any absent voter, as defined in this act, whose name is not registered and who shall claim the right to vote by absent voter's ballot at any election or primary election, may at the time of making application for absent voter's ballot, present to the township clerk an affidavit for registration which shall be in substantially the following form:

Affidavit for Registration.  
State of Michigan, ss. County of \_\_\_\_\_ ss. I, \_\_\_\_\_ being duly sworn, depose and say that I am a citizen and duly qualified elector of the \_\_\_\_\_ precinct of the township of \_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_ and State of Michigan; that my postoffice address is No. \_\_\_\_\_ street \_\_\_\_\_ or R. F. D. No. \_\_\_\_\_ P. O. \_\_\_\_\_; that I am not now registered as an elector therein and that I am voting by absent voter's ballot at the election (or primary election) to be held upon the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_, the application for which ballot accompanies this application; that I make this affidavit for the purpose of securing my registration as an elector in accordance with the statute; that I make the following statements in compliance with the Michigan Election Law; Age \_\_\_\_\_ Race \_\_\_\_\_ Birthplace \_\_\_\_\_ Date of naturalization \_\_\_\_\_ I further swear or affirm that the answers given to the questions concerning my qualifications as an elector are

true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_. My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public in and for said County, State of Michigan.

Note—If this acknowledgment is taken outside of the State, the Certificate of the Court that the person taking the acknowledgment is a notary must be attached. Registration of Absentee by Oath. Sec. 9. Part II, Chap III.—If any person whose name is not registered shall offer and claim the right to vote at any election or primary election and shall, UNDER OATH state that he or she is a resident of such precinct and has resided in the TOWNSHIP TWENTY DAYS next preceding such election or primary election, designating particularly the place of his or her residence and that he or she possesses the other qualifications of an elector under the constitution; and that owing to the sickness or bodily infirmity of himself or herself or some member of his or her family, or owing to his or her absence from the TOWNSHIP on public business or his or her own business, and without intent to avoid or delay his or her registration, he or she was unable to make application for registration on the last day provided by law for the registering of electors preceding such election or primary election, then the name of such person shall be registered, and he or she shall then be permitted to vote at such election or primary election. If such applicant shall in said matter, wilfully make any false statement, he or she shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon conviction, be subject to the pains and penalties thereof.

Provision in Case of Removal to Another Precinct.—Sec. 11, Part II, Chap. III.—Any registered and qualified voter who has REMOVED from ONE ELECTION PRECINCT of a TOWNSHIP to another election precinct of the same TOWNSHIP shall have the right, on any day previous to election, or primary election day, on application to Township Clerk, to have his or her name transferred from the registration book of the precinct from which he or she HAS REMOVED to the registration book of the precinct in which he or she THEN RESIDES. Such elector shall have the right to have such transfer made on any ELECTION, or Primary election day by obtaining from the board of inspectors of such election or primary election of the precinct from which he or she HAS REMOVED a CERTIFICATE OF TRANSFER and presenting the said certificate to the BOARD OF ELECTION INSPECTION OF THE PRECINCT IN WHICH HE OR SHE THEN RESIDES.

Dated, March 2, A. D. 1929.

I. SPARKS, Township Clerk.

March 7-March 14.

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We have just received a splendid assortment of baby things consisting of sacques, knit sets, boots, robes and gift items. Prices—

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All silk, hand-made Ties	98c
Fancy silk rayon Sox	49c
Men's Caps, piece top	\$1.49
Men's Felt Hats	\$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98
Bill Folds, real leather	\$1.49 to \$2.49

# Starting Saturday March 9

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Thousands will receive the greatest values of their lives!  
Be among them! Come!

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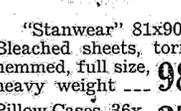
New printed, silk and cotton crepes await you in our piece goods department. The colors and color combinations are the best we have ever shown yard—

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"Stanwear" 81x90 Bleached sheets, torn & hemmed, full size, heavy weight 98c  
Pillow Cases, 36x 42, bleached. Each 25c

### Shoes



Patent, one strap, spike heel pumps, pair \$3.98

## Saturday Specials!

GENUINE "TYNDALE & PETERS" WROUGHT IRON RADIO BENCH, 18 inches high, velour covered seat. Each \$1.79

NEW PRINTED HOUSE DRESSES, All sizes, each 79c

36-INCH OUTING FLANNEL, Light colors, heavy weight, yard 15c

COTTON HUCK TOWELS, Fancy Borders 18x27, pair 19c

## The Dress that makes Housekeeping Stylish

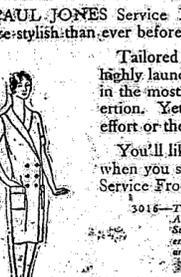


Who does a thing and how it is done, determines whether or not it is stylish. Particularly, how it is done. PAUL JONES Service Frocks are making housekeeping more stylish than ever before.

Tailored of fabrics that are durable and highly launderable, modeled to be comfortable in the most trying moments of household exertion. Yet styled to be smart at the height of effort or the luxury of rest.

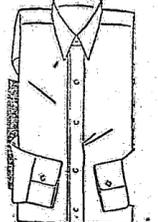
You'll like your housework more than ever, when you see the new styles in PAUL JONES Service Frocks here.

