

COMPETITION FOR CITY OFFICES

LEGAL PUBLICATION CITY CHARTER IN THIS ISSUE CANDIDATES

Now Here's the Proposition

The Charter... The charter makers work is done... They wrote down everything they knew...

CLEAR LAKE WOODS HOTEL OPENS SUNDAY

Famed Summer Hostelry Has Been Modernized and Enlarged... ROAD IS IMPROVED... Flood Lights Are To Be Installed on the Beach...

MANY HOUSES ARE NOW BEING BUILT HERE IN BUCHANAN

Aggregate Exceeds that of Several Years Past... Builders Rushed... West Terre Coupe is the Center of Home Construction...

MR. KNOTT IS NOT A DISCOVERER, A PLAIN KIDNAPPER

SHOULD RESTORE TO MOC-CASIN HILL—IF KNOTT THEN WHY KNOTT? Mr. H. Knott, the Berrien Springs plumber who found and made off with the ancient land turtle at Batchelor's island...

FINAL FORM DOCUMENT OF 30,000 WORDS

All Should Read as Preparation for Vote... WORTHY OF STUDY... To Be Passed Upon at the Special Election to Be Held on August 5...

IT WAS A WARM TIP IF HORSE HADN'T ETC ETC

BEING SAD TALE OF HOW BUCHANAN DOUGH WAS LEFT IN KAZOO... Messrs. Robert McKahan, A. L. Hamblin and Mate Sands, three local race fans whose judgment is such that they are willing to back it at all times...

LINE UP FOR CITY POLLS

Eleven Entrants Compete for Five Choices Commissioner... TIMBER PROMISING... Beck and Childs for Supervisor, No Competition... The time for filing petitions for candidates for various offices in the gift of the city...

Babcock Gets Dope on How it Feels to be Fish

It's all in the know-how—the bigger they are the quicker they bite, according to Clarence Coleman, who broke all known fishing records for weight when he brought in a 150 pounder from Wagner Lake Sunday evening...

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Frank P. Barnes, Buchanan Pioneer, Expires Yesterday

Frank P. Barnes, aged 76, died Wednesday morning at 8:50, in his home at 708 S. Oak street, following an illness of several years... Surviving him are his widow and four sons...

Jack Robinson Graduated from Iowa State College

Mrs. Jack Robinson, who with her children, Beverly Jane and Jack Jr., has been spending several weeks with her husband's family, L. C. Bissells, returned to Ames, Ia., this week to attend commencement at the Iowa State college...

Swank Family Hold 3d Reunion At Island Park

The Swank family held their third annual reunion Sunday at Island Park, Niles. Last year's officers were re-elected... William Donley will soon begin construction of a seven room frame house...

Bend River Grange Picnics at Barron Lake on July 28

The Bend of the River Grange will have a picnic at the West Shore resort, Barron Lake on Sunday, July 28... The Buchanan contingent for the Citizens' Military Training Camp are leaving today for Camp Custer...

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State Department Counts Automobiles On M-60 at Galien

Representatives of the State Highway department have been compiling a number of cars, traversing M-60 at Galien during the past week and report a maximum of 2916 passing the highway in a section north of that place Sunday...

Fire Department Arrives too late to Save the Soot

The local fire department was summoned about 9 p. m. Sunday evening for a flying run to the Clark Equipment Company plant on a call of fire there...

Three Families to Reunite Sunday at D. Blackmun Farm

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Blackmun near Glendora, will be the scene Sunday of the first annual reunion of the Blackmun family of Buchanan and Niles...

J. G. Boyle and Mrs. Bert Mitchell On Coveny Board

Mention was overlooked in the Record of last week of the results of the election held at the annual meeting of the Coveny district and of Wessaw township...

St. Joe Valley Roads Attend Meet

St. Joe Valley Roads Association will meet at the home of Mrs. J. G. Boyle...

Mrs. Frank Barnes Presents Colors to Scout Troop 41

Troop 41 held its first tent drill after all business was finished last Tuesday evening. The boys learned how to set the new pup tents up in order to be ready for the over-night hike which will be made in the near future...

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L. W. Johnson Incurs Crushed Hand Today

L. W. Johnson had a severe fortune to incur a severely crushed hand today when a window fell on him...

Driver who Wrecked Rakowski Truck is Placed under Charge

George Simons has returned to his work as truck driver for Frank Rakowski, after recovering from serious injuries incurred when his truck was rammed by a car near Kalamazoo several weeks ago...

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News From Galien and Vicinity

Buchanan Presb. Society Meets At Galien Home

The Missionary society of the Buchanan Presbyterian church held an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Frank Lawson—35 members were present and enjoyed the sumptuous dinner served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Montague and Mrs. Haas. A business meeting was held in the afternoon.

Galien Locals

Mrs. J. W. Wolford and her daughter, Dorothy, and Miss Wanda Roberts will leave Thursday for a week's vacation.

The Misses Isa and Mitchell Stodder, who have been teaching school in Chicago for the past 30 years have retired and will make their home with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stodder.

W. M. Slocum has returned to his home in Chicago, after a two week's visit at the Slocum Hotel.

Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger spent a few days last week at the Jas. Renbarger home.

Miss Minnie Haines entertained several friends from Chicago, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover and Mr. and Mrs. Pat of Three Oaks, attended the 30th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. G. Lord at Niles last Friday evening.

Jack Ginter and sister, Beverly of Sawyer, are spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. N. Nelson.

Peggy Jones spent last week with her uncle, W. J. Jones, Bremen, Ind.

Mrs. Florence Blake of Chicago, and Mrs. Alice Sears of Lawrence, Kansas, who have been spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Swank and other relatives, returned to Chicago. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Reynolds of Buchanan and John Marble.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rosenthal and daughter of Gary were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones.

Miss Doris Jones is spending this week with her uncle, W. J. Jones at Bremen.

Mrs. J. W. Wolford entertained over the week end Miss Jane Finley and Miss Doris McPherson of Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Ada Moran of Chicago, and Mrs. W. J. Jones of Bremen.

Robert Housley of Chicago is a guest at the Slocum hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vinton and Mr. and Mrs. Legies were in South Bend, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jannasch and Miss Edith Straub spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Mary Gleisner.

Mrs. C. A. Dever and daughter, Mrs. Lila Chittenden and Miss Rev. Ryland of Chicago, were the Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster entertained at Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Dottie Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Con Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Keane left Monday by auto for a two week's trip visiting at Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jannasch entertained Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Raas of Baroda, Mrs. Francis Pfahler and daughter, Mrs. Helen Harber and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Martin of Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger and Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger were Thursday callers on Mr. and Mrs. John Rhoads of New Canaan, and Mrs. Clifford Sutton of Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Foster and son of Lansing, spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Glover and grandson spent Sunday at Barron lake.

Miss Dorothy Wolford, who has been visiting relatives in Chicago for the past two weeks returned home Friday.

Dayton News

Miss Belle Strunk of Kalama, Ind. spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kendall spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gowland and aunt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Letter of Buchanan, spent Saturday evening at the Wm. Strunk home.

Mr. and Mrs. Budoff, Mr. and Mrs. Blessing, and Mr. and Mrs. of Chicago, spent the week end with Mrs. Steve Spasek.

Mrs. Forgue and Mrs. Delano and Mrs. Chappely

with Mrs. Boza.

Miss Helen Budde, Mr. Lew Long and Dr. Budde of Chicago, spent the week end with Mrs. Budde here.

Mrs. Laura Rotzine entertained Tuesday afternoon several children in honor of her son, Phillip's, birthday.

Mrs. Emma Balldorf of Three Oaks spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Heckathorne.

Miss Mary VanLew is visiting at South Bend.

Mrs. W. S. Dycus of Kentucky, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Otwell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Redding and son, Phay, and Albert and Russell Heckathorne spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seymour at LaPorte.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sebasty and daughter spent Sunday at Writing with relatives.

There was a large attendance at the community meeting at the church on Tuesday evening of last week. Albert Houswerth and his band of 20 pieces furnished music and Miss Margaret Rooms of Buchanan sang. Miss Virginia Hill gave a reading and the Hamilton twins, Margaret and Marjorie, gave a piano duet. The program was enjoyed by everyone, after which all enjoyed a delicious luncheon. These Community meetings are gaining in favor and are enjoyed by all who attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Heckathorne and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burrus spent Sunday at Culver, Ind.

Mr. Otwell, Mr. Floyd Martin, Mrs. John Martin and Mrs. W. S. Dycus spent Tuesday afternoon in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Salisbury were Sunday afternoon callers on Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cripe.

Morris of South Bend and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Crippen of South Bend, Mrs. Ed Riffer is confined to her bed by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tichenor and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Weaver spent Sunday in Michigan City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Zimmerman spent Sunday with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Huss.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lyddick spent Sunday, with the former's brother, Chas. Lyddick.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mead and daughter, Ruth, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bunker.

Mrs. Beatrice Wolkins spent Wednesday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Bunker.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lyddick entertained 12 guests Sunday at dinner in honor of the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Young, who are leaving on a tour for Washington, D. C. and California. They expect to be gone about two months.

H. J. Postelwrit and Clarence Huss were in South Bend Tuesday with the first home grown peaches.

Two bus loads of Boy Scouts arrived at Bachelor's Island on Monday for a week.

West Betrand

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith and son, Kenneth in company with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lauer and family, Mrs. Estelle Snodgrass, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Wyant are starting on a motor trip Thursday. They expect to go to Richmond, Va., by the way of Mammoth Cave, returning by Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Nettie Lister spent Friday with Mrs. H. I. Cauffman at the A. J. Heim home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Prond entertained the past week the following guests, Dr. and Mrs. Keyes, Buchanan, Mr. Sandmyer and a friend, New Carlisle, Mrs. Harry Ottell and family, Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thaldorf, Lansing, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Thaldorf, Battle Creek.

