

RIVER ST. PLANT ON FULL TIME

Now Here's the Proposition

A Tip By Haws Do you know what's gonna happen if you don't wake up and snap in? When the sunbeams rosy red Light the world on Christmas morning...

DEATH CALLS DAUGHTER OF LOCAL PIONEER

Mrs. Cora Mansfield Anderson Expires Friday; Was 83 Years Old. GRADUATE B. H. S. Cora M. Anderson, native of Buchanan and daughter of a leading pioneer family, died at her home here at 10:30 a. m. Friday, following an illness of only nine hours with acute indigestion.

MRS. A. SHANK DIES AT HOME OF DAUGHTER DEC. 7

Anna Shank, 44, died Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Norman Lee, Terre Coupe Road, after an illness of two years, and the funeral was held Monday from the United Brethren Church of New Troy, Rev. John English officiating.

SPOT DEMPSEY CHOSEN CAPTAIN '30 GRID TEAM

Robert Dempsey, known to all his companions as "Spot", was chosen by his team mates to captain the 1930 Buchanan High School football team at a meeting here Tuesday.

MORSE AND BAILEY Out for Cage Squad At Western State

Two former Buchanan high school stars are out for the cage team at Western State College at Kalamazoo, the former "Bucks" being Floyd (Doc) Bailey and Robert Morse, both of whom are freshmen at the Teachers College this year.

Clark Employee Is Arrested for Stealing Coal

Gust Bitner, employed at the Clark plant, was taken into custody Wednesday night by Deputy Sheriff Fred E. French, while stealing coal at the plant.

QUESTION - IS GENEROSITY LOST VIRTUE?

Two of the Main Supporters of Local Charity Called by Death in Year. VOLUNTEERS - NEEDED Are people as generous as they used to be? Or is there less room for kindness in the hard-boiled world of today?

BUCHANAN BIRDS OF PASSAGE OFF TO WINTER HOMES

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Chief Mitchell Detours Traffic Around Inebriate

Traffic over the South Bend road was detoured for a short time Saturday evening when Chief of Police Mitchell discovered the prostrate form of John Charlwood lying in the middle of the road opposite the depot and left him guarded by a red lantern on either side as a warning sign, until he was able to order a conveyance to safe keeping.

Manager Boothman of Ready Theatre Is Host to Scouts

A party of fifteen, members of Scout troop No. 41 and 42, were guests Thursday evening of Manager Boothman, of the Ready theatre of Niles, enjoying the presentation of "Young Nowheres", starring Richard Barthelmess.

Marriage Alyce Charles, Aug. 15, Is Made Public

The wedding of Miss Alyce Charles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Charles, to Camille Cahow, which took place Aug. 15, at South Bend, has just been made public. The bride is instructor in French and English at Stockbridge high school. She is a graduate of Buchanan high school and Ypsilanti Normal school and is very popular here.

Low Desenberg is still a patient at the South Bend hospital, where he was taken ten days ago for treatment for a fractured kneecap incurred in a collision on the Niles-South Bend road. Desenberg was returning from South Bend in company with his son Bill Desenberg.

B.H.S. LEADS BERRIEN IN VOCAL MUSIC

Local School is Represented By 108 Voices at Bridgman. A SPLENDID SHOWING Buchanan high school distinguished itself as leading all other secondary schools in Berrien County in point of interest in music at the Music Festival held at Bridgman Friday evening in which 500 voices from the high schools of St. Joseph, Benton Harbor, Niles, Berrier Springs, Three Oaks, New Troy, Watervliet, and Buchanan.

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The Bethany class of the Methodist church will hold its annual Christmas party at the church on Monday evening, Dec. 16. Each member is requested to bring a gift for charity.

New Miracle Shrine Attracts Thousands



Scene at the tomb of Rev. Patrick Power in Holy Cross cemetery, Malden, Mass., to which thousands of persons from all parts of the country are flocking because of reported miraculous cures worked there. Father Power died sixty years ago. Cardinal O'Connell of Boston made a visit of observation to the shrine.

KINDERGARTN GROUP MEETS ARE STARTED

The first of a series of group meetings was held in the kindergarten room on Dec. 4. A good number of mothers were present and listened eagerly to the teachers' talks regarding their work with the children.

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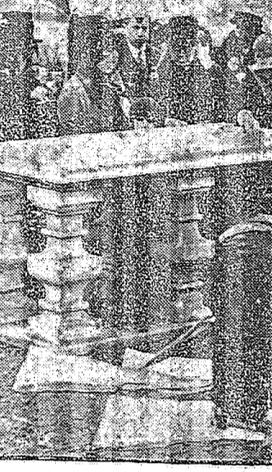
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B. H. S. Grid Team are Honor Guests at Banquet



The 1929 football eleven of Buchanan high school were honored guests at the annual grid banquet Tuesday evening, sharing the spotlight with Wally Webber, coach of Benton Harbor's class A champions, Coach Koegan of the Notre Dame basketball squad and Frank Carriedeo, field marshal of Notre Dame's national champions and unanimous selection for All-American quarterback. The banquet was prepared by the girls of the Home Economics department, Miss Skeels, instructor, and was served by the girls' athletic association, directed by the instructor, Miss Rothenbach. The tables and the entire American Legion hall, in which the banquet was served, were handsomely decorated in red and white, the high school colors. Miniature football goal posts decorated the table, and the presence of peas on the menu gave a realistic touch to the proceedings. Both departments deserve much credit for the success of the occasion.

GALLEN VALLEY CHORUS APPEARS IN 1ST CONCERT

The Gallen River Valley Chorus made its first public appearance Tuesday evening in the auditorium of the three Oaks high school, with Carl Sandburg, the Chicago poet, and the Gyrin Little Symphony orchestra of that city as additional features.

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CLARK PLANT EMPLOYMENT ON INCREASE



The River Street Plant is Now on a Full Time Schedule. FOUNDRY FIVE DAYS Business prospects in Buchanan brightened during the past ten days with a definite upward swing in employment in several departments of the Clark Equipment Company and immediate prospects of further re-employment, according to company officials.

Missionary Society Evangelical Church Has Annual Election

The Women's Missionary Society of the Evangelical Church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Helen Fowler on East Fourth Street, the principal business being the annual election of officers. The choice of the society for the coming year is president, Mrs. L. M. Otwell, vice president, Mrs. Emory Rough; recording secretary, Mrs. Guy Young; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Helen Fowler; treasurer, Mrs. W. L. Willard. Mrs. D. D. Pangborn is the retiring president.

Pipestone Grange To Visit Bend of River Friday Eve.

Two events of interest to grange members this week at the Bend of the River Grange hall are the visit of the Pipestone grange to the local grange on Friday night when they will furnish an interesting program for the lecture hour. At six o'clock a co-operative dinner will be served. The members will bring their own table service.

Hap-E-Go-Luck-E Club Make Plans for An Oyster Supper

The Hap-E-Go-Luck-E Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rossow Saturday evening. The evening was spent with games, prizes being awarded to Mrs. Ernest Pithford, Herman Ott, Dorothy Vincent, Herbert Marsh, Bernice Strauss, Elmer Lerke. A pot luck supper was served. Plans were made to hold an oyster supper in the near future.

Torch Bearers to Give a Christmas Party Fri. Dec. 20

The Torch Bearers Class of the First Presbyterian Church of Buchanan, will hold their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. H. M. Beistle on Lake Street on the afternoon of Friday, Dec. 20, beginning at 2 p. m. All members are requested to bring gifts of clothing or provisions for the United Charities.

Mrs. Nora Woods, 301 Main Street, is scheduled to leave today for a visit with her son, Will Woods, at 1022 Portage Avenue, South Bend.

# News From Galien and Vicinity

## Galien Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hess and family were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Enders at Three Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark spent Friday in Chicago, with their son, Dr. Stanley Clark, who is still very ill in the Passavant hospital.

J. R. Rood spent the week end in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Warnke entertained Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins and son from Midlothian, Ill. Henry Klasner and Charles Partridge were afternoon guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Jannasch and daughter, Bessie, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Harroff.

Mrs. J. W. Wolford, Mrs. H. D. Roberts and daughter, Mrs. L. Norris, were in South Bend Saturday afternoon. Miss Lela Roberts accompanied them home and spent the week end with her parents.

Harold Jordan and Al Zollinger of Elkhart, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Slocum and daughter, Ella.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ewing spent the week end in Grand Rapids, with relatives.

The Culture Club held their educational meeting Friday afternoon at the Slocum hotel. Members responded to roll call by giving "a school day incident." Education was the topic of the afternoon study and papers were read by Mrs. R. Wentland, Mrs. C. Smith and Mrs. C. Renbarger.

Mrs. Bessie Lintner entertained 16 ladies at her home last Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Ward James. Progressive 500 was the evening's diversion.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover entertained Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. sisters, Mrs. Ella Pierce from New York and Mrs. Ida Glover of Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Goodenough were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Kathryn Meixil at Mishawaka.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kieffer of South Dakota arrived Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kieffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Storm entertained Sunday at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bartmess, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Goodenough of Maple Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Goodenough of Three Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goodenough were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ewing entertained a few days last week, the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ewing of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. L. Mitchell entertained Miss Lillian Bauman of Chicago, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Andrews entertained Sunday the latter's mother, Mrs. John Rogers of New Carlisle.

Our basketball team played the Eau Claire team Friday evening, the score being 21 to 17, for the first team in favor of Galien and the second team's score was 22 to 12 in favor of Eau Claire. The Galien team will play Benton Harbor Friday evening.

Mrs. Carrie Shearer is spending a few days in Niles caring for her husband's sister, Mrs. Swartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Babcock spent Tuesday in South Bend with their daughter, Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kelley and family spent Sunday in Glendora with relatives.

Will Morley and Jack Wessels were in Benton Harbor Tuesday. The members of the M. E.

church are sending canned fruit to the Bronson hospital in Kalamazoo this week.

Supt. Harold Laycock spent Sunday afternoon and evening in South Bend.

The school and teachers have been responding readily to the Red Cross Drive. Miss Harper's room was the first to report. Nearly all the business men and a few citizens subscribed to the Fund and Galien will make a good showing if it doesn't reach its quota as other surrounding towns have done.

Mr. and Mrs. George McGaghie, Buchanan, Mrs. Bessie Nicholson left for her home in Ramsey, Ill., after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Stodder.

Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger spent Tuesday in the James Renbarger home.

The Culture club "Christmas Home" will be held Friday at the home of Mrs. Warren Hagley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gunyon of Buchanan, spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heckathorn and daughter, Hazel, and son, Robert, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heckathorn at Three Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hinman and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hinman spent Sunday with relatives in South Bend.

The Economic Club held an all day meeting Wednesday with Mrs. Earl Roberts. A pot luck dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McBaine welcomed a daughter into their home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland entertained Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sexton of LaPorte, who were married Tuesday evening. They left Thursday for the home of the groom's parents at Campbells, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stodder spent Sunday evening in Niles.

The Parent Teachers Association held its December meeting in the high school, Tuesday evening. Seventy-four members were present and enjoyed the program given by the Seiger children, who are so talented with beautiful voices.