### Shoes



3015—The new Printe of Wales double-breasted Apron. Made of white Linen Noses. Suitable also of blue, green, pink and lavender. Chimney with white Poplin collar and cuffs. Red back.

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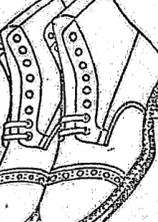


The colored broadcloth shirts with attached starched collar are here, very new, each \$1.79

### Work Clothes

Shop aprons, each	49c
Shop Caps	15c and 49c
Best grade Mole skin pants	\$2.69
Overalls	\$1.29
Grey Chambray Shirts	49c
Heavy blue Chambray Shirts	79c

### Shoes



Heavy Retan Blucher, soft tip, composition sole, rubber heels. price \$2.98

THE MICROPHONE News of Buchanan Schools

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

BUCKS WIN THIRTEENTH STRAIGHT GAME FROM STEVENSVILLE

KEEP JINX FROM DOOR FOR RECORD

Strong Finish Trims Class D Team 34 to 17.

YOUNGSTERS WIN Take Game From Stevensville Embryos by 19 to 12.

The last game of this school year on the home floor was won by the Buchanan basketball tossers last Friday night from the peppy Stevensville aggregation 34 to 17, or exactly two to one.

This thirteenth straight victory for the season without a blot, in this game added after the series tickets were printed, marks the most successful period in the history of the present generation of Buchanan high school.

Pieces led the scoring for the home boys with 13 to his credit, while Morse followed closely with 9. However, there is no competition between individual players for scoring honors, all working together to get the ball down under the basket for the one who is free to toss.

Siewert was the brilliant ace for Stevensville, although he was not high point man, that honor going to Engler who copped 7, with Friesel following closely with 5. Siewert was everywhere all the time. The entire team, however, gave everything they had to support Captain Siewert.

Coach Marshall Sherer, who is also superintendent of schools at Stevensville, is laying the foundations for a great team next year. He loses Siewert by expiration of time, and T. Schultz by graduation. All the rest but one on the present squad of 16—all he had out this year—are sophomores. Of a freshman class of 23 he got but five boys this year, and four of them were midgets.

Buchanan's Fightin' Bunch did not get going in the first half. They met a desperate charge of the Stevensville to start the second half which brought the score to 10 to 9 before they finally solved the attack and began to roll up the record. Then Morse, Pfingst, Pierce, Pfingst, Morse and Savoldi scored like machine-gun fire to end the third quarter 22 to 13 in their favor.

Clem Savoldi was suffering from an injured right elbow, and was not sent in until near the close of the second quarter. Squires playing the position and looping in one basket for two points. Knight, who has warmed the bench almost all season, nursing his football injuries to knee and shoulder, went in for Fette to start the second half and played a brilliant game at guard until near the end of the game when Bristol relieved him. He seems completely ready for the tournament. At the same time that Bristol entered the fray, Squires relieved Pfingst, going to center, Morse went forward, and Fette returned to guard.

The Buchanan Maroon and White will open at the tournament at Niles tonight at 9 o'clock against their old enemy, Three Oaks, who, with Coach Wencelassen back on the job, are going great guns, having defeated Bridgman on the Three Oaks floor by an overwhelming score. It may have been that Bridgman was laying back for the next week they swamped Niles 35 to 13.

Buchanan will have a hard game with Cassopolis also. Coach Harold Bradfield is taking no chances, and is drilling every member of both first and second team squads, to insure plenty of reserve strength whatever happens. A splendid spirit is seen, and every-

Box score: Buchanan (34) B. F. P. T. Squires, lf. (c) 1 0 0 2 6 Pfingst, rf. 2 2 2 2 6 Morse, lg. 4 1 1 2 13 Pierce, c. 6 1 2 13 11 Fette, rg. 4 1 1 9 9 Savoldi, lf. 2 0 2 4 4 Knight, rg. 0 0 0 0 0 Bristol, rg. 0 0 0 0 0

Stevensville (17) B. F. P. T. Friesel, lf. 2 1 2 5 3 Siewert, rf. (c) 1 0 3 5 3 Engler, lg. 1 5 1 7 7 Jeffers, rg. 0 0 1 0 1 Brown, rg. 0 1 0 1 1

Score by quarters: Buchanan - 7 3 12 12-34 Stevensville - 3 3 7 4-17

Engler's feat of tossing five free throws without a bobble is notable. The boys with the beautiful Scarlet Tanager on their jackets made nine good free throws in fourteen tries, one more point by the gift route than they made by the basket from floor route.

The second teams put up a close, exciting game, with the Buchanan yearlings a little ahead all the way. Big Bartz at center for Stevensville played a stellar game, and promises to become a star next year when he begins to hit the baskets. Eisenhart and Lawson led the scoring, each having 6 points. The two Kreiger boys and Brown showed scoring possibilities, that give Coach Sherer a rosy outlook for next year.

Box score of second teams: Buchanan (19) B. F. P. T. Chubb, lf. 1 1 0 3 3 Eisenhart, rf. 3 0 1 6 6 Dreitzler, c. 1 0 3 2 2 Lawson, lg. 3 0 1 6 6 M. Schultz, rg. 1 0 0 2 2 Aronson, lf. 0 0 0 0 0 Post, rf. 0 0 1 0 0 W. Schultz, c. 0 0 0 0 0 Dempsey, lg. 0 0 0 0 0 Imhoff, rg. 0 0 0 0 0

Score by quarters: Buchanan - 4 6 9 0-19 Stevensville - 3 2 1 3-12

With Buchanan reserves all in the games the Cardinals blanked

man is for the team, the school and the town. All Buchanan is expected to be present in the big gymnasium at the sister city.