Mrs. Libbie Haslett is spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Sadie Redden.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Blake, Niles called on Mr. and Mrs. John Redden Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Perham, Three Oaks, were callers Sunday at the M. E. Gilbert home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haas spent Sunday afternoon at Decatur, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Graham, Margaret Haas returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Will Jakaway attended a community meeting Sunday at the church at Hamilton. Pot luck dinner was served at noon.

The annual picnic of the former scholars from the Pollywog school was held Sunday at Island Park, Niles. The attendance was very good. A pot luck dinner was served, followed by a good program. Election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. Allie Mae Rough, president; Mrs. Emma Haas, vice president; Glenn Vite, secretary.

Bend of the River

G. W. Sherman is entertaining several friends from Chicago, this week.

Our mail carrier, Wilson Hamilton and family, moved to their farm Tuesday for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Pinkerton of Michigan City, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sittler of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Markham were callers at the Herb Briney home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Crippen of South Bend, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ben Watson Sunday.

Ed Riffer had the misfortune to loose a valuable horse last week.

Mrs. Gertrude Bunker and her mother, Mrs. Wheeler, are visiting relatives in South Bend, this week.

Miss Berpadine DeWitt, who is employed at the telephone office, has returned from her vacation spent in Elkhart and LaPorte.

Glenn Koch caught a fish at Yellow Lake Thursday afternoon which measured 22 1/2 inches.

Mrs. Anna Hoover of Three Oaks, is visiting at the home of her grandson, Bert Briney and family.

Those who called at the Andrew Huss home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Noles of Evansville, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. John Schneek and daughter, Barbara of Clark South Dakota, and John Noles, also of South Dakota, Mr. and Mrs. John Critzer of Baroda, E.

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OPENING DATE

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\$450.00 Victor Radio Combination Set

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Less Trade-In—\$245.00

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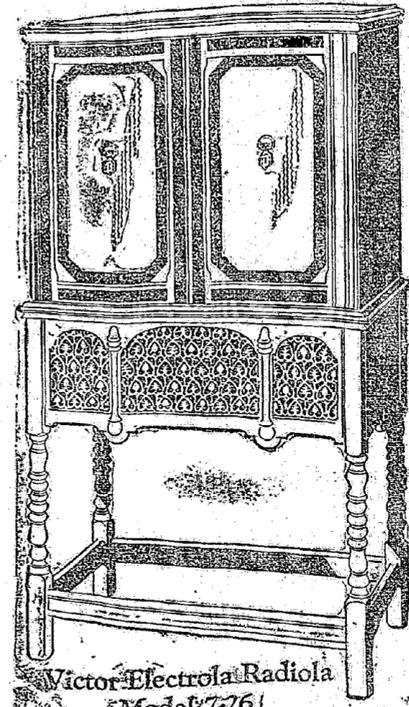
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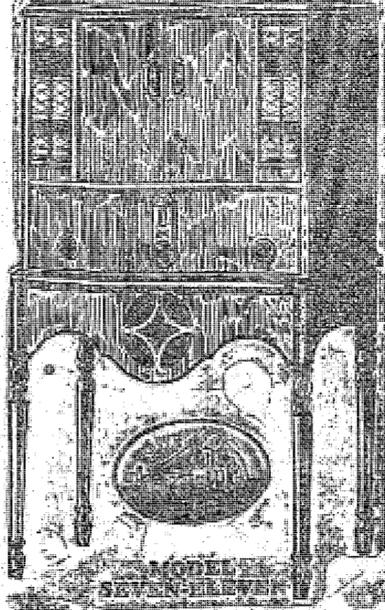
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Local News

Mrs. Art Johnson and Mrs. Her- man Hess left Saturday for Den- ver, Colo., to spend a week there visiting with relatives, after which they will go to Wichita, Kas., to spend another week at the home of their brother, Martin Lentz.

The Ralph Rumbaugh Post of the American Legion are guests tonight of the Legion Auxiliary at a co-operative dinner given at Kathryn Park, the weather per- mitting.

Ernest Mass is employed as foreman in the service department of the Russell Chevrolet Garage, filling the vacancy left by Herbert Lauver, who has entered the em- ploy of the Frazee Garage at Niles.

Miss Augusta Hnebler is em- ployed in the office of Enos Schram.

Will Cook entered the Wallace hospital Saturday evening to re- ceive treatment for a hand badly cut by glass.

The Friendship Class of the Evangelical church held their regu- lar meeting Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Rough on Portage Prairie. Other members of the entertainment committee in addition to the host- and hostess being Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cook and Mrs. Merrile Huff. A program was enjoyed, consisting of readings by Rev. W. D. Hayes, Mrs. Bertha Mead, and T. E. VanEvery, and vocal solos by Rev. Louis May and Mrs. Allen Pierce.

The Young People's Circle of the Evangelical church met Mon- day evening at the home of Miss Francis Willard, 502 S. Portage, with an attendance of twenty- seven. Miss Mae Mills was in charge of the lesson study, the subject being Africa. Mrs. Mills leaves today for Brighton, Mich., to serve as delegate of the Circle at the state convention in session there for the remainder of the week.

The Flora Morgan Bible class met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emma Knight for their social meeting. This was the last meeting of the summer. Miss Campbell and Mrs. Cam- bell and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Snyder of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mrs. C. E. Waterman. It pleases us to please you, Bu- chanan Ice Co., phone 31. 282p Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Jesswine of the Grange Line road, announce the birth of a daughter, who ar- rived Sunday evening.

Save money on Dresses and dry- goods at our Clearance Sale. It starts Saturday. Livingston's, Niles. 281c

Misses Nina and Edna Nelson visited Sunday at North Liberty, Ind.

Mrs. Lottie Young of Battle Creek visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Charles Stull of Do- wigiac, who is a patient at the Wallace hospital.

Everything reduced for our Clearance Sale. Come it will pay you. Livingston's, Niles. 281c

Stella Hammond of Niles is re- covering from an operation at the St. Joseph hospital at South Bend. Dr. Olney of South Bend and Dr. Walker of Buchanan, performed the operation.

Misses Marian and Pauline Van Every have been enjoying a visit of two weeks with relatives at Clevelândia, Mich., and will return to their home Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Pennell returned last week from a business trip to Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Curtis of Dayton, Ohio, were guests last week at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kean and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kean.

Cottages for rent at Indian lake, electric lights, water, etc., boats. Call 501 Niles, Michigan. 282p

Allan Stevenson has returned from Gary and Chicago where he spent the week end visiting with friends. Friday he attended the Miner-Jobb wedding at Gary.

The W. M. S. of the Presby- terian church enjoyed a dinner at the home of Mrs. Frank Lawson in Galesburg Friday. Twenty-six were present.

Mrs. Chas. Dodge and daugh- ter, Mrs. C. A. Bennett are en- tertaining a niece of the former, Mrs. Ruth Roe left Sunday for an auto trip to Niagara Falls, via northern Ohio route.

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Linen handkerchiefs, 9c each. Livingston's, Niles. 281c

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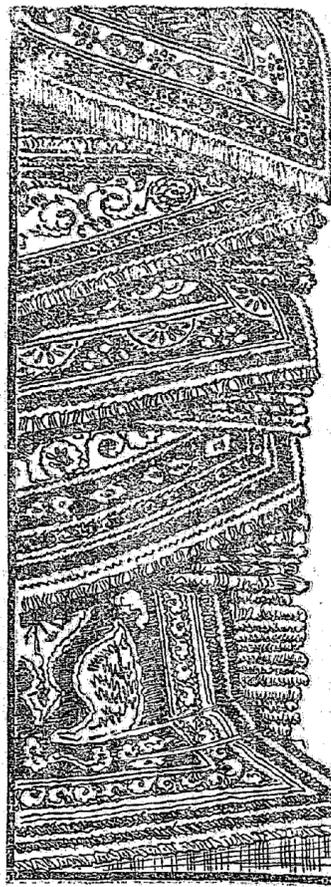
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Social, Organization Activities

Entertains at Bunco Party
Mrs. Arthur Voorhees entertained a party of friends at bunco at her home on Moccasin avenue on Friday afternoon in honor of her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stockman and daughter, Mrs. Carrie Noid and Misses Flora Tricker and Martha Noid of Cincinnati, O.

Swift-Dairy Reunion Sunday
The Swift-Dairy reunion will be held Sunday, July 21, at the home of George Swift, Sumnerville, Mich. A pot luck lunch will be served at noon.

Jerue-Henry Nuptials
Aro Announced
Announcements have been issued of the marriage of Miss Cecil Jerue of this city and Walter Henry of Mishawaka, Wednesday, July 10.

Early Wedding of Miss Kathryn Walters Announced
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur West announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Kathryn Walters to Earl Sutton of Andrews, Ind. The wedding will take place at South Bend Saturday.

Entertains Missionary Society at Country Home
Sixteen members of the Missionary Society of the Church of Christ motored to the home of Mrs. Albert Sherwood of Eastertown Friday for a pot luck dinner. The program of the afternoon was in charge of Miss Lillie Abell. The program included readings and poems given by Mrs. Enos Schranz and Mrs. Harry Berry; vocal duet by Mrs. Nellie Boone and Mrs. Mabel Johnson; a book review by Mrs. Blodgett; a letter from Miss Fern Mizzy, a foreign missionary, was read by Mrs. Berry. Talks were given by Rev. J. L. Griffith, Miss Lillie Abell and Mrs. Ida Wagner, Sr.

Meets in Regular Session
The D. D. club met at the club rooms of the organization Thursday evening and enjoyed an evening of bunco. Winners of prizes for the evening's play were Mrs. Edith Hoffman, Mrs. Mae Gawthrop, Mrs. Mae Best and Mrs. Ellabelle Burrus. Mrs. Kate Gilbert was in charge of the evening's entertainment.

Entertains at Bridge For Sister
Mrs. Gardner McCracken, West Front street, entertained a party of friends at her home for her sister, Miss Violet Greta of Detroit. Miss Dorothy Portz won honors at bridge. Invited guests included Misses Johanna and Bertha Desenberg, Doris Peck, Mary Harding, Margaret Whitman and Lillie Brown.

Missionary Society Entertained At Gallen Home
The Missionary society of the Presbyterian church was pleasantly entertained at the country home of Mrs. Frank Lawson of Gallen, Friday. Members and guests to the number of 30 were present. Mrs. Geo. H. Stevenson was the chairman of the program. A paper was read by Mrs. D. L. Vander-slice and readings were given by Mrs. A. E. Kiehn and Mrs. Lucy Beistle. A short talk was given by Miss Mary Jane McFallon of the Haven Hubbard Memorial home in New Caniste.

Entertains with Birthday Party
Miss Esther Haines, West Smith street, entertained a group of friends in honor of her birthday Friday evening. Games were played and refreshments were served during the course of the evening. Out of town guests were Charles and Delvin Haines of Niles.

Entertains at Birthday Party for Daughter
Mrs. Larry Smith, Terra Coupe road, entertained several boys and girls at a birthday party in Kathryn Park, Monday afternoon in honor of the eighth birthday of her daughter, Margaret Smith. Ice cream and cake was served.

Class of '27 Will Gather at Christiana Tavern
Members and guests to the number of 50 are expected to attend the reunion of the Class of 1927 of the Buchanan High school which will be held at Christiana, Lake next Sunday. A chicken dinner which will be served at 7 o'clock and dancing will provide the entertainment of the evening. Members of the committee in charge of the affair are Bill Desenberg, Miss Elizabeth Kiehn and Hugh Pierce.

Local News

Miss Wilma Andrews of South Bend, was a week end guest of her cousin, Miss Madra Dreitzler Chippewa street. Homer Shoop has returned to his home in Manistee after a visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Snowden.

Mrs. C. J. Wilson and son, Carroll, were in Grand Rapids Sunday, where they visited Miss Mildred Wilson, who is a patient in a hospital there. Frank Smedley, Mrs. Wilson's brother, accompanied them to Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gidding and daughter have returned to their home in Minneapolis after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Munson, Erie street. Miss Holey Miller, South Bend, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller, Sunday. Mrs. M. Powell of Plymouth was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Powell.

Mrs. Geo. Fritz is visiting relatives in Mishawaka, this week. H. J. Ruddick and son of Mishawaka, were callers at the M. O. Burdett home Tuesday evening. Miss Mattie Sanford of Days avenue, was operated on Tuesday morning at the Epworth hospital. She is making satisfactory recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sherwood of Benton Harbor and Mrs. Laura Wells of Goftry, Okla., Mrs. Emma Hague of Niles, were guests of Mrs. M. O. Burdett Sunday. Mrs. Wells remained for a few weeks visit with Mrs. Burdett and with friends.

Miss Thelma Parsons of Collins, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harold Collings. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Collings and Miss Wilma Shipley of Buchanan returned Wednesday after visiting friends in Collins and Danville, Ill. They also attended the Parsons' reunion Sunday, July 14 at Oakwood T. S. high school. Many states were represented.

John Kops has returned to his home in Detroit after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stevens. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rehm and Mrs. W. R. Rough went to Dowagiac Tuesday evening where they called on Mrs. J. R. Ryan of Detroit, who is a patient at the Lee Sanitarium in Dowagiac. The Loyal Workers class of the Church of Christ held a picnic supper at Clear Lake Tuesday evening July 16. This is a mixed class of men and women and takes a very active part in the church life. Mr. Wm. Bohl, Sr., is the class president.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bennett and daughter, Francis of Barberton, O., are guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Griffith. The Ladies Missionary society of the Church of Christ is packing a box of food, clothing, notions, and articles that would be useful in any home, which will be sent out soon to the Mothers and Babies Home at St. Louis, Mo. If any one can make a contribution to this box, please leave articles at the J. E. Arney grocery.

The Loyal Berean class of the Church of Christ will be entertained at the home of Miss Lillie Abell on Moccasin avenue, Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Miss Abell is the teacher of the class. D. L. Boardman was a business visitor in Chicago, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stelly and Miss Katherine Williams, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph DeNardo, have returned to their home in Chicago. Miss Jane Easton of Hobart, was a guest of Miss Charlotte Arnold the early part of the week. Mrs. Dora Genschen, N. Oak street, has returned from a visit in Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. E. C. Smith and daughter, Geraldine, of Chicago, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hirie, North Oak street, have returned home. Miss Ruth Bristol of Battle Creek, formerly of this city, will arrive here Saturday for a visit with Misses Bertha and Johanna Desenberg. Rev. Win. Maylan Jones of Lansing, was a guest of friends in Buchanan Wednesday and Thursday of this week, having been summoned here to preach the funeral sermon for the late Mrs. Miss Ann Lyon. He was accompanied by his parents, Rev. and Mrs. David Jones of Hereford county, England. Rev. David Jones has been a congregational minister in England for the past 46 years, and is visiting America for the first time, spending the summer with his son and daughter in Lansing.

Friends here have received word in the past week from Rev. Liddicoat and family stating that they were enjoying very much their stay in Washington, D. C. and had visited the White House capitol, Mt. Vernon and other points of interest. Miss Celia Eisenhart, a student nurse at the University hospital at Ann Arbor, will come from Ann Arbor tomorrow to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eisenhart. Mrs. Florence Tetzlaff and her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Harbord and daughter, Miss Claudine, of Madison, Wis., are visiting at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Theodore Walker, Front street.

Mrs. Henry Weiss is entertaining the Thimble club at her home on Chippewa street, this afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mead were Sunday visitors at Christiana lake near Edwardsburg. Miss Jean Hart is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Munson. Mrs. Fred French is taking a vacation of two weeks from her duties at Boardman's Dry Goods store.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snyder and family of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Gladys Hopkins and family were guests of Mrs. Mattie Keller, S. Oak street, Sunday. Misses Edna and Nina Nelson were guests of relatives in North Liberty, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Curtis, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kean and other friends here, have returned to their home in Dayton, Ohio.

The Helpers Union of the Advent Christian church met with Mrs. Alfred Mead, Lake street, Wednesday afternoon, for election of officers. Refreshments were served and a pleasant afternoon enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Birong announce the birth of a 9 1/2 pound girl born Wednesday, July 10. She has received the name of Kathleen Ella.

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Leagues, 7 p. m.
Evangelistic services at 8 p. m.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 p. m.
Buchanan and Niles Evangelical Sunday schools will hold a union Sunday school picnic Saturday, July 27. We cordially invite the public to our services. Rev. W. D. Hayes, Pastor.

Church of Christ
Unified Bible school and preaching service at 10 a. m. Bible study, Ezekiel's Vision of Hope, Ezekiel, 47:1-2. The Brotherhood class will study the second chapter of Acts. Sermon subject, "Why Should Christ Die?" The Endeavor Societies meet at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "Every Day Citizenship." Boy Scout troop 42 meets at the church Tuesday at 7:15 p. m. Let all scouts be present. Any boy over 12 years old is invited to visit and get acquainted.

Mid week service every Thursday evening at 7:30. Devotionals and Bible study conducted by the pastor. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. An excellent service in song. Sermon subject, "The Vallences or Valdenses." Our evening service will be especially interesting to every body. If you want to know the history of your church you will be present every Sunday evening. J. L. Griffith, Minister.

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LOST—Tan shoe, probably on Gallen road Saturday morning. Please return to Record office if found. 2811p
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1st insertion July 15; last Aug. 1 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 15th day of July A. D. 1929. Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Frank W. Kool, deceased, The Farmers & Merchants National Bank and Trust Company having filed in said court its final administration account and its petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 12th day of August, A. D. 1929, at nine o'clock in the forenoon (standard time) at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition. It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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

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REX
The King of Wild Horses
in
"WILD BLOOD"
Also
"THE DIAMOND MASTER"
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GEO. BANCROFT
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Percalle. Printed Percalles in a variety of colors and designs, price per yard 19c
To satisfy your craving for exquisite freedom. Be among the first to wear the Smart Set's smartest Summer sets, breezy, sporty underthings that have taken Fashion by storm. Sun-back vests and graceful panties made of amazing Glomor chiffon-aire, light and lovely as chiffon, yet really a secret weave of durable rayon. In flesh, white, Nile green and that new eggshell. Price 98c

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The Greatest Invention.

There is a great deal of talk about the airplane and the radio and other such trifles but the real invention of the age is the fly screen. Less than 50 years ago there were no fly screens, at least in the homes of people in moderate circumstances. There may have been a torn piece of mosquito netting over the pantry window but that was about all. Now we feel outraged if there is one common house fly in the room with us and do not rest until we have tracked him down and swatted him; then a hundred or more were in the room with us all summer, especially in the dining room. Grandmother used to give us a cent a dozen for killing them and we made quite a lot of money, catching them with our hands. The common house fly is an unmitigated nuisance and a deadly pest. He not only annoys but poisons. He is the prize carrier of germs that are destructive of human health and life. His right name is the typhoid fly. His tastes are perverted and his company dangerous. We ascribe the remarkable extension of the average life expectancy of the human being to the fact that other great modern invention, the fly watter of convenience.

A Chance for the Scoffers.

In his sermon last Sunday evening Rev. John Thompson, a prominent Methodist minister of Chicago, rebuked Bishop Cannon for his bucketshop dealings, declaring that the bishop has brought reproach on his church and the prohibition cause in which he has been so active. "He has given the enemy a good chance to scoff at us," said Dr. Thompson.

A fair-minded enemy would not scoff if church leaders and active prohibitionists in general would take Dr. Thompson's attitude on this matter. It is no disgrace to a group as a whole when one member of it fails to live up to its ethical standards. The disgrace and the injury come in when the group defends the errant individual. An organization affiliated with the Methodist church indorsed Bishop Cannon and blamed his speculations on his wet opponents, as if they had forced him to put up his margins and go in for reaping where he had not sowed. That was a great mistake and does give the scoffers a chance.

The frequently observed disposition of the "moral forces" to defend anything, no matter how bad, that is done in the name of the cause in which they are interested or by someone allied with them is not only reprehensible but foolish. Instead of helping their cause it hurts it. It plays right into the scoffer's hands. Dr. Thompson's denunciation of Bishop Cannon's speculations does credit to his own goodness and wisdom. Above all, a group which is trying to exert a good influence in the world should keep itself above reproach.

Defective Cars in Use.

Nearly one-third of all traffic accidents in streets and highways are caused by defective mechanism, according to an estimate made by a board of experts chosen by the department of the interior at Washington to study accident reports and suggest methods for promoting safety. Evidently the information before the experts supplied the basis for that estimate.

The estimate brings an interesting and important subject before the public. If it is correct it means one-third of all motor cars in operation are defective, liable to break down or fail in a crisis, because of use and abuse by the owners. It is entirely probable the report is correct. Few men who own cars are competent mechanics, therefore the cars are not well operated, not cared for properly. They are sent to the garage for attention only when there is trouble. Keeping the auto in condition is a custom not well established.

Few autos ever have been worn out. They are so well constructed in these days of sharp competition that they will last indefinitely through the years if handled with proper care. Autos are butchered and jammed by poor handling, they do not wear out, they are destroyed. It is not surprising that one-third of the cars are defective in part. The real surprise is that builders are able to produce cars that can absorb so much abuse and punishment and still remain serviceable in the hands of men wholly lacking mechanical or engineering experience or ability. Probably the greatest compliment that could be paid the auto maker is that they have been able to make cars so nearly foolproof. Even the careless driver and the indifferent repair man finds the modern auto a tough bird to kill.

There is one thought in the estimate that auto owners may find important. The best protection against disaster is to have some skillful repair man give the car a careful inspection, detect and correct the weakness before the breakdown on the highway occurs.

Robin is a Hard Worker.

It is difficult not to fall in love with the robin when he takes a position near your window where you can note his activities while he is doing a part of his daily foraging food. He is an active bird and dili-

gent, may pause occasionally and look about, but he sticks to the task in a manner that explains why he appears well fed, no matter when or where you may see him. The robins have spent many happy and busy hours in our side yard doing their daily hunting, but a few mornings since the old leader of the flock flew up into the wild grape vine that covers the window. Maybe that trip was only another adventure but he started his foraging promptly once he had looked over the situation.

The night had been moist and warm, there was a goodly colony of bugs and other creeping things traveling about on the vines. The robin had jumped into a piece of rare good luck. He looked about sharply, gave a few merry whistles, noted the many bugs and went to the task of enjoying another breakfast. Occasionally he would pause to whistle a note, much as a boy would cry out with joy between bites from a ripe watermelon he had discovered. He cleaned out a great colony of the creepers on the vines, then with a flit of his tail and a nod of his head sailed away to keep on working at another place.

Naturalists claim the robin is the most industrious bird in all the colonies that visit with us and works the longest hours each day of any member of the bird kingdom. These wise men claim the robin is out and at work hours before the sparrows begin their twitter beneath the eaves, that he hunts, eats and preens, then repeats the performance during the day and well along toward twilight. He seems always ready for another bite. No naturalist will hazard a guess on the number of worms and bugs an active robin will devour in one day, but they agree he never appears to have enough. Robins enjoy ripe cherries and feed on those not entirely ripe, sometimes doing damage to the fruit crop, but they destroy the insect pests that prey on the tree, bush and vine, probably pay many times for all the fruit they eat or waste. At any rate we like the cheery impudence of the robin and admire his diligence in keeping himself well fed, plump and fat.

It is advisable, remarks one of our foremost experts on the subject in hand, to take a fresh pie to the picnic and we suppose the middle-aged man of sedentary pursuits who greatly preferred to stay at home and read but couldn't get out of going ought to have something to sit on.

It may be the right principle to dress not in the standardized mode but in a way expressive of one's own individuality but our observation is that no one is more laughed at by her contemporaries than the woman who does it.

If the present styles continue much longer we shouldn't wonder if the evolutionary process would equip half the human race with regular tails again, instead of the mere rudiments now in vogue, on account of the mosquitoes, etc.

A. B. Fall's next trial on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the government will open in the supreme court of the District of Columbia on Oct. 7 until the next postponement is announced.

Our memory goes back to the time when, if a nice girl had broken her leg, as they very seldom did, however, in those days, she'd have asked the doctor not to tell what the matter was.

A surplus in the national treasury is always more satisfactory when a deficit was expected and we often wonder in our skeptical way if that's the reason why deficits are predicted so frequently.

It's pretty hard to change national tendencies once they get a good start and about all those of us who don't altogether approve of the way things are going can do is to howl, but that's something.

There is no one for whom we have more admiration than the editor, if any, who can always tell whether the e or the i comes first in weird when he has occasion to use the word, as he often does in these times.

It isn't that they occasionally do wrong that discourages us about the moral forces but the way they insist that wrong is right in their case when they get caught at it.

Our personal taste in wives runs to the kind that regards the question of the relative merits of lard and Crisco as an important issue.

Another disappointment incident to the development of the talking movies is the real character of the strong, silent man.

We often wonder what relation your mother-in-law would be to you if you got married again.

We are not greatly enamored of the billboards but probably the poorest advertising medium is the blotter that won't blot.

Middle age in a straw hat's life is that period when you can't tell the difference between a this year's and a last year's.

Another pathetic little feature of everyday life in the early future will be the relieved farmer getting his tax bill.

Probably the greatest fault in the kind of home cooking that is advertised in the papers is in the doughnut field.

News around New Troy

The session of school meeting was a very quiet affair that was held Monday evening with about 35 of the eligible voters of the district present. There were two members of the board of education whose terms had expired. Amos Carpenter, treasurer, was re-elected in place of Geo. Daniels, who did not wish to serve again. The board met this week and the new member qualified. The board is now ready for business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brobeck drove to Coloma Sunday to attend the funeral services of a cousin of the former.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Daniels accompanied their children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woolley to their home in Coloma Sunday to see the new home the latter couple are having built. Mrs. Daniels has been in poor health the past week.

Mrs. Geo. Campbell and little daughter, Ethel, of Chicago, spent the past week at the Alma Koley home.

N. Wharten, father of Mrs. W. Geobring, is very ill at his home.

The Cortvelles are moving into the McKee residence.

Mrs. Floyd Maxim has the first dahlias in blossom we know of. She presented a beautiful bouquet of them to Mrs. Barnhart last week.

Several bushels of peaches have been picked at the Boyd home this week.

The I. W. S. class of the Brethren Sunday school held their monthly business meeting in the church Thursday evening and at the close of its session drove to Weeco Beach near Bridgman, for a weenie roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Merkle from near Glendora, have moved into rooms

in the Andrew Hall home. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turner of Lakeside were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Findal Sunday, in the afternoon they all drove to Clear Lake.

Miss Bernice Hartline is driving a new Whippet coupe bought of Peter Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hayes and family who are soon to move to New Orleans, visited relatives here yesterday.

The halcyon assension at the Brethren church was not considered a success Sunday as it had been torn in transportation and could not go up very far.

Mrs. Geo. Campbell and little daughter of Chicago, spent Thursday and Friday with her cousins, H. O. Piper and Mrs. Nina Fischman.

S. Douglas Morley from the northern part of Ohio, near Lake Erie, an uncle of Mrs. E. A. Brobeck, was a caller in New Troy, his former home Friday. He called at the Barnhart and Dilfield homes and spent the night at the Brobeck home.

The result of the ball game played here Sunday between the American Legion of Benton Harbor and the New Troy Greys was 3 to 1 in favor of Benton Harbor.

Quite a number of the ladies and friends of the New Troy Aid society and church will drive to the parsonage at Gaiten Thursday to surprise the pastor's wife, Mrs. C. M. Conklin and help her celebrate her birthday.

Miss Evelyn Kempton, who had been spending some time last week visiting at the Greenwood home near Dowagiac, has returned and was accompanied by Miss Effie Greenwood, a daughter, who spent Sunday here. The Greenwood family resided here several

years. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher entertained Miles DeVoe of Glendora, to dinner Sunday.

Not as many berries are coming into the market here as in former years as the many frosts this spring seemed to have injured the production.

BLUES DEFEAT MICHIGAN CITY INDIANS SUNDAY

SIMPSON BACK ON MOUND AFTER LAYOFF ACCOUNT OF LOSS OF FINGER.

Strengthened by the return of the crafty port arm of "Lefty" Simpson, who recently acquired the title of "four-finger" Simpson, the Blues edged out a 3 to 2 victory over the Michigan City Indians in a hard fought 12 frame contest at the local diamond Sunday.

While Simpson anowed a few more hits than his opponent, Tiny Galloway of Michigan City, the connection made by the visitors were scattered and they were held scoreless after the first inning.

when they crossed the home plate twice for their only tallies during the game, through a wild pitch and error.

Eichman tied the score in the fifth and then the two teams locked horns without decision until the twelfth inning when Bob Morse stretched a single to second and then came home on Corcoran's grounder. Cauton Geary, former Niles high school star was added to the Blues lineup and covered the field in a manner that aided the locals materially on defense.

Only a small crowd witnessed the game, one of the finest that has been played at Athletic park in a long time.

Scores by innings:
 Mich City 200 000 000—2 9 5
 Buchanan 000 110 000—3 9 3
 Batteries, Gidlow and Meyars; Simpson and Corcoran.

The average American home uses artificial light seven hours per day during December and only two and one-half hours during the month of June.

What is believed to have been the first baseball game at which an admission fee was charged, was played between two mines from New York and Brooklyn in 1853.

People of China are taking a fancy to American metal beds.

Am Has Her Way
 Two children were arguing. John—It is Elizabeth—It isn't. John—I tell you it is because Mummy says it is and if Mummy says it is, it is, even if it isn't.

Amsterdam has a river called Y; in China there is a city called U and in Sweden a town called A.

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Dr. Caldwell did not approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for human beings to put into their system. In a practice of 47 years he never saw any reason for their use when a medicine like Syrup Pepsin will empty the bowels just as promptly, more cleanly and gently, without griping and harm to the system.

Keep free from constipation! It robs your strength, hardens your arteries and brings on premature old age. Do not let a day go by without a bowel movement. Do not sit and hope, but go to a druggist and get one of the generous bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Take the proper dose that night and by morning you will feel like a different person. Use Syrup Pepsin

for yourself and members of the family in constipation, biliousness, sour and crummy stomach, bad breath, no appetite, headaches, and to break up fevers and colds. Always have a bottle in the house, and observe these three rules of health: Keep the head cool, the feet warm, the bowels open. We would be glad to have you prove at our expense how much Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can mean to you and yours. Just write "Syrup Pepsin," Monticello, Illinois, and we will send you prepared a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE.

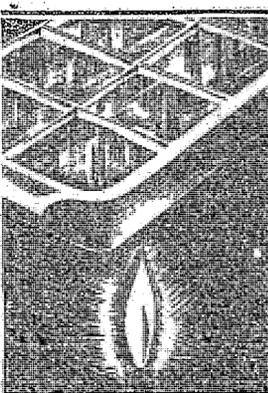
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Dr. E. J. Walden, osteopathic physician and surgeon, general practice. Office over Summerville's grocery. Phone 121F. 27c.

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Official Ballot
Election held in the City of Buchanan, Michigan, on August 5th, 1929.
(Instructions: A cross (X) in the square after the word "Yes" is in favor of the Charter and a cross (X) in the square after the word "No" is against the Charter.)

Shall the proposed Charter for the City of Buchanan, drafted by the Charter Commission elected on the 11th day of March 1929, be adopted?
YES ()
NO ()

The following officers as provided in said proposed Charter will be elected, at said election, five City Commissioners; one City Commissioner whose term of office shall expire the second Monday in April 1930, two City Commissioners whose term shall expire the second Monday in April 1931, two City Commissioners whose term shall expire the second Monday in April 1932.

The candidate receiving the greatest number of votes for City Commissioner shall be elected to serve until the second Monday in April 1930, the candidate receiving the second largest vote shall be declared elected to serve until the second Monday in April 1931, the candidate receiving the third largest vote shall be declared elected to serve until the second Monday in April 1932, the candidate receiving the fourth largest vote shall be declared elected to serve until the second Monday in April 1933, the candidate receiving the fifth largest vote shall be declared elected to serve until the second Monday in April 1934.

Two Supervisors whose terms of office shall expire on the second Monday in April 1930, two Justices of the Peace whose terms of office shall expire at the regular municipal election in 1930, two Constables whose terms of office shall expire on the second Monday in April 1930.

The Polling Place for such election will be in Engine House No. 1, 114 South Oak St. In said City of Buchanan, that being the last place established by the Village of Buchanan for holding elections.

The Polls of said Election will be open at 7:00 o'clock a. m., Central Standard Time, and will remain open until 5:00 o'clock p. m., Central Standard Time, of said day of election.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Village 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 City not already registered who may apply to me personally 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 by personal application is the second Saturday before the election. For the above election will be Saturday, July 27, 1929. Notice is further hereby given that I will be at 123 Days Avenue, Saturday, July 20, 1929, and Saturday, July 28, 1929, on the third and fourth Saturdays before said election from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m., on each said day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said city as shall properly apply therefor.

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 _____ 1929, the application for which ballot accompanies this affidavit; that I make this affidavit for the purpose of procuring 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. Signed _____

Notary Public in and for said County, State of Michigan. Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1929. My commission expires _____ 1929.

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 city twenty days immediately 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 owing to his or her absence from the city on public business or his or her own business, and without intent to avoid or delay his or her resignation, 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 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.

Harry A. Post, Clerk. Dated, June 29, A. D. 1929.

1st insertion July 11; last Aug 15 25c. **IN RE: MERRILL vs. CIRCUIT COURT for the County of Berrien, in Chancery.** L. Dewey Dodd, plaintiff vs. Lorna Dodd, defendant. Suit pending in the circuit court for the county of Berrien in Chancery, at the city of St. Joseph in said county, on the 24th day of June A. D. 1929. In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Michigan but resides in the State of Indiana. On motion of A. E. Worthington, plaintiff's attorney, it is ordered that the said defendant cause her appearance to be entered herein within 30 days from the date of this order and in case of her appearance that she cause her answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiff's attorney within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by the said non-resident defendant. And it is further ordered, that within forty days the said plaintiff cause a notice of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper, printed, published and circulating in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least forty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance. CHAS. A. WHITE, Circuit Judge. A. A. Worthington, Attorney for Plaintiff.

1st insertion July 11; last July 25 25c. **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 2nd day of July A. D. 1929. Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Edgar Ham, deceased. John G. Ham, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate. It is ordered, that the 5th day

of August A. D. 1929, at nine o'clock in the forenoon (Standard Time) at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. WILLIAM H. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate. SEAL. A true copy. Lilla O. Sprague, Register of Probate.

1300 Boy Scouts Go to England for World Jamboree

1300 American boys are pilgrimaging to England this summer to take part in the greatest peace-time encampment of boys that the world has ever known. The group will be the official representatives of the Boy Scouts of America at the World Jamboree to be held at Birkenhead, across the Mersey River from Liverpool, England, from July 31st to August 10th. 60,000 Boy Scouts, representing 42 different nations and 70 different lands will pitch their tents for two weeks and will work and play together. The World Jamboree is being held to celebrate the 21st birthday of the founding of the Boy Scout Movement and also to pay tribute to Sir Robert Baden-Powell, Chief Scout of the World, its founder. More than 400 acres of ground will be under canvas when the World Jamboree opens on July 31. In Patrol units of eight, under adult leaders, the American scouts are embarking this week from a score of different seaports and landing at Liverpool, Harwich, Grimsby, Hull, Goole and Newcastle, will pilgrimage to the Jamboree camp. Many of the American scouts will embark on special trains from the various English seaports and be carried to Birkenhead and Upton. From there they will be transported by motor to Arrow Park where the world-gathering is to be held. Some of the American delegations got an early start from the United States and have been touring Europe. They will arrive at the Jamboree on time for the official opening.

Reports from the International Scout Council at London, England, state that more than 15,000 Boy Scouts are expected from countries outside of the British Empire. The Dominions and colonies, and without intent to avoid or delay his or her resignation, 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 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.

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of August A. D. 1929, at nine o'clock in the forenoon (Standard Time) at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. WILLIAM H. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate. SEAL. A true copy. Lilla O. Sprague, Register of Probate.

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part. Special emphasis will be placed upon the significance of the gathering in regard to its bearing and influence on the peace of the world through the promotion of mutual understanding, mutual respect and a common feeling of fraternity resulting from the Scout Movement which has become a worldwide brotherhood of boys. In some of the religious ceremonies the Archbishop of Canterbury and Cardinal Bourne, of England, will take part. Each of the 60,000 Scouts, although representative of 42 different nations and many different religious beliefs, is pledged to the tenets of the same Scout Oath and Law.

A TELEPHONE MAN OVER FIFTY YEARS

He Celebrates 89th Birthday by a Visit to Edison at Florida Home.



MR. JOHN K. BUTLER

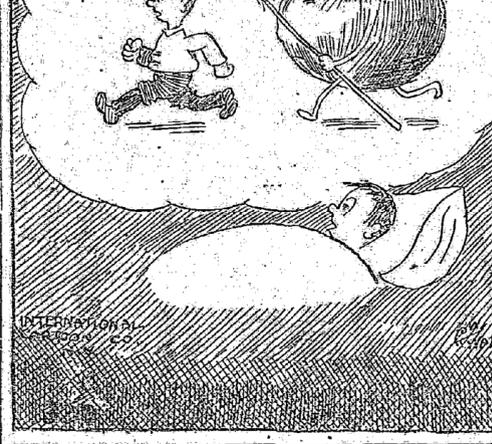
Many years ago, John K. Butler, then a lad in his teens and employed as a Western Union Telegraph operator in Boston, used to send Morse code to Thomas A. Edison in New York, another youthful knight of the key, who was destined to become one of the world's famous. But they never met. Recently, Mr. Butler, sojourning in Florida, decided to celebrate his 89th birthday by calling upon Mr. Edison at his home at St. Myers. He found the wizard of Menlo Park protected by a vigilant guard but a hastily scribbled note brought him entrance to the great man's presence, and the two old-timers had a long talk which ended only when Mr. Butler had to leave to catch a train. After working as a telegraph operator for about 18 years, Mr. Butler joined the telephone organization when Dr. Bell and his associates began the pioneer work of exploiting the telephone commercially, and he has remained with the Bell System continuously for more than half a century.

Michigan Leads in Bean Acreage
The usual interest centers about the bean industry in Michigan at this time of the year as the growing crop attracts the eye of the observer traveling through the State's farming districts. For several decades the state has devoted more acreage to and produced more bushels of beans than any other state according to a statement from the office of the Federal-State Co-operative Crop Reporting Service. It leads again this year with 646,000 acres, its nearest competitor, California, reporting only 291,000 acres. Other leading states are Colorado with 278,000, New Mexico with 210,000, New York with 100,000, Idaho with 92,000, Montana with 49,000, and Wyoming with 22,000 acres. Thus, Michigan's acreage is 87 per cent of the total for the entire country. The combined planted area in all states amounts to 1,737,000 acres, which is a gain of 10 per cent over last year's harvested acreage and 12 per cent over the average of the previous five years.

The condition is normal or above in the eastern and central states but is somewhat below the average in the western states due to a late season and lack of moisture. The present outlook is maintained to the end of the season would give a total production of 18,223,000 bushels. This is 1,593,000 bushels more than produced in 1928 and 1,165,000 bushels more than the average for the preceding five years. With an almost complete clean-up of stocks from last year, such a production seems well justified and should not lower prices to an unprofitable level. However, an estimate of production for July 1 may vary considerably from the final results according to weather conditions during the remainder of the season.

Gulf Stream Temperature
The temperature of the Gulf stream is several degrees higher than that of neighboring oceans. Water has a remarkably high heat capacity. It is four times that of air, five times that of earth. The water of the Gulf stream carries its accumulated heat, derived from the tropical sun, for a long time, and to great distances, giving it out gradually to the air.

KIDS—A NIGHTMARE



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D. Straub Herd Averages High in Dairy Test
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Automotive Industry Ends Greatest Half Year in History

With the figures for Ford Motor estimated at around 210,000 units...

The half year totals for twelve companies, inclusive of Ford, with June estimated, reached an aggregate of about 2,800,000 cars and trucks.

Exceeding by nearly 20,000 units the best previous month in its history...

W. S. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet Motor Co., says prospects for the remainder of the year are fine...

Chrysler Motors shipments for the first half of 1929 totaled 279,635 cars, an increase of 35,354 units...

The Plymouth line gained 282 per cent over the June, 1928, 13,763 having been shipped in the month just closed...

DeSoto shipments for the first six months were 45,270, of which 3,077 were shipped in June...

The Chrysler line of cars, comprising the '65', '75', and Imperial, contributed 4,628 to the June total...

Hudson Motor completed, in the six months' period ended June 30 the largest half-year in its history...

June figures were 31,737. In the six months' period of 1928 shipments were 155,047, the 1929 figures thus showing a 24.2 per cent gain.

Buick Motor produced 14,665 cars in June, including 10,400 Marquettes and 4,265 Buicks.

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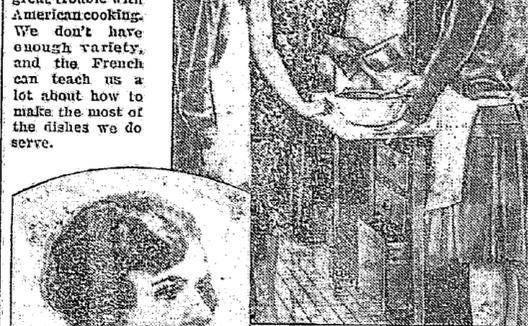


SOCIETY GIRL INITIATES CRUSADE TO IMPROVE THE AMERICAN CUISINE

Former Debutante of Quaker City Is Founder of Unique School of the Culinary Art.

By RACHEL PEMBERTON MISS EDITH BARRATT, who made her bow to Philadelphia society three years ago...

make the dishes I liked. It was just for my family's sake and my own. We all liked good food and used to get tired of the monotony of our meals...



The founder of the unique school illustrating the delicate technique of mixing ingredients of many condiments and spices.

"I suppose you might say that," Miss Barratt replied, "I hadn't thought of it as anything nearly so important, but in a small way, that's just what it is..."

During the school's first session, throughout the winter and spring of 1929, Miss Barratt had thirty pupils...

Words of Wisdom Know the true value of time; snatch, seize, and enjoy every moment of it.

NEW TELEPHONE CABLE NETWORK GROWS RAPIDLY

Line to Atlanta Forms Part of Widespread System Serving East and Middle West

The new cable line under construction from New York to Atlanta has now been completed as far south as Greensboro, N. C.

During the year 1928, about 1,500 miles of long toll cable were added to the network now stretching across the northeastern section of the country...

The aerial toll cables are usually placed on new pole lines which are free of open wire construction.

The line under construction from New York to the south runs via Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Richmond and Petersburg...

From Chicago there is cable development northward to Madison in Wisconsin, westward to Rockford and to Davenport, and southwesterly to Peoria, Springfield and St. Louis.

WOMEN MEET AT COLLEGE

PROGRAM IS ARRANGED FOR FEMININE VISITORS ON FARMERS DAY

The newest quirks for lightening household tasks, methods for selecting fabrics that will wear as they are supposed to do, good music, and just plain entertainment have been provided by the program makers...

Several years ago one of the agricultural divisions of the college invited a group of farmers to inspect the experimental work which was being done by that department.

It then became necessary to combine the exhibits put on by the departments into an all college function. The women who accompanied their husbands to these meetings asked that a program be arranged for them...

9 States Adopt Old Age Pension

Nine states and Alaska have laws enabling counties to grant old age pensions and to levy taxes for them, according to a survey of the Illinois Department of Labor.

This is a fruitage of 25 years of efforts by workers who have promoted more than 300 bills in state legislatures for this objective.

Bills for such aid were pending at the time in Arizona, California, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Indiana, Michigan, Nebraska, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma...

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ma, Oregon, Texas and Washington, the inquiry showed. In only 15 states, nine of which are in the South, has this subject received no attention in legislatures, it was reported.

The pension provided in all of the laws is regulated according to the conditions of each case so that the pensioner's income, including his private revenue, does not exceed a stipulated sum.

The Kentucky act is the only statute not making the existence of persons able and legally responsible to support the claimant a disqualifying circumstance.

Matter of Relationship Half brothers and sisters have one parent in common. Stepbrothers and sisters have no parent in common.

A Child's Desires A canary bird in a big cage is sometimes more important to a child than bread, beans or fricassee of chicken.

Radio Girl Toilet Powder 50c and \$1.00 per box W. N. BRODRICK "The Rexall store"

Niles Laundry "The Soft Water Laundry" Buchanan Phone 162

Schoolcraft Sheet Metal Works Sunbeam Furnaces Roofing of all Kinds Sheet Metal Work of all Kinds Schoolcraft Sheet Metal Works Phone Niles 100

Make Change With Your Pen! No matter where you are or what the price tag shows on the article you are buying, you will always have exact change when you pay by check.

The Mule Says: Color Is the Thing! MULE HIDE SHINGLES Buchanan Lumber & Coal Co. R. B. McKahan Phone 83F1

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any the same upon such lines and grades and of such width, materials, and manner of construction, and within such time as the Commission shall by Ordinance or Resolution prescribe, the expense thereof to be paid by such owner or occupant; or the Commission may by a three-fifths vote of all the Commissioners elect pay such part of the expense of building or rebuilding such walk as they may deem proper from the general street fund or from the street district fund of any district in which such walk may be located.

SECTION 7. The Commission shall also have power, either by Ordinance or Resolution, to cause and require the owners and occupants of any lot or premises to remove all snow and ice from the sidewalks in front of or adjacent to such lot and premises and to keep the same free from obstructions, encroachments, encumbrances, filth and other nuisances; provided that the Commission may by a three-fifths vote of the Commissioners elect provide for the rebuilding, maintaining and keeping in repair of all sidewalks within the City and for the removal of all ice and snow therefrom and for keeping the same free from obstructions and the expense thereof from the general street fund or from the street district fund of any street district in which the same may be located.

SECTION 8. If the owner or occupant of any lot or premises shall fail to build, rebuild or maintain any particular sidewalk as mentioned and prescribed in the last two Sections, or shall fail to keep the same in repair, or remove the snow, ice and filth therefrom, or to remove and keep the same free from obstructions, encumbrances, encroachments, or other nuisances, or shall fail to perform any other duty required by the Commission in respect to such sidewalks within such time and such manner as the Commission shall require the Commission may cause the same to be done, and such sidewalk to be built, rebuilt or repaired and the expense, or such part thereof as the Commission shall have determined shall be charged to such owner or occupant and the Commission may cause the amount of such expenses incurred thereby for which such owner or occupant shall have become liable, together with a penalty of ten per cent in addition thereto to be reported to the Assessor to be levied by him as a special tax or assessment upon the lot or premises adjacent to and abutting upon such sidewalk, which special assessment shall be subject to review after proper notice is given as in all other cases of special assessments provided for by this Charter, and such tax when confirmed shall be a lien upon such lot or premises the same as other special assessments, and the Commission shall under the Assessor to spread said amount together with such penalty upon his roll as a special assessment upon such lot or premises, and the same shall be collected in the same manner as other City taxes; or the City may collect such amount, together with the penalty aforesaid, from the owner or occupant of such premises in action of assumpsit, together with costs of suit.

Sewers and Drains

SECTION 9. The Commission may establish, construct and maintain a sewerage system, sewerage disposal systems, sewers and drains whenever and wherever necessary, and of such dimensions and materials and under such regulations as they may deem proper. The City shall have authority to acquire, establish, operate and maintain sewer and sewage disposal plants, either within or without the corporate limits of the City as a utility, and shall have the right to acquire property necessary therefor by purchase, gift or condemnation, and shall have the power to charge and collect for services as it may by Ordinance or Resolution provide, and the moneys collected for service shall be exclusively used for the purpose of paying the expense of installing plants and systems, and the operation thereof; and may provide that the charges so made shall be a lien upon the property served, and if not paid when due to be collected in the same manner as other City taxes are collected.

SECTION 10. Special assessments according to benefits for the construction of sewers and drains shall be made in the manner provided in this Charter for making special assessments.

SECTION 11. Such part of the expense of providing ditches and drains and improving water courses as the Commission shall determine may be defrayed by a special assessment upon the lands and premises benefited thereby.

Water Supply

SECTION 12. The Commission shall cause to be maintained an adequate water works system for the furnishing of sufficient and safe water supply, and shall make all such Ordinances, rules and regulations as are necessary for a safe, economical and efficient management of the same.

SECTION 13. The Commission shall also provide for the improvement and extension of the water works and water system wherever and whenever necessary for the public health and welfare and for adequate fire protection.

SECTION 14. The Commission shall by Ordinance establish a uniform schedule of rates, make such rules and regulations for the use of water and for the payment thereof as may be deemed proper. Unpaid charges for the use of water upon any property within the City shall be a lien upon said property.

SECTION 15. No persons, firm, corporation or association

shall be allowed free use of water, nor shall there be discrimination among water users of like classes.

SECTION 16. The Commission may by Ordinance provide for furnishing water to consumers outside of the city limits; provided that the quantity of water so furnished shall not exceed one quarter of the total consumption inside the corporate limits.

Chapter XXI
Miscellaneous

Recall

SECTION 1. The General Laws of this State relative to recall of elective officers is hereby made applicable to all elective officers in said City of Buchanan.

Amendments

SECTION 2. The Charter of the City of Buchanan may be amended at any time in compliance with the provisions of Law relative to "Amendments of Charters" as provided in Act No. 279 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1909, as amended.

Meetings of Commission

SECTION 3. All meeting sessions of the City Commission and all records of the Commission and the City shall be public.

Effect of Illegality of Part of Charter

SECTION 4. Should any portion of this Charter be declared void or unconstitutional, such finding shall not invalidate the remainder of this Charter.

Seal

SECTION 5. Until otherwise changed by the Commission the seal of the City of Buchanan shall be the same as the seal of the Village of Buchanan, except that the word "City" shall be substituted in place of the word "Village."

Fourth Class City Act

When Applicable

SECTION 6. All the provisions of the Laws of the State of Michigan regarding Cities of the Fourth Class, except as herein otherwise provided by this Charter, shall apply to and control the legislative body of the City of Buchanan. If being the intention of this Charter that the General Laws relating to the Cities of the Fourth Class shall govern except as expressly specified otherwise by the provisions of this Charter.

Officers of the Village of Buchanan

SECTION 7. The President and six councilmen constituting the Village Council under the Village Act in office at the time this Charter shall take effect, shall have and exercise the powers and duties of the Village Council until such time as the Commission under this Charter is duly elected and qualified. When the successors to any officers elected or appointed under the organization of the Village of Buchanan shall have been elected or appointed and shall have qualified under the provisions of this Charter, then the duties and compensation of such Village officers respectively shall terminate and such officers elected or appointed and qualified shall assume office under this Charter.

Acts of the Village of Buchanan

SECTION 8. All Acts and Proceedings of every kind and nature had or taken by the Village of Buchanan under and in accordance with the Statutes governing or applicable to said Village are hereby declared legal and binding upon the City of Buchanan as incorporated hereunder, and upon all persons interested therein or affected thereby, and all bonds, special assessments and other proceedings so had and taken are hereby declared to be sufficient, regardless of provisions in this Charter to the contrary, and the said proceedings shall be continued and completed under and in accordance with the provisions contained in this Charter.

Succession to the Village of Buchanan

SECTION 9. The City of Buchanan upon the taking effect of this Charter shall succeed to and be vested with all the property, real and personal, moneys, contracts, rights, credits, effects, records, files, books and papers, and all other property of every name and nature belonging to the Municipal Corporation styled and designated as The Village of Buchanan, to which Municipal Corporation the City of Buchanan is successor and no rights or liabilities, either in favor of or against said Village of Buchanan existing at the time this Charter shall become effective, and no suit or prosecution of any kind, or other legal proceedings, shall be in any manner affected by the incorporation of the territory comprised within the limits of the Village of Buchanan, as the City of Buchanan, but the same shall stand or progress as if no such change had been made and all debts and liabilities of the former village of Buchanan shall be deemed to be the debts and liabilities of the City of Buchanan, and all taxes and assessments in process of completion, levy and collection at the time of the adoption of this Charter shall be proceeded with and collected the same as if no change had been made. Provided that when a different remedy is given in this Charter, or in any Ordinance pursuant thereto, which can be made applicable to any rights existing at the time this Charter becomes effective, the same shall be deemed cumulative to the remedies before provided, and may be used accordingly.

Chapter XXII
Submission and Election

SECTION 1. This Charter shall be submitted to the electors of the proposed City of Buchanan for their approval or rejection at an election to be held on Monday, the fifth day of August, 1929, at which election the several elective City Officers provided for in

this Charter shall also be elected.

SECTION 2. Prior to the submission of this Charter it shall be published once in the "Berrien County Record" a newspaper published in the Village of Buchanan, not less than two weeks, nor more than four weeks, preceding said election, together with a notice of said election, which notice shall state that at said election the question of adopting said proposed Charter will be voted on, and the elective officers provided for therein will be elected, and shall also state the location of the polling place for such election and any other matters required by law. Notice of said election shall also be posted in at least ten public places within the Village of Buchanan not less than ten days prior to said election.

SECTION 3. Candidates for the several elective City Offices provided for in this Charter shall be nominated by petition signed by not less than thirty, and not more than fifty qualified electors of the Village of Buchanan and filed in the office of the Clerk of the Village of Buchanan on or before twelve o'clock, midnight, Central Standard Time, on the fifteenth day of July, 1929. The Village Clerk shall forthwith turn said petitions over to the Secretary of this Charter Commission, which shall meet and determine the sufficiency of such petitions. Such petitions shall be substantially in the form provided in Section 5 of Chapter V of this Charter, and each petition shall be verified by one or more persons circulating said petition as to the qualifications and residence of the persons signing such petitions. At the said election the names of candidates and those only who have filed nominating petitions as aforesaid shall be printed on the ballot.

SECTION 4. The polling place for said election shall be the same as that last established by the Village of Buchanan and shall be designated by this Charter Commission and published as hereinbefore provided.

SECTION 5. The ballots for elective officers at said election shall be prepared as directed in this Charter. Provided that in this Charter Election the two Supervisors to be elected shall be elected from the City at large without regard to precinct residence. The form of the ballot on the question of the adoption or rejection of this Charter shall be substantially as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Election Held in the Village of Buchanan, Michigan, on August Fifth, 1929.

(Instructions: A cross (X) in the square after the word "Yes" if in favor of the Charter, or a cross (X) in the square after the word "No" if against the Charter. "Shall the proposed Charter for the City of Buchanan drafted by the Charter Commission elected on the 11th day of March, 1929, be adopted?")

Yes () No ()

SECTION 6. The polls for said election shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, Central Standard Time, and shall be continued open until five o'clock, Central Standard Time, in the afternoon of the same day. Said election shall be conducted by such inspectors and clerks as shall be hereafter designated by Resolution of this Charter Commission. The votes cast at said election shall be canvassed by the Board of Election Inspectors and their canvass thereof shall be publicly announced immediately following the canvass of such votes.

SECTION 7. The registration of electors shall be conducted by the Clerk of the Village of Buchanan in the manner provided by Law. He shall give notice of registration for this Charter Election at the time and in the manner provided by the general Election Laws of the State. The Charter Commission shall cause the ballots for said election to be printed and delivered to the polling place before the opening of the polls on said election day.

SECTION 8. If this Charter be approved at said election, then two copies thereof, with the vote for and against the same, duly certified by the City Clerk, shall within thirty (30) days after the date of said election be filed with each the Secretary of State and the County Clerk of Berrien County, and upon the filing thereof this Charter shall become effective.

Theron D. Childs
Albert S. Bonner
Frank Habicht
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Members of the Charter Commission.

At a meeting of the Charter Commission, held on the Sixth day of June, 1929.

PRESENT: Commissioners Theron D. Childs, Albert S. Bonner, Frank Habicht, Charles W. Landis, Wilson Leiter, Charles F. Pears, James M. Chubb, Merton L. Hanlin, Alexander H. Miller.

The following resolution was proposed by Commissioner Hanlin, supported by Commissioner Pears.

RESOLVED: That the Charter Commission does hereby adopt the foregoing Charter and the Secretary is hereby instructed to transmit the same to the Governor of the State of Michigan, in accordance with the provisions of the Statute, for his approval.

Yeas: Commissioners Theron D. Childs, Albert S. Bonner, Frank Habicht, Charles W. Landis, Wilson Leiter, Charles F. Pears, James M. Chubb, Merton L. Hanlin, Alexander H. Miller.

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by certify that the above Charter was adopted by said Charter Commission at a session thereof held on the Sixth day of June, 1929, and that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Resolution and vote thereon, by which said Charter was adopted.

Albert S. Bonner,
Secretary of the
Charter Commission
Dated at Buchanan, Michigan,
June Seventh, 1929.

Approved:
FRED W. GREEN,
Governor
June 11, 1929.

TRANSATLANTIC TELEPHONE HAS WIDESPREAD USE

Ocean-spanning Service Utilized in Unique Ways for Business and Social Calls

Who uses the transatlantic telephone?

A New York evening newspaper recently asked the question impersonally, saying that reports of big deals in rubber, sugar, and flour are often the outcome of telephone calls from the United States to Europe; or that an American financier in Paris has employed the telephone to keep in touch with his stockbrokers in New York; that a Wall Street speculator in foreign exchange has been able, by conversation with London or Berlin, to reap a handsome profit.

The newspaper story stated that such instances tell only half the story, for actually a large proportion of the transatlantic telephone calls are social in nature. For example, an American sportsman telephoned to a London friend, asking him to arrange a fortnight of grouse hunting in the Scottish Highlands. Tourists growing lonely in continental hotels, telephone their family an ocean away. Not so long ago, the wife of an American shopkeeper, associated with her husband in business, went abroad for the first time. Her husband asked her to call on some business associates while in France, and to facilitate this, wrote down their names and addresses in a notebook. Subsequently, he received a message that the notes were lost, but nothing daunted, he put in a telephone call from an eastern city to his wife in Paris and read the names to her in four minutes of telephone conversation. Another New Yorker, talking recently to a friend at the Savoy in London, distinctly heard "Big Ben" booming the hour.

The public is always interested when notables make use of the service, and there have been many such, including King Alfonso of Spain, King Albert of Belgium and people whose names are famous in the political, literary and business world. S. Parker Gilbert, Agent General of Reparations, used the transatlantic telephone from Washington to confer with his Paris representatives. William A. Brady, Jr., when he made his London debut recently as Director of the English premiere of "The Road to Rome," had among his listeners in his father and mother in their New York home. Harry H. Frazee, Broadway theatrical producer, gravely ill in France, telephoned to New York for his doctor—probably the longest call ever made for a doctor. When Miss Helen Wills, American tennis star, announced her engagement, a London evening newspaper interviewed her via the transatlantic telephone service and was thus able to publish a confirmation of the engagement ahead of any other Sunday newspaper.

The transatlantic telephone service is often an agent of good cheer. A Florida newspaper recently told how the transatlantic telephone brought joy to a seventy-year-old father in Stockholm, Sweden, when he received a call from his daughter in Tampa. Father and daughter had not met for twenty years, but the thrill of their first conversation in that time reached its climax when his two granddaughters, aged twelve and fourteen years, said "Hello, Grandfather" over the thousands of miles of land and ocean.

Water in Oceans

No exact estimate of the volume of water in the oceans can be made because many areas have not been surveyed. From existing records the volume is computed at 324,000,000 cubic statute miles, or 14 times the bulk of all land in the world above sea level.

Woman's Good Service

Jane Burke, better known as "Colonial Jane," American army scout and mail carrier, was born in Princeton, Mo., 1852, and died in Deadwood, S. D., August 1, 1903. She was an Indian scout and was an aide to General Custer and General Miles. For several years she was the government mail carrier between Deadwood, S. D., and Custer, Mont.

Privilege Given Women

All males are barred from the market place of Almeria, Spain, lest women be molested while on their domestic errands during the forenoon. A man seeking to make a purchase must first get a permit

LINDY'S FLIGHT BOOMS FLYING

Intrepid Pilot Made Financial Backing Available for Aviation.

Washington.—The development of aeronautics in America as a big business proposition dates from May 21, 1927, when Col. Charles A. Lindbergh completed his transatlantic flight to Paris. Technically, the flight of Lindbergh proved relatively little to the aeronautical engineers. The feat, as at first to the world, it was primarily a demonstration of the courage and skill of one great flyer.

The engineers already knew how to make airplanes like the Spirit of St. Louis. They knew how to make air-cooled engines, and knew that this type of motive power was at the point of making a great development in flying for long distances. They did not know until it happened that Lindbergh's feat would solve a problem which was more serious to the industry than any technical situation. It was destined to solve the problem of finances and to make money, and big money, available for aviation development.

Magazine Has Boom.

All kinds of things began to happen after the Lone Eagle spanned the Atlantic. A well-known aviation magazine, ably edited, highly regarded by flyers and manufacturers, had struggled for years to acquire a circulation of about 5,000 copies a month. In three months it had 25,000 subscribers, without having put forth any special effort whatsoever. In May, 1927, the capital stock of the company which made the engine of Lindbergh's plane could be bought at less than \$20 a share. The far-sighted investors who went out that day and bought this stock have realized ten, fifteen, or twenty times their investment, according to how they handled the stock thereafter.

The air mail, which was getting a little business at ten cents a letter by dint of steady publicity and constant urge from the post office to use it, began to get tons of mail, and was soon able to cut the price to five cents a letter and get more from. Small aviation companies with air mail contracts which had been wavering on the edge of bankruptcy became suddenly prosperous. Some which had been begging for passenger traffic in connection with the mail had to stop hauling passengers entirely to make room for the pouches.

Makes United States Air-Minded.

Lindbergh made America air-minded, and since that air-mindedness has taken the form of widespread investments in the stock of aviation companies it is natural that many people want to put their money in "Lindbergh's company." It is quite clear to anyone who thinks about it that Lindbergh could at any time since that flight have launched any sort of aviation enterprise he cared to, and have sold \$100,000,000 worth of stock in it. He has not chosen to do anything of the sort, nor has he allowed any stock to be directly sold on his name or reputation.

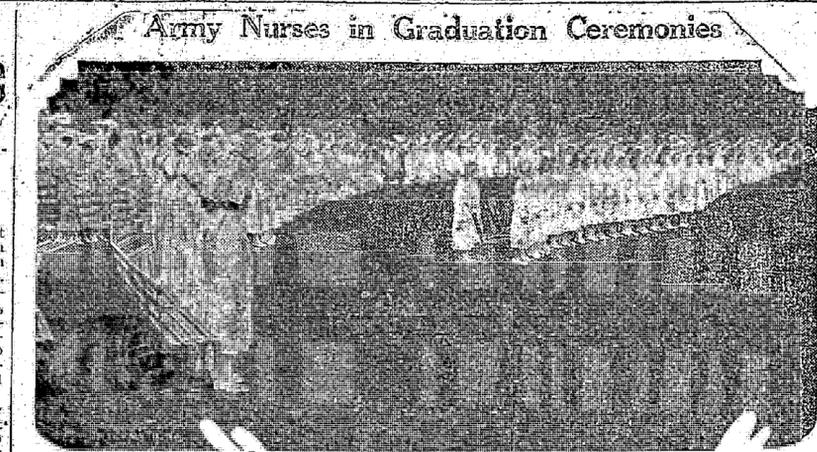
This is not because Colonel Lindbergh does not believe in aeronautical investments, but because he realizes how easily the power of his reputation could be abused, and knows that he cannot, in his own person, guarantee the financial success of any enterprise, even if he gave his whole time to its direction. There remain uncertainties in the business of aeronautics, in so far as profits are concerned. Colonel Lindbergh has been too wise to set himself up as a financial simply because he is a master technician of the air.

Nations commercial aviation industries have to some extent profited indirectly by Lindbergh's connection with them in advisory work or by his use of their products, but this has been a strictly legitimate and decidedly indirect connection. The flying colonel is adviser in technical matters for Transcontinental Air Transport, which is about to launch a combined rail and all service from coast to coast, but he has had nothing to do with its financing, and this company, with the backing of two great railroad systems and a leading New York banker, among others, had no great occasion to sell stocks to the public, although its stock is listed on some of the exchanges.

First Mail Flight.

Colonel Lindbergh made the first air mail flight to Panama, initiating the service of Pan-American Airways, a company which has since been bought by a subsidiary of the financial group which is the keener rival to the syndicate that owns a block of Transcontinental Air Transport. His technical advice has therefore been shared, quite recently, by the leading investment group in the aviation field, with doubtless some advantage to each. Neither, however, is in any sense a Lindbergh proposition or pretends to be.

Aviation financing, since the Lindbergh boom in aeronautics came to its aid, has gone ahead so fast that there have developed, in addition to manufacturing and operating companies, a number of holding companies and a number of so-called aviation investment trusts. The holding companies are assigned to keep under one general control a variety of enterprises which connect with one another in operation. Thus the eastern group, of which C. M. Keys, a New York banker, is the guiding genius, holds stock through holding companies in airplane factories, air mail contract routes, airport operating firms, aviation schools, airplane selling organizations, air passenger lines, a western group, of which W. E. Boe-



A beautiful scene during the graduation ceremonies held at the Walter Reed hospital, Washington, when the army graduated 42 young women nurses. Miss Malvina M. Greaves, one of the graduates, was presented with the Mrs. Henry R. Rea medal which is given annually to the graduate who shows the greatest natural aptitude for her work.

"Merry Christmas" to the Fleet From the Texas



Signal men of the U. S. S. Texas spelling out "Merry Christmas" to the fleet that has gathered in the Brooklyn navy yard for the Christmas and New Year holidays.

They Treat the Freshies Rough in New York



Freshmen of the City College of New York being made to go through wheelbarrow antics by their foes of the sophomore class during the annual Interclass carnival.

Here Is the New First Family of Wisconsin



This photograph of Wisconsin's new first family shows, left to right: Robert E. Kohler, John M. Kohler, Walter J. Kohler, Jr., Mrs. Walter J. Kohler, Sr., Walter J. Kohler, governor-elect, holding his grandson Jimmy, Carl J. Kohler and Mrs. Carl J. Kohler.