

CITY WILL GET FALL TAX CUT

Buchanan Assessed Valuations Reduced \$53,000 By County Board

2.60 TWP. AND HIGHWAY TAX TO BE DROPPED

City 3 Mill Tax Cut Offset by 30 Per Cent Increase in Valuation.

EXTRA SEWER TAX LEVY

May Be Refunded to Property Owners at Settlement of City Suit.

City taxpayers who are confronted with the apparent discrepancy of a July tax charge approximately equivalent to that of last year in the face of an announced lowering of 2.6 mills will be made in use fall tax levy due to the separation of township from city and the consequent liberation of town taxpayers from the township and highway improvement levies.

The reduction of the city summer tax levy from 14 to 11 mills, representing a cut of approximately 3 per cent, is an apparent rather than a real reduction as it is offset by an increase of about 30 per cent in assessments. This increase is due to the fact that the old separate town assessment has been dropped and the city now has the same assessment as is used for state and county purposes. Formerly the town assessed property on a basis of approximately 50 per cent of real value. The charter adopted on the change from village to city form of government requires that only one property valuation be used for all tax purposes. This required the levy of city taxes on the county and state assessment which is about 68 per cent of real value. The real benefit to the city taxpayer of the separation from the township will be realized for the first time next fall when the levies approximating 2.6 mills for township and highway improvement will be dropped.

An item in the tax this summer is an additional charge spread over the entire city for the extra expense above the contract price on the Third and Portage Street sewers. Part of this may be refunded to the taxpayers when the suit brought by the city against the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland is settled.

Cecilia Eisenhart Guest of Ludington C. C. Over July 4th

Miss Cecilia Eisenhart left this week for Chicago, where she will join Miss Janette Barrington and the two will go by boat to Ludington, where they will be guests of the Chamber of Commerce of that city at a July 4th celebration. The two girls were associated in the Blossom Week Court of Honor, in which Miss Eisenhart was a queen and her companion was Miss Ludington.

John Morris Host At Dinner on 82nd Birthday, June 30

John Morris, Buchanan pioneer industrial builder, celebrated his 82nd birthday at his home Monday, June 30, with a dinner at which his son, Oscar Morris, and wife, and his brother, Jim Morris, were guests. Mr. Morris is credited by the older residents with being very largely responsible for present day industrial developments in Buchanan inasmuch as it was through his persistent negotiations that the Clark Equipment company became interested in locating in Buchanan. The community trusts that Mr. Morris may enjoy many more birthdays.

Margaret Voorhees Died Monday at Lodge Institution

Mrs. Margaret Voorhees, 75, died early Monday at the state I. O. O. F. home at Jackson. Mrs. Voorhees formerly lived in Buchanan and was a member of the Bayleaf Rebekah Lodge. Last February she was taken to the Jackson home by the lodge, when she had become too feeble to live alone here longer. She is survived by two sons, Clinton and Clyde of Dowagiac; by one daughter, Mrs. Carrie Martin of Savannah, Ga.



T. Donald Robinson, millionaire sailor, who attended admirals of the navy by hiring expensive suites while on shore leave and by "throwing" large parties. Robinson is shortly to become a midshipman and will sail for Germany on one of Uncle Sam's battleships. He is the son of Henry M. Robinson, one of the largest wholesale florists in the country. He joined the service in 1926 for the training and the benefits to his health he would receive.

Dr. Sargent Sells Dental Equipment To Dr. C. Kiehn

Dr. W. E. Sargent has sold his dental office equipment here to Dr. Clifford Kiehn, and has completed arrangements to open an office at 910 Hanselman Bldg., at Kalamazoo, making the change either during the second week in July or the first week in August. He will leave his family here until the beginning of the school year. He has completed 17 years of professional work in Buchanan and has made very many friends here. Dr. Kiehn comes here from the University of Michigan where he received his degree this year. He is schooled in the most recent developments in surgical science. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kiehn, 105 Lake Street.

Crystal Palace Blues and S. B. Mirrors Tie 1-1

The game between the Crystal Palace Blues and the South Bend Mirrors was called at the end of the third inning Sunday with the teams tied 1-1. Rudy Weber pitching for the Blues was in good form and the game promised to be good when called on July 4, the Blues will be hosts to the Knights of Columbus of Kalamazoo.

Leader Sabbath Crusade Speaks At Evan Church

Rev. M. Wayne Womer, general secretary of the Michigan Lord's Day Alliance, will speak in the Evangelical church Sunday, July 6 at 11 a. m. Rev. Womer is a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church and is under special appointment from the New York area. He has spent a number of years in traveling and research work in connection with the Sunday problem. A few years ago he made a survey around the world investigating Sunday conditions. He is the founder and editor of the Michigan Lord's Day Leader. He will speak upon the subject, "Keeping the Sun in Sunday."

When July 2 Came Near Being the Last of August

August Verleys of Mishawaka and Miss Augusta Mell of South Bend were injured, the former seriously, when they failed to negotiate the turn when entering west Front Street from the north en route home from Clear Lake about midnight, the car leaving the road and crashing into a large maple tree located in the triangle formed by the road intersection there. The car was reduced to a tangle of wreckage. Verleys incurred a double fracture of the left hip and painful head and body lacerations. Miss Mell escaped with only face lacerations.

INTER-CITY HOME COMING PICNIC HELD

200 Guests From Chicago and Other Cities Gathered.

WEATHER IS PERFECT

A representation of Buchanan's "foreign legion" from Chicago, South Bend and points as far afield as Florida and Texas, including some of the city's most distinguished ex-residents, gathered Saturday evening at the high school grounds and brushed up old friendships in the second annual summer picnic of the Chicago-Buchanan Society. The total attendance which was seated at the bountifully spread tables at 6:30 p. m. was estimated at about 200. The supper was a co-operative affair, and to all appearances the guests had co-operated very well, as a very fine meal was enjoyed. General appointments had been well taken care of by Mrs. Mae Whitman and her staff of assistants, Mrs. Ted Rouse and Mrs. Nellie Boone were responsible for the excellent coffee served all the guests, and Mrs. Joe Richards any took care of the table decorations. Rev. Staver was in charge of provision of tables.

At the conclusion of the supper the guests were summoned to the auditorium where an excellent program was held with Mrs. Nellie Boone as chairman. After community singing led by Dr. Claude Roe, Mayor Matt J. Kelling addressed the guests in welcome as follows: "It is an honor and great pleasure to me to welcome each and every person who has assembled here today to renew old friendships, make new friends and pay their respects to good old Buchanan. I trust that the memory of this home coming in the junior city of Michigan, will be most pleasant and that we may see you all again next year. Among the out of town guests were: Mary Gleason, H. A. Sawyer, Mrs. Pannie Devin, Esther L. Devin, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bill, Mr. and Mrs. N. K. East, all of South Bend, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Rennie, Dr. C. B. Roe, Mary E. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Beardsley, Robert Beardsley, H. Grover, B. M. Grover, Rose, Anne Howe, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tuttle, Helen Tuttle, Mrs. J. E. Goggle, Miss Gladys B. Goggle, Mrs. Irene Jones, Mildred Wagner, all of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Emma Hahn Hubbard, Sam G. Bunker, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gardner, Frances Gardner, Mrs. J. W. Barbell and Alice Black, Earle of Mishawaka, Ind.; Minnie Spencer, Irvyn Spencer, Clayton M. Niles, Carolyn F. Niles, and Mrs. C. M. Niles, Benton Harbor; Mrs. Frank Mittan, Flint; J. Edward Kitzore, Lincoln, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dalman, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shoop, Manistee; J. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Beardsley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beardsley, Elkhart; Will Osburn, Dallas, Tex.; Cora Hamilton Conrad, W. A. Conrad, Mount Dora, Fla.; G. A. Conrad, Mrs. A. G. Conrad, Sault Ste. Marie; Adah Kingery Weaver, Minnie Blodgett, Louise Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rice, Carolyn Benton, all of Niles; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mutchler, of Gulfport, Miss.; Mrs. Georgia Howe, Zella G. DeWing, Kalamazoo; Mrs. H. R. Foster, Stockton, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Newberry, Pasadena, Calif.; Lou Wilson Smith, Brandenton, Fla.; Floyd Schultz, Clay Center, Kas.; Adah Brocous Schultz, Clay Center, Kas.; Mrs. Fred Hanley, Harry Ernest Hanley, Kansas City; Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Mead, Elizabeth Watson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watson, Three Oaks; C. W. Osborn, Dallas, Tex.; Mrs. May T. Roe, Berkeley, Calif.; Edwin G. Frye, Cleveland, O.; and Roland Smith, New Carlisle.

Scout Troop 41 Host to Troop 42 At Water Circus

Troop 41 will be hosts to Troop 42 next Tuesday evening at an aquatic circus to be held at a location still to be decided on. All members of this famous event has sorts of aquatic stunts will be passed into history covered with held, also an inter-troop athletic contest.

Defends Sabbath



Rev. M. Wayne Womer, Secretary Michigan Lord's Day Alliance, at Evangelical Church next Sunday morning.

Street, Sierra Madre. Mary B. Holt (Mollie Butterfield) 1049 West 21st Street, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Winfield Wilson (Jane Butterfield) 1049 West 21st Street, Los Angeles.

"Bill" House and wife, 1900 Longwood Avenue, Los Angeles.

George Joslin, 125 Pine Avenue, Long Beach.

Miss Pauline McNeal, Tujunga, Calif.

Melvin Rynearson and wife, 1901 East Seventh Street, Los Angeles.

Charles B. Smith and wife, 3515 Roseview Avenue, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Swartz, 6622 Dean Avenue, Los Angeles.

Viola Tilloison and daughters 7932 Santa Monica Boulevard, Los Angeles.

Clarence White, 3902 Senecae Street, Los Angeles.

C. Lee White, 3902 Senecae Street, Los Angeles.

H. Paul White, 4456 Los Feliz Avenue, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson (Genevieve Smith) 1616 Delta Street, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rouse, 329 South Workman Street, Los Angeles.

The following former residents are now living in California: Thomas F. Barnes, 2141 Oris Street, Los Angeles.

A. L. Blodgett, Glendale.

William G. Blodgett, Glendale.

Dr. James Garland, 100 Monterey Road, Los Angeles.

A. C. Paul, 5068 Santa Monica, Los Angeles.

Arthur Roe, 500 Covina Boulevard, San Gabriel.

Mr. and Mrs. George York (In-galls), 1225 Campbell, Alhambra.

Clara Agnes Dodd, 2375 1/2 W. 21st Street, Los Angeles.

Fred Blake, 139 1/2 E. 51st Street, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Waite (Dot Barnes) Mrs. Cora Wilbur, 410 Wilson Street, Glendale.

EX-BUCHANAN FOLK PICNIC AT PASADENA

Will House and George Joslin Engineer Second Annual Picnic.

28 FAMILIES ATTEND

Further indication of the spell which Buchanan casts over former residents may be gleaned from the following excellent account of the second annual picnic held recently by ex-residents of the city who now make their home in California. The Record is indebted for the account to Cora Imhoff O'Hara and Mary Imhoff DeVan. One of the outstanding features of the former residents of Buchanan, Michigan, now living in southern California, was the second annual picnic held at Brookside Park in Pasadena, Calif., Sunday, June 15, with some of those in attendance making for the first time in thirty-five years. Twenty-eight families, former Buchanan residents, turned out for this happy affair, a few more than attended the first event held at Long Beach last year. Much of the credit for the success of the picnic is given to Will House, Los Angeles, and George Joslin, Long Beach, who attended to the details in promoting the pleasurable outing. After a delicious basket dinner in the beautiful park, the guests spent a most enjoyable afternoon in renewing friendships and recalling events and incidents in their former home, Buchanan. Several families were unable to accept the hospitable invitation due to unavoidable circumstances. The following attended the picnic: Dr. Matthew J. Beistle, wife and mothers, 4303 Ninth Avenue, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blodgett and daughter, Ivah Jane, 404 Porter Street, Glendale.

William Bunbury and mother, 1739 North Garfield Place, Los Angeles.

Edna Cottingham (Edna Morgan) husband, daughters, granddaughter, 1162 East 75th Street, Los Angeles.

Harvey B. Dakin, 1054 West 31st Street, Los Angeles.

Charles Dempsey, 3736 Woodlawn Avenue, Los Angeles.

Mrs. R. E. Dempsey, 3726 Woodlawn Avenue, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. DeVan (Mary Imhoff), 2731 Locksley Place, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Hara (Cora Imhoff) 430 Tenth Street, San Pedro.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dooge (Laura Strawser), 3963 Gramercy Place, Los Angeles.

Sadie Fox, 3006 South Harvard, Los Angeles.

Lucille Barton (three children) (Lucille Brockett) 351 Mariposa

SEZ PIERCEY "NOW WOT'LL WE HAVE FER DINNER"

SEZ SQUIREY: "WE'LL HAVE THE SAME AS WE HAD FER BREAKFAST."

Messrs. Harold Pierce and Walter Squier who have been appointed to the advisory cuisine department of the dietetic staff of the Golfmoor Hotel, one of the more fashionable hostilities of Lakeside, returned to their homes here Sunday for a short rest, preliminary to embarking on the July 4th rush of business.

Lyle B. Kingery Is Among Honored Michigan Alumni

The name of a Buchanan native son, Dr. Lyle B. Kingery, '14, '16, prepared thoroughly at Michigan for the career he has planned for himself. He spent six years on the campus as student and then stayed on as a faculty member, attaining the rank of assistant professor before deciding he was ready for competitive practice. He selected Portland, Ore., as a field for his endeavor and his rapid rise to a position of prominence has proven the soundness of his program of preparation. His specialty is dermatology and his philology. He is clinical professor in that field for the University of Oregon medical school, a member of the staff of no less than seven hospitals, is an active research authority and has written much on his specialty. Dr. Kingery is the son of Henry Kingery, 201 Moccasin Avenue, and visited here two weeks ago while en route to a convention at Cleveland.

George Franklin And Miss Imogene Murphy are Wedded

The marriage of Miss Imogene Murphy of Niles to George Franklin of Portage Prairie was celebrated at 9 a. m. Saturday, June 28, in St. Mary's church, Niles, Rev. Father Ducat performing the ceremony. Miss Marjorie Murphy, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid and Robert B. Franklin, Jr., of Chicago, was best man. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate family and a few friends of the contracting parties. The bride was reared in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Wynne Armstrong of Niles. She was graduated from Epworth Hospital and is now a nurse in the surgical department of the Pawating hospital. Mr. Franklin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Franklin, Sr., of Portage Prairie. He is now a die maker at the Clark Equipment plant here. They plan to make their home in Niles.

TWP. VALUES RECEIVE CUT OF \$20,000

Valuations of All Tax Units of County Cut Save 3 Oaks and Watervliet.

BERTRAND CUT \$22,000.00

Supervisors Valuations Are Subject to Review by State Board.

Buchanan city and township and Bertrand township fared proportionately well in comparison with the other tax units of the county in the reduction of equalizations effected by the county board of supervisors last week, Buchanan getting a reduction of \$53,000 Buchanan township \$20,000 and Bertrand township \$22,000. The total reduction of equalized values for the county was \$989,000, spread over twenty-seven townships and cities only. Watervliet and New Buffalo securing increases. Three Oaks received the largest reduction in the township class, amounting to \$63,000. In the city class, Niles received the largest reduction, with a cut of \$238,000. The Buchanan reduction of \$53,000 was made in the face of an added \$89,000 valuation of new buildings representing entirely new property placed on the tax roll in 1929-'30, the assessment year ending May 31, 1930. The local reduction was \$15,000 greater than the cut allowed the city of St. Joseph, which was reduced \$38,000.

DOROTHY CLARK WEDS F. HAMILTON SAT. JUNE 28TH

REV. HUBERT BARNETT OF PEORIA, ILL. RETURNS FOR CEREMONY.

One of the most charming wedding ceremonies of the 1930 June bridal season took place at 3 p. m. Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Clark, five miles northwest of Buchanan, when their daughter, Dorothy Clark, was united in marriage to Frank Hamilton son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamilton of Deyton. The wedding ceremony was solemnized on the porch of the beautiful farm home, which was profusely decorated in flowers for the occasion. A bower of rambling roses, white lilies and ferns had been erected on the porch as a background for the altar, the marriage ritual was pronounced under a floral arch that extended the full length of the porch. The ritual was read by Rev. Hubert Barnett of Peoria, Ill., former pastor of the Hills Corners Christian church, the double ring ceremony being used. The bride was attired in a gown of white satin and carried an arm bouquet of white and salmon pink roses. Miss Agnes Spaulding acted as bridesmaid, wearing a gown of pink chiffon and carrying a bouquet of pink roses and pink larkspur. Douglas Bennett of Nashville, Tenn., accompanied the bride groom. Miss Muriel Wolkins, pianist, played "Tender Memories" and Miss Anita Boyd sang "Oh Fronto Me." A reception was held following the ceremony in the Clark home, the Misses Lois Boyce and Theima Whittaker serving the guests. Owing to the serious illness of the bride groom's father, who has been a patient in the University hospital at Ann Arbor, for several weeks, the wedding trip has been deferred. The happy couple will reside in their new home in the Kelsey district. Sixty guests attended the ceremony, including the following from out of town: Mrs. Virginia Zeiger and niece, Miss Mabel Zeiger, of Wakarusa, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helmick of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gano and family of South Bend; Rev. and Mrs. William Gnam and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bates and family of Niles; Miss Virginia Hoag of Galien; Kenneth Clark of the Y. M. C. A. camp at Corey Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Vandenberg announce the birth of a daughter, born Wednesday, July 2.

Now Here's the Proposition

Owed Written in a Time of Depression

Bi Haws I've been a good fellow; I've made all I spent; I've paid all I borrowed; I've lost all I lent.

I'm bait for each sliker That drifts into town; I buy when it's up and I sell when it's down.

I live right along on The installment plan— I buy what I want and I pay when I can.

For the loss of the feathers That once decked my nest I can cuss old man Hoover As well as the best.

Lloyd Bartmess, Oldtime Resident, Expires in Calif.

Word has been received here of the death of Lloyd C. Bartmess at Oakland, Calif., June 27, at the age of 68. Mr. Bartmess will be remembered here by older residents as a son of Rev. Bartmess, a pioneer United Brethren minister. The family lived adjoining the present Emma Knight home on the South Bend Road. They were among the best known of the older Buchanan families. They left about 40 years ago. Lloyd Bartmess married Hulda Hahn, who preceded him in death several years. He is survived by the following one daughter, Mrs. Alene Newell; three sons, Joseph F., Kenneth Edward and Lloyd C. Bartmess, Jr. Funeral services were held in Oakland, June 30. Although no definite word was received here, it is presumed that the body was buried beside that of his wife in Oakland, Calif.

Record Attendance At Band Concert

The largest attendance of the season turned out for the band concert last night, the evening being rather cool for beach amusements. At the conclusion of the concert, the Missouri Jubilee Singers staged the concert which they hold here once each summer.

March "Tripoli Temple" Barnhouse Overture "The Hermit's Bell" Maillart Waltzes Fahrback "Visions of a Beautiful Woman" Tubami Fantasia "Hungarian" Tubami Andante from Hayden "The Surprise Symphony" Selections from Herbert "Babes in Toyland" Morrell March "Salaam Temple" Finale.

St. Commissioner Makes Application Of Calcium Chloride

Street Commissioner Ed Mitchell completed the treatment of calcium chloride on the dirt streets of the city yesterday. This is the second and final application for the summer.

Dr. O. R. Curtiss To Return Monday

Dr. Orville Curtiss will arrive at his home here next Monday, after a ten day vacation spent in a boat trip through the Great Lakes and a visit at his old home near Saratoga, N. Y.

B. H. S. Classes of 1902 and 1903 Reunite Saturday

The Buchanan high school graduating classes in 1902 and 1903 will meet for their annual reunion at a 6:30 supper at the summer home of Mrs. Winifred Habicht at Diamond Lake, Saturday, July 5.

Mrs. Charles Wesner was taken Wednesday to Pawating hospital from her home near the Coveney school.

COUNTY TAX REDUCTIONS ANNOUNCED

Table with columns for 1930, 1929, and Decrease. Lists various townships and cities with their respective tax values and the amount of reduction.

# News From Galien and Vicinity

## GALIEN MAN GETS \$1000 PER ACRE STRAWBERRY CROP

### J. MENSINGER GETS RECORD RETURNS FROM PATCH HE WAS ADVISED TO DIG UP

A gross of \$1816.05 from a two-acre patch of berries which neighbors had advised him to dig and sell to the nurseries for plants was the record hung up this year by John Mensinger, Galien fruit grower, on his farm four miles north of that place. Mensinger states that one of the acres was an old setting and did not yield nearly so heavily as the acre of new setting, so that he feels certain that the latter plot grossed over \$1,000. A total of 880 cases were picked and marketed at an average of \$3.18 per case. In 1929 Mensinger did equally well, a larger yield making up for a smaller price.

From approximately 1 1/2 acres he secured 650 cases which he sold for \$1,426.50, an average of \$2.22 per case.

Mensinger says that he was advised by other fruit growers that there would be no market for fruit

due to lack of general employment and that he had better sell the plants to the nurseries. He ascribed his success with the patch mainly to very careful cultivation. The acreage was planted almost entirely to Premiers.

### GALIEN 40 YEARS AGO

Did you manage to perspire freely last week? We did. Our thermometer registered all the way from 90 to 100 in the shade. Haying progressed finely last week and will be completed and the wheat harvest started this week.

Many of our Galienites availed themselves of the excursion on Saturday over the new Vandalia line to St. Joseph, Mich., and reported a splendid time.

James E. Watson, the Canadian orator and humorist of St. Mary's Ont., favored us on Tuesday evening with his side-splitting lecture entitled, "Society Unmasked, or Houses Without Fronts." The man who can entertain his audience and electricity them with the very soul of wit, and portray the foibles of the brotherhood of man to man in a manner appreciable to all, certainly deserves the emulation and eulogiums of the

## Galien Locals

Charles A. Clark transacted business in St. Joseph, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ensel Swem were Monday afternoon guests of Mrs. Nina James.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns and family spent Sunday with relatives at Hammond.

Mrs. Frank Heckathorn entertained her sister, Mrs. Sadie Baring from New Carlisle Sunday.

Mrs. Della Swank is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smith.

The Maple Grove Aid Society will hold an all day meeting Thursday, July 10, at the home of Mrs. Frank Heckathorn. Pot luck dinner Elmer Smith is spending this week with relatives in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Storm attended the funeral Sunday of Jacob Watkins, held at Lydick.

Mrs. Hattie Hartline, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Warren Hagley, left Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. D. S. Robe of Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Surch of Buchanan.

Ben Sheeley and son, Warren, of Niles, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ingles.

The Maccabees Lodge will hold an all day meeting, Wednesday, July 9th at the home of Mrs. Will Mell, South Bend. Every member requested to be present. Community dinner will be served at noon.

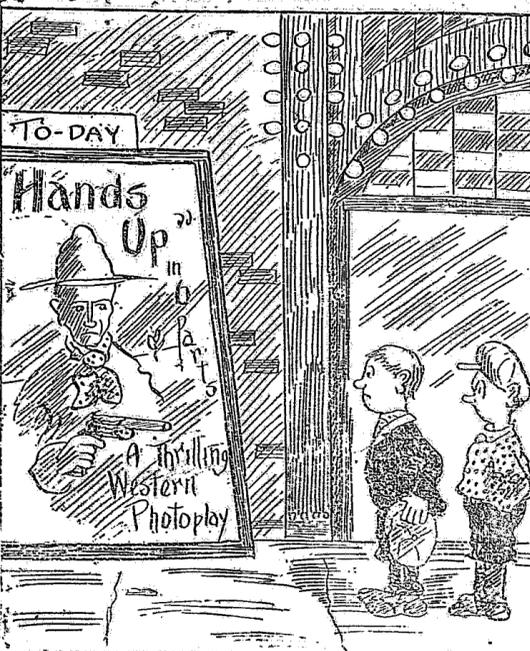
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vinton spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Roberts and family spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Babcock at Detroit. Miss Wanda Roberts remained for a visit with Miss Lydia Babcock.

Russell Babcock, who has been teaching in Turkey for the past two years, arrived Monday evening for a visit with his parents,

public. His descriptive talents and lofty flights of oratory captivate his audience and his lessons of moral worth become indelibly stamped on the mind and make us think we live in a new sphere.

## KIDS HERO WORSHIP



INTERNATIONAL CARTOON SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Babcock. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse James entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Phil Sheeley of South Bend.

Elwood Sheeley of Porter, arrived last week for a visit with his son, Glenn Sheeley and family. He was taken very ill Friday and is in a very critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Goodenough of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Renbarger of Three Oaks, were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seymore were Sunday afternoon callers on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vinton.

John Dolth and son of Chicago, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heckathorn.

der the direction of A. R. Marston, Michigan State College. He has successfully crossed maize amargo with Duncan, golden glow, red cob ensilage, and other varieties of field corn as well as with gold-on-bantam sweet corn and hullless pop corn.

In trials for resistance to attacks by the borer some of the crosses have been entirely free from injury when 55 per cent of the stalks of ordinary corn in the next row contained one or more borers. Moths of the borer confined in cages with the crosses preferred to lay eggs on the case itself rather than on the new varieties of corn.

No seed of these varieties is available for any use except the tests being continued at the Mor-

Here and Hereafter The following verse was contributed to the Record by Billy Smith, a veteran travelling salesman, who now makes Buchanan his home.

Sometimes, Old Pal, in the morning When the dawn is cold and gray, As I lay on the perfumed feathers, Thinking thoughts I dare not say, I think of the stunts of the night before, And smile a feeble smile, And say to myself, for the hundredth time, "Is it really worth the while?"

Then I pick up the morning paper, And I see where some saintly man, Who never was soured in all his life, And never said "Hell or Damn," Who never stayed out till the wee small hours, Or jolled a gay Soubrette; But preached on the evil of drinking, The cards and the cigarette.

Cut off in the prime of useful life, The headlines glibly say; Or snatched by the grim reaper, He has crossed the great highway. They bury deep while a few friends weep, And the world moves on with a sigh; And the saintly man is forgotten soon, Even as you and I.

Then I say to myself "well Bill, Old Scout," When you are called to take the dump, When you reach the place where the best and the worst, Must bump the eternal bump, You can smile to yourself and chuckle, Tho' the path be exceedingly hot; For when on earth you were moving some, Now is that an unholy thought?

Then I rise and attach a cracked ice band, To the crown of my battered hat; And saunter forth for a cold gin fizz, She is a great old world at that; And I go on my way rejoicing, What's the use of complaint or sigh, Go the route, Old Scout, and be merry, For tomorrow you may die.

## KONJOLA ENDED 17 YEAR SIEGE OF RHEUMATISM

THOUGHT SHE WAS HOPELESS INVALID BEFORE MASTER MEDICINE GAVE NEW HEALTH.



MRS. ALMIRA ATTENBERGER "I suffered from rheumatism for 17 years," said Mrs. Almira Attenberger, Route No. 4, Birmingham, Michigan. "The pains in my limbs were terrible. My right limb was almost paralyzed and it became impossible for me to walk. My liver, also, was in bad condition. In fact, it had bothered me since I was a young girl. I had frequent dizzy spells and was unable to stoop, which hindered me greatly in my household."

"Konjola gave me the first relief I have experienced in years. In a few weeks' time my rheumatism was entirely banished. I have no more dizzy spells or specks before my eyes, because my kidneys are now in a fine condition. Konjola gave me this wonderful health."

Many express amazement at the speed with which Konjola works. It does, but a course of from six to eight bottles is strongly recommended. Konjola is both a medicine and a tonic, rich in up-building powers.

Konjola is sold in Buchanan, Mich., at W. N. Brodrick's drug store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

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• Pinaud's Shampoo

Leaves your hair lustrous, healthy, and not too dry!

At your dealer's—or send for full-size bottle to Pinaud, Dept. M, 220 E. 21 St., New York. [We will send sample bottle free]

## COOLING CREAM PAYS DAIRYMEN IN DIVIDENDS

### LITTLE EXPENSE AND CARE PRODUCES QUALITY PRODUCT.

Cream which is cooled immediately after being separated is of better quality and should bring a higher price than cream which does not receive this inexpensive attention, according to members of the dairy department at Michigan State College.

Cream can best be cooled by placing it in a deep setting can where the temperature can be kept low. When the next cream is ready for cooling, that in the cooling can can be transferred to the can used for delivering the cream. The cream in the delivery can should be thoroughly stirred as each batch of cream is added. Both cans can be cooled the most easily by setting them in cold, running water.

Cream can be kept in good condition by placing a tank, barrel or tub on the pipe line between the well and the stock watering tank. This will furnish a water supply with little expense for piping. The tank for the cream cans should be covered with a roof to keep off the sun's heat.

Cold water cools cream much faster than cold air. When cream is delivered in hot weather, the can should be covered with a wet blanket while being taken to the station.

Well kept cream can be tested for butterfat more easily and more

exactly than cream which is in poor condition. High grade butter cannot be made from low quality cream. Cream which is kept properly cooled will add dollars to the cream check.

### A Heavenly Idea

An old German and his wife were much given to quarreling. One day after a particularly unpleasant scene, the old woman remarked with a sigh: "Well, I wish I was in heaven."

"I wish - was in a beer garden," groaned her husband.

"Ach, ja," cried the old wife, "always you pick out the best for yourself."

They shouldn't judge you by the appearance of your car. But they do! And among those people are many whose opinion you value.

You can't afford to drive a shabby car.

## SEMDAC AUTO POLISH

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South Bend, Ind.

Your EYES and Our SERVICE By Blackmond's Jewelry and Optical Store Your Duty to Your Eyes

Is to decide if they are as they should be or not. The trouble is you may believe one thing and the facts be entirely different. By far the best plan is to make up your mind to be rid of any eye uncertainty you may have for good and all. That means spending half an hour or so with us.

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OUR SPECIALITIES Spaghetti Kavaoli and Mushrooms

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## Zonite For pyorrhea

For prevention against gum infections, use Zonite, the new powerful antiseptic. Also guards against colds, coughs and more serious diseases of nose and throat.

Savings deposits received up to July 10th will receive 4% interest as of July 1st.

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Buchanan, Michigan

## NEW VARIETY CORN IMMUNE TO BORERS

VARIETIES DEVELOPED AT MONROE STATION RAISE HOPES OF FARMERS.

Michigan corn fields may be relieved from the toll taken by the European corn borer if the hope raised by the results of experimental work at Monroe with crosses of maize amargo with common corn varieties is borne out by more extensive trials.

Maize amargo is a bitter corn from South America. The corn borer will not lay eggs on the plant, but the plant will not mature grain in this climate. The work at Monroe has been to obtain crosses of the plant with ordinary corn, and to have the crosses retain its distastefulness to the insect while at the same time it has the ability to produce a profitable crop of grain.

The work started in 1926, and has been continued every year un-

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ELEC tricity to serve you

## INDIANA & MICHIGAN ELECTRIC COMPANY

Local News

The Loyal Independent club will enjoy their annual picnic at St. Joseph on July 10th.

of Mrs. Harriet Egbert, father of Mrs. Allen Newell, Joseph F. Kenneth Edward and Lloyd C. Bartness, Jr.

In the dental office which he is opening in Kalamazoo. They were accompanied to Detroit by Mrs. Harold Sargent and two sons, who returned to their home there after a visit of a week in Buchanan.

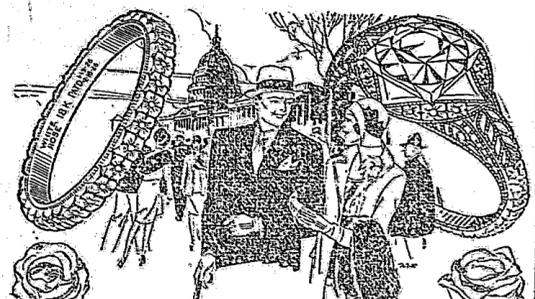
Miss Frances Willard and Joseph Edwards of South Bend were Sunday guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Dilley and son, Richard, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Couart Grove to the Getz farm at Holland, Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Eisele has returned to Buchanan from a motor trip through northern Michigan, Canada, and eastern sections with her daughter, Miss Ruth Eisele, who is a school nurse in Cleveland, O.

Ray Miller arrived home Monday from Rochester, Minn., and reports that he left Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Joseph Roti recovering satisfactorily.

Ira Wagner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wagner, Main Street, and former clerk of Berrien County, was appointed city clerk of St. Joseph at the meeting of the commission of that city Tuesday evening.



Advertisement for Blackmond's Jewelry and Optical Store, featuring 'White-Rose Wedding and Engagement Rings' and 'In Washington'.

The Pollywog reunion will be held Sunday, June 13, at Island Park at Niles. All teachers and pupils of the Pollywog school are urged to be present.

Citizens Mutual Auto Insurance of Howell, Mich., is locally represented by Jesse Viele, who takes care of the adjustments for claims.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson and daughter, Stella, and son, William, spent the week end at their cottage at Clear Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burk and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson spent the week end on a fishing trip at Grand Haven and for a visit with the latter's sister in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Hayden and son were in Omaha, Neb., Saturday, where Mr. Hayden went on a business trip.

Advertisement for Chichesters Pills, featuring an illustration of a woman's face and text describing the medicine's benefits.

Buy in confidence at Wyman's for Wyman Prices are always at or below the Market

Every day the Wyman store is working for its customers—not only in intelligent service but in securing the best the market affords at the lowest price consistent with the high standards of quality for which Wyman's has been known for nearly seventy years.

Table with 4 columns: Merchandise, Former Regular Price, Present Regular Price, and another Merchandise column. Lists various goods like Suede Crepe, Crepe Faille, and Rayon Bloomers.

Advertisement for George Wyman & Co., South Bend, Ind., with the slogan 'Let Wyman's park your car under a roof—25c charge.'

George Burker, who underwent an operation at Epworth hospital, South Bend, last Wednesday morning, suffered a paralytic stroke Sunday which affected his entire left side and for a time his condition was serious, but at this time he is much better and it is expected he will be able to be removed to his home here within a few days.

Advertisement for Dr. J. Burke, an optometrist in Buchanan, Ind., featuring 'EYES EXAMINED' and 'GLASSES FITTED'.

Large advertisement for Dr. Miles' Aspirin-Mint, featuring an illustration of a woman's face and text describing the relief it provides for headaches and other ailments.

Advertisement for Hotel Sherman in Chicago, featuring an illustration of the hotel building and text listing room rates and amenities.

Advertisement for The First National Bank in Buchanan, featuring the slogan 'A Priceless Heritage!' and 'The Oldest Bank in Buchanan'.

Large advertisement for American Home Beverages, featuring a list of products like Campbell's soups, Libby's corned beef, and various sodas, along with prices and promotional offers.

**Olive Branch**

Mrs. Harry Williams and daughter, Evelyn, were home from Niles over the week end. Evelyn seems to be better.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough spent Sunday evening in the Geo. France home.

Kenneth Foster and Beryl Bowker and their families and John Fellers were Sunday visitors in the Millie Bowker home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sherman and family and Mrs. William Laker of Homer, came Sunday for a visit in the John Clark home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Vandusen of near Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smoole of South Bend were callers Sunday afternoon in the Charles Smith home at Maple Lawn farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rodgers of Grand Junction, Colo., were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Riffle and Artie and Mrs. Andy Helling of South Bend were Sunday guests in the Chas. Diedrich home.

Mrs. Evert Hardman and two children and Mrs. Ella Odlovine of South Bend, are spending this week in the Charles Diedrich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Watkins and child of Osceola spent Sunday in the Will Rounly home.

Miss Murnie VanTilburg left this week for summer school at Kalamazoo.

Fred Berdman and son of Glendora, spent Sunday at the Lew Truhn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Noggle spent Sunday in the George Noggle home.

Frank Hollister and family of South Bend were visitors in this vicinity Sunday.

Gerald Noggle transacted business in South Bend Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Andrews and son, Bob, attended the Rodgers reunion Sunday at Crosswick. Four generations were present.

Clyde Swank and family of Galien and Ira Lee and family spent Sunday at Clear Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Henke and three children of Michigan City and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starke and three children of Niles, spent Sunday afternoon in the Firmon and Lysie Nye home at Wildmire farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough visited in the Henry Kiefer home in Galien Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Clark is some better

**SPORTS**

but still in bed and the baby isn't very well.

Mrs. Firmon Nye received word Monday that Mrs. Susie Smith Springstine's husband had died Friday. He had an abscess on one lung. Mrs. Springstine once lived in this vicinity but has lived for a number of years in Deposit, New York.

While Al Rickerman and sons were getting in hay last Saturday afternoon, one horse fell through the trap door in the barn. Neighbors came and helped rescue the horse by pulling it up with hay ropes fastened to their automobile. It was wonderful how they saved the horse and it didn't seem to be hurt much.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy of South Bend, spent Sunday in the Dell Smith home.

Dorothy Briney of Buchanan and Helen Ehnman are guests this week in the Joe Fulton home.

Mrs. Edith Straub was a business caller in New Troy Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wolf entertained relatives from South Bend Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Smith and son, Paul and wife were in South Bend Monday.

Mrs. E. Case of Chicago, was a guest Sunday at the home of Col. and Mrs. Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Widdis of Bridgman and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. James of Galien were callers Sunday afternoon in the Nina James home.

Mrs. John Gilson and lady friend of Niles, were callers in the Ira Lee home Wednesday.

Thomas Karc and family of Holland were calling on friends in this vicinity last Tuesday.

Richard Lee was home from South Bend over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George France came home from New Carlisle last Friday. Mr. France is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Storm and family attended the funeral of Mr. Watkins at Lydeck Sunday.

Mrs. Della Swank is a guest in the Dell Smith home this week.

Elmer Smith, who has been ill for some time is in South Bend this week visiting with relatives there.

Fortune Teller. It's in the turn of the cards that money comes to your husband.

Mrs.—No. no. It's in the turn of the cards that money goes from my husband.

**BLUES TAKE 4TH STRAIGHT GAME SUNDAY**

**Blues Play Elkhart July 4th; Revenge Game Here Sunday**

The Buchanan Blues will leave the home diamond for the first time this season when they meet the Elkhart Blues at Christiansa Lake July 4.

New Sunday afternoon they will try conclusions again with Stevensville nine, which they defeated in the opening game of the season 3-2. The visitors come primed for revenge and a good game should be in store.

**Nose Out South Bend Nine In Eleventh Hour Rally.**

The Buchanan Blues made it four straight victories and five out of six for the season by their victory over the Nyikos Club nine of South Bend Sunday, when they nosed out that aggregation in an eighth inning rally that netted them five runs to make the count 8-7 in favor of the home team.

The two teams battled on a neck and neck basis until the fifth inning when the Blues scored two runs in the fifth frame, when Baroda started a parade around the bases, circling them four times in the sixth, seven in the seventh, and one in the eighth. Henderson and C. Miller were the battery for Baroda, the former scoring only two strikeouts but holding the opposition to six scattered hits. Wittenberg for New Buffalo, scored ten strikeouts before he was knocked out of the box in the seventh inning. He was succeeded by Halburg.

**Summary:**

Buchanan	R	H	P	O	A	E
Pfingst, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Pozanski, 3d	1	2	4	3	1	0
Huszar, cf	0	1	3	0	1	0
Brazo, c	0	0	2	0	0	0
Fredericks, 1st	1	1	6	1	0	0
L. Pozanski, 2d	1	1	6	1	0	0
Kusmits, lf	1	0	2	0	0	0
Loretta, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manuela, rf	0	0	3	0	2	0
Nyers, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ward, p	1	2	0	1	0	0
	7	8	24	10	4	0

Three base hits, Nash, C. Pozanski; two base hits, Ward, C. Pozanski, Miller.

Struck out by Morse, 1; Kish, 5; Grooms, 2; Ward, 3; Nyers, 0.

Double plays, none.

Score by innings:

Nyikos	0	1	0	0	0	3	7
Buchanan	0	1	0	0	0	2	8

**Auto Specialties Trims Cassopolis**

The Auto Specialties nine of the Twin Cities continued its winning streak Sunday by taking the Cassopolis Independent Club into camp on the latter's grounds 8-4. Priebe pitched for the Auto Specialties, striking out 12 men. Only lack of support barred him from a shut-out record.

**100 PLANES IN MICH. AIR TOUR AT NILES JULY 11**

Niles is one of three cities on the itinerary of the second annual Michigan air tour which are opening new municipal airports for the event. The tour will arrive at Niles on the afternoon of Friday, July 11, for an all night stop, and the local committee has arranged to stage an air circus program in connection with the event.

Approximately 100 airplanes of all makes, types and sizes are expected to be on the Niles airport that day. The air tour itself really is a traveling air show, more than 50 planes being entered by manufacturers and dealers. The purpose is two-fold, to promote interest in aviation and to keep the public informed as to new phases in construction of aircraft and their operation.

This will be one of the biggest summer events in this section, and it is expected to draw a vast throng of visitors from throughout the new municipal territory. Niles is making a sort of experiment in promoting aviation, with a view to determining whether an airport can be made to pay its way without excessive charges. To this end the committee decided to charge a nominal fee of 25 cents and to give free but controlled parking with it. The old airport, 80 acres, adjoins the new municipal field, and still is under lease to the city. This will be utilized for parking of cars, from which the air circus program may be viewed.

The air circus program will start at 1:30 o'clock with a parachute jump. The air tour planes will commence to arrive at 2:00. Air circus features will continue until 7:30 concluding with a second parachute jump.

Governor Fred W. Green has accepted an invitation to attend the event and be a special guest at a banquet to be held in the evening for the pilots and officials of the tour. Some of the pilots who will come with the tour and attend the banquet are widely known as crack aviators.

Just Wait!

Mandy, a colored woman, was eating her lunch when a neighbor came in with bad news.

"Mandy," the visitor warned her, "prepare yo'self fo' some powerful bad news. Yo' husband has jus' been in de worst accident."

"Lan' sakes!" exclaimed Mandy, "ef Rastus am dead yo' shore am gwine to hea some awful wailin' soon as I finish dis meal."

**Stevensville and Watervliet in Tie As Rain Stops Game**

The Stevensville-Watervliet contest played at the grounds of the latter team Sunday ended in a 1-1 tie when a heavy downpour of rain obliged cessation of the game in the sixth inning. Stevensville had one man on bases and no outs when the game was called. Daisy and King were the battery for the Watervliet nine, the former having 11 strikeouts to his credit and four hits against him when the game ended. Herb Schultz and Bodjack were the battery for Stevensville. Schultz had allowed the Meros only two ms when the game ended.

On Friday the Stevensville team will play the Dixie Gas and Sunday they will play the Buchanan Blues at Buchanan.

**Primo Carnera Fights Saturday at Playland Park**

Primo Carnera, Italian heavy-weight, who has been burning up the pugilistic world for the last several months, will appear at Playland park in South Bend Saturday night at nine o'clock against Jack McAuliff, San Francisco 218 pounder. "Louie Bachelor" and Mike Malloy are promoting the Carnera bout. Three other bouts will precede the Carnera-McAuliff tilt. This is the first northern Indiana appearance of the Mountain Alp as Carnera is known to the sporting fraternity due to his unusual size.

**West Bertrand**

Miss Agnes Leiter has been the guest of the Fred Koenigshof family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gilbert. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Furrin of Three Oaks, called in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lang were host and hostess to the Junior Buchanan family reunion at Michigan City in Memorial Park Saturday. About forty partook of a bountiful co-operative dinner at noon. The afternoon was spent socially and sight seeing along the dunes and Long Beach Drive. Mrs. Grace Hamilton of South Bend, was elected president, Mrs. Iva Swartz, Buchanan, vice president; Mrs. Ruby Dodge, Buchanan, secretary and treasurer. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of South Bend, will entertain next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith and Kenneth called on Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith, of Galien, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher of New Troy Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Helen Smith is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Dreger of Chicago.

Mrs. Belle Case of Three Oaks, spent several days recently with Mrs. Elba York and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swartz of California, are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith entertained Friday and Saturday, Mrs. Irma Taft of Ypsilanti, Mrs. Nora Sparks, Mr. Bremor, Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Ferguson, of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Smith were entertained Monday evening with an old-fashioned balling.

The All Star Class of Portage Prairie church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. York for their regular business meeting.

Hear Ye! All ye Pollywogs, do not forget the reunion at Island Park, Sunday, July 13. Come and renew old acquaintances.

The Missionary Society of Portage Prairie will meet with Mrs. Della Long Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruth Eppard and Mr. Banka motored to Grand Rapids Sunday.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rasmussen and son and Miss Brown, of Kalamazoo, called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sherwood Tuesday, enroute to Texas and other southern parts travelling by auto and trailer, "covered wagon" which is completely modern equipped.

Mrs. Mae Best and son in company with Mrs. Nora Miles and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beck and family motored to Middleville Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goffin and daughter.

The Misses Mildred and Anna Koenigshof spent Thursday at the Fred Koenigshof home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Cauffman, Mrs. Belle Heim and son called on Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. George Dressler Sunday afternoon.

The Mission Band of Portage Prairie will give an entertainment Sunday evening, July 13. Two orchestras will furnish music. Every body invited to come.

The reunion of the Best families will be held Sunday, July 6, at West Clear Lake, Fuller's resort. The Comrade Class of Portage

**Baroda Merchants Trim New Buffalo**

The Baroda Merchants defeated the New Buffalo nine 13-2 on the former's grounds Sunday, after the guest team had been permitted to secure a 2-0 lead in the first two innings. Baroda counted one run in the third and the score remained 2-1 in favor of New Buffalo until the sixth frame, when Baroda started a parade around the bases, circling them four times in the sixth, seven in the seventh, and one in the eighth. Henderson and C. Miller were the battery for Baroda, the former scoring only two strikeouts but holding the opposition to six scattered hits. Wittenberg for New Buffalo, scored ten strikeouts before he was knocked out of the box in the seventh inning. He was succeeded by Halburg.

**Coloma Leading Riverside 3-0 as Storm Stops Game**

The Riverside-Coloma game was stopped by rain in the second inning Sunday, with the Coloma nine holding the fat end of a 3-0 score. Benton Harbor Naval Reserves on The Riverside nine will play July 4.

**NO EXCUSE FOR A "SPLITTING HEAD"**

There's no need for an aching head to spoil your day. At the first warning, take Dillard's Aspergum. Chew it a few minutes. Almost before you realize it, you have chewed the pain away. It's as simple as that—no trouble, and harmless—for Dillard's Aspergum is the new and easier way to take aspirin.

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Because you chew Dillard's Aspergum the aspirin mixes thoroughly with the saliva so that all its soothing qualities are effective quickly, continuously.

Keep a package of Aspergum on hand for quick, harmless relief from the pain of headache, neuralgia, neuritis, etc. It helps break up a cold, and soothes irritated throats, even such severe cases as follow tonsil operations. If your druggist does not have Dillard's Aspergum, send for free sample to Health Products Corporation, Dept. A, 115 North 13th Street, Newark, N. J.

**Wagner News**

Mrs. J. E. Shetterly and grand-daughter of Saginaw, have come to spend the summer with Mrs. Lovage Harroff.

Mrs. Charles Hess and daughter returned last Thursday evening from a motor trip to Berea, O.

Mrs. Tom Quirk returned from Chicago Saturday evening. She was accompanied by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. Henter. Elmer Lehrke is spending the week in Detroit, visiting his brother, Carl.

Miss Marjell Wolkins is spending the summer at the home of her parents. She will teach at Dearborn again the coming year.

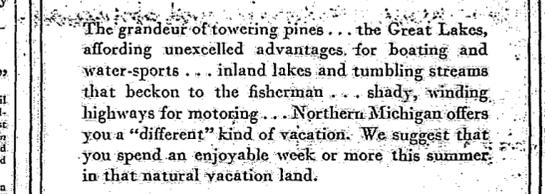
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Organization Declares One Stock, two Patronage Dividends.

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State Secretary Farm Bureau Clark Brody Talks to Association.

Re-election of three directors and distribution of stock and patronage dividends amounting to \$1,500 among 106 stockholders were the high points in the annual meeting of the St. Joe Valley Shipping Association headquarters held in the Buchanan headquarters of that concern Saturday afternoon, with president Jesse G. Boyle in the chair.

In addition to the annual 7 per cent dividend on \$10,600 stock, patronage dividends of 1 1/2 per cent on the 1928-9 and of 2 per cent on the 1929-30 business were declared, approximating about \$1,100 for the two year period.

According to the report of J. G. Fish of Benton Harbor, the auditor employed to examine the books, the net worth of the combined business, secured by listing actual value of the assets and the liabilities, amounts to \$50,000, an increase of about \$5,800 over last year. The net profit on the business was placed at 3.7 per cent.

The directors re-elected were Glenn Haslett, James Reed and Albert Houswerth. The organization of the board of directors will be held soon.

STEERS GAIN QUICKLY ON BARLEY RATION

REPORTS ON COMPARATIVE VALUES GROUND BARLEY, OATS, SHELLED CORN.

Barley proved to be a worthy competitor of corn in the experimental feeding lots at Michigan State College where barley fed steers gained more rapidly and more cheaply than similar lots receiving corn or oats.

The steers went on feed Nov. 26, 1929, at a weight of 377 to 381 pounds. The first trial was closed June 4 with the steers weighing from 767 pounds in the oat-fed lot to 795 pounds for those fed ground barley. The steers receiving corn weighed 776 pounds at the end of the feeding period.

The costs per hundred weight of gains for the three lots were: barley, \$9.13; corn, \$9.72; and oats, \$9.78. Prices for the different feeds were computed at market values.

Each lot of cattle received all the silage they would clean up, and alfalfa hay was kept in racks to which they had access at all times. Each lot was fed equal amounts of linseed meal in addition to their grain ration.

The steers on the corn and on the alfalfa were about equal in quality of finish. The oat-fed steers had less quality. All three lots will be carried on feed until September.

Aug. 2 Tentative Date Annual Farm Bu-Grange Picnic

Arrangements are in progress for the annual Bu-Grange picnic which will be held at Indian Fields, Berrien Springs, with Saturday, August 2, now set as a tentative date. The committee of arrangements consists of the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Armstrong of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dean of Berrien Springs, Mr. and Mrs. James Richards of Eau Claire, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman of Bainbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse E. Boyle of Buchanan.

Janet, I guess Harry and I won't get married so soon after all. Mother, Why, what makes you think that? Janet, He sent me a large box of handkerchiefs with my initials on them, enough to last a year!

Swiss industry continues to recover from world war depression. In the last six years, 700 new factories were built, making a total for the country of 8500 employing 409,000 persons.

Michigan Bell Company Pays Tax of \$3,227,943.37 to State

Check No 80119, Michigan Bell Telephone Company, State Treasurer Lansing, Michigan. Tax amount: \$3,227,943.37.

The net earnings from 217,000 telephones were required to pay the Michigan Bell Telephone Company's total 1929 tax bill of \$3,986,000, it was indicated when the state of Michigan received its portion, \$3,227,943.37, on June 30. The company's state tax was paid in the form of a check to Auditor General O. B. Fuller, and goes into the Michigan primary school fund. The total tax payment represents \$609 for each telephone in service during 1929.

Since 1911, the Michigan Bell

Telephone company has paid into the state treasury more than \$20,250,000, of which \$12,554,000 has been paid during the last five years, the records show. The tax paid the state by the telephone company this year was \$228,870.97 larger than that paid a year ago.

In addition to the state tax, federal taxes paid by the company this year amounted to more than \$700,000, and miscellaneous local taxes totaled approximately \$10,000.

Assessed valuation of the company was set at \$102,017,500, an increase of \$10,017,500 over the 1928 assessment. Of that total, \$17,500 represents the assessment on three small companies purchased by the Michigan Bell company this year. The tax rate was \$31.64 per \$1,000, the highest ever levied.

The state tax paid this year is the largest in the telephone company's history. The total tax paid by the company for 1929 amounts to \$10,866, per day.

News around New Troy

New Troy Auto is Crash Settled Outside of Court

An accident occurred on the Harbert road in front of the Tom Glavin home Sunday evening about midnight when parties from Muskegon and Harbert collided. The cars were wrecked and one of the ladies in the Muskegon car had her arm broken and one in the Harbert car was severely cut. Dr. Corey of New Troy was called and rendered first aid. The parties involved were taken by the sheriff to Justice Zannhardt's court at New Troy and the affair was settled out of court as neither one wished to declare it criminal.

Teachers Honored At Lawn Social

The lawn social given on the grounds at the personsage Tuesday evening was a very pleasant affair. About sixty were in attendance. The grounds were well lighted and the young people had a merry time with croquet and other games. The adults spent a social evening in the living room. The occasion was in honor of the members of the M. E. church and Sunday School who will leave for summer school this week. They are: Mrs. Nina Fischmar, Kalamazoo; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keefer, Ann Arbor; Rebecca Barnhart, Columbia University, New York City. Miss Genevieve Boyd, who will attend at East Lansing, was not present as she was out of town. Refreshments were served.

Teachers Leaving for Summer School

Rebecca Barnhart left her home here Saturday morning for Battle Creek to get the teachers who will go with her to summer school. They left early Sunday morning for their destination in New York City. They will stop a short time at Niagara Falls as some of the party have not seen them. Miss Nina Fischmar accompanied Miss Barnhart as far as Kalamazoo where she will attend summer school. The remaining members of the school faculty who have not gone to school met at the Paul Brodbeck home Wednesday and enjoyed ice cream and cake.

Rev. Conklin to Perform Marriage At Dayton Today

Rev. C. M. Conklin will go to Dayton today to unite in marriage a young couple who will come from Chicago to friends in Dayton for that purpose.

NEW TROY

Mr. and Mrs. Thair of Chicago, have returned to their summer home in the Sowersby addition and will remain until fall. Their many friends gladly welcome them.

Mrs. Ella Boyd and Mrs. Hans Johnson were callers at the Henry Pletcher home Sunday. Vera and Grace Penland returned from Benton Harbor Sunday where they have been spending the week with their sister, Ruth, and husband. Mrs. Alma Rokley of Lake, spent Thursday at the home of her

brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brodbeck.

Mrs. George Daniels, who has been quite sick is convalescing. She took a short drive Friday.

Ed Addison and sister, Louise, of Chicago, together with two friends, stopped at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Flo A. Addison Sunday morning on their way to Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McKeen and daughter, Una, were callers at the Barnhart and Wharton homes Sunday.

George Sanford has been moved from the rooms he has been occupying into the house next door.

Ed Brodbeck has gone to South Bend today to see his brothers, John and Frank, who are very sick.

Mrs. Jennie English has come from Buchanan, and will spend several days at her home here.

Mrs. Barnhart and family have been enjoying a bouquet of Madona lilies sent from Japan from the garden of Mrs. Horace Morley. Mrs. Morley has been confined to her bed for some time but does not forget to send cheer to others.

The friends of Mrs. Morley hope to hear of her recovery soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young of Chicago, stopped at her sister's home several days last week on their way to the Tabor resort in Sojus to spend a month of vacation. Mr. Young, because of an accident several weeks ago, is going on crutches so will not be able to engage in golf as he usually does.

Mrs. Hans Johnson will go to Chicago today to help, care for her sister, who is very sick with cancer.

Mrs. Loy Sidman of Berrien Springs, spent part of the afternoon Friday at the home of uncle, Ed Barnhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zimmerman drove to Whiting, Ind., to spend the day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Zimmerman.

Edwin Ritchie and Leland Crawford went on a fishing trip to Yellow Lake June 2, and were very successful in the number of fish caught.

Auto Output First Half of 1930 Over Same Period 1928

It is estimated that total automobiles output for the six months ending June 30, 1930, will be slightly more than 1,000,000 units under the production for the corresponding period of 1929, the former record for the period, but slightly in excess of production during the first six months of 1928. Preliminary figures for the first five months of 1930 and an estimate of slightly under 400,000 units for June would bring the total production for the first half of the year to around 2,865,000 units.

Actual production for the first six months of 1929 was 3,413,804 units from which figure the current year's estimate shows a decline of those to 1,050,000 units, or 30.7 per cent. Production for the first six months of 1928, a period which it is considered offers a better basis for comparison than the abnormally high production period early last year, amounted to 2,326,509 units, over which the current year's estimate would show a gain of 40,000 to 50,000 units.

Automobile registration in eleven states in May totaled 59,274 passenger cars, compared with 54,638 in April and 76,990 in May last year. In the reporting states, Ford registrations were 23,602 passenger cars, or 40.5 per cent compared with 22,565, or 41.26 per cent in April, and 23,872, or 31 per cent, in May, 1929. Ford registrations showed an increase of 4.5 per cent over April but a decrease of 1.1 per cent from May, 1929. The industry, exclusive of Ford, registered 34,672 cars in May, a gain of 8 per cent over April, but a decrease of 35 per cent from May, 1929.

May automobile registrations for 18 states indicate that retail automobile sales for the month were about 75 per cent of sales for the same month last year, says a statement authorized by W. P. Chrysler, chairman of the board of the Chrysler Corporation.

MICHIGAN TO SELL HIGHER GRADE LAMBS

IMPROVEMENT IN QUALITY WILL MAKE MEAT MORE APPEALING.

Legs of mutton and lamb chops from Michigan will have a greater appeal to the consumer's palate, and the farmers who sell the animals will receive a better price as a result of a sheep improvement contest which is being conducted in 24 counties of this state.

Buyers for meat packers readily detect lambs which will not furnish good cuts of meat and the buyers refuse to pay, within 50 cents to \$3.00 a hundred weight of the top market price for such animals. Farmers who do not know that the price discrimination is made against undocked and ram lambs sometimes, accuse the commission house which sells the lambs of failing to protect the farmer's interests.

The contest is supervised by members of the animal husbandry department at Michigan State college. Demonstrations of good flock practices have been held in several counties, and personal visits have been made by the animal husbandry specialists to some

farms where unusual problems have occurred.

The specialists state that docked lambs can be protected from the attacks of flies by the use of such fly repellents as pine tar, a mixture of powdered boric acid, charcoal and lime in equal parts, or one of the coal tar products.

Counties which have the greatest number of shepherds using improved practices in their flocks will receive prizes offered by Detroit livestock commission firms.

PRESIDENT OF GENERAL MOTORS KNOCKS TARIFF

SAYS HIGHER TARIFF WALLS WILL CUT DOMESTIC PROSPERITY.

The pending Hawley-Smoot tariff bill should be defeated in Congress, if the nation's prosperity is to be maintained, according to A. P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors Corporation. Commenting on this subject President Sloan says:

"There can be no disagreement on the fundamental fact that the economic position of the United States has completely changed during the past two decades. This makes it essential that we should modify our fiscal policies in harmony with the altered set of circumstances that now exist. This is particularly true of our tariff policy."

"The commercial relationships of the various countries of the world are extremely complicated and involved. While an obligation incurred through an individual transaction is discharged in gold or its equivalent, we must not lose sight of the fact that collectively, over a period, exports can only be paid for in imports or, in other words, merchandise or service rendered of one kind or another. We cannot sell unless we buy. We have during the past twenty years, become a creditor nation. As a creditor nation relatively large amounts are due us yearly from overseas countries on account of interest charges and return on investments. These obligations like we must be discharged through purchase, directly or indirectly, of goods or services, all of which tends to increase the necessity of overseas trade.

"The productivity of our industrial organizations due to labor saving machinery and increase of facilities, has been greatly expanded in recent years. Higher efficiency in production per man-hour and the so-called technological unemployment factor adds its influence to the general picture. All these circumstances and others, which I have not mentioned, should make us realize that additional restrictions in the way of raising the height of the tariff wall in principle introducing barriers in the currents of our world trade are bound to have an adverse influence on our domestic prosperity through reducing our ability to produce, hence adding to unemployment.

"I feel that the failure of the proposed tariff bill would have a helpful influence. It would serve notice to the world at large that the United States recognizes the important principle that it must buy if it is to sell. The long discussion incident to the development of the proposed tariff measure has been unfortunate. It has had an injurious reaction on our commercial relationships with other countries; it has started up many retaliatory movements, some of which have already come into effect and others are bound to follow. We must remember that we are dependent upon the goodwill increasingly important customers.

Traffic Fatalities In Larger Counties Show Big Increase

The following are the fatal accidents occurring in Michigan for the first four months of 1930 as just received from the Bureau of Vital Statistics, for Counties having more than six fatalities.

Table with 3 columns: County, 1930, 1929. Rows include Kent, Muskegon, Oakland, Jackson, Ingham, Macomb, Calhoun, Kalamazoo, Saginaw, Van Buren, Monroe.

The record this year, compared with last year's, shows a decrease in the number of fatal accidents in Michigan counties in the unenviable first and second place with tremendous increases; while Oakland county, usually in the lead, is in third place with a reduction of two, while Monroe county, which held second place at the close of 1929, is down to twelfth place with a fine reduction of six fatalities, with an increase of 23.8 per cent for the entire state, while the increase in registration is only 19.4 per cent, shows there is plenty of room for improvement in walking,

driving or enforcement or all three of them and as much as the passenger car is killing at least 75 per cent and the pedestrian accounted for 90 per cent of the fatalities, it looks as though you and I can help whether walking or driving.

If you are in doubt as to what you should do as a pedestrian, just watch some school child seven years of age cross the street, then do likewise for they are taught to Stop, Look, Listen. Before you cross the street. Use your eyes; use your ears. THEN use your feet.

Famous Violinist Added to Faculty Univ. of Michigan

The School of Music of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, has just announced the engagement of the distinguished violinist, Wassily Besekirsky, as head of the violin department, services to begin with the summer session on June 30. Mr. Besekirsky will take the place on the violin faculty made vacant by the resignation of Prof. Samuel F. Lockwood.

Mr. Besekirsky came to this country from Russia about fifteen years ago and was prevented from returning to Europe for a heavily booked concert season on account of the war. He was so delighted with America that he immediately took steps to become a naturalized citizen and was granted full papers at the expiration of the requisite time. In America he has won distinction as teacher of large classes of talented students in Boston, New York and Providence and has also won wide recognition as a performer having appeared under the most dignified musical auspices in the great music centers and as soloist with the Russian Symphony orchestra, with Stranisky in New York and in numerous appearances under Stokowski with the Philadelphia orchestra.

Relief from Curse of Constipation

A Battle Creek physician says: "Constipation is responsible for more misery than any other cause." But immediate relief has been found. A tablet called Rexall Orderlies has been discovered. This tablet attracts water from the system into the lazy, dry, evacuating bowel-called the colon. The water loosens the dry food waste and causes a gentle, thorough, natural movement without forming a habit or ever increasing the dose. Stop suffering from constipation. Chew a Rexall Orderlie at night. Next day bright. Get 24 for 25c today at the nearest Rexall Drug Store, Wm. N. Brodbeck. 16t32

ing under his father, also a distinguished violinist of the Belgium tradition, won wide recognition at the Conservatory at Moscow, was Professor of Music at the Odessa Conservatory and in addition won recognition as a performing artist. When seventeen years of age he attracted the attention of Dr. Carl Muck who arranged a debut concert in Berlin which was so successful that engagements throughout Europe soon followed.

27,129 Patients Registered in Year at U. of M. Hospital

Last year a total of 27,129 patients were registered at the University of Michigan hospital, according to a report of Dr. Harley A. Haynes, director, included in the annual report of the president of the University for 1928-29, which has just been published.

This enrollment was almost equally divided between men and women. Most of those registered came from the state of Michigan, with only 795 from outside. Wayne county contributed 7,780 patients; Washtenaw was next, with 5,759.

Nearly 1900 patients, however, came from Oakland county, and nearly 1,200 from Genesee. Every county in the state was represented.

Dr. Haynes reports a grand total of 1,223 beds available for patients in the various divisions of the hospital, 724 in the great central building. Nearly 18,000 patients occupied these beds during the year. The largest number, seventeen per cent, coming for general surgery, sixteen per cent, registering for treatment in internal medicine, thirteen per cent for skin diseases and another thirteen per cent for children's diseases. Nearly twenty-five per cent of those treated were between the ages of fifteen and twenty-five years of age.

The total income of the hospital was a little over \$2,600,000. Of this amount, Dr. Haynes points out, only fifty-four per cent represents room and ward charges, though many hospitals make these charges cover all additional services rendered. At the University hospital each patient pays, in addition, only for whatever services may be required, such as X-rays, appliances and drugs, the charges for which are based upon actual cost as nearly as can be determined.

Advertisement for Smith's Cafeteria. Text: 'After Shopping Remember there are two good places to eat--at home and Smith's Cafeteria. 111 E. Jefferson South Bend, Ind. Sherland Bldg.'

Large advertisement for Phonone. Text: 'Phonone your CLASSIFIED "AD"'. Includes an illustration of a telephone and a person using a telephone.

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### Novel Contest Failed

More than 900 manuscripts were submitted by ambitious authors in The Atlantic Monthly prize novel contest for a purse of \$10,000. Judges were busy for three months reading the offerings, then were compelled to return each to the author, not one being found that reached the standard the magazine had established.

The story is not surprising. Literary talent has not been brought under the rules of mass production. Something more than a purse of gold is necessary if the divine spark is to be kindled. Only at infrequent intervals has the world of letters been enriched by the open contests for a medal or a sum of money. The best authors, as a rule, do not enter the contests. Others respond because it offers them an opportunity, if, perhaps, they are able to produce.

James Whitcomb Riley always turned down those who were anxious to employ him to produce what they sought. He smilingly explained he was not engaged in contract labor, and should he make a contract, he felt entirely certain the muse would desert him. Poems and stories need to have something from the heart, something from the problems and experiences of human life and struggle, if there is to be a basis on which real writing may be done. The prize package offer fails to provide that necessary part.

### Chicago's Theatrical Blundering

Chicago is not using the best method in the war on gunmen ordered by officials following the murder of Jake Lingle, reporter for The Chicago Tribune. There will be no net results for order and decent government by noisy and furious conduct by the police. Gathering in the hoodlum element provides a sensational newspaper story for one day. Orders for a police shakeup show lack of tactical information and absence of sound judgment. Hoodlums will hide out, gangsters take a vacation, the criminal element will return and resume activities after the storm blows over.

Rounding up the hoodlums and gangsters is about as important as capturing a messenger along a battle line and paying no attention to the commanding general who is directing the battle. There are hundreds of underworld criminals in Chicago, all directed by a few men, and every sensible officer in that big city knows the name and location of the vice overlords. These men, with their ill-smelling millions, rest in peace while their hired hands are manhandled by policemen who are fooling no one by strenuous activities. Why not lay hands on the vice kings? Why putter around with the results and not try to seek the cause? The police tactics in evidence there are so old they have the odor of stale cheese.

Chicago is petulant and impatient, the Lingle murder makes trouble as the city is trying to prove its orderliness and promote the coming world fair there. It is putting on a rodeo with the crooks, but it is curing nothing. The crooked politicians will remain in office and continue working with the crooks when the rodeo is ended, vice lords will lose profits for a few weeks, but they can stand that, there will be bribes paid as usual. Chicago knows, and every other city knows, that crooks locate only in cities where they have an established relation with city government, and so long as they have that relation and pay their bribes they will stay. Let Chicago go ahead with all her theatrical raids and police gestures, but that is not the way to clean up the gangs. The net results will be nothing.

### Making Prisons Pay Their Way

There has been extensive discussion of prison conditions and ways and means to improve them. The demoralization of prison populations and the uprisings that result are due in part at least to the overcrowding and idleness. Yet very little has been said about the economic, along with the social, aspects of keeping prisoners employed.

With the increase in prison population there is corresponding increase in cost of establishments and maintenance. There must be extensive building to meet the urgent demand for additional room. Yet it would seem feasible and in every way desirable to industrialize our prisons to such an extent as to make them self-sustaining. Such a policy at the same time would give the idle employment, make them more content and would serve the humanitarian ends so strongly urged by sociologists and welfare workers.

There was a time when even incidental industry at prisons was opposed by both labor and capital as competitive, and, therefore, unfair. To have the federal or state governments "go into business" in competition with private enterprise was regarded as undesirable. Yet in many states prison industry is carried on to some extent and with good results.

Our prison population now has increased to more than 85 to the 100,000 general population. In 1904 it was only 69. The cost of maintaining this population, on the major part of it, in idleness falls on the public, including all engaged in industry. When a man is taken to prison he is removed as a competitive factor in his accustomed trade ranks

Why, from an economic standpoint, should he be isolated if he is able to earn his living?

### The Patchwork Quilts

Quilting bees or parties were common in Michigan's early days, the custom hardly has gone out of style in all rural localities. Men would have a corn husking on the same day, or a woodchopping, some excuse for being near the gathering at meal time. In those days every home had a bag or box in which bits of cloth were placed for later use as quilt scraps or carpet rags. The quilt scraps were cut over a pattern of cloth or paper, the colors arranged as the bits were sewed together, the blocks completed and then came the quilting, the work of putting those long lines of stitches diagonally across the quilt. Sewing machines were not used in the early day, the stitches were made by hand. The quilt would be stretched in the quilt frames, placed on the backs of four kitchen chairs, the women seated at the side of the quilt and the work of taking stitches and talking was put under way.

Early day customs called for gifts of a number of quilts and many times a blue and white woolen coverlet as a wedding present for a son or daughter. The favorite daughter might get one of the quilts made by the busy hands of grandmother. There are homes today where such quilts are owned and treasured. There are many men and women whose wedding presents included the quilts and they are shown with pride today.

In most places in the state quilting has disappeared, new quilts are not being made, factory-made bed clothing has become the most fashionable wedding presents, but the finest of all these products fails to arouse the sentiment that attaches to one of grandmother's quilts. One will visit with the days that are gone while inspecting the many beautiful quilts Michigan women have sent in for display.

Some of the girls have begun to look so dingy already from their sun tan that one doesn't know at first startled glance whether they've been playing golf or putting in coal.

The June bride in her gown, veil and roses looks so beautiful, sweet and guileless that it's almost impossible to believe that before another year has passed into the pockets of eternity that she'll be just another one of the countless army of spring housecleaners.

It used to be a girl couldn't even jump out of an auto without suffering a fractured hip, wrenched back, and severe face and scalp lacerations, but now she can jump out of an airplane without so much as turning an ankle.

The expedition to climb Kanchanjanga has been abandoned, the explorers having turned back disheartened before reaching the crest of the third syllable.

"Is any man worth a million a year?" queries The New York World. Ask the bride who owns one, but don't wait too long.

"Farming" confides a headline, "Is Much Like Mining," the inference being that if you do either you're in a hole.

We have yet to lose our first congressman from brain fever.

Inconsistency is one of the marked characteristics of the human race, and the man who brags about his imported liquor wants to flail the living daylight out of his boy for bringing bootleg fireworks into town.

It's about time for editorials to appear throughout the country on the joys and pleasures of making hay written by editors who hire their lawns out or else let their wives do it.

Among the little disappointments of life is to encounter the fragrance of fried onions as you approach home at supper time, and then discover that it belongs next door.

"Must we scrap the family?" inquires a magazine writer, but he failed to indicate whether he was speaking of his own or his wife's folks.

At the swimming pool one frequently realizes that there are a great many women whose attractiveness would be increased if they left more to the imagination.

The old-fashioned boy plucked daisy petals to see if his girl loved him, but the modern lad just picks up the telephone receiver.

Many a father gives a bride away and then finds that he's expected to include free board and room for two.

They say a barking dog never bites, but sometimes it would be a relief if he would and then shut up.

The third "We" is a wee we.

One advantage, at least, in holding conventions in this country instead of Canada, is that on your way home you don't have to worry about customs officers pouring out your souvenirs.

The automobile is about as near mechanical perfection as can be attained, but the trouble is we're still worrying along with the same old model brain.



## The Old Timer's Corner

### OLD TIMERS GATHER TOGETHER FOR "AULD LANG SYNE"

Well, the picnic was a success. The day was ideal, not too hot and not too cool. The tables set on the lawn with plenty of room and none to spare. About two hundred or more sat down and ate so much they could hardly navigate. I think one reason was that they had talked so much before "supper" with other "old timers" that even to exercise their jaws in eating was an effort. A lot of old timers were with us who had never been with us at these affairs before—Will Wood, Will Osborne and a lot more. It seemed mighty good to see them and we hope they liked themselves well enough to want to come again next year.

We were greatly disappointed in the crowd from Chicago. Only a few of the old "stand by's" came over. Mr. Buck and Mr. Aleshire, both of whom had promised to come, were unable to get away at the last minute. Many people asked me about them and we hope to have them there to see you all next time.

Maybe some of our readers think that "Old Timer" spends too much time talking about the picnics we have each year—but I can assure you that if you would come to one of them you would talk about it, too. It just fills a "long felt" want to see the old girls and boys now getting well along in years, but all are able to tell of some prank that you had "well nigh forgot" and to enjoy living over the past with you for all too short a time at these picnics.

The program was good. Everything was well done and not overdone. The dinner was the best we ever had. They will have to go some to do as well next time—but I suppose it will be even better. If it is I will certainly "bust" next time for sure, for I came very near doing it this time.

I want to assure all the old timers that were present that we appreciated their being there and hope they will be able to be with us next year. The day and date will be given in plenty of time for you to make your plans to come, and we shall certainly look for you everyone, and a lot more that couldn't be there this time.

I had a long letter from Milton Platt, which I read to the "bunch" and many other messages were received from those who would like to have been there.

A reunion of the class of 1894 was held that day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pears on Front Street. The original number of graduates was "13" of whom three are dead. Six were present. They were: Dr. E. J. Beistle, South Bend; Mrs. Jennie Edsall Jennings of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Adeline Kelsey Tarbell of Mishawaka; Prof. Earl S. Light of Elkhart; Rev. Ed G. Frye of Cleveland; Dr. C. B. Roe of Chicago. Two of our old teachers of high school days were with us, Miss Lilly Abell of Buchanan and Mrs. Anna Ivings of San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Ada Slocum Montague of New York City; Mrs. Lottie Thayer Smith of Los Angeles; and Mrs. Mrs. William Sloice of Constantine, were unable to come. Those that were present on are Harry I. Bronson, Lloyd Dumbold and May Brewer. We all had the pleasure of seeing May's mother at the picnic and hope to see her many more times.

So last Saturday, June 28th, was a busy and happy day for yours truly.

OLD TIMER.

Kept Tab on Her: Mrs. Knags: You can't fool me. I know you through and through. I haven't been your wife 42 years for nothing.

Her husband: I should say you have not. Your monthly allowance checks will prove that.

### Holmes Composes Ode To House Fly

Editor Record,  
 One of the pleasures of life in ye olden time was the house fly, which we had in quantity. After we had gotten into the new home in 1891, with the rough coat plastered walls, and with no such thing known as a window screen, the ceilings would be covered with the pests. There were a number of hornet nests in the timber just across the road and those birds did what they could to relieve our trouble. There would be, on fair days from a dozen up to the hundreds flying about the room catching and eating flies. Mr. Hornet would fly about the room near the ceiling until he caught his fly and then hang head down by his hind two feet and enjoy his feast, and start for another. No one tried to bother the hornet. As first assistant to the hornets I had a good sized pet toad who roosted on top of the back step, behind the facing of the porch. I placed Mr. Toad on the top rail of the lower sash and let him get his fill. If a fly came within three inches of the toad it was caught. Besides that the lady of the house cut slices of bread large enough to cover the top of an ordinary tumbler, cut a hole in the center, and smeared one side with molasses. Then she turned the smeared side down over the tumbler, which had been filled to within a half inch of the top with suds, and whenever she came within reach of it, gave the slice a tap, keeping this up until the tumbler was filled.

Another contributor to comfort was the old-fashioned "pounding barrel," a contrivance for washing clothes, a barrel of about forty gallons, tapering from the bottom and when not in use for washdays was set under the eaves to catch rain water and breed mosquitos. As time passed some good genius contrived an open weave called mosquito bar, considerable of an improvement, then followed an wire cage trap.

There was at one time an example of "co-operative farming" started in that neighborhood, when my father and neighbor, David Best, bought a McCormick reaper, on the half and half basis. It worked fine until harvest time, then on Monday, July 5, Mr. Best's wheat was ready to cut, while father's did not get ready until Monday, July 5. Best had the machine and his his wheat and father waited. Next year father bought Best out and there was no more of the co-operative interest. We used that McCormick as long as it lasted and then bought a Walter A. Wood with the Manny seirake and it was my duty to act as captain and chief engineer in the running of that craft the last day of it was on Sunday, July 15, 1871, eighteen months after I became part owner of the Record and was living in town. We cut the eighteen acre field directly south of the buildings.

J. G. Holmes

"How you done know they had them four thousand years ago?"

"Cause my mammy done told me that the Bible says that King Solomon took the Queen of Sheba into the banquet hall and he fed her wine and nectar."

"Bad Advice"

"Dad, gimme a penny?"

"Son, don't you think you're getting too big to be forever begging for pennies?"

"I expect you are right, dad. Gimme a dollar."

### Forty Years Ago

From Record, issue of July 3, 1890  
 John G. Holmes, Editor

Benton Harbor has her population marks set at 3,600. Harvey Rough has been south the past week in the interests of the wagon works.

The camping out season is on in full force, with a party from this place at Hudson Lake this week.

Benton Harbor will celebrate to the best of her ability tomorrow. Among the attractions will be a bicycle tournament.

Misses Annie Treat and Lizzie Straught have finished the course of State Normal and returned home. They have both contracted to teach in Champion, Marquette County, the coming school year at good salaries.

The extremely hot weather we

have been having during the past week has made it necessary to use the utmost care regarding health. There are a number of alleys around town that have not been cleaned this spring and some of them smell pretty loud. There is also an occasional pig pen that might be cleaned. It is also the habit of some housewives to throw their slops in a hole close by the back kitchen door. These are as perfect disease breeders as it is possible to contrive. If you are too lazy to make any other disposal of slops and must have a place about the premises, keep a barrel of lime and throw some of it over the place every few days.

Notwithstanding the fact that one lady came near being killed by the nuisance, the practise of leaving cows tethered along the streets continues. They have no business to be left any such way. The committee on sports has contracted with an aeronaut to make a balloon ascension and parachute jump in this place as one of the leading attractions of the young people's picnic August 6. A number of other important entertainments will be provided.

The hot weather of the past week has been pretty tough on the human family. More cases of sunstroke than is common for a whole summer are reported, and a large number are fatal. Forty deaths from this cause are reported in Chicago Sunday.

Henry Lough has brought quite a number of curiosities from Florida. Among them is the tanned skin of a diamond-backed rattlesnake, 8 1/2 inches wide and quite long. It may be seen in his jewelry store. It will make you want to go to Florida on a picnic.

Large sizes in black alpaca coats just received, Weaver & Co. 1500 N. Michigan St. Miss Beach's Curling Club, Sold by Mrs. J. P. Binn.

For 15 cent fast black hose that will not crock or stain, the feet go to S. P. High.

### Game Department Studies Annual Growth of Trout

What is the normal annual growth of an adult fish?

The fish division of the department of conservation is learning, so far as rainbow trout are concerned, and the facts seem to indicate that there is no consistent growth.

Of 35 adult trout measured in two successive years, the growth ran from a half inch to four inches.

Every spring when trout are captured for spawn stripping at Junction Dam on the Manistee river, they are examined for tags. The trout, after the stripping and before they are carried on over the dam, are tagged with a numbered metal tag. Records for each fish show the late location,

sex and length of the fish when tagged.

Through the later capture of these fish, it is possible to determine something of their migratory or non-migratory habits and their relative annual growth.

Fifteen of the fish tagged at Junction Dam in the spring of 1929 were recaptured this spring at the same location. Eight of these fish had been placed above the dam after the original tagging, indicating that they had gone down below the dam and were coming up again to the same place to spawn. Two of the fish had been tagged last year at Stronach Dam.

Practically all of the tagged fish were from 20 to 27 inches long. Three of the recaptured fish had grown four inches during the past year. Five had grown three inches and the others from half an inch to three inches.

Further indications of rainbow trout migrations across Lake Michigan were reported by J. P. Marks, assistant superintendent of state fish hatcheries, who had supervision of the trout work at Junction Dam.

Two rainbows, tagged by Smith brothers, commercial fishermen at Port Washington, Wis., north of Milwaukee, came up the Manistee river this spring to spawn.

All trout are tagged on the gill covers. Despite the fact that this had been found to be the most effective and the least harmful place to place a tag, fifty of the two thousand or more fish examined bore evidences of once having had a tag, which was since torn or rubbed off.

All records for each succeeding year are being accurately kept by the Fish Division and the results will be used in connection with results of tagging operations now being carried on by the Institute for Fisheries Research.

The cost of living in the Irish Free State has dropped materially this year.

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### FOR SALE

**QUALITY CHICKS**—We have the largest, most modern hatchery in S. W. Michigan, now hatching 7,500 chicks per week. B. Rocks, R. I. Reds, W. Leg. Pekin ducklings, 25¢; custom hatching—hens, 40¢; ducks, 35¢; turkeys, 65¢. Settings, Wednesday. For greatest profit get our high record stock. Prof. Smith, Berrien Springs Hatchery. Phone 1531V.

**FOR SALE**—Few slightly used gas and oil ranges cheap, ask for Mr. Simmonds, Michigan Gas & Electric Co. 2411C

**FOR SALE**—152 acre farm, known as the A. A. Harner farm, to settle estate. George P. Sunday, Beroda, Mich. adm. 2518P

**FOR SALE**—A h. d. gasoline engine, black walnut bedstead, springs and mattress, range, table, spinning wheel, Albert Nutt, West South St. 2517P

**FOR SALE**—Two registered Holstein bull calves, 6 weeks old. H. R. Adams. 2512C

**FOR SALE**—Brood sows due to farrow soon. Elmer Clark, Niles, Buchanan Road. 2513P

**FOR SALE**—Sow and ten pigs, also 50 Guernsey bull calf, 3 months old. Clarence Cuffman. 2512P

**FOR SALE**—Baby car and portable phonograph at bargain. 1211W Chicago St. 2711P

**FOR SALE**—Combination coon and mink bound puppets they are of the best and cheap. Guy Best, Gallien Mich. Phone 3822. 2611C

**FOR SALE**—Ford truck with good condition. Good tires. Grain and stake body. Wood car. Phone 294. Glenn Haslett, 511 N. Detroit St. 2611P

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—Summer cottage, furnished, at Clear Lake Woods, July 3 to 15, August 1 to 15, 39¢ per week. Inquire L. D. Campbell, Phone 356. 2611P

**FOR RENT**—Five room modern house with garage. Call 316. N. Portage or phone 62. 2611C

**HOUSE FOR RENT** or sale at 305 N. Oak St. For information write Mrs. Florence Ruhf, Edwardsburg, Mich. 2611C

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment. Mrs. Raymond, 506 Days Ave. Phone 2651V. 2611C

**FOR RENT**—Three room apartment with private bath, clean and cheap. Furnished or unfurnished. 111 Front St. 2611C

**FOR RENT OR SALE**—Six room house, not modern. Price reasonable. Inquire at The Buchanan State Bank. 2613C

### WANTED

**WANTED**—Reliable man, between the age of 25 and 50 to supply the gold established demand for Rawleigh Good Health Products in Cass County. Surety contract required. Company furnishes everything but car. Good profits for hustlers. Write the W. T. Rawleigh company, Report III, or see C. D. Nagle, 307 Liberty Ave., Buchanan Mich. 2611P

**WANTED**—Washings, 207 S. Portage Street. Phone 141V. 2611P

**WANTED**—Reliable man to run McNeess business in S. W. Berrien county. Wonderful opportunity. Make \$8 to \$15 daily. No experience or capital needed. Write today. McNeess Company, Dept. B, Report III. 2611P

**WANTED**—Plain sewing at my home. Helen Schmalzried, 410 Fulton Street. 2611P

### MISCELLANEOUS

**CUSTOMERS**—I am ready to furnish you with washings. L. D. Voorhees, 701 Main St. 2517P

**SILK BERTS**—In colors, also imitation angora berets. New summer sweaters and blouses at the Style Shop, Mrs. E. F. Kulis, 228 E. Front Street. 2611C

**CUSTOMERS**—I will be at my home on Main Street with plenty of bass and crappie minnow. Over the Fourth, 15 and 25¢ per dozen. L. R. Voorhees. 2611P

**SCRATCH PADS**—Assorted sizes at 10¢ per pound. Record Office. 2611P

**GLASSES FITTED**—C. L. Strauch, 118 California. New room every Thursday. No extra charge for house calls. Phone 148. 441C

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1930.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Frances Wolkins, deceased. Myrtle Andrews having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Clayton Smith or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of July, A. D. 1930, at nine o'clock in the forenoon (Standard Time) at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

WILLIAM H. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate.

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

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

At a session of said court held at the probate office in the city of St. Joseph in said county, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1930.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Katharine Susan, deceased. Rolla Munro having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to J. C. Chapman or to some other suitable person, and the petition of Rolla Munro and Harry Herbert Munro praying that said court appoint J. C. Chapman and Harry Herbert as executors of said estate.

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

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1st insertion July 3; last July 17 DISTRICT COURT of the United States, Western District of Michigan, Southern Division.

In the Matter of John E. Bowman, bankrupt, No. 4123 in Bankruptcy.

On this 28th day of June, A. D. 1930, on reading the petition by said bankrupt for discharge, it is Ordered by the Court, That a hearing be had upon the same on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1930, before said court, at Grand Rapids in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and that notice thereof be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered by the Court, that the clerk shall send, by mail, to all known creditors, copies of this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness, the Honorable Fred M. Raymond, Judge of said court and the seal thereof, at Grand Rapids, in said district, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1930.

Attest: Orris J. Sluiter, Clerk.

By Augustus Wingood, Deputy Clerk.

### State Protects Wild Life of Isle Royale

With the tourist colony on Isle Royale increasing rapidly every year and the necessity of added protection to the island's forests and wild life, two representatives of the department of conservation are now stationed permanently at the place.

The two men are: Richard Lahn, conservation officer, who is guarding the wild life and supervising the commercial fishing industry in the vicinity, and Ellsworth St. Germain, fire warden.

The island, during the summer, is headquarters for a large colony of commercial fishermen. Recently a patrol boat was sent to the island and is being used constantly to patrol around the island on the lookout for possible forest fires.

The two men will be on the island until snowfall and will return again next spring as soon as ice conditions will permit.

Hugh E. Green, chief conservation officer, and H. R. Sayre, chief warden, recently made an inspection of the island and conditions there.

"Two years ago," Mr. Green said, on a visit to the island we found it necessary to go to the island lakes to see moose. During the last trip we saw at least twenty-five of them feeding along the lake shore. All of the moose we saw seemed to be in good shape and apparently came through the winter well.

### Petrol Scouts Trace Oil in S. E. Michigan

Spurred on by the fact that five successful oil wells have been brought in in Southeastern Michigan, prospecting companies and individual drillers have taken leases on thousands of acres in that locality. They are positive that there is an oil dome in this section, starting in the lower part of Washtenaw county and extending in the shape of a great inverted 'V' down into Monroe and Lenawee counties and thence across the state line into Ohio.

Although at the present time the oil development in this section is almost insignificant compared with that of the Mt. Pleasant and Muskegon fields, past circumstances and the discovery of oil in small quantities seem to bear out the confidence of those interested in this field. Up to the present time the difficulty appears to have been the lack of proper drilling facilities and management. New capital is now being attracted to the field and the possibilities for the production of oil in large quantity are becoming distinctly brighter.

Some years ago the Deerfield Oil and Gas Company and its predecessors drilled three oil wells in Dundee township in the western part of Monroe county. These wells found oil in small quantities and are still producing. Sporadic thrusters for oil has been made in the locality for some time, but were usually abandoned by the drillers not because they believed that oil was not to be found, but because of physical difficulties which their more or less makeshift equipment could not overcome.

Last year saw the beginning of a more intensive effort to develop the field. In March Cilly and Sheehan started drilling on the Huntley lease, which is located about four miles northwest of the original wells. After numerous failures the drillers are now down to a depth of 2,260 feet or 65 feet into the Trenton pay sand, and are planning on drilling 100 feet deeper before shooting the well.

History also lends substance to the possibilities of oil in this territory. The first well of record in Monroe county was drilled in 1887 on what was known as the Bullock farm, located in Dundee township. It is said that this well flowed freely when the Trenton limestone was struck at 2,160 feet, and then for some unknown reason the well was plugged.

A bright feature of the Monroe county drilling has been the fact that the five wells already shot in Dundee township have produced oil and none have turned out to be "busters." The oil produced tests higher than the Pennsylvania oil and is of such quality that it will bring about \$3 a barrel at present market prices. It is the aim of the Mole Oil company to achieve a daily production of 250 barrels, which they estimate will warrant the construction of a pipe line to the field. The present output of the field is being shipped to a Toledo refinery.

Leases for oil and gas rights to thousands of acres in Deerfield township surrounding the field, have been acquired by S. J. Lowrey of Dearborn, who is active in the development of lower Michigan fields.

While a roll call of Monroe county's oil fields at the present time would not loom large, it is the actual presence of oil and the possibilities which make it significant.

Monroe county, in close proximity to Detroit and Toledo, lends itself to the imagination as an oil producing center. It would be a simple matter to run an oil line from the new field to the great refinery of the White Star Refinery Company, located at Trenton which has sprung up during the last year and is being expanded continually.

It is known to have oil in paying quantities. Developments at Mt. Pleasant and Muskegon have proved successful and Monroe will be touched next by the magic wand of "Black Gold." It is certain that the remainder of the current year will see an intensive effort being made on the part of drilling companies and leaseholders in that section to produce greater results.

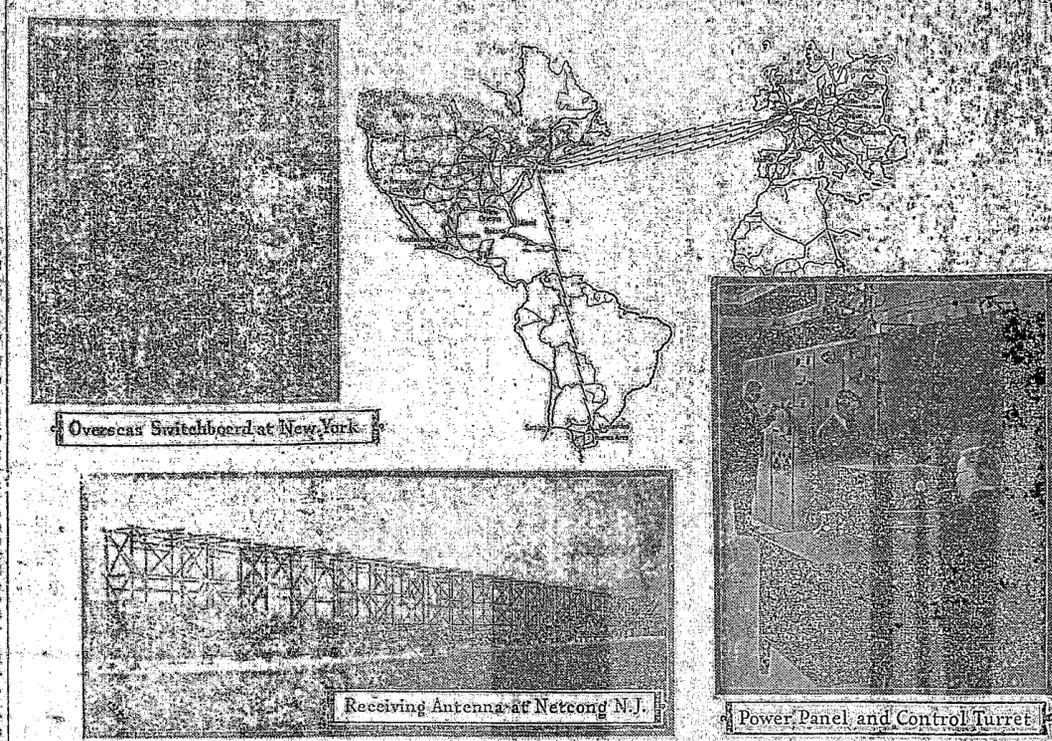
### U. S. Rushes Plans For \$550,000,000 Building Program

Plans and specifications for a nation-wide program of federal construction are being pushed to completion by a staff of 200 men working under the direction of the supervising architect of the Treasury Department and it is expected that \$500,000,000 in contracts will be in force before Jan. 1, 1931.

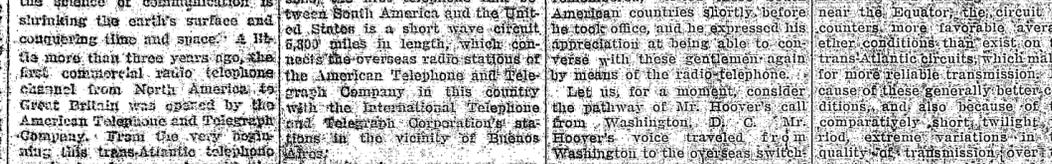
Perry K. Heath, assistant secretary of the treasury, told the annual meeting of the Michigan Bankers' association at Grand Rapids this week.

The government's huge building program contemplates the expenditure of \$368,000,000 outside the District of Columbia and \$190,000,000 in the city of Washington, and it is proposed to spend the bulk of these funds as soon as the

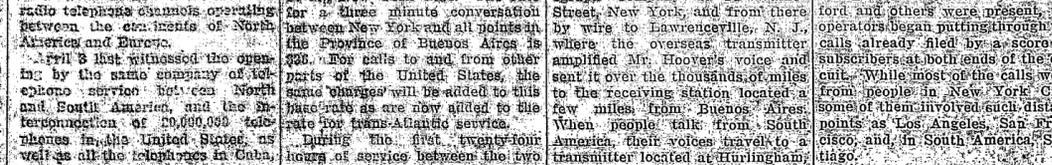
## Radio Telephone Circuit of 5,300 Miles Connects Bell System Telephones With South America



Overseas Switchboard at New York



Receiving Antenna at Netcong N. J.



Power Panel and Control Turret

Slowly, but surely, progress in the science of communication is shrinking the earth's surface and conquering time and space. A little more than three years ago, the first commercial radio telephone cable from North America to Great Britain was opened by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. From the very beginning this trans-Atlantic telephone service has been popular with the public, and it has steadily gained in use. It will now have its fourth radio telephone circuits operating between the continents of North America and Europe.

On 31st last, the company of telephone service between North and South America, and the transportation of 20,000,000 telegrams in the United States, as well as all the telegrams in Cuba, and all the telegrams in Mexico and Canada, with its telephone station in the Argentine Republic and the cities of Santiago, in Chile, and Montevideo, in Uruguay. Plans are now being made to connect it with other central stations as we have already shortened the distance across the Atlantic Ocean to this continent by Europe.

The first link between the continents of Europe and North America was a long wave radio telephone circuit which has since been superseded by three short wave circuits.

For various scientific reasons, the first telephone link between South America and the United States is a short wave circuit 5,300 miles in length, which connects the overseas radio stations of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in this country with the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation's stations in the vicinity of Buenos Aires.

This service will be in operation for eight hours daily, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., New York time. The rate for a three minute conversation between New York and all points on the Province of Buenos Aires is 32¢. For calls to and from other parts of the United States, the same charges will be added to this base rate as are now applied to the rate for trans-Atlantic service.

During the first twenty-four hours of service between the two continents, all calls were received from various portions of the United States to Buenos Aires and to Santiago. The service was opened by Mr. Walter S. Gilbert, President of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, after introductory speeches had been made by President Hoover and Acting Secretary of State Colton. The President of Uruguay, and Mr. Colton, the Acting Secretary of State, to the Uruguayan Minister for Foreign

Affairs. The President, as will be remembered, visited these South American countries shortly before he took office, and he expressed his appreciation at being able to converse with these gentlemen again by means of the radio-telephone.

Let us, for a moment, consider the pathway of Mr. Hoover's call from Washington, D. C. Mr. Hoover's voice traveled from Washington to the overseas switchboard located at the offices of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company at 24 Walker Street, New York, and from there by wire to Lawrenceville, N. J., where the overseas transmitter amplified Mr. Hoover's voice and sent it over the thousands of miles to the receiving station located a few miles from Buenos Aires.

When people talk from South America, their voices travel to a transmitter located at Hurlingham, Argentina, and from there, by radio, to the American Telephone and Telegraph Company's receiving station at Netcong, N. J. Here the voice is re-amplified and sent by wire over the regular telephone system to the person speaking on the American end of the circuit.

For the present there will only be a single talking circuit composed of two radio channels. These channels will be operated on three different pairs of wave lengths, each pair being used for a different time of day. Running in a direction at a slight angle to the meridian and having its center near the Equator, the circuit counters more favorable average other conditions than exist on the trans-Atlantic circuits, which makes for more reliable transmission. Because of these generally better conditions, and also because of the comparatively short twilight period, extreme variations in the quality of transmission over the circuit are materially reduced.

Shortly after the ceremonies which President Hoover, Mr. Gifford and others were present, the operators began putting through the calls already filed by a score of subscribers at both ends of the circuit. While most of the calls were from people in New York City, some of them involved such distant points as Los Angeles, San Francisco, and in South America, Santiago.

President Hoover's greeting to President Juan Campeseguy of Uruguay contained the following, which expresses the President's views on the importance of international communication.

"These increasingly numerous ties, created through the cooperation of scientific endeavor and commercial necessities, form the material part of the strong bond, the other part of which is intellectual and spiritual fraternity, that fortunately exists between our two countries."

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## CAMP WARREN TO OPEN FOR SUMMER PROGRAM MON.

### JUNIOR GIRLS ASSEMBLY TO BE HELD FIRST WEEK WASHBURN DIRECTOR

Summer activities at Camp Warren, the vacation ground of the Berrien County Sunday School association, will begin Monday July 7, with the assembly of juniors for girls, age 9 to 11.

Fred Washburn of Benton Harbor is superintendent of the camp this year. Mrs. Washburn is the director of the girls' camp and O. Nelson, secretary of the Berrien county Sunday School association is the educational director. They will be assisted by a staff of competent young men and women.

The Berrien County Sunday School Association has expended \$20,000 in the grounds and improvements. The camp is located on the shore of Lake Michigan north of Benton Harbor, and comprises about 30 acres of ground with a frontage of 1,000 feet on the lake, with a fine sandy beach sloping gently into the lake. The grounds contain beautiful wooded hills, a fine athletic field, tennis courts, baseball diamond, golf course, etc. A large dining hall will accommodate 150 at one time and a large auditorium takes care of public meetings. There are fifteen cottages, equipped with running water and electric lights.

Who May Attend Camp?—Any boy or girl in Berrien county, or neighboring counties, who is ten years old and over may attend Camp Warren. Good sportsmanship and fair play is expected of all the campers.

2—The cost, exclusive of transportation, is \$1 for eight days; \$1 should be sent with application to assure reservation. A little extra money to cover notebook, pencil, hand work, candy, ice cream, etc. will be needed.

3—Each camper should bring sufficient clothing for large bathing, and should include such equipment for baseball, tennis, and other games the camper may be interested in. Also bring a Bible, blank sheet, pillow slip, bathing suit, brush and comb, tooth brush, etc. A camera will prove a delight to the camper.

4—The program includes athletics, swimming, games, fellowship, study courses, good social times, nature study, camp craft, personal interviews, inspirational addresses, camp fires, stories, self-expression, hikes, handwork, treasure hunts, and all-round development.

A high grade faculty and group leaders are carefully chosen. One leader is elected each week. The leader is housed in the cottages with the campers. Campers never go onto the lake, or leave the grounds without a leader.

Vesper Point—Vesper services are conducted at the close of each day, on Vesper Point overlooking Lake Michigan. Here one can sit under the trees and watch the beautiful sunset over the lake. A quiet and reverent attitude is maintained at this service for it is the daily worship service of the camp. One can really feel the presence of God as he hears the whisper of the wind through the trees and the leaping of the waves on the beach looks into the glorious sunset, extravagant in color painted by the hand of Nature. Campers agree that this is the best hour of the day.

Michigan Bell Pays State Tax of \$3,227,943.37

The net earnings from 217,000 telephones were required to pay the Michigan Bell Telephone Company's total 1929 tax bill of \$3,227,943.37 on June 30.

The Michigan Bell Telephone Company's total 1929 tax bill of \$3,227,943.37 on June 30, the company's state tax was paid in the form of a check to Auditor General O. B. Fuller, and goes into the Michigan primary school fund. The total tax payment represents \$692 for each telephone in service during 1929.

Since 1911 the Michigan Bell Telephone Company has paid into the state treasury more than \$20,250,000, of which \$2,224,000 has been paid during the last five years, the record shows. The tax paid the state by the telephone company this year was \$238,370.97 larger than that paid a year ago.

In addition to the state tax, the total taxes paid by the company this year amounted to more than \$700,000, and miscellaneous local taxes totaled approximately \$10,000.

Assessed valuation of the company was \$84,102,017,500, an increase of \$10,417,500 over the 1928 assessment. Of that total \$17,500 represents the assessment on three small companies purchased by the Michigan Bell company this year. The tax rate was \$1.04 per \$1,000, the highest ever levied.

The state tax paid this year is the largest in the telephone company's history. The total tax paid by the company for 1929 amounts to \$10,866 per day.

Repetition—Well, asked the speaker at the retailers' dinner of a gentleman who had bravely listened to him, "was my speech to your liking?"

"Was there any part of it that seemed to hold you more than another?" the speaker inquired.

"Well, you know, you have asked me. I'll tell you, said the attentive listener. "What took hold of me most, sir, was your presence, the way you went over the same thing again and again."

They Do Their Duty—The Georgia court of appeals has decided that it is not only the right but the duty of a woman to assist her husband by back-seat driving. A ray of light appears, however, if back-seat driving has now become the law, or if the land perhaps it will become fashionable to disobey it.

Univ. of Michigan Over Nine Million—Facts of interest concerning the financial status of the University of Michigan as a huge business corporation are revealed in the report of Shibley W. Smith, vice-president and business manager of the University of Michigan, included

in the president's report for 1929-30, just published. Thus it is shown that a saving of over \$50,000 was made for the state in the appropriation of \$350,000 for the purchase of the site for the Michigan League building, the great women's club, recently completed to which \$1,000,000 was contributed by the women graduates. Something over \$11,000,000 also being saved through an interchange of power with the Detroit Edison Company, which purchases extra power generated at the University Power Plant.

A total of 4,642 tons of coal are used annually to heat and light the University. This is almost double the amount necessary seven years ago.

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Church of Christ**  
J. L. Griffith, Pastor  
Bible study and worship service at 10 a. m. Bible study, "Abraham, a Pioneer of Faith," Text, Gen. 2: 5-13; Heb. 11: 8-10. Sermon subject, "The Man that Needs Me."

The Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6:30 p. m. Junior topic, "What Would Jesus Do Were He In Our Town?" Junior leader, Miss Thelma Howard. Senior topic, "Joys and Dangers When Away from Home." An open forum will be conducted by the leader.

Mid week service Thursday evening at 8 p. m. William Bohl, Sr. will conduct the meeting. A study of Balaam—Who? What and Why?

Scout Troop No. 42 will meet on Thursday at 7:15 p. m. Every meeting brings something new and helpful.

Preaching service Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "A Man's Christ." What is your conception of Christ?

The monthly business meeting of the church will be held at the church Monday, July 7th at 8 p. m.

**Redeemer Lutheran Mission**  
O. E. Sohn, Pastor  
Corner Front and Main, 2nd floor  
There will be no service June 29th, as the pastor is attending the Michigan district convention of the Lutheran church.

**Evangelical Church**  
Rev. W. D. Hayes, Minister  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Rev. M. Wayne Womer of Detroit, will speak at 11. His subject will be "Keeping the Sun in Sunday."

Leagues at 7.  
There will be a union service at the M. E. church at 8. Dr. Marshall, picture artist, will give an illustrated lecture.

Prayer meetings Thursday at 8. Plans are on foot for our Sunday School picnic.

The pastor and his family are going on a few days vacation. You are cordially invited to attend our services.

**Christian Science Church**  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.  
Sunday service at 11 a. m.  
Subject, "God."  
Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45.

Reading room, located in the church at Dewey avenue and Oak Street, is open each Wednesday afternoon from 2 till 4 o'clock.

**Christian Science Churches**  
"Christian Science" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science Churches on Sunday, June 29.

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon was the following from the Bible "And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you forever." (John 14:16).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The time for the reappearing of the divine healing is throughout all time; and whosoever layeth his earthly all on the altar of divine Science, drinketh of Christ's cup now, and is endowed with the spirit and power of Christian healing." (p. 55.)

**Methodist Episcopal Church**  
Thomas Rice, Pastor  
A cool worshipful church building is very delightful on a summer day, such is our church. Music and message will help you come.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock. The lessons studied furnishes both food for thought and spiritual and mental development.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Each member of the choir will have charge of the music during the summer months. This week John Hess will be in charge. He

will be glad to play request numbers, so if you have a favorite selection you would like to have him play, see him or call him up. Sermon subject, "Are We Free?" Epworth Leagues at 6 and 7. Francis Hiller made a delightful leader last Sunday night, the talk he gave being most helpful to everyone present.

There will be a union service in this church at 8 o'clock when Dr. Marshall of Kalamazoo will give a unique picture on "Jewish Customs." Dr. Marshall is a very interesting speaker and his picture is quite different. Children, as well as adults, will enjoy this.

A meeting of the official board will be held at 7:30 Monday night. The 4th quarterly conference under the leadership of Dr. Meader will be held Thursday July 10 at 8 p. m. Members and friends of the church are cordially invited.

The Sunday School picnic will be held at Clear Lake Friday afternoon, July 11. Meet at the church at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Please bring dishes for the pot luck supper. Mr. Haslett and Arthur Johnston are in charge of transportation. Ruth Derno, Arthur Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Rice are in charge of sports.

A bake sale under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will be held Saturday, July 12, in the Clarence Runner store beginning at 9 a. m.

#### TAUBE-HOLCOMBE

Miss Blanch Holcome, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Holcome of Galien was married to Fred Taube, son of Rudolph Taube of Knox, Ind., June 28. The bride was lovely in a gown of white crepe de chine. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas.

Mr. and Mrs. Benfield of Carlisle, Ind., were the bride and groom for which the double wedding dinner was served. The table was decorated with fernery and sweet peas. A large wedding cake was beautifully decorated and baked by the City Bakery. There were forty-two guests present. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. George of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Good of Heston, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Benfield of Carlisle, Sherm McNearning of Mertonville, Ill., also Mr. and Mrs. F. Ochenryder, Mr. and Mrs. L. McGowan and Misses Martha and Elizabeth Ochenryder of Buchanan. Contributed.

**Benjamin Bittner**  
Announces for  
County Clerk

Benjamin H. Bittner of Sodus has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination as county clerk at the coming primary election.

Mr. Bittner has completed one term as county clerk. Prior to election to the office he served four years as deputy clerk under County Clerk Wagner. His earlier business and political experience included terms as clerk and treasurer of Sodus township and four years with the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Benton Harbor.

At the primary and general election two years ago, Mr. Bittner led the ticket at both elections.

**Minott All Stars**  
Lost 5-4 Contest  
to State Champions

The Minott All Stars of Benton Harbor lost a 5-4 game to the Spartans of Grand Rapids, state champions of last year, in a thrilling contest at the former's grounds Sunday. The state champs trailed the All Stars until the fourth, when they pulled into a 4-1 tie, in which state the game continued until a final spurt in the last inning netted a lone run for the visitors.

The Minott nine will start a road trip this week, playing in Lansing July 4, 5 and 6.

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### Five Brothers, One Sister Will Meet After Forty Years

C. W. Ryan will leave Saturday by train to attend a reunion of his family, consisting of one sister and five brothers and their families, to be held at Brewster, Kas., where two of the brothers live. One brother lives at Lodge Grass, Mont., another at Burlington, Colo., and the sister in Kansas. While in the west Mr. Ryan plans to visit at Denver and tour Yellowstone National Park. The five brothers and one sister will be entirely reunited for the first time in over 40 years.

### I. O. O. F. Lodge 75 Installs Officers

Installation of officers was held at the meeting of I. O. O. F. lodge No. 75 Tuesday evening, the following heads being inducted into office: noble grand, Joe Melvin; grand, Eldon Reed; conductor, Mr. Randall; secretary, Otto Reinke; treasurer, H. E. Sauter; wardens, Leo Dalrymple; night scene supporter, Charles Hoffman; left scene supporter, John Murphy; right supporter to Noble Grand, Harris Simpson; left supporter to Noble Grand, John Fydel; inner guardian, William Nelson; outside guardian, Leonard Dalenberg; and chaplain, Albert Brown.

### No Salv. Army Meeting July 4th

There will be no meeting in the Buchanan Salvation Army headquarters Friday evening, the regular meeting night coinciding with July 4.

### Niles-Buchanan Salv. Army Post Has New Leaders

Ensign William Kuchta, who has been in charge of the Niles-Buchanan Salvation Army post, has been transferred to another field, and his place here has been taken by Capt. Burke and Lieut. Sikke from the Chicago department.

### Patriotic Orders Say that Flag is Displayed Wrongly

Due to the complaints on the part of American Legion and D. A. R. members that the flag is being improperly displayed on holidays in Buchanan, the Record reprints the following rules regarding the etiquette of display:

The flag should be displayed only from sunrise to sunset, or between such hours as may be designated by proper authority. It should be displayed on national and state holidays and on historic and special occasions. The flag should always be hoisted briskly and lowered slowly and ceremoniously.

When the flag is displayed from a staff projecting horizontally or at an angle from the window sill, balcony or front of building, the union of the flag should go clear to the head of the staff unless the flag is at half mast.

When the flag of the United States is displayed in a manner other than by being flown from a staff it should be displayed flat, whether indoors or out. When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be uppermost and to the flag's own right, i. e., to the observer's left. When displayed in the same way, that is, with the union or blue field to the left of the observer in the street. When festoons, rosettes or drapings of blue, white and red are desired, bunting should be used, but never the flag.

When displayed over the middle of the street as between buildings, the flag should be suspended vertically with the union to the north in an east and west street or to the east in a north and south street.

When flown at half staff, the flag is first hoisted to the peak and then lowered to the half staff position, but before lowering the flag for the day it is raised again to the peak.

### COUNTY BOARD CONSIDERS ADDITION TO COURT HOUSE

PROPOSED ANNEX WOULD INCREASE FACILITIES FIFTY PER CENT.

Construction of an addition to the Berrien County court house, agitated for several years, looms as a definite possibility as the result of a vote of the board of supervisors empowering Chairman A. W. Baker to appoint a committee of five members to investigate and report their findings at the October session.

He named on the committee: Roy Clark, Benton Harbor; Sam Miners, Royalton; Dix Beeson, Three Oaks; Leon D. Case, Watervliet; Charles Forburger, Niles.

### Canadian Deported to Native Land for Crime of Burglary

Alfonz Degre, 19, a Canadian citizen who entered this country at Detroit on March 30, was given his choice of returning to his native country and serving five to fifteen years in Ionia by Judge Charles White Friday, and selected the first alternative.

Degre was arrested last month in Kalamazoo together with Lewis Cornell of Chicago on a charge of breaking and entering a garage at Stevensville. Both were bound over to the circuit court by Justice Collier. White placed Cornell on probation for two years.

### Bridgman Holding 6-Day Street Fair

A six day street fair and home coming celebration is in progress at Bridgman this week, opening Monday and continuing over the Fourth, finally closing July 5. Main Street to Maplewood is roped off every night for a street frolic. A feature of the fair is a ladies' popularity contest. The Main street is decked in gala attire for the event.

### SHERIFF SQUAD INVADES SODUS DEN OF THIEVES

BREAK UP BAND IMPLICATED IN LOCAL ROBBERIES IN PAST TWO YEARS.

Thieving operations in Berrien county, believed to date back for over two years, were brought to an end Friday afternoon when a squad of deputy sheriffs headed by Edwin H. Kubath invaded a den of robbers located in an old shack east of Sodus, arresting seven, two of them being taken only after a long chase and gun battle.

Those arrested include a father, mother, four grown sons, and a "girl friend" of one of the boys. They are: Louis Halse, 50; Sarah Halse, 63; Lonzo Halse, 21; Manuel Halse, 20; Elmer Dawson, 28; Dan Dawson, 29; Ethel Springer, 25, Dowagiac.

Complaints concerning the operations of the gang have been coming into the sheriff's office for several weeks. Early Friday the squad of county officers invaded the den, arresting the father, mother, Dan Dawson and the Springer girl, but were unable to locate the other two Dawson boys and young Halse. The Dawsons are the sons of Mrs. Halse by a former marriage.

### Portage Prairie

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Eisele entertained in honor of their china wedding anniversary Sunday. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Swartz, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swartz and daughter, Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mead and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beebe, Bend of the River, Mrs. A. W. Willard of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eisele, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Vite and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Houswerth, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cauffman, Miss Dorothea Eisele and Mrs. Eva Shiebach Edmonds, Oklanoma.

Mrs. Opal Jamison returned to her home Tuesday after spending a week with friends in Mishawaka.

Those spending the day in Chicago, Sunday, were Mrs. Clarence Kuntz, Adam Kuntz, Marguerite Kuntz, Adam Kuntz, Florence Mitchell, Lawrence Mitchell, Oscar Kundy and Wm. Kuntz of this place, Marjorie Neiswender of Buchanan, Noah Huffine, north of Niles, Roland Kuntz and Juanita Kepler of Bremen, Mrs. Amelia Estep, Miss Vera and Virginia Estep of Nappanee. They visited Sky Harbor airport.

Mrs. M. H. Vite and daughter and Mrs. G. A. Vite and daughter called on Mrs. L. B. Rough Sunday evening.

The Mission Band is preparing a program to be given in the church July 13. Free will offering for missionary work will be taken. Mrs. A. W. Willard spent several

days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eisele. Mr. and Mrs. John Swartz of Los Angeles, arrived at the A. H. Eisele home Sunday. When they arrived they received the sad news that Mrs. Swartz' sister, who will be remembered as Miss Kathryn Fields, had suffered a stroke of apoplexy at her home in Los Angeles. She was in splendid health when Mrs. Swartz left her only two weeks ago. Her condition is reported serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Eyrle Smith were the victims of a belling Monday evening at their home.

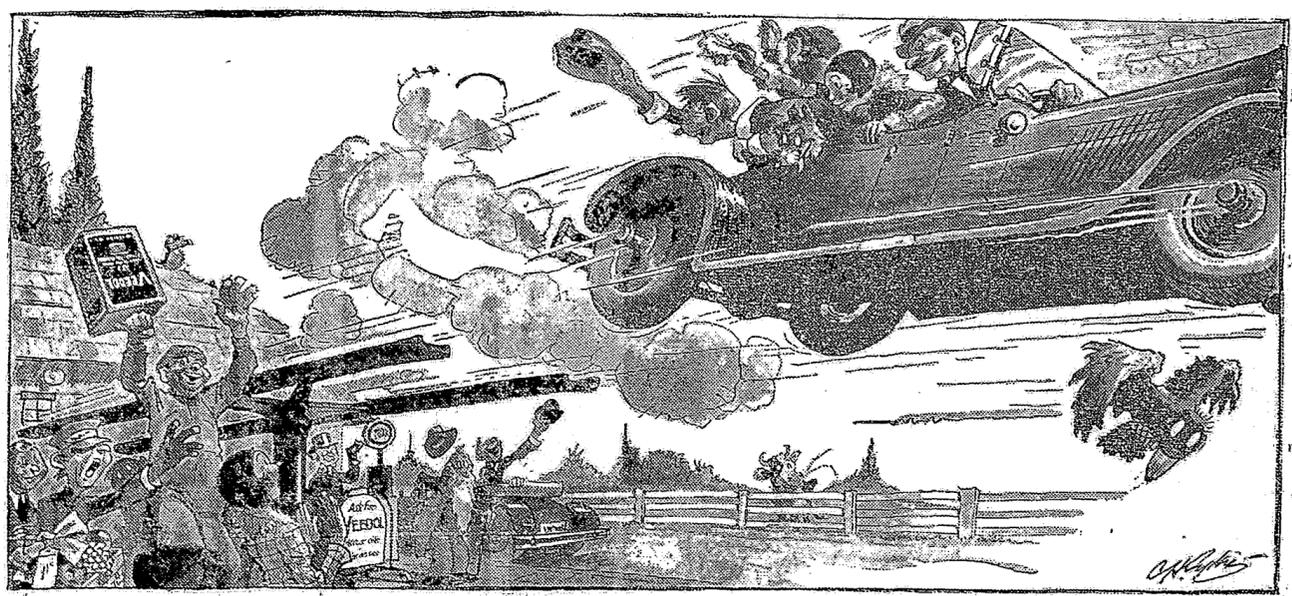
### G. A. R. Circles Guests at Picnic At Berrien Springs

Seventy-five ladies from Berrien G. A. R. Circles were guests of the Berrien Springs circle at a picnic held in Indian Fields Thursday, Adella Johnson of Niles, acted as chairman and short talks were made by Nellie Wilson, president of the Henry C. Rowe Circle, Benton Harbor; Maude Hall, president of the Niles Circle; Mabel Hafer, of the John A. Logan circle, St. president of the Sturgis Circle.

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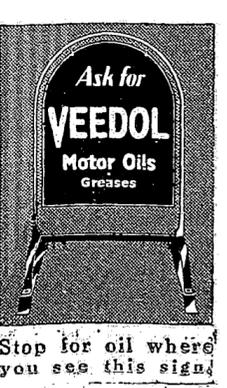
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