Referee: Nancy, South Bend, Timekeeper, Miller, W. S. T. C. The crowd was small, but watch them at Niles tonight!

Them in the fourth quarter, 3 to 0. Referee: Nancy, South Bend, Timekeeper, Miller, W. S. T. C. The crowd was small, but watch them at Niles tonight!

Those who had 100 per cent. in spelling in Mrs. Wilcox's room last week were as follows: Betty Ann Miller, Jeanette McGowan, Ruth Jean Haslett, Lynna Rothfuchs, Norma Hess, Phil Pierce, Katherine Mosier, Ruth Lightfoot, Barbara Schram, Lucian Depyl and Robert Wesner.

Several are absent on account of the measles. The children made health posters in language we are studying the first signs of Spring—pussywills, birds, etc.

In Mrs. Fischner's room the following were 100 per cent. in the weekly spelling match: Girls—Helen Renninger, Ann Mogford, Geneva Babcock, Elberta Maxson, Alice Clark.

Boys—William Snyder, Vernon Walls, Edwin Ingelright, Orlo Maxson, Lawrence Burgoyne Mat-theu Rauch, Valentine Paul, Carleton Plescher, William Carlisle, Harry Hemphill, Jack Miller.

THIRD GRADE. In Miss Simmon's room the pupils are making health posters. We wrote a story about the flag for language. All but four stood 100 per cent. in spelling. We are starting some window

We are 100 per cent. clean teeth and hands. We have been reading about the lives of great men whose birthdays are in February.

Our Junior high honor roll for February consists of the following names: Seventh grade—Maxine Myers, Lorin Johnston, Mary Irwin, John Godfrey, Dorothy Bailey.

Our Junior high honor roll for February consists of the following names: Eighth Grade—Lora Hafner, Marvin Gross, Freddie Portz, Edward Roland, Donald Sargent, Rosemary Thompson, Dee Weaver.

Th first honor roll of the new semester has very few people on it—one is told, however, that there is a very large list at the other end of the ladder, the history students of Mr. Ormiston being especially prominent.

Although this is the smallest honor roll to be published, this school year it is thought that such a depression will stimulate the interest of the students and more will work harder during the coming month.

The honor roll of the high school is as follows: Ninth Grade—Charlotte Arnold 2A4B, Dorothy Babcock 4A4, Jane Easton 7A1B, Jane Habicht 7A, Phil Hanlin 3A3B, Dorothy Holmes 6B, Paddy McHenry 2A2B, Marjorie Sands 4A1B, John Strayer 5A, Theresa White 5A, Pauline Van Every 2A3B.

Tenth grade—Helen Schmalz-reid 3A2B, Roger Thompson 4A2B, Jeanette Upham 3A2B. Eleventh grade—Arthur Anderson 4A4B, Mary Frklich 4A4B, Richard Zerbe 4A2B. Twelfth grade—Robert Morse 3A2B, Virginia Snowden 3A2B. Honorary Mention.

Ninth grade—Ruth Pierce 2A2B 2C. Tenth grade—Ruth French 4A4B 1C, Sheldon Ryan 2A3B1C, Ralph Zerbe 3A1B1C, Lenna Thompson 4A3B1C. Eleventh grade—Harold Knight 2A1B1C, Mildred Morse 2A2B1C, Edith Eddy 2A2B1C. Twelfth grade—Donald Fette 2A2B1C, Bernadine Dewitt 4B1C.

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Bars Are Raised In Definition of Good Citizenship

It is unknown whether the students are just naturally getting bad or whether the teacher are expecting them to suddenly become "little angels." At least only eight are honored as first citizens this month—the eight are: Paddy McHenry, Theresa White, Helen Schmalz-reid, Jeanette Upham, Ralph Zerbe, Arthur Anderson, Claude DeWitt, Robert Morse.

The real truth about the smallness of the above list, however, is the fact that a better interpretation of citizenship is trying to be made. Average good citizens are to be given a two hereafter instead of the previous one and those receiving one's are those who have made themselves outstanding in every possible way.

Not only is this question being discussed in student council but also such questions as: the problem of one-half day in which the students will reign supreme, they have charge of next Friday's assembly program, and the group meetings on Tuesday as well. So it may be seen that the government of the students is reaching out and grasping a greater sphere.

Very often pupils living for the future. Your inventory

THIS AND THAT.

Nearly two-thirds of the school year has been covered. During this time much sickness has made it necessary to put an "Incomplete" mark on the report cards some where along the line. It will be much to a pupil's advantage if all this work is made up in full when June comes. However, this means a great deal of overtime on the part of both teacher and pupil.

Last Tuesday six rooms banked 100 per cent—four of which were in the Junior High—Mr. Miller's, Mrs. Weaver's, Mrs. Whitman's and Mrs. Walton. The other two rooms were Miss Neffnegger's and Miss Reams.

Our Superintendent, Mr. Stark, was away most of the week attending the national meeting for superintendents held in Cleveland. We are told that our former superintendent, Mr. B. F. Eggert remains about the same. We are heartily in sympathy with Mr. Eggert, and sincerely hope for his speedy recovery.

Two weeks ago notice were sent out asking the parents to help solve the problem of so many children remaining in the buildings during the lunch hour. We appreciate greatly the help given us. The next day after the notices had been received in the homes, the number of pupils remaining was reduced nearly one-half.

However, there still remains this fact. Very often pupils living for the future. Your inventory

within two or three blocks of the buildings remain in building during the noon hour. This seems hardly fair to them, as we feel they need the exercise gained by being free during that hour.

Editorial

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FACE, FRONT!

Face, front! A military term but very applicable to life. Characteristic of youth, always looking forward. As soon as one stops building, growing, and lives on memories, decay sets in. You can not stand still; either you progress or decay. The history of nations, races, animals, and plants all bear this out.

In facing front, however, we must face something. This is what we call a goal. In picking your goals, though, you must develop the power of selection, as you would in picking out a car, radio, or summer's trip. So select your goal and "Face, front!" till you attain your mark.

When your goal is reached, make an inventory of yourself, but use the past only as a guide fact. Very often pupils living for the future. Your inventory

made, select another goal and always keep a selected goal before you. "Face, Front!"

EXCHANGE

Oratory holds an important place in the activities of the Niles high students this semester. A local contest will be held on Friday, March 1. Only three students braved the sea of new words and thoughts to enter this event. The participants, Lucille Millard, Sidney Cornell and Donald Winlock are being carefully coached by their instructor, Mrs. Rutz.

Students must have a place to skate, or at least this is the opinion of Howell, Michigan, high school students, so they flooded their playground to make that place and state they could not wish for better.

The Niles Senior high has achieved vast proportions that combined assemblies with the Junior high can no longer be held. At the suggestion of the Senior high that speeches, pep meetings, and General assemblies be enjoyed alone, the Junior high readily withdrew. Peace is expected hereafter, without the usual shoving and cramped positions.

The fairer of the Niles faculty were entertained by the masculine members at a banquet on January 29. Eighty-eight faculty members were served and the evening was closed enjoyable with speeches and music. It is reported that next month the ladies will take their turn and treat the gentlemen to a feast.

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### Alimony and Justice.

Alimony has become a national curse. It is helping break up homes and tends to popularize it by making it financially profitable, so a learned jurist in Chicago declared recently at the conclusion of a divorce hearing. A woman of wealth sought a large weekly sum for alimony from the man she was suing for divorce. The court gave her alimony of \$5 per week, made the statements above, and declared henceforth only nominal alimony awards would be made in his court, save when real needs were shown.

This is something relatively new, a radical departure from customs long observed in divorce courts. In some places the amount of alimony has been fixed at the maximum it was possible to wring from the man, at times a permanent alimony has been ordered. The Chicago court declared that policy entirely wrong, no longer to be sanctioned by orders his court might issue. There have been some strange orders made in divorce courts when emotions were roused and impulses developed under the spell of contention in the trials. The Chicago jurist feels the time has come to call a halt, get a finer insight into the questions at issue, that justice may be more nearly evenhanded when the decrees are written.

### The Cigaret Empire.

The consumption of cigarettes continues to grow, blame it on the women if you want to. Statistics for 1928 show that over 100,000,000,000 of fags were smoked last year; and the tax levied by the federal government amounted to \$317,833,335, an increase of \$26,000,000 over 1927. Blame women or the war or advertising or whatever it was that over night turned America into a nation of cigaret smokers, as yet there is no turning back of this tide. The spectacle of all the college boys puffing away on pipes may have made the cigaret more popular. But popular the cigaret is, and popular it bids fair to remain.

This is proved by the fact that 8,000,000,000 more cigarettes were smoked in 1928 than in the previous year, the exact figures being 105,915,965,014 in 1928 and 97,176,607,454 in 1927. Moreover, of the total tax paid on all kinds of tobacco and snuff of \$411,016,098.04, three-fourths was paid on cigarettes alone and the increase in the total tax for 1928 over 1927's sum was less than the increase in the cigarette tax.

It is a humorous spectacle to outsiders to observe two powerful interests, the tobacco and the confectionery, tearing into each other. That is a war in which no one is obliged to depart from a benevolent neutrality. Suffice it to say that "De gustibus non disputandum" applies just as much to smokes of sweets as to literary criticisms.

### He Left No Will.

For more than two decades former United States Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama was a conspicuous figure in American public life. His brilliant mind made it possible for him to win prominence early. As a young man he helped write the constitution of his state. He served in the lower house of Congress a score of years, then spent a dozen years in the senate. In a number of national conventions he was a contender for the presidential nomination. The South loved him, the nation respected his ability and admired his many noble qualities. In the senate he won and held a prominent place because of his ability. But he died without leaving a will disposing of his property.

For more than three decades he had helped make laws affecting a hundred million people. He had studied the task of protecting the larger interests of the nation, had accumulated a moderate fortune, had three heirs. Brilliant lawyer that he was for more than 40 years, he failed to give his thoughtful attention to the disposition of his estate, making light the work of distribution, insuring justice as he planned it for each heir. Because he did not complete that task the Underwood estate will be administered under the laws of the state and those who wrote the laws will be, in fact, the distributors of his fortune.

It would be interesting to know how many men who read this story of Senator Underwood's unfortunate lack of attention to an important matter have had their wills written. How many have estimated the fortune accumulated, studied needs of heirs, made an effort to contribute to their best interests and insure their largest comfort by an orderly distribution of the property, with the fortune, large or small as it may be, safeguarded? Records in the probate courts prove the fact that many men fail, just as Senator Underwood did. His failure was made impressive by the fact that he had won a high place for the brilliance of his legal mind and his deep understanding of the law. Writing a will is one of the important affairs for any man, rich or poor, and its largest value is in conserving and safeguarding the property accumulated. Many neglect that duty.

### Learning to Co-operate.

Surely, if slowly, the farmers of America are learning the true possibilities of co-operative effort, and are taking advantage of

it. Out of the confusion of a decade of effort in which ill-advised and poorly managed activities played a large part, the true science of co-operation is emerging with much to its credit. According to the bureau of co-operation of the U. S. department of agriculture, 2,000,000 farmers now are organized into 12,000 associations for the purpose of marketing their products or purchasing their supplies. The same authority states that these associations last year marketed farm commodities to the value of almost \$2,000,000,000, and purchased farm supplies amounting to about \$500,000,000.

It is probable that these figures are somewhat exaggerated. Moreover, comparative few co-operation sales are made direct to consumers, the association in the main having so far merely taken their places in the chain of middlemen. But the fact remains that a very large volume of business now is annually transacted by co-operative associations that have reached a high degree of efficiency and stability. A worth-while service to the members is being rendered. That this business will continue to grow, both in volume and in the numbers engaged in it, seems assured.

There is some co-operative activity in each of the 48 states. The movement has made greatest headway in Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin, Missouri, New York and the states along the Pacific coast. The farmers' elevator associations form the largest group, followed by those handling dairy products, cotton, fruit, poultry and wool all are handled co-operatively in huge aggregate amounts. Hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of live stock is marketed annually by commission firms organized and operated by producers, although these agencies can scarcely be classed as co-operative, in the sense that many of the other associations are. They operate much the same as the old-line commission firms, but distribute their profits among their members and customers.

The hardest lesson for co-operative minded farmers to learn was that good management is as essential to the success of a co-operative association as to any other method of transacting business. It took actual experience to convince many of them that there is no statutory safeguard against incompetency and inefficiency. The era of camp meeting style of organization, disastrous and costly as it was, may have been worth the price, because it was the failure of associations so organized that drove home these facts.

Burned fingers are slow to take hold again unless reason and experience justify. It has been proven that local co-operative efforts are more likely to succeed than the state or nation-wide movements not based upon local units. The conclusion is easily reached that unless people can work together in communities, they cannot do so on a larger scale. It has been demonstrated by the Canadian wheat pool that, after having learned to work together in local units, farmers may effectively organize on a commodity basis, in a very large way.

### Tribute to Professors.

That world-famous man of science, Dr. Michael Pupin, pays high tribute to the devoted university professors in the current issue of Scribner's, for their many contributions to science. He discusses the pioneering professors, who are not content with the wisdom known in their respective fields but search continually for the hidden things. He points out some who made large contributions to science with discoveries, made in voluntary tasks and not as a part of the work given them in the university. Dr. Pupin insists the world of science is deeply indebted to the pioneering professors.

Records in the war and navy departments at Washington would supply names of many scientists now living who made famous discoveries during the days of the World War when called on for service by their country. These departments called on the universities of the land, asked individuals of known qualities of leadership, invited others, and the answer was generous and productive. One who gave conspicuous service was Dr. Max, now with the University of Chicago, but in the army of which he was a member were hundreds of others when the men of science were mobilized for government service.

Our office secret for the day: The way for a commercial organization, reform or otherwise, to assure itself of adequate publicity is to come out strongly for newspaper advertising in the resolutions adopted without a dissenting vote.

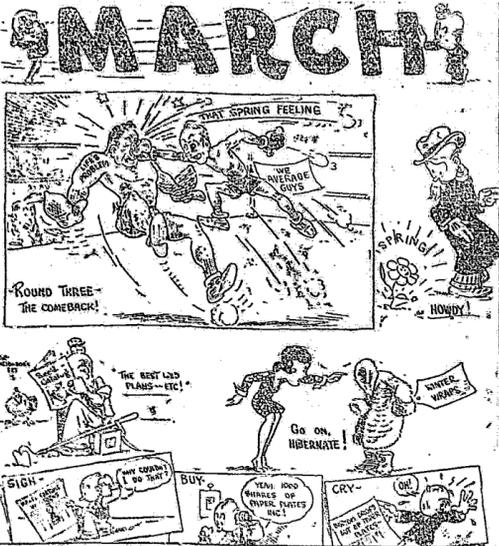
That eminent college professor who remarked some six months ago that there is no such thing as a beautiful but dumb person, beauty and intelligence always going together, how repeats it and evidently he hasn't met the right people yet.

The farm relief problem, upon which our best minds have been working so long and diligently, seems to have been simplified into a question of how to fix prices without price-fixing.

Our idea of a discriminating sense of humor would be one that could tell authoritatively which is the funnier end of a girl, the hat end or the shoe end.

He is the kind of man, we said in our bitterly intolerant way, who would feel more than unusually important if he got a letter by air mail, even a bill or a circular.

Another great dietetical discovery, we note, is that onions, like peas, can be ruined by mixing them with diced carrots.



## This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

Nose Pink, Record Broken.  
Peaceful Fishing.  
Another Canal Needed.  
Radio and the School.

For 13 hours and 16 minutes, Elinor Smith, seventeen-year-old girl flier, stayed up in the freezing winds above Long Island in an open airplane. When she came down her nose was bright pink, her legs were stiff, her hands were almost frozen, but she had broken the women's endurance record by one hour.

Flying interests women, it is one of the things that they can do better than men.

The MOST important thing men can't do at all, namely producing and taking care of children. And that is what should interest women especially.

It is better to create an Abraham Lincoln than to be Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. Hoover is calm and peaceful, having written his inaugural address and selected his Cabinet. The country won't know who is in the Cabinet until March 4th.

A thousand or more candidates may be sure that if they haven't heard from Mr. Hoover yet, they will not hear from him. The fact that Secretary Mellon REMAINS in the Cabinet will please everybody, something that happens rarely.

The Panama Canal set a new high record for business in January, 593 ships passing in thirty days.

The country needs another canal, and a Nicaraguan canal should be

built at sea level to take care of growing ocean-to-ocean traffic. The Nicaraguan canal would provide this country with a canal from the Atlantic to the Pacific without the locks, so easily destroyed.

What radio means to the world, particularly to this country with its millions of radio sets, is not appreciated.

Public thanks are due to the Radio corporation of America that, at great expense, engages an excellent symphony orchestra with Walter Damrosch leading and explaining, to play every Friday morning at 11 o'clock for school children and all others that care to "tune in."

Every public school should have a good radio, and the teacher's duty should be to suspend classes and tune in for broadcasting worth while.

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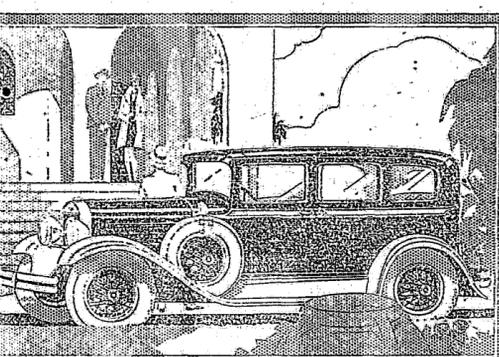
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### Lower Michigan's 3 Zone Freight Rate Questioned

Lower Michigan's three-zone freight rate structure, created in 1917 by railroads serving the state, now seems in a fair way to be abolished as the result of an adverse report on this zoning system made to the Interstate Commerce Commission, recently, by Examiners Bardwell and Faut in Iron and Steel Docket No. 17000, Part 6. The report, if adopted by the Commission, means that all shippers in the lower peninsula will be placed on the same rate basis as competitors to the south of the Michigan state line in Indiana and Ohio. Such action would be a boon to the automotive industry particularly, involving as it does a substantial lowering of rates on practically all shipments of finished and raw materials. The zone rate application has been the subject of many hearings for years.

In view of the recommendation of the examiners that a new basic scale of rates be applied in Michigan, without the addition of zone arbitrages, and the long fight made by Michigan industrial representatives and boards of commerce it is expected that the Interstate Commerce Commission cannot do otherwise than place all the important cities of Michigan on the same rate basis that competitors in adjoining states enjoy. The three zones which have applied in rate making for Michigan during the last dozen years are designated as A, B and C. Zone A extends roughly between the boundary line of the state on the south and from Detroit westward to Kalamazoo and thence westward to the south to New Buffalo. Zone B, which includes Grand Rapids, Saginaw and Bay City, extends its northern limits along a line from north of Bay City to Muskegon. Zone C is the entire territory lying to the north not inclusive of the upper peninsula, however. Zone A takes the basic rates while Zone B takes a two cent per

hundredweight arbitrary over Zone A rates. Zone C takes an even higher arbitrary in spite of the fact that it is largely an agricultural section. Zone B includes many cities in which are located important manufacturing industries that consume large quantities of iron and steel. They compete with similar industries located a short distance to the south in Zone A. But aside from Detroit, there are no cities in Zone A which compare in importance with such Zone B cities as Flint, Jackson, Grand Rapids, Benton Harbor, Pontiac, Howell, St. Joseph, Lansing, Holland, Muskegon and Port Huron. Industries of Zones A and B consume each year between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 tons of iron and steel products such as bars, plates, shapes, sheets, hot and cold-rolled strip, hoops and bands. Of flat-rolled products alone, they consume about 2,500,000 tons annually. Besides, they absorb yearly between 350,000 and 400,000 tons of pig iron, one-half as much scrap, 10 tons of sand to each single ton of castings, and thousands of tons of coal and coke almost all of which fuel is shipped in from outside districts as far distant as Kentucky and West Virginia. Enjoying but few commodity rates, and these on such commodities as sand, gravel and lumber, lower Michigan manufacturers pay full fifth class railroad rates on all inbound traffic, and also pay 110 per cent of first class on their outbound traffic such as automobiles and trucks. Michigan railroads, participating only slightly in the through traffic from Trunk Line territory to and from the west, have had to look at home for their sustaining revenues. Had the automotive industries not formerly enjoyed wide margins of profit and had they not progressively perfected their economic and manufacturing organizations to a fine point, they might not have survived the adverse traffic systems of the past decade. J. J. Lynch, of the Hayes Wheel Company, Jackson, testified that he pays 14 cents where competitors in Ohio and Indiana pay 6 or 7 cent minimums. P. L. Carter, president of the Jackson Fence Company, testified that 10 years ago there were 10 important wire fence fabricating concerns in Michigan that shipped their product all over the country; whereas today they have all disappeared except two and these are affiliated with outside concerns.

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**\$3,075 From Sale Christmas Seals In Berrien County**

Definite announcement that Berrien county's anti-tuberculosis program will be directed in 1929 by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, Lansing, has been made by T. J. Werle, executive secretary of the Association. The December, 1928, Christmas seal sale, through which preventive tuberculosis work is financed, was conducted from Lansing.

**BARODA NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rybarczyk entertained a party of friends at their home last Sunday at a 6 o'clock dinner.

Mrs. Minnie Delming who has been sick the past week is now able to be up and around.

Mrs. John Crook of Kalamazoo spent the week and with her mother Emma Nash at the George Brown home.

Albert Hofreiter who has been confined to his home with illness is improving.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shafer are confined to their home with a relapse following the measles.

Helen Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Carroll is rapidly improving.

Mrs. John Wilkinson is very ill at her home here.

The first community night program of the season will be held Thursday night, March 7, at the Congregational church. Music by the Hinchman quartet and a travel talk on the Holy Land by Rev. G. W. Switzer of St. Joseph will make up the program to which the public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix and Mrs. Charles Westhal of St. Joseph spent Wednesday at the Robert Miller home.

Mr. and M. L. Gardner returned home Saturday from Sodus after spending two months there with relatives.

The memorial staff of the Atlantic Rebekah Lodge No. 334, chartered a Shore Line bus to take them to Dowagiac Wednesday where they put on the memorial work at the district meeting.

Victor Myers of Lansing is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward DeMorrow of Lakeside spent Sunday at the Anna Swope home.

Mr. Chas. Rodeen of Minnesota spent the week-end here with friends. Mr. Rodeen was a former teacher in the Baroda schools.

Mrs. P. G. Kenney is able to be up and around after several weeks illness.

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### Farming Expert Predicts Decrease In Potato Acreage

East Lansing, Feb. 28.—Unless farmers have changed their natures recently they will plant a much reduced acreage of potatoes next spring, according to a prediction made by Dr. C. C. Stipe, Bureau of Economics, Washington, D. C.

Statistical studies, made by the Bureau of potato prices and the number of acres planted during previous years indicate that two years of unattractive prices reduce the next year's planting material.

The same figures show that a price of \$1.60 per bushel for potatoes increases the next planting 10 per cent and a price of \$1.80 increases the acres planted by 30 per cent.

Dr. Stine says that, although the weather plays an important part in determining the size of the potato crop, the greatest factor in producing a surplus is the increased plantings which follow periods of high prices.

The 1924 crop of 425,000,000 bushels of potatoes grown in the U. S. brought \$270,000,000 less than the 323,000,000 bushels which were produced the next year. In addition to the money lost on the difference in sales price, the large crop cost a great deal more to grow than the smaller one.

The branch of the United States Department of Agriculture which Dr. Stine represents furnishes crop and market reports, advanced reports on intentions to plant, and a great deal of other valuable economic information for farmers, who can obtain it by writing to the Department.

Start of Salvation Army. Gen. William Booth started the Salvation Army standing on a soap box outside a saloon in the east end of London.

May Fever Once "Rose Fever" Summer hay fever was once known as rose fever, but rose pollen seldom causes the disease.

Radio Speeds Cigar Workers. A Boston cigar manufacturer has speeded up production by placing radio loud speakers in his factory.

Alaska Has Vast Pulp Woods. Vast pulp timber resources in

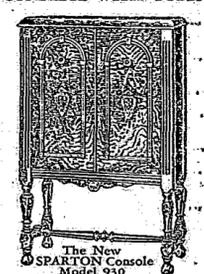
southeastern Alaska indicate that this region could develop a great paper making industry.

Japs Lead in Outdoor Films. Japanese moving picture productions excel particularly in outdoor photography.

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I thank you.

ALMA E. HUNT.

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# The Old Timers' Corner

## Old Timer Recalls Friends and Neighbors of Other Years

I have just been thinking about a spot that perhaps you, like myself, had near forgot. It was down north of town, just where Moccasin avenue and Main street "collide," which happened to be right in front of our old home. It was an old frame, gilded made of rough boards, and was not at all good to look at. It was a cooper's shop, and was owned and run by one of the finest old fellows that I knew. Joe Vorhees. He was tall and thin and walked slowly; and it seemed that his legs being so long had to take their time in getting any place. He was somewhat deaf also so you had to talk pretty loud to make him hear you, but Joe was the salt of the earth as to honor and integrity. He made many, many barrels in that old shop, and as Buchanan was very much an apple growing community, as well as many other fruits, he did well and made "barrels of barrels," and you could hear his pounding away from early morn to dewey eve, and the old forms on which he made them were worn smooth and clean by his labors. Joe was sometimes troubled with asthma, also, and couldn't breathe so good, as he grew older, so he decided to close up the shop for he thought the dust from the wood he worked on, made him worse, so he was looking about for a buyer for his property and my father, being of a turn of mind that leans toward anything that is more beautiful, bought the "corner" and took down the old shop and left the lot vacant, sodded and clean. It was right in front of our home and it wasn't so good to look at, but there was never a complaint from any neighbor for Joe was a good man and did a good straight business. He lived just a little way south of there on West Street, opposite the John Guyberson home. There was only one house between his shop and his home and that was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson. Joe's wife's father and mother. They were fine old people, and lived quietly and well in their little one-story home. They had a lot of old pine trees in the yard, they grew so thick and close together that you could hardly see the house, which was set upon a

my father and so more in a spirit of fun than anything else, he acted as though he were going to pick something up and throw it at Mr. A. and all that he found on the ground was "grass" so he grabbed a handful of grass and threw it in the direction of Mr. A. and he ran like a wild man down to the street and home, talking wildly and as he passed the neighbors along the way he told them that my father had got mad at him and was throwing grass at him.

These and many other recollections come to me when I think of the old Cooper's shop, with its piles of staves and hoops, which were always piled up in none too neat a way around the end of the place. It stood right between two large trees, one a wild cherry and the other an old Oak which gave ample shade, and as the farmers came into town with their produce they would hear Joe working away with his funny looking hammer, making "barrels of barrels." The trees are still there, or were the last time I passed the old lot. Ashley Carlisle and his family lived nearest neighbor to it on the Main street road, and his son Frank, who has passed on, now, was always too good a boy to be

mixed up with us in the "gang," but he was a good sort and we liked him. Ashley Carlisle later on moved into the old Carlisle home where he recently passed away, among the big Oak and Maple trees that sheltered their home. Mrs. Carlisle was one of the finest "mothers" I have known and a good neighbor to all. It was a great old "neighborhood" with no real black sheep in it and where boys and girls were raised to think that good people are every where. Not a bad idea for them to have. They have to learn the other side of life, later on, all too soon.

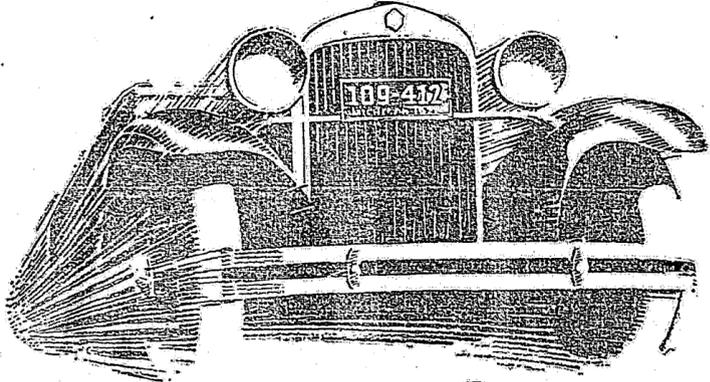
It just seems to me that with our old home all changed, and with the peach trees and grape vines and the apples and pears and all that stuff, dug up and gone and new homes being built along the roadway and part of the old farm laid out in streets and all that, it just makes me homesick to see the old place as it once was in a neighborhood where every one had their little affairs in life and attended to them quietly. Well, its just "got" to be, that's all, and we have to make the best of it. So all that is left to us now is the memory of the old Cooper shop and its surroundings. But they will never be able to take that memory from us, while we are looking anyway, so that's that. Old Timer.

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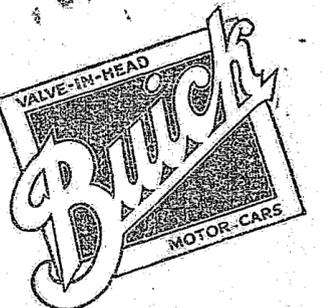
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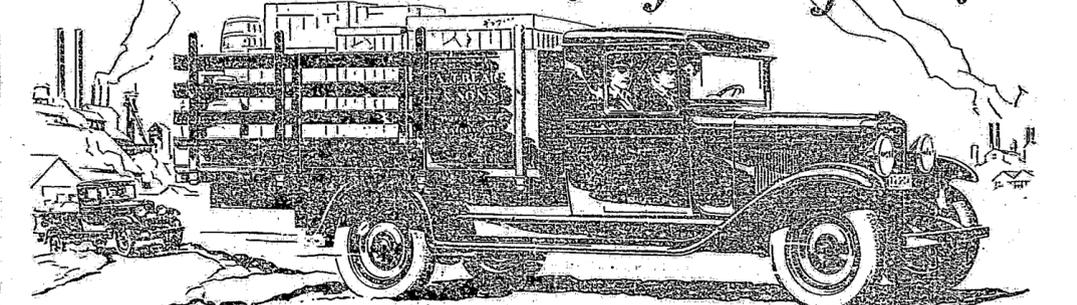
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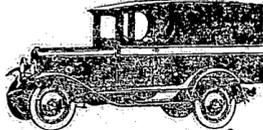


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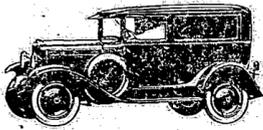
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