Miss G. Harper's room gave "The Signing of the Constitution in 1787." Twenty-six pupils had a part, each doing justice to his part. After the meeting a tour of each room was made which were decorated and the exhibits inspected. Sandwiches and cocoa were served. The January meeting will be in charge of Charles Hohman and H. A. Laycock. A special effort will be made to get the fathers out to these meetings.

The Christmas party of the Friday Culture Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Warren Hagley this week and each member is requested to bring a present. The committee is: Mesdames Hagley, Bauer, Jannasch, Ewing, Shearer.

## Dayton News

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Doyle of Galien, spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Blanche Sheldon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smedley and baby spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Buras.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jannasch, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and Mr. and Mrs. William Strunk were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Martin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamilton were in South Bend Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Leo Richter and children spent Sunday afternoon with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crooker and family, Niles, Mrs. Will Crooker and Mrs. Rock and son of St. Joseph, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Heckathorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson returned to their home from Kalamazoo, after several week's visit, Friday evening.

The Community meeting at the church Tuesday evening was well attended. Mrs. Frank Straub, Mrs. Pauline Donley, and Miss Blanche Sheldon are on the committee for the next meeting.

The Christmas exercises will be held at the Dayton church Monday, Dec. 22. Everyone welcome.

Mr. Amos Jannasch and daughter, Bessie, entertained a number

of friends at bunco Tuesday. Friends of A. Emsberger are sorry to learn he is confined to his bed, seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Martin were Saturday afternoon shoppers at Niles.

## Wagner News

Rev. Shields and wife were the Sunday dinner guests at the Bert Mitchell home.

The Clayton Hartline home is out of quarantine for scarlet fever.

Kenneth Abelo, who has been working at St. Joseph, is home for the present.

A Delco lighting system is being installed at the Amos Harroff home.

Willard Marsh and wife and Dorothy and Robert of Traverse City came Thursday to visit relatives here, returning Monday.

Glenn Whittaker is attending the South Bend Business college.

Miss Virginia Hess is at home enjoying a case of the mumps.

The regular meeting of Wagner Grange will be held Friday evening.

The original manuscript of "Deutschland Ueber Alles," the famous German national hymn, was recently sold for about \$15. It was written in 1841.

# EVENING SPECIALS

Each evening until Xmas this store will offer special prices on some article.

## FRIDAY EVENING

Boys' Heavy Sweaters \$1.00  
\$1.50 value at

Watch for other bargains in our basement.

20%

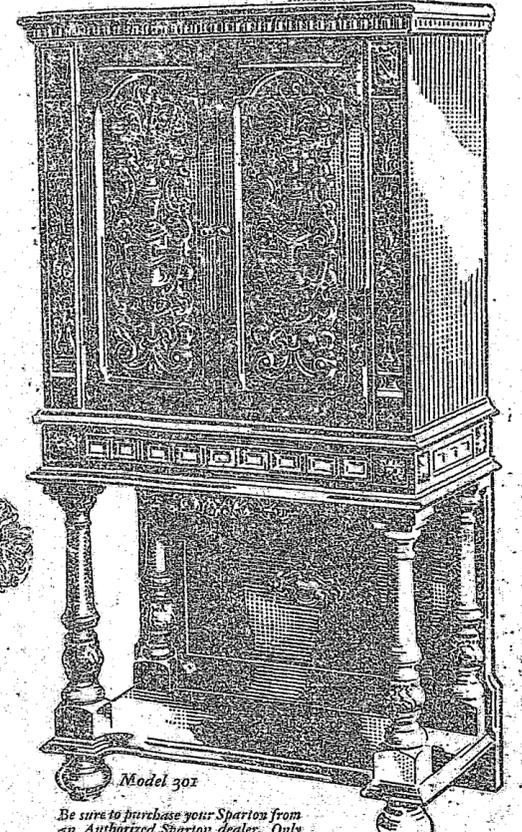
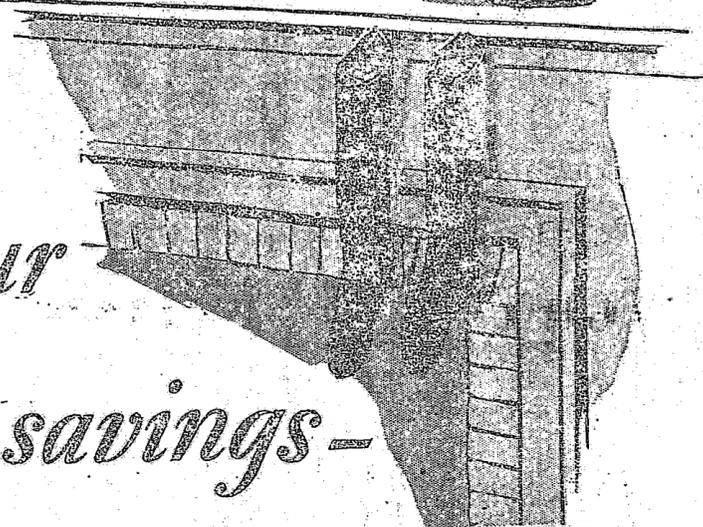
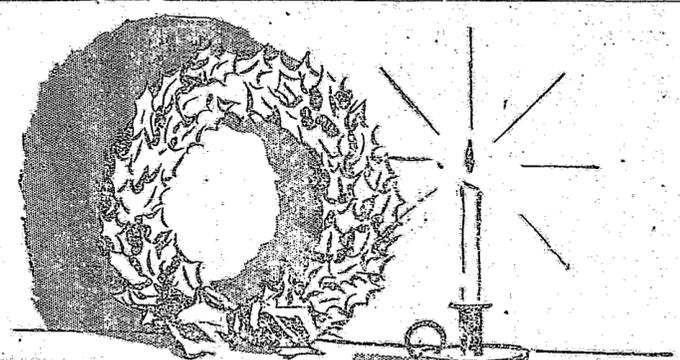
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### Store Gift Directory

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First Floor — Jewelry, perfumes, toilet sets, stationery, gloves, silk hosiery, handbags, handkerchiefs, scarfs, silks and linens.

Second Floor — Paris fashions in dance frocks, fur trimmed winter coats, lingerie, sweaters, bed jackets, negligees, quilted robes, raincoats, baby things and children's clothes.

Third Floor — Oriental rugs, "domestic orientals," bedroom rugs, luggage, cushions and curtains.

Daylight Basement — Toyland, fluffy blankets, Scotch auto robes, colored sheets and pillow cases, rayon bedspreads.

Store Hours: 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Sat. 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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Santa certainly knows what makes children happy. And fathers and mothers, uncles and aunts, may find out the secret too, by taking a trip through Wyman's Wonderland of Toys.

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Jolly old Santa Claus is in Wyman's Toy Window every afternoon from 3:45 to 4:30 and three times on Saturday, morning, afternoon and evening. Bring the children to see him.

Wyman's Parking Service

is for your convenience. Drive your car to Wyman's curb. Our attendant will park it under a roof and return it whenever you are ready. 25c charge.

South Bend, Ind.

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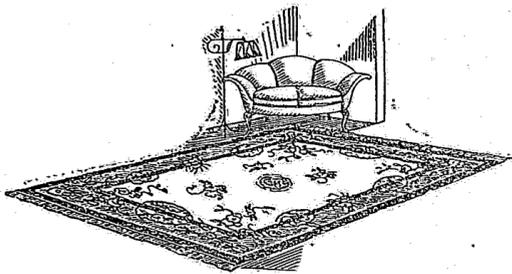
## Gifts for Her

Sweaters, Silk Underwear, Dance Sets, Pajamas and Pajama-Ensembles, Silk Gowns, Step-Ins and Bloomers, Purses, Hand Bags, Silk or Chiffon Scarfs, Silk Umbrellas, Silk Hosiery, Kid Gloves, Furlined Kid Gloves for the ones who drive.



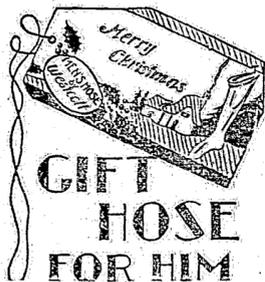
## Household Gifts

Room size rugs of every description, Occasional Rugs for everywhere, Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs from the smallest to the largest sizes, all these make acceptable gifts the whole family can enjoy.



## Hosiery---the Ideal Gift

Gordon V line, recognized the best wearing hose and correct, all the new shades, pair **\$1.95**  
 Wayne Knit Hose in all the new things, French heel, Slenderette and regular heel. \$1.50, \$2.75 and \$1.95 qualities and the wanted shades.  
 Westcott, the best dollar value obtainable, comes in regular and extra sizes and light, medium and darker shades, white and black. For your Dollar Hose, buy WESTCOTT.  
 Box Hose for the men, silk, silk and wool, rayon and wool, put in two pairs in box. \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per box, also come in single pairs. Ladies' and Misses' plain and fancy silk and wool hose, handsome designs and colors.



## BLANKETS

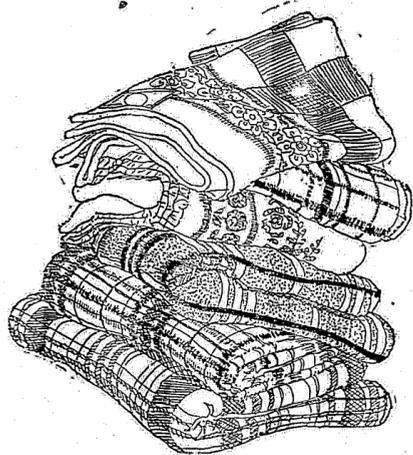
Wool Blankets in plain and fancy colors and patterns, all wool blankets, \$8.50 to \$10.00, an appreciable gift. Single wool and wool mixed robe blankets, solid colors or in designs. Each

**\$3.50 to \$7.50**

Beautiful Crib Blankets for the youngsters.

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A Nice Assortment of Xmas Cards

Miscellaneous Items

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# D. L. BOARDMAN

### LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Philip Frank spent Thursday in South Bend.  
 R. F. Haffner left Friday for Watseka, Ill., where he operates a 5 and 10c store.  
 Mr. and Mrs. F. St. Johns of Columbus, Wis., are visiting at the home of Mrs. St. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rossow.  
 Mrs. Charles Koons is much improved from her recent illness.  
 Mr. and Mrs. James Ward and daughter visited in LaPorte last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey Bainton and Enos Schram were Niles visitors Friday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Phillips of South Bend, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hoover, Swain Avenue.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stults of Gary were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hanlin on Sunday.  
 Miss Helen Handin and Miss Alice Platt of Niles, will leave Saturday for Crawfordsville, Ind., to attend the annual Christmas dance given by the Sigma Chi fraternity.  
 Mrs. R. H. Snowden reports that her husband, Dr. Snowden, is gaining satisfactorily in health and strength at St. Petersburg, Fla.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Merton Mitchell are the parents of a son, born Saturday, Dec. 7, at their home on Alexander Street.  
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walters at their home in Burkhardt addition, a son, Saturday, Dec. 7.  
 Mrs. A. D. Smith returned to her home on Dewey Avenue Monday from Pawating hospital, where she had undergone an operation for goiter.  
 The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet Friday, Dec. 13, at the home of Mrs. A. H. Kiehn, Lake Street. A full attendance is requested as important business will be transacted.  
 Remember that a great many articles suitable for Christmas gifts and decorative work and Xmas merchandise are made of paper and most of the things in our large and varied stock are made of paper. Binns' Magnet store.  
 The Light Bearers' Class of the First Presbyterian Church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ellis Willsey. A full attendance was present.  
 Robert Roe and Hugh Pierce were week end guests at their respective homes here returning to their studies at the University of Michigan Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hess and daughter were Sunday guests of friends in Three Oaks.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strunk and daughters, Theda and Ruth were Sunday guests of friends in Dayton.  
 S. Smedley of Hudsonville, is visiting his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson.  
 Mrs. Leo Huebner is on the sick list.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pearson, Terre Coupe Road announce the birth of a son.  
 Mrs. Sam Holmes, Terre Coupe Road is very sick.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Phil Karling spent the week end in Goshen.  
 Mrs. Anna Rouse is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Van-Hals, with whom she will spend the winter.  
 Lazell Weaver was a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Weaver, Berrien Springs, Sunday.  
 We can sell you a fountain pen with Eversharp pencil to match for \$5.00 which we firmly believe to be as beautiful and as good as any made at any price, bar none. See them at Binns' Magnet Store.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bert McFarland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Ward, Main Street.  
 Mrs. McFarland is librarian at the University of Chicago.  
 Lester Lynn and Jack Mills of Fort Wayne, were guests of Marshall Dretzer Sunday.  
 Jesse G. Boyle attended the annual meeting of the national farm bureau held in Chicago the first of the week.  
 Give candy for Christmas. We have Daggs and Brooks boxed candies. Swaim's Ice Cream Parlor.  
 Andrew Feather attended the

International Livestock show in Chicago, last week.  
 Reba Lamb, school nurse, attended a county meeting of welfare workers at St. Joseph, Friday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lomlough spent Sunday in South Bend, the guest of friends.  
 Coach Harold Bradford was an attendant at a county meeting of coaches held in Benton Harbor, Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wagner, Jr. and daughter of St. Joseph, were guests of relatives here Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lydick were guests of friends in South Bend at dinner Sunday.  
 Virgil Immel spent the week end with his parents at Elkhart.  
 Max Widmoyer has moved to Battle Creek, where he has recently been assigned to a new position by transfer from Niles where he had previously been employed. He had made his home with Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Widmoyer while employed at Niles.  
 Mrs. Laura Sargent, who has been a guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Sargent, has returned to her home at Shelby.  
 When shopping stop in at Swaim's Ice Cream Parlor for lunch. Real home made pies and delicious sandwiches. Lunches served at all times.  
 Miss Zelma Fletcher, Mrs. Isabel Mishler and William Widmoyer have returned to Nappanee, after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. L. Widmoyer.  
 Earl Mings spent the week end in Mishawaka with his family.  
 Kermit Shreves of Michigan City, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elza Mitchell, Sunday.  
 W. C. Pepple was in Huntertown, Ind., over the week end, visiting his parents.  
 Forest Ditto and Mason Clark left by auto Monday for Stewart, Fla.  
 Clarence Ehinger was a guest of his mother at Arlington, Neb., last week, upon the occasion of her 94th birthday. He returned to Buchanan Sunday.  
 Ed. Rinker of Chicago is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rinker.  
 Mrs. Nan Kent entertained the Monday Literary Club at her home this week. Mrs. G. H. Stevenson gave an interesting talk on "A Trip to Russia." Mrs. Burbank read Edgar Guest's poem, "It Takes a Heap of Livin' in a Place to Make it Home." The Christmas party will be held next week at the home of Mrs. Will Leiter.  
 Epsilon chapter, E. G. U. Sorority, will hold their Christmas party next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Burton Mills. Plans are being made for a dinner at Niles.  
 Special Christmas ice cream bricks and molds. Order now for that party. Swaim's Ice Cream Parlor.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dunspey and Kermit Mikelson were Sunday dinner guests at the R. M. Boone home in Niles.  
 George Smith, of Niles, returned to his home Tuesday, after having spent several days at the home of his brother, Henry Smith, McCaslin Avenue.  
 Come, ye old-fashioned candy box social, Miller school Friday, Dec. 20, Program at 8 p. m. Grace M. Letcher, teacher.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bachman and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Reep spent Tuesday in South Bend and Elkhart.  
 District Scout Commissioner Kenneth Blake attended the weekly Boy Scout school at St. Joseph Thursday night, accompanied by Leo Slate, scoutmaster of Troop 41 and Ernest Beadie, senior patrol leader of the same organization.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Lamb announce the birth of a daughter, Delores Luella, at their home on Alexander Street, Sunday, Dec. 8.  
 Mr. and Mrs. William Donley and family will soon be located in their new home just completed on West Front street.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murdoch (Florence Matthews) announce the birth of a son born Monday.  
 Fred Moyer attended a meeting of Studebaker dealers for this section, held at South Bend, Monday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred French were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Russell at Bremen, Ind., Sunday.  
 Elwynn Bromley is a guest of friends in Grand Rapids.  
 John Moyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moyer, is laid up with a siege of the mumps.  
 Mrs. Charles Koons is much improved from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lydick have sold their interest in the King Flash Silver Fox Farm, north of the city, to W. A. Hicks of Glenn Ellyn, Ill., who will assume the management of the property in the spring.  
 Among Buchanan attendants at the Knife and Fork Club dinner in South Bend, Tuesday evening, were Dr. J. C. Strayer, Herbert Roe and Charles Landis.  
 A week after George Atkinson of Chicago introduced Walter McKenzie to his wife and assured her that he was "a nice boy," she sloped with him.

## PHONE 26

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It is a regular practice in this store to deliver promptly all orders whether given in person or by phone. While we are always glad to have you come and inspect our offerings, if it is more convenient for you—phone 26.

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PEABERRY BLEND	1-lb. bag	33c
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WHEATENA	A HOT BREAKFAST FOOD	pkg.	23c
PINE GROVE	TOILET TISSUE	4 ROLLS	25c
CAKE FLOUR	SWANSDOWN	2 1-2 lbs.	29c
Oleomargarine	GOOD LUCK	2 lbs.	49c

OLEOMARGARINE	COME AGAIN BRAND	1-lb. pkg.	19c
MIXED NUTS	FANCY QUALITY NEW CROP	1-lb. pkg.	25c
MAYONNAISE	HAZEL BRAND	8 1/2 oz. jar	20c
COCOA	NATIONAL BRAND	1/2-lb. can	15c
CHOCOLATES	BACH'S CHOICEST	5-lb. box	1.25
CANDY	AMERICAN HOME-MADE FILLED XMAS MIXED	1-lb. pkg.	19c
CREAMETTES	DAIRY-FRESH	pkg.	8c
DATES	NEW CROP IMPORTED	2 lbs.	25c
MACARONION SPAGHETTI		5-lb. box	48c
FIG BARS	RUNKEL'S-FRESHLY BAKED	1-lb. box	10c
LIMA BEANS	NATIONAL BRAND	1-lb. can	18c
CORNMEAL	WHITE OR YELLOW	5 lbs.	20c
SALT	HAZEL BRAND FREE RUNNING	2-lb. box	8c
SARDINES	PORTOLA BRAND-OVAL TINS	1-lb. can	10c
SPINACH	NATIONAL BRAND-FREE FROM GRIT	No. 2 1/2 can	18c
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# The Old Timer's Corner

## Life in The Gay 90's is Recalled by Old Timer in Reminiscences

Time about 1890 to 1895. I have been sitting here thinking over the old town and seeing how many of the streets I could walk along, in memory, and call the names of the people who lived along each street.

I started down town and walked up Front street, toward the west. I have forgotten some few of them but maybe some of you old timers can recall the ones that I miss. Here we go. We will start on the south side of the street and come back on the other side.

The house on the corner, built by Amos House, was modern, but I believe it was there at that time. Next we have the old Ross home, later owned by Mr. Sanders. There was a vacant lot where Dr. Brodbeck later on lived, and then the Eschman on the corner of the place where the Presbyterian church stands was also a vacant lot. Then high up on the hill was Church-chill's place, and next door, the Black home. Then "Judge" Hinman's and Chas. Bainton's homes. On the corner of Clark and Front was the home of Calvin Myler. Later on the Hoags lived there, or else the other way around. Then we go on west and see the old home of the Richards family, with its big corner lot and level lawn, next is the William Pears home, which used to be a two-story house, but lost its top story in a recent fire, but still stands on the same old foundation. Next west was the Whitman home, then the A. C. Roe home and on the corner of Detroit was the McNeil home.

John Graham lived on the west corner of this street and then there were a couple of homes that I can't remember who lived there, and then we come to the John G. Holmes place and then the Wray home, and Emma what was their names? Oh yes, Hamlin, that's it. She was red headed and could sing mighty well. You know who I mean.

Then we come to the home of Joe Burch. He was a blacksmith and raised fancy bred horses. Then the old Plimpton home was on the corner and the old Hamilton place was opposite and then there were no more homes out that way until you got to the cemetery.

On the north side of the street, starting out a little farther we have the home of the old Christian minister, Mr. Burdell. His wife was a little bit of a woman and he was tall and skinny. They lived right opposite the entrance to the cemetery. Then we will start back to town. Not forgetting our friends out the other way

from there, where the Parrott and "Billy" Ingles families lived. But now we will turn back to town.

Down in the hollow we find the Beardsleys. And in back of them via a private lane were the Montgomery folks. Then up the hill we find the McCumber home. Then we have to skip one place, can't remember who lived there, and then we come to the home of John Congrad. Then came the Ferris home and the George W. Noble home at the corner of what I believe used to be called Cayuga street. Then there was a big brick house next toward town and I can remember knowing a boy that lived there, but I can't recall the name and then at Detroit Street was Miller's home. You remember Alta Miller was married, to death, there, in some accident.

Next across the street was the Wells home, and then a big white house, set in shrubs, etc., but I can't recall the names of the people but maybe that was the Wells home. Seems to me that Lou Morris used to live there. Then next door was the Dr. Slocum home, then Katie Deering, and then Dr. Henderson. And then across the street was Perry Fox's home, later owned by Dr. Bailey, then a little home over beyond a couple of vacant lots and there I am stuck again. I remember the house and the big trees in the front yard but I can't recall the name. Then comes the big corner house of Dr. Berrick, at what used to be called West Street, but is now Moccasin Avenue. I like the new name but I like to remember it was West Street just the same. Then right at the top of the hill was "Bill" Palmer's home, and then Sol Rough's, and then that big frame house set well back from the street, but I don't know who built it nor owned it, but it was a dandy old home and several families lived there that I can remember. Then just down the hill was John Alexander's, and a little frame house right next to the first business house (which by the way was a Chinese laundry) and we are back in town.

That's all the time I have today but some other day I am going for a walk in other parts of town and try to locate my old friends along the streets. Will you go with me? "OLD TIMER."

P. S. I want to congratulate Mrs. Winch and Mr. Holmes and others and to thank them for the contributions to the "Corner." I enjoy reading every line of it, but I can't help wanting to drop in a line myself now and then. Let us keep the good work up.

## Believe it or Not, Rattler Swallows House Cat Entire

The meter reading forces of the city water department have many harrowing experiences with big bugs and poisonous insects and little animals which they find in

meter boxes and alleys, but the crew had an experience recently which will probably stand alone for some years.

They were coming down the alley between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets which is the dividing line between the city and the suburbs when they came upon a rattlesnake which they are willing to wager was at least six feet long. The rattler was snaking for the city as fast as he could crawl, which was not very fast, for he had just finished his dinner.

The water department crew assassinated the big snake and investigated to see what he had tak-

en as a dinner. There, on the inside of the big pit viper, they found the most astonishing bit of evidence of all. The rattlesnake had dined on a full-grown cat and he had swallowed him, tooth and toenail, hair and hide, without so much as making sure the feline was dead.

Many stories have been told of cats fighting with snakes and killing the snake. There are persons here who have seen or claim to have seen such fights and many have known of cats dying from the effects of a rattler's bite, but this is the first case on record here of a rattler having vanquished the cat and then "vanished" it into the

bargain.—Douglas Dispatch, Ariz.

## 10,539,928 Added By School Children To Savings Deposits

A total of 4,222,935 school children participated in school savings banking in the United States during the last school year, depositing \$28,672,496 and rolling up net savings of \$10,539,928, bringing total bank balances now credited to this movement to above fifty million dollars, according to the annual report just issued by the Savings Bank Division of the Am-

erican Bankers Association. Schools to the number of 15,587 are enrolled in the plan, the report says, pointing out that all these figures are in marked advance over all previous annual figures. Analyzing the school savings situation, W. Espey Albright, Deputy Manager of the Savings Bank Division says:

"The statistical report for the school year 1928-1929 shows a gain all along the line. The number of schools having school savings has increased by 1762, or 12.7 per cent. The pupils enrolled in schools affording an opportunity for school savings increased 262,974, or 6.6 per cent; and 242,698, or 5.7 per cent, more pupils par-

ticipated than during the preceding year. The deposits during the year reached the colossal figure of \$28,672,496, a gain of 10.3 per cent, and the net savings, which means the amount of the year's deposits remaining in the bank at the close of the school year, is \$10,539,928, a gain of 11.2 per cent.

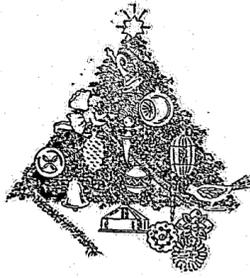
"If to the amount of the school savings deposited in the banks this year and remaining at the end of the term is added to the school savings of the present pupils in former years and yet remaining in the banks, the total bank balances are in excess of fifty million dollars."

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# Ellsworth's

South Bend, Ind.

## News around New Troy

The body of Mrs. Noland Shank, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Norman Lee, in Buchanan Saturday morning, will be brought here for burial in the local cemetery Monday afternoon. Services will be held in the Brethren church at 2 p. m.

The play, "The Third Customer", to be given by the faculty of the high school Friday, Dec. 13, is eagerly looked forward to.

Work is being rushed by Peter Ritchie on the new garage to replace the one burned several weeks ago.

The meeting of the Weesaw-Chickaming Republican Women's Club was held Tuesday at the Billmire home and a very pleasant social time was enjoyed. The next monthly meeting will be held at the Zurlfley home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brodbeck were dinner guests at the Paul Brodbeck home Sunday.

Earl Berry and Paul Broadbeck attended the stock show at Chicago, Friday.

The M. E. Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Brodbeck, all day, Wednesday, Dec. 11.

Mrs. Nina Fischner is at the home of her brother, H. O. Piper, for a vacation while convalescing from her recent illness. After the holidays she plans to return to her school duties at Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sowersby drove to Chicago Sunday and visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. George Daniels is improving in health slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McKeen and daughter, Una, were guests of relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Sherman Penwell, who has been ill several weeks, seems to be improving slowly. Mrs. Jennie English is staying with her for a short time.

Mrs. Lou Barton has moved to Kalamazoo to spend the winter with her son, William.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Swem of Elkhardt, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Fletcher also Mrs. Ada Boyce, a sister from Buchanan.

Stanley Stowe of Chicago, is doing decorating work for his brother, Ralph.

The Topsy Turvy party given at the M. E. Church Thursday evening under the auspices of the Sunday School and Aid Society, was a very enjoyable affair. This is the first of a series to be given once a month if possible. The program in charge of Miss Helen Reed caused much merriment and the unique way of serving refreshments by Mrs. Penland, chairman, caused a good deal of excitement. The receipts of the evening were about \$14.

Mrs. Flora Addison has closed her home for the winter and has gone to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Morley, near Gallien.

A good attendance was present Friday afternoon at the meeting of the Trojan Club at the Boyd home. They welcomed Miss Daisy Moore to their midst again. She has been ill and has been absent for some time. She had charge of the afternoon's program, which was delightfully received. Mrs. Jack Freeman and Mrs. Walter Beitz served refreshments. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. Zurlfley. The roll call will be a gift exchange.

A large number attended the huge chorus by the singers of the county schools who gave a concert in Bridgman Friday evening. There were about 40 from New Troy high school present. It was said the singers occupied a bleacher section along one wall of the room and filled half the main room. The remaining seating capacity was not enough to care for the large crowd which numbered about 300. The lobby was crowded. The music of the orchestras, the numbers by the special glee clubs and the massed chorus were all considered great treats to those present.

Mrs. Michael Ratz was taken to South Bend Friday afternoon to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Guffersunk to remain with her some time for treatments for cancer at the clinic.

Mrs. Flora Addison has been spending some time this week with her sister, Mrs. Sol McKeen.

The Aid Society met at the Piper home Wednesday, Dec. 4th. It was quite well attended and a large amount of work accomplished. Two comforters were finished and several fancy aprons.

John Wood and son, Joe, have rented the Swank building in Gallien and are moving some of their stock of goods there. They expect later to have a salesman at each place.

NOTICE  
Bertrand Township Taxes will be collected as follows: at Dayton, Tuesdays, Dec. 17, 24, 31, 1929 and Jan. 7, 1930; at Niles, Thursdays, Dec. 19, 26, 1929 and Jan. 2, 26, 1930. City National Bank & Trust Co., at Buchanan, Saturdays, Dec. 14, 21, 28, 1929 and Jan. 4, 11, 1930. First National Bank, A. H. Eiselt, Treas., phone Buchanan-7100F11. 4913c.

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Beginning with 1931, the passenger flying the most miles each year, will be presented with a medal by the American Society for the Promotion of Aviation.

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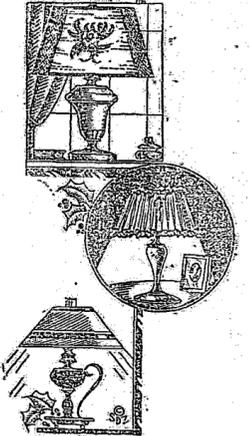
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**FOR SALE**—Neutrodyne 5-tube radio. Cheap. E. F. Mittan, 404 Kynearson St. Phone 246. 451c

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**FOR SALE**—Gas range in good condition. Mrs. Joe Forgue, 116 Charles Court, phone 415. 491c

**FOR SALE**—Male hog, Lester Fore. Phone 7124F15. 491c

**FOR SALE**—3 rocking chairs, sewing table, Florence heater stove, library table, bedroom cabinet, garden plow, 6-tine fork lawn mower, 2 mowing scythes; also house for rent. Mrs. Carrie Cain Platt, 605 S. Oak. 491c

**FOR SALE**—One Duroc Jersey male hog, C. E. Postlewait, Telephone 7107F13. Range Line Road. 491c

**FOR SALE**—Cheap, solid oak dining room table and six chairs all in good condition. Mrs. J. W. Kelley, 113 Maple Court, phone 549R. 491c

**FOR SALE**  
40 acre farm on stone road near Dayton. Good 6-room house, 3 1/2 acres saw timber, 10 apple trees and other fruit. Soil equal to any in Berrien Co. Price \$3,300. Terms. 491c

15 acres on stone road north of town. Good building spot. Price \$750. Terms. 491c  
Building lot in English and Holmes addition, \$150. \$5 down, \$5 per month.  
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**FOR RENT**—Modern home at 107 Charles Court. William Daley. 491c

**FOR RENT**—Mead furnished apartment, steam heated, completely modern, four rooms and bath, large sun porch and ample closet room, two blocks from town. Phone 344 or call at 103 Lake Street. 491c

**FOR RENT**—Apartment furnished for light housekeeping, garage. Mrs. Nan G. Kent, phone 88. 491c

### MISCELLANEOUS

**GLASSES FITTED**—C. L. Stretch at the Cathcart News room every Thursday. No extra charge for house calls. Phone 448. 441c

**SCRATCH PADS**—Assorted sizes at 10 cents per pound. Record Office. 311c

**WANTED**—Energetic man for Buchanan store. \$50 per week to start and substantial profits. \$850 cash deposit required on goods. District Manager of Stores, 118 N. May St., Chicago. 491c

**NOTICE**—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself. Clarence Heas. 491c

**LOST**—About Nov. 1, one wheelbarrow painted dark red. Finder kindly advise M. L. Jenks, 118 W. Fourth Street. 491c

**WANTED TO BUY**—Small farm near Buchanan or South Bend. Must be priced right for cash. Harvey Gilbert, South Bend, Ind. R. R. No. 3. 491c

**CARD OF THANKS**—We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the flowers and acts of kindness shown at the death of my mother, Charles Paterson and children. 491c

**CARD OF THANKS**—We wish to thank all our relatives, friends and neighbors for the help and kindness shown through the death of my wife and our mother, Noland Shank, Leona Lee and family, Cecil Shank and family. 491c

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN, 12th Dec. 26**  
IN SENATE 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 9th day of December A. D. 1929. Present: Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Caroline Bohn, deceased. Marjorie Bohn having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 6th day of January A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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

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

**1st insertion Nov. 28; last Dec. 12**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of St. Joseph in said county, on the 26th day of November A. D. 1929. Present: Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of James Swank, deceased.

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

It is ordered, that creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said probate office on or before the 31st day of March, A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

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

It is ordered, that creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said probate office on or before the 31st day of March, A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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### NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Berrien county, Michigan, will be held in the Friends theatre, city of Buchanan, Mich., at one o'clock p. m. Saturday, Dec. 14th, 1929, for the purpose of the election of a president and a secretary-treasurer for a term of one year each, four directors for a term of three years each, one director for a term of one year to fill vacancy and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated Buchanan, Michigan, Nov. 25th, 1929.  
Oscar E. Swartz, Secy-Treas. 471c

**Dec. 5—Feb 29**  
Notice of Foreclosure and Sale of Mortgaged Premises.

**MORTGAGE SALE**  
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Jay M. Glover (bachelor), mortgagor, to Artie Weaver, mortgagee, dated, June 16th, 1928, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Berrien County,

Michigan, in Liber 157 of mortgages, on page 480, on June 26th, 1928, and the said mortgage being in default in the payment of interest as required by the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the said mortgagee having elected and does hereby declare the principal sum of said mortgage to be due and payable as provided in said mortgage. There is claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of thirteen hundred twenty-three and twenty-one hundredths (\$1323.20) dollars, unpaid principal and interest thereon, and an attorney's fee of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars provided for in said mortgage, and no suit at law or in equity has ever been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1930, at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon, of the 26th day of November A. D. 1929, will sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of St. Joseph, Berrien county, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Berrien is held, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum from this date, and all other legal costs, including the attorney's fee aforesaid. The land and premises to be sold are situated in the township of Buchanan, Berrien County, Michigan, and are described as follows, to wit:

The south thirty acres of the southwest quarter of section seventeen, township seven south, range eighteen west, also a part of the east part of the northwest quarter of section seventeen, township seven south, range eighteen west, described as commencing at the northeast corner of said lot, thence south seventy-two rods; thence west forty-four rods; thence east forty-four rods to the place of beginning containing twenty acres, more or less, excepting therefrom one half acre off from the south side, all in the township of Buchanan, Berrien county, Michigan. Dated December 4th, 1928.  
Artie Weaver, Mortgagee.  
Frank R. Sanders, Attorney for Mortgagee, Business Address, Buchanan, Michigan.

### COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the city council held in the council rooms of the city of Buchanan on Monday evening, Dec. 2nd, 1929 at 7:30 p. m.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Hathaway. Commissioners present, Hathaway, Merson, Leiter, Kelling and Pears.

Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved as read. The chairman of the finance committee read the bills for the month of November, amounting to \$8,748.11.

Moved by Com. Pears, supported by Com. Merson, that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for the several amounts.

Upon roll call the following commissioners voted aye, Hathaway, Kelling, Merson, Leiter and Pears. Nay, none.

The treasurer's report showing a balance on hand of \$19,134.11 was accepted and placed on file.

A petition signed by 20 residents of South Portage Street asking that a street light be placed at the corner of Smith and Portage Streets, was read.

Moved by Com. Kelling, supported by Com. Leiter, that the petition be referred to the park and light committee. Motion carried.

The adjustment of water taxes was next brought before the commission. The committee reported that the Clark Equipment Co. had agreed to pay \$1,300 for 1 year \$800 to be paid now and \$700 in May. The other bills being referred to the city clerk and water works engineer, who were instructed to re-read the meters and to check up as to possible leaks and correctness of the meters.

A bid from W. J. Miller of \$100 for replacing 5 cross walks on Third Street, torn out by the sewer contractor was read.

Moved by Com. Pears, supported by Com. Leiter, that the bid of W. J. Miller for replacing the cross walks torn out by the sewer contractor be accepted. Motion carried.

A petition signed by 125 representative citizens, all users of gas in the city, asking that the Gas Company be compelled to furnish gas according to the rates stipulated in the original franchise, was read.

Moved by Com. Pears, supported by Com. Merson, that the city clerk notify the Michigan Gas and Electric Co., that the city commission has received a representative petition asking that the company adopt the franchised rate. Motion carried.

Upon motion by Com. Merson, supported by Com. Pears, meeting adjourned.

Signed Harry A. Post, Clerk.

### MARVIN MURPHY

Marvin Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Murphy, was born March 16, 1905 at Berrien Center, Mich., and passed away in Pawtucket hospital, Niles, Tuesday, at 1:30 o'clock, Nov. 26th, 1929, at the age of 24 years, 8 months and 10 days.

His entire life has been spent in Berrien and Cass counties, Mich. On April 27, 1925, he was married to Miss Margaret Herman. To this union was born one daughter, Thelma.

Besides his wife and daughter, aged 4 months, he leaves his parents, two brothers, Win of Jackson and Marion of Lansing; and two sisters, Mrs. Leslie Scofield of Dowagiac, Marjorie Murphy of Niles. Also his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Murphy.

Funeral services were held in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Murphy, two miles east of Berrien Springs, Thursday at two o'clock, Nov. 28th, 1929. Rev. Joseph Fox, pastor of the Federated church of Dowagiac, officiating. Burial was made in East Union Cemetery, Berrien township, Mich. Casketbearers were Joe Manning, Lyle Hanover, Hallett Smith, Harry Thompson, Clyde Hennen and Fred Lear.

### MT. TABOR GRANGE CELEBRATES 25TH SHAFER ANNIV.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shafer were guests of honor at the regular meeting of the Mt. Tabor Grange Friday evening, the occasion being the celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary.

Following the business meeting, the session was turned over to a mock wedding ceremony in charge of Master Victor Rufinot as the "preacher." Mr. Rufinot had a marriage ritual of his own vintage pasted between the covers of Hoard's Dairyman. A feature of rare interest was the marriage license, which was designed by a friend of Rufinot, who is a commercial artist in Chicago. The license was adorned by two cupids representing the high contracting parties, one armed with a gun and the other with a rolling pin, eyeing each other in an attitude of belligerent hostility. In the center were a man's and woman's shoes, linked together with a ball and chain.

Mrs. Florine Engleright and Mrs. Minnie Pennell were bridesmaids and John Kinney best man. Mrs. Minnie Hall was the groom's mother and Mrs. Sanford Carpenter, the bride's mother, both dressed as old ladies of the long skirted era and both loud in their grief over the impending event.

The bride wore a long skirt and veil and long cotton gloves in addition to the other necessary incidents of costume. The groom was attired in a tall-plug hat.

The tables were decorated in pink and white and the ceremony was held under a canopy of white trimmed in tinsel, with a wedding bell hung directly over them. A suitable program of music accompanied the mock wedding.

Geo. H. Batchelor, Attorney for Plaintiff, Buchanan, Michigan. Dated Dec. 3rd, 1929.

### Olive Branch

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### Historically Speaking

The first cross-word was invented when the first blind man missed a fly the third time.—Calgary Herald.

### The Wind

The sun makes the wind. Wind is air in motion, and the latter is caused by heated air rising and cold air rushing in to take its place.

### Doing It Is Hardest

It's easy to decide what is fair. The hard part is to do the fair thing if that requires letting the other fellow think he's hooked you.—San Francisco Chronicle.

### Dismissing Worries

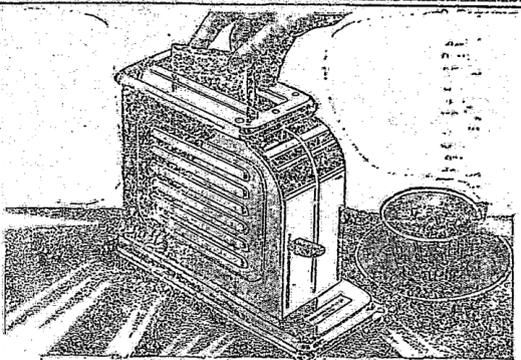
An excellent way to dismiss worries, or to reduce them to their proper proportions, is to concentrate mentally on the things you have to be thankful for. Try it.

### Xmas Gift Suggestions

- Kodaks
- Memory Books
- Candy
- Book-Ends
- Toilet Sets
- Atomizers
- Bill Folders
- Cigars
- Toilet Water
- Perfume
- Stationery
- Cards
- Military Brush Sets
- Pen Sets
- Gift Goods of All Kinds

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Of our dear husband and daddy, John Kneller, who passed away five years ago, Dec. 14, 1924. How sweet to sleep where all is peace. Where all life's idle frobbings cease. Mrs. Erma Kneller and daughter, Betty. 491c



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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christian Science Churches
God the only Cause and Creator
Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon was the following from the Bible: "And He saith unto them, Why are ye fearful, O ye of little faith?" (Matt. 8:26).

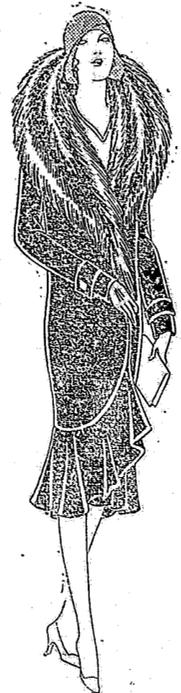
church will be held at the church Jan. 6, 1930. Let every member take note of time and place.
A reception for all members who have been added to the church since Jan. 1, 1929, will be held on Thursday evening, Dec. 19, at the church. Every member of the church should be present.

Sunday evening Leagues at 6 p. m.
Sermon at 7 p. m.
The annual business meeting of the church will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 19.

the Good Fellowship Club, will give Scotch readings. If you have the time, read Burns, Colters, Saturday Night, then come and hear her read it. We believe this will be a most attractive service, we will center our thoughts about our home life and Professor Murdoch will tell us about his home life in Scotland. Do not miss the opportunity of attending this service.

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Social, Organization Activities

Mrs. Belle Welkel Surprised on Birthday
Twenty friends gathered Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Belle Welkel, 506 South Portage Street to surprise her on the occasion of her birthday.
Is Hostess On Birthday
Miss Anita Andrews entertained at a birthday party, Saturday evening, at her home honoring her birthday.
Missionary Society Holds Meeting
The Missionary Society of the Church of Christ met with Mrs. John Luke, Lake Street, Friday evening.
Royal Neighbors Elects Officers
The Royal Neighbor Club met with Mrs. R. F. Hickok, W. Front street, Thursday evening for the annual election of officers.

remembered each one with a gift. After the business meeting, refreshments were served and a general social time enjoyed.
Entertain at Luncheon-Bridge
Mrs. H. B. Thompson and Mrs. A. B. Muir entertained at luncheon-bridge, Wednesday afternoon at the home of the former.

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THE MICROPHONE

News of Buchanan Schools

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

Buccanneers Pushed By Fast Berrien Springs Hoopsters

LOCALS SHOW RAGGED EARLY SEASON FORM

The Locals Lack Scrap and Basket Shooting Ability.

BERRIEN THREATENS Band Discourses Harmony Under Leadership of R. R. Robinson.

Coach Harold Bradford's scrapping "Bucks" possessors of a string of twenty straight victories last season, managed to eke out a 31 to 26 decision over Coach Paul Harvey's Berrien Springs netters here Thursday evening.

The second string five started the game for Buchanan, but when the first quarter was about half over, Coach Bradford injected his first stringers, who fared a little better than their predecessors.

In the last quarter, Harold Pierce, the big Buchanan center, was sent from the game on four personal fouls, William Shultz, of the famous "Ike and Mike" combination, filling the center role.

A very good crowd saw the opening of the 1929-30 season, filling the gym in good style.

Table with columns: Team, FG, FT, P, T, P. Rows include Buchanan, Ellis, Eisenhart, M. Shultz, Densley, Chubb, Pfingst, Pierce, Lawson, Knight, Berrien, Wetzel, Gifford, Graham, Tillstrom, Hoopie.

Referee, Crawford, W. S. T. C. In the preliminary game, the Buchanan horde outclassed the Berrien Reserves, 26 to 16.

NEW TROY SCHOOL NEWS The most interesting item for the New Troy school this week is the faculty play which is to be given in the high school auditorium this week Friday, Dec. 13, at 8 p. m.

The proceeds of the faculty play will be partly spent toward shrubbery for the school yard and the other part is to be spent for a duplicator which is much needed by the school as a whole.

AIRMAIL DISPATCH The total weight of airmail dispatched during August was 701,535 pounds, according to the post office department.

Editorial

At this time of year most students are in need of money for Christmas presents. The only reason for the lack of Christmas money is the lack of foresight on the part of the student who spends all his money.

If you have formed the valuable habit of banking some money every bank day, your school savings account can come to the rescue in times of financial difficulties.

Coach Harold Bradford's scrapping "Bucks" semi-finalists in last year's tourney, will take on the Niles high school quintet at the enemy's ballcourt Friday night.

With but three days of practice, Niles succumbed to the Bridgman five, 22 to 11 last Thursday, although Bridgman is considered rather tough this year.

Coach Davidson used twelve men against Bridgman but could not find an effective combination. Coach Bradford let his veterans, Pfingst, Chubb, Pierce, Lawson and Knight do most of the work against Berrien.

A preliminary between the two second teams will provide the curtain raiser. This game starts at 7:30.

SCHOOL SLANTS

Norman Weldon of South Bend, was the guest of Kathryn Portz over the week end.

The Buchanan basketball squad journeys to Niles this Friday to play the second game in the 1929-30 series of games.

"Harry" Pierce, "Olive" Knight, and Coach Bradford left Sunday morning for Ann Arbor where they attended a meeting of basketball ruling interpretation.

The two competing teams in Shortland, the Workers Make Progress and Speed Demons, have now reached the end of the time limit. It had been decided at the commencement of this contest that it was to continue until 1000 points had been reached.

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B. H. S. WINS FROM CENTERVILLE H. S. IN DEBATE SERIES

FIRST AFFIRMATIVE TEAM IN SOUTHWEST MICHIGAN TO WIN UNANIMOUSLY.

Last Friday night three boys from Buchanan went to Centerville for the second debate of the State debating league. Buchanan lost its first debate of the season to the strong Dowagiac team.

The decision Friday night was Buchanan's first victory in debating for a period of 2 years. All credit for this victory is due to the splendid showing made by the Buchanan team, composed of Arthur Anderson, Maynard Post and Richard Zerbe.

The judges for the occasion were Supt. Thomas of Schoolcraft, and Messrs Morey and Meyers of Three Rivers.

This is the last debate for Buchanan on the affirmative side of the question. It is also well to note here that Buchanan is the only team within a radius of 100 miles that has been able to score such a decisive victory on the affirmative side of the question.

From now on Buchanan must uphold the negative side of this question. For this reason we have been allotted until Jan. 10, 1930 to prepare our negative case.

Planning original compositions has been the work of the ninth year English classes the past week. Special emphasis has been laid on the three fundamental laws of composition building; unity, coherence and emphasis, and outlines on various subjects have been constructed.

The third test in the exercise series was given on Friday. This was over apostrophes, commas, periods, and capital letters, as well as recognition of sentence subjects. Very good results have been obtained in the use of these new books.

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Joseph Aspdin, an English stone mason, is said to have invented Portland cement 100 years ago.

Grade News

3rd grade—Mrs. French Lawrence Dellinger entered our grade Thursday making our enrollment 31.

The following people received 100 in the spelling test Friday: Shirley Bauch, Alta Ferris, Carlton Pletcher, Pauline Decker, Katherine Mosier, Dale Simpson, Mildred Ferris, Ruth Wales, Audrey Ruth, Lawrence Dellinger and Tommy Fish.

We made Health Posters this week using cut out milk bottles and fruit for them.

We are busy making Christmas decorations for our room, posters, sprays of holly and poinsettias.

Some very good cartoons have been made by the eighth grade, illustrating the Embargo Act and the Monroe Doctrine.

SOPHOMORES AND SENIORS VICTORS INTER CLASS GAMES

Three games opened the inter class league Thursday. This year there are two loops, a first team and a second team league.

Two second team games were held Thursday, the strong Senior aggregation downing the Juniors, 15 to 6, while the Sophs vanquished the Frosh, 10 to 6.

Lineups: Sophomores Babcock, R. F. 0 0 0 0 Young, L. F. 0 0 0 0 Montgomery, C. 4 0 0 1 Kolhoff, L. G. 0 0 0 1 Marris, R. G. 1 1 1 1

Juniors Ryan, R. F. 2 0 0 3 Boyce, L. F. 0 0 0 0 Kehl, C. 1 0 0 1 Postlewaite, L. G. 0 1 0 2 Richter, R. G. 0 1 0 0

Seniors Barbour, R. F. 1 0 0 2 Kandrup, L. F. 0 0 0 3 Zerbe, C. 4 0 0 1 Zachman, L. G. 2 0 0 1 Anderson, R. G. 0 0 0 3 Squier, R. G. 0 0 0 3

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More than 100,000 people in Austria are receiving unemployment aid.

Membership of trade unions in Great Britain and Northern Ireland decreased by 119,000 in the last year.

Evangelists Entertain at the H. S. Assembly

Just a small "sample of the cake," an extract from the Historic Pageant, was given in General Assembly Friday morning.

Another feature of the program was musical numbers by Mr. and Mrs. Reep, evangelists at the Evangelical church.

DANCING GRID STAR

net duet, "Whispering Hope." Mr. Reep sang, "Open the Gates of the Temple," accompanied by Mrs. Reep on the piano.



William A. Glasgow, football star of the University of Iowa, who leads the Hawkeyes in what may be their last season in the Big Ten conference.

Advertisement for B.R. Desenberg & Bro. featuring various clothing items like suits, overcoats, neck wear, scarfs, robes, pajamas, shoes, gloves, sweaters, and shirts. Includes illustrations of each item and descriptive text.

Berrien County Record

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Savings For the first time in 20 years savings accounts decreased during the year ending with June, the savings bank division of the American Bankers' Association has just reported. The decline in the combined savings accounts in all the banks of the United States from the previous June was \$195,000,000. The number of depositors of savings accounts also fell off during the year by 524,000.

All that lay behind this phenomenon is not clear, but one of the factors was the temptation to share in the growing speculation in stocks. Many people without experience or knowledge about stocks withdrew funds from their hard-earned savings accounts under the spell of apparently easy money to be made in stocks. In view of what has happened in the last month, hundreds of them probably are sadder and wiser. Since the total decline in savings accounts amounted to only about \$2 per individual account it is nothing to be concerned about. The next report, it is safe to predict, will see an increase in both the total deposits and the number of accounts.

Keeping Faith. The lawyer, the doctor, the priest, and the gentleman hold confidence to be a sacred thing. The secrets of the confessional, of professional trust and chivalric relationship, are held to be inviolate by the four great groups here indicated.

It is, perhaps, in this realization that Sen. Arthur Capper, himself a newspaper man, has introduced his bill exempting newspaper men from disclosing the source of confidential information before any court or committee of Congress. The newspaper man must keep faith; it is a cardinal principle of his profession. This is the only way to keep the public from guessing in a Washington jail for contempt of court. They preferred imprisonment to disclosing information received by them in confidence. They were true to their culture to the loftiest of moral conditions.

If this confidence, encouraged and held to be inviolate by newspaper men, were to be considered as a thing of indifference by courts and parliaments, society would suffer or the ministers of news would incontinently accept the penalties imposed by a perverted appreciation of moral responsibility. Let it become generally known that a newsman's confidence was but a thing of rags and tatters, so to speak, and the volume of the world's news would shrink to negligible proportions; even the law and its ministrants and administrators would find themselves as a blind mule in a stable full of oats.

Farmer Into Business Man. Sundry pet notions of the sociologists, by no means confined to amateur thinkers, are strongly traversed by Prof. Walter Burr of the University of Missouri in his new volume, "Small Towns." The author has his own opinions about the celebrated drift from farm to city, its precise character and its national significance. He is vigorous in paying his respects to the widely accepted belief that the migrants from the farm are invariably the most gifted and ambitious elements in the rural community. This is a doctrine peculiarly precious to our newer literature and drama. All that is alive and aflame on the farm sooner or later escapes to the city. All that is sodden remains. From this point of view America's agricultural population, by a process of reverse selection, is steadily deteriorating in quality. If it is at the same time shrinking quantitatively, it would therefore be a real blessing.

Prof. Burr agrees that the decline in farm population is a good thing, but from quite a different premise. The best young men are not the only ones to leave the farm. With them have gone many of the worst. Along with the ambitious country lads who have set out for New York and Chicago have gone many who are forced out by lack of employment.

Once it is established that the exodus to the city is not always a drain but often a good riddance, it is plain why our author is complacent about the process. He suggests a slogan, "Fewer and better farm people." This position is based only in part on the fact, by this time getting itself widely recognized, that with improved farming methods a nation can be fed by fewer farmers. Improved methods and machines call for the exercise of higher talents than were needed under a more primitive agricultural economy. They also call for more capital.

Farming is taking on more and more the character of a business. As such it makes its appeal to the young. Men have been known to come back from college and join dad in running "the business" of the farm.

Tolerance Catholic, Protestant and Jew joined the other day at Harvard in a two-day discussion of religious intolerance and its political, social and economic consequences. Leading men and women from the social, professional, business and religious life of Boston took part in the round table. The purpose of the discussions was to clear up some of the misunderstandings arising from intolerance and bigotry and to sense the potential dangers therein. Prejudice feeds on a belief in counter-

prejudice," President Lowell of Harvard told the conference. "Does loyalty to a nation or a church imply ill will to a rival, if that trait cannot be changed our civilization cannot progress to a better stage. If this is true that loyalty must be accomplished by hostility to those trying to get on in the same way, then man moves in a dismal circle."

A Jewish rabbi pointed out that all men live and die the same way, have largely the same interests, desires and hopes, share the same virtues and shortcomings, and are at last laid away in the same earth. What is needed, a Catholic priest told the conferees, "was the filter of charity and love of God that they might see each other in their true light."

No one man or group of men has a monopoly on the divine truth. In their zeal for their own beliefs, many forget that the Constitution guaranteed freedom of worship to all men. In a nation as cosmopolitan as this all men cannot think alike. It is vital to its welfare, therefore, that there shall be respect for the convictions of others, belief in their sincerity and mutual good will. A religion which feeds on hatred and suspicion is after all, a pretty poor religion.

Christmas Savings Accounts. Holiday trade will not fail to feel the quickening influence of the Christmas savings bank accounts that will be distributed shortly. In the nation there are about 8,000 banks where these accounts are accumulated during the year and distributed just preceding Christmas, most of them shortly after Dec. 1. These banks will distribute to their savings customers a total of \$18,925,000, and a large part of it will be taken out and distributed as the Christmas shopping is done.

Some millions of depositors will share in the distribution and in the spending tours that will follow receipt of the checks. So vast has this movement been developed that the largest department stores in the important cities are deeply interested in the distribution and employ much ingenuity in making their appeals to the thrifty savers who have accumulated the funds. Banks are active in promoting the accounts, give constant encouragement during the year to the depositors and find the work productive of many good results. While a large part of the deposits go for holiday shopping there are many who invest their savings or a part of it, and the number of investment depositors is said to show growth each year.

The coming distribution provides pleasure for the merchants and insures a lively shopping campaign by those who are thrifty and have made that measure of preparedness for the holidays.

Many Careless Hunters. Each year, when the hunting season arrives, many people wholly untrained in the use of firearms rush to the fields and woods in search of wild game. These inexperienced men are unfamiliar with the dangers they help create. They shoot wildly, without reference to direction or the presence of others in the range of fire. Each year the result is the same, many killed, a greater number wounded, and not much game brought in.

Many warnings have been uttered against the danger of pulling a gun through a fence or hedge, yet each year men are killed by their own guns handed in that careless fashion. These untrained hunters carry the gun with the muzzle pointed towards others. The careful hunter, knowing the hazards of hunting, keeps the muzzle of his gun toward the ground or the air. In case of accidental discharge there is the minimum of danger. Guns are powerful weapons, fashioned to kill, the heavy loads do kill, game or man, as the case may be. In frontier days each boy was taken to the fields and woods under the direction of a careful man, was trained in safety, was told that any man blamable in a fatal accident would lose his reputation as a hunter. Hunting, as it was known in frontier days, is a lost art. Real hunters go to distant places for real trips after game. The hunting done at home today is limited to a little duck shooting, a few days with the rabbits or squirrels. The fancy hunting the quail hunter knew is missing. Many amateurs are in the hunting squads today, and that accounts for the deaths and injuries.

The eminent syndicated medical scientists are now engaged in brightening the general outlook for the winter by pointing out that this holiday season is attended by the gravest dangers to health by reason of the unusual consumption of food, even endangering life itself, one of them bearing down particularly hard on the extreme likelihood of our acquiring a tape worm.

The only reason we'd like to be what is called a human dynamo is that then we might be able to get up enough power to get away from the man who is one when we see him coming.

Worry is absolutely fatal to beauty, declares an eminent authority on the subject in hand, apparently never having noticed a pretty girl with a run coming in her stocking.

"Another economic situation that worries a middle-aged man a great deal, as he compares our modern girls with his memories, is the probable condition of the starch industry.

Helen Wills, bless her heart, impresses us as a young woman, who, when licked in the doubles, would not say anything about how her partner played.

Post Office Dept. Announce Xmas Postal Regulations

The United States post office department gives this advice: "Mail early for delivery before Christmas Day, on which there will be no mail delivery."

The department, which is always overworked at the holiday time has issued some special instructions that the patrons are asked to follow.

All articles must be securely wrapped or packed. Use strong paper and heavy twine.

Fragile objects—Articles easily broken or crushed must be crated or securely wrapped. Use liberal quantities of excelsior, or like material in around and between the articles and the outside container.

Glassware, fragile toys, crockery must be packed so as to prevent the escape of particles or pieces if broken in transit.

Cigars—Ordinary boxes of cigars wrapped in paper only will not be accepted. Pack in a manner to prevent damage by shock or jar. Wrap in corrugated pasteboard or similar material. All articles easily broken or damaged must be plainly marked "Fragile".

Perishable matter—Articles likely to spoil within the time reasonably required for transportation and delivery will not be accepted for mailing. Wrap or pack carefully according to contents and plainly mark as such parcels "Perishable." Use special delivery stamps to expedite delivery.

Addresses—Addresses should be complete, with house number and name of street, postoffice or rural route number, and typed or plainly written in ink. A return card should be placed in the upper left corner on every piece of mail. If a tag is used that address and return card should also be written on the wrapper for use if the tag is lost, and a copy of the address should be inclosed inside the parcel.

Postage—Postage must be fully prepaid on all mail. Affix the required amount of postage in the upper right corner. Full information concerning postage rates can be obtained at the parcel post or stamp window.

Limit of weight and size—No parcel may be more than 36 inches in length and girth combined. For delivery locally and in the first, second and third zones, 70 pounds is the maximum weight, in all other zones, 50 pounds.

Early Mailing—During the holiday time the volume of mail increases approximately 200 per cent. It is a physical impossibility to handle this great mass of mail matter efficiently unless it is promptly mailed within a few days. Therefore to assure delivery of their Christmas presents, cards, and letters by Christmas Day the public should Shop and Mail Early. Do your Christmas shopping so that you can mail your gifts and greetings to relatives and friends, at least a week or 10 days before Christmas, according to the distance. This will not only make certain that they are received on or before Christmas Day, but will be a great aid to your postal service and enable them to spend Christmas Day with their families.

Christmas Cards—Patrons sending a quantity of Christmas cards, say 10 or more, should prepare and mail them two or three weeks in advance, as millions are mailed and they can not possibly be handled and delivered if mailed only two or three days before Christmas.

Christmas cards and gifts addressed to points within one day's travel should be mailed in no event later than Dec. 20; within two days travel, not later than Dec. 18; within three days' travel, not later than Dec. 16; for more distant points, not later than Dec. 14. Parcels and cards for local delivery should be mailed not later than Dec. 21. Parcels and envelopes may be indorsed, "Please do not open until Christmas."

Special Delivery Service—The use of a Special Delivery stamp will assure delivery on Christmas Day, if mailed at the proper time. Special Delivery service means the handling and transportation of parcels with the same expedition as first class better mail, as well as the immediate delivery at office of address. It is obtained by affixing a special delivery stamp of the proper denomination or its equivalent in ordinary stamps, in addition to the regular postage. When ordinary stamps are used, the words "Special Delivery" must

Service—Domestic third and fourth class matter may be sent C. O. D. from one money order post office to another. Sealed domestic mail of any class prepaid at first class rate of postage may also be sent C. O. D. either as registered or unregistered mail.

Fees for all unregistered C. O. D. mail (in addition to regular postage) 12 cents, when amount to be collected does not exceed \$10; 15 cents when the amount does not exceed \$50 and 25 cents when the amount does not exceed \$100. The C. O. D. fee also covers insurance for actual value against loss or damage up to \$10 for a 12 cent fee; up to \$50 for a 15 cent fee; and \$100 for a 25 cent fee. Consult postmaster as to fees for registered C. O. D. mail.

Parcels for Foreign Countries—Parcels of mailable merchandise may be sent (subject to certain limitations and conditions) by international parcel post to all foreign countries except Tristan Da Cunha. Foreign parcel post packages should be mailed at the main office or large classified stations.

Insure or Register Valuable Mail—All valuable domestic third and fourth class mail should be insured. Insurance fees: Value not exceeding \$5, 5 cents; not exceeding \$25, 8 cents; not exceeding \$50, 10 cents; not exceeding \$100, 25 cents.

Coin, currency, jewelry, and articles of similar value should be sent as sealed first class registered mail.

Domestic Collect on Delivery

Nine hours' sleep, four hours off duty every day and special inspections for food and sleeping accommodations will be compulsory for German domestic servants if a bill to go before the German parliament becomes law.

Columbia has engaged a Frenchman to head its aviation school near Bogota.

In a recent month Venezuela produced nearly 12,000 barrels of petroleum.

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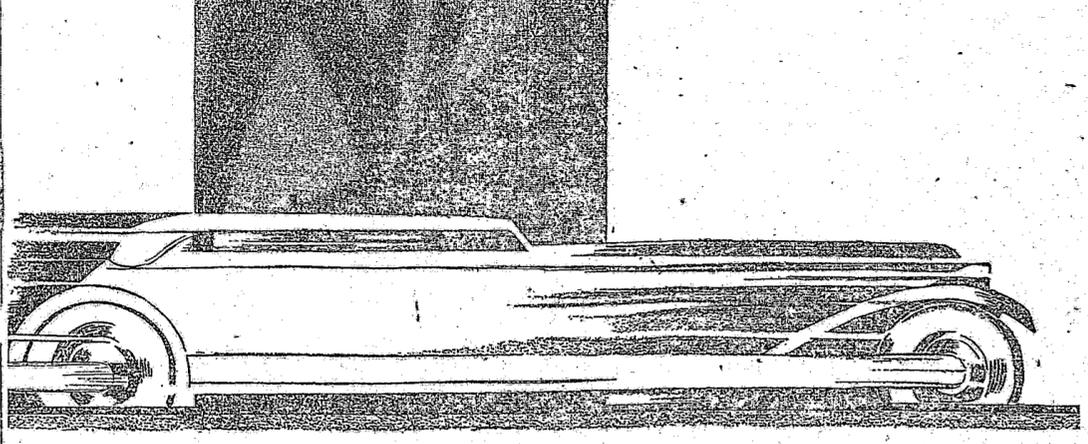
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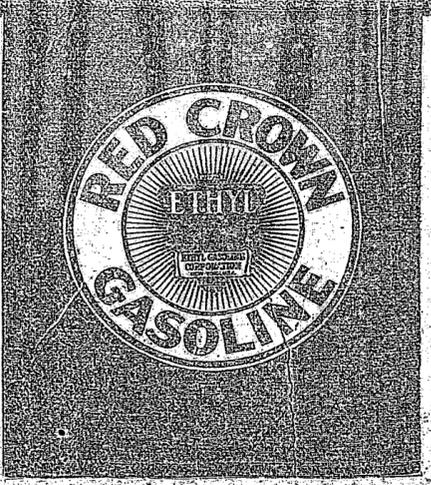
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# Berrien County News in Brief

## DRIVER KILLED WHEN TROLLEY STRIKES TRUCK

COLLISION WITH INTERURBAN ON U. S. 31 COSTS LIFE FRANK ALLEN

Frank C. Allen, driver of a South Bend bakery truck was fatally hurt Saturday morning when his truck was struck and demolished by a south bound interurban car at the Riverbluff crossing on U. S. 31 just north of Niles.

Motorman S. D. Wooley of Niles, who was in charge of the interurban, stated that he was approaching the crossing at 35 miles an hour, when he saw the truck coming at a high rate of speed. When he saw a collision was imminent he applied the car air brakes, but too late, and the front trolley struck the front end of the big truck, tearing it to pieces and turning the truck over. A door was wrenched from the truck and Allen was thrown clear. He was found afterward lying unconscious on the ground.

The impact tore the front of the interurban vestibule off and Motorman Wooley was pinned to his seat by the shaft of the hand brake wheel. Conductor A. C. Frame of St. Joseph was hurled to the floor but was able to get up again and calm the 20 passengers, none of whom were injured beyond slight bruises. The car was derailed and jolted down the ties 300 feet before it stopped, the emergency air brake having been severed in the collision.

## Niles Boys Go To County Seat For Joy Riding

Three Niles boys were called to appear before the circuit court at St. Joseph Friday to answer to the charge of "borrowing" automobiles without the consent of the owners for joy riding purposes. They were taken to the county seat by Deputy Sheriff C. S. Overcash and arraigned by county prosecuting attorney Wilbur Cunningham.

## Berrien Sps. Man Commits Suicide

J. Frank Slater, 73, resident of the Berrien Springs district for 53 years, committed suicide Wednesday morning of last week by shooting himself in the head with a revolver at his home on Edward Street where he had lived with his daughter. His wife died on March 23, 1929, and ill health added to his despondency over her loss.

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Phillips: I've just set a trap for my wife.  
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## "KID'S"



## Auto Fatalities On the Increase in Berrien County

Berrien County climbed from twelfth to tenth place among the counties of Michigan in number of deaths from automobile accidents, with 27 fatalities from that cause during the first ten months of 1929 as compared with 22 during the first ten months of 1928. Fatalities in the state increased from 1060 in the first ten months of 1928 to 1245 in the first 10 months of 1929.

The figures in detail for counties having more than 14 fatalities are:

County	1st 10 months 1929	1928	In. De.
Wayne	441	369	72
Oakland	74	56	18
Genesee	54	49	5
Kent	51	53	2
Monroe	50	24	26
Washtenaw	43	36	7
Ingham	37	34	3
Macomb	37	28	9
Baginaw	27	24	3
Berrien	27	22	5
Kalamazoo	26	30	4
Calhoun	25	33	8
Bay	24	11	13
St. Clair	21	15	6
Total	1245	1060	185
Total in 1929	1060		
Increase	185		

In the last years Hunstanton, England, which has hundreds of thousands of visitors and heavy motor traffic, has had only one street accident where medical attention was needed, and no street fatalities.

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## 11 Hunters Killed in North Woods In Deer Season

Carelessness with guns caused seven deaths during Michigan's 1929 deer season.

There were eleven fatalities in the northern woods during the recent deer hunting season, according to reports received by the Department of Conservation.

Seven were killed in the upper peninsula and four in the lower

peninsula of the state. Twenty-three men were injured in one way or another during the deer season, the reports show. Six were wounded when they were mistaken for deer in the woods; three were struck by stray bullets. One man was injured when a bullet aimed at a rabbit struck a tree and glanced back and struck him. One hunter lost an eye when a deer ran from the woods and plunged his head thru the window beside the hunter who was driving a car. One of the buck's prongs struck the driver in

the left eye. A southern Michigan hunter was severely burned when his tent caught fire. Another hunter was injured when he was mistaken for a rabbit. He was shot in the leg. The toll of hunting accidents in Michigan since Sept. 1, is now 26 dead and 38 injured. Before the deer season opened 14 had been killed, most of them in duck hunting accidents. During the deer

season there was one fatality among rabbit hunters, a gun accidentally exploding as two rabbit hunters were in their home preparing their guns for hunting. The Department of Conservation is now compiling detailed data concerning each hunting accident in an attempt to find fundamental causes.

According to the laws of France the municipalities have the right to grant to a French undertaking establishment the exclusive privilege to supervise all funeral services.

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# SPORT NEWS

## 3 Oaks All Stars Play Gilbert Five Saturday Evening

The Three Oaks All Stars won their first conference game last Saturday night, defeating the Gary Lo X team 39-18. The former Three Oaks high school stars, Beckathorne, Alcorn, and Johnson, of Benton Harbor, and Johnson, of Three Oaks, furnish the Featherbone aggregation a formidable lineup, and when the rough edges are polished off, the quartet should be able to remain near the top of the Northern Indiana association with which they play. Next Saturday night, the All Stars will play the Gilberts of South Bend. Last year the Gilberts defeated Three Oaks 28-25. The result Saturday will indicate the scoring power of the team this season.

## Clark League Standings

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.
Foundry	17	10	.630
Axle	17	10	.630
Heavies	15	12	.556
Office	14	13	.519
Drill Shop	14	13	.519
Berrien Springs	11	13	.458
Drill Tool Room	10	14	.417
Axle Tool Room	7	20	.259

## Heavies

1st	2nd	3rd	Tot	
Manning	142	129	113	384
Menzel	115	116	119	350
Merrifield	103	157	126	386
Hanover	200	185	109	444
Hickey	106	191	144	441

## Foundry

Herb	172	151	150	473
Upham	122	152	131	405
Boone	206	123	127	456
White	145	186	149	480
Bauch	175	155	107	437

## Axle

D. Chubb	131	122	138	451
Rastetter	137	122	137	396
Chain	159	107	142	408
Fisher	134	148	155	437
Merson	134	148	161	443

## Berrien Springs

R. Lapsley	104	89	118	311
McIntosh	97	113	136	346
Edwards	102	91	94	287
Burks	154	103	120	377
Low Score	131	132	143	

## Drill Shop

Ellis	197	175	150	522
Treat	149	134	172	455
Simpson	143	159	131	433
Rouse	163	134	139	441
Voorhees	197	176	172	545

## Alcohol Plays Part of Water Detective

Alcohol is now acting the part of a detective in a method which was perfected by members of the soils department at Michigan State College to determine the amount of moisture in a soil. Old methods of measuring the quantity of water in the soil required that the soil be taken to a laboratory and dried in an oven for 24 hours. The new method permits the investigator to tell in five minutes in the field how much water the soil contains. No matter how fat the soil is, plants cannot grow unless there is water present in the soil to allow the plant food to go into solution. Soil can be taken up by the plant. Clay should contain 35 per cent moisture, sand should have 12 per cent, and loam soils need 20 per cent of water to enable plants to make rapid growth. Soils which are low in water can be improved by an application of organic matter, or the soils can be filled by methods which build dust mulches on the surface. Organic matter increases the soil's water holding capacity and a dust mulch decreases the amount of water evaporated from the soil. Soil bacteria, especially those which fix nitrogen in the soil, multiply most rapidly in moist soils.

## Saginaw Farmers Pooling to Sell Surplus Herd Bulls

Dairy farmers who belong to the Saginaw Valley Dairy Herd Improvement Association have found that the pooling of interests pays in selling surplus bull calves as well as interesting their herds for production. Ten bull calves were sold for an average price of \$100 at a consignment sale held at Hemlock. The records of the dams of these bulls had been determined by the testing work and each buyer of a calf knew just what he was purchasing. Buyers from five nearby communities attended the sale. Top price in the sale was obtained for a calf, consignment by A. C. Tesson, Hemlock, and sold to John Young, Reese. The value of bull club work which enables the owner to determine the worth of a herd sire before he is sold to the butcher was shown in this sale where eight of the ten calves were sons of one excellent sire. The top price calf was one of the eight and his dam had a production record of 999.49 pounds of butterfat in one year. A member of the bull club, William Watson, Hemlock, acted as sales manager. A. B. Love, Saginaw county Agricultural Agent, and J. G. Hayes, East Lansing, Holstein-Friesian fieldman, assisted with the sale.

Office	142	134	180	456
Stevens	154	154		308
Deming	179	149	170	498
Graham	171	165	124	460
Vanderberg	135		162	297
Lyon	193	139	332	

## Drill Pool Room

Bowering	137	150	130	417
Leavey	119	176	172	467
Matthews	79	88	131	298
I. Dalrymple	158	175	132	465

## City League Standings

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.
Thanning Tire Shop	15	9	.625
Three Oaks	16	11	.593
Jewel Wreath	13	11	.542
Recreation Club	13	11	.542
Evans' Cigar Store	12	12	.500
City Bakery	13	14	.481
Electric Shop	12	15	.444
Buick	5	10	.333

## Jewel Wreath

Myers	108	145	162	415
Baker	102	126	105	333
LeCave	115	148	182	445
Hansen	148	153	125	426
D. Chubb	196	137	121	504

## Three Oaks

Beneks	231	167	173	571
Vollman	125	173	171	469
Paddock	151	166	184	501
Lange	213	124	185	522
Edinger	174	178	192	544

## Thanning's Tire Shop

Fisher	161	205	144	510
C. Thanning	170	176	146	492
O. Swartz	183	145	125	453
W. Thanning	144	137	113	394
Beardsley	168	166	155	489

## City Bakery

Beck	126	146	176	448
Ritter	133	163	186	482
Treat	127	164	157	448
Diment	122	153	110	385
Rouse	204	208	119	529

## Electric Shop

Dilley	171	142	145	458
Smith	153	123	139	415
Merson	157	148	155	455
McCracken	135	152	146	433
Landis	171	148	158	477

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## World's Fastest Bird

The fastest known bird is the spine-tailed swift, which reaches the speed of 220 miles an hour over the mountains of Asia; the tarpon of Florida, the fastest fish, can cover 80 miles in an hour.

## Real and Personal

The difference between "real" and "personal" estate is that the former consists of real estate, houses and land; the latter consists of leasehold property, money, furniture, and so on.

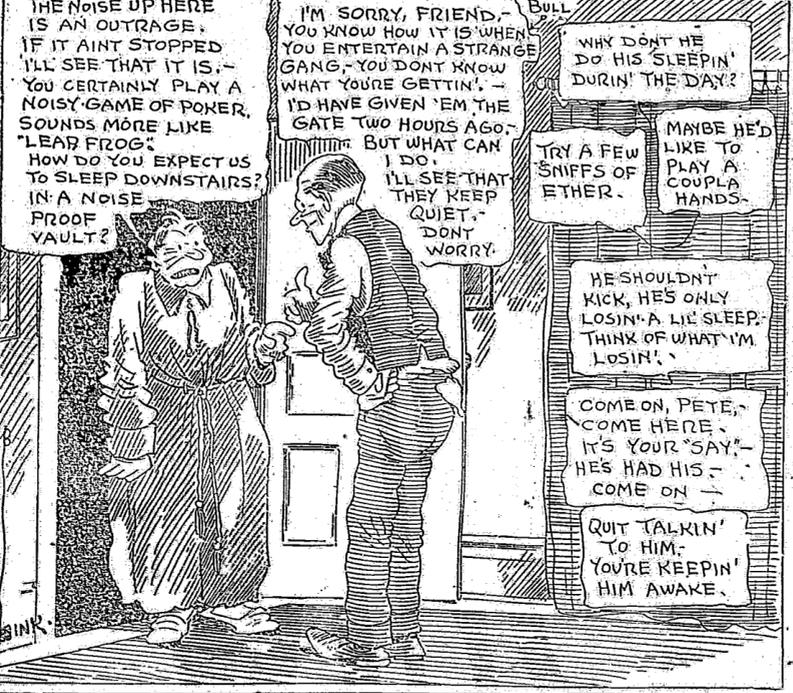
## Troubles of a Philosopher

There are so many things I wish to do, so few I am able to do. And the selections I make to work are not very satisfactory.—Ed Howe's Monthly.

## School nurse says all girls should know this

TALKING to a roomful of high school girls on personal hygiene, an experienced district nurse said: "One of the basic rules of health for girls is to keep the system functioning naturally at all times. Normal exercise and diet habits should be encouraged. But when necessary there's no harm in taking nujol, since it works mechanically and can't disturb the normal functions of any organ of the body. Particularly with girls, there are times when nujol should always be taken. Take a spoonful at every night for a few days. It's a thoroughly safe and harmless method. It won't cause distress or gas pains or griping. Nujol is different from any other substance. It contains no drugs or medicine. It can be taken safely no matter how you are feeling because it is so pure and harmless, and works so easily. Every woman should keep a bottle on hand. Every druggist has this remarkable substance. Get the genuine."

## "THAT LITTLE GAME" - The Man Lower Down



## DETROIT TO BUILD 26 MI. SPEEDWAY OVER R. R. TRACK

40 FEET WIDE, ACCOMMODATING 4 LINES TRAFFIC; TO BE TOLL ROAD.

The proposed motor speedway over the Grand Trunk Detroit Pontiac right of way will be the first of its kind in this country. The only other place in the world where there is a motor speedway over railroad lines is at Lake Como, Italy, where there are 18 miles of speedway over railroad lines. The development will be 26 miles long when completed.

Joseph A. Bower, of New York, who has just completed construction of the Ambassador bridge, will build the speedway. The McClintic-Marshall Company, contractors on the bridge, have been taking figures on the speedway for some time.

The speedway will be a toll road with motorists paying a charge to be decided upon later. It will be divided into zones and the charge for its use will be based on the number of zones traversed. It will be constructed on the columns carrying the overhead wires of the electrified system. The surface will be asphalted and will be 40 feet wide with guard walls and lights on the sides.

Four streams of traffic are provided for in the present speedway plans, the inner line in each direction being for high speed, while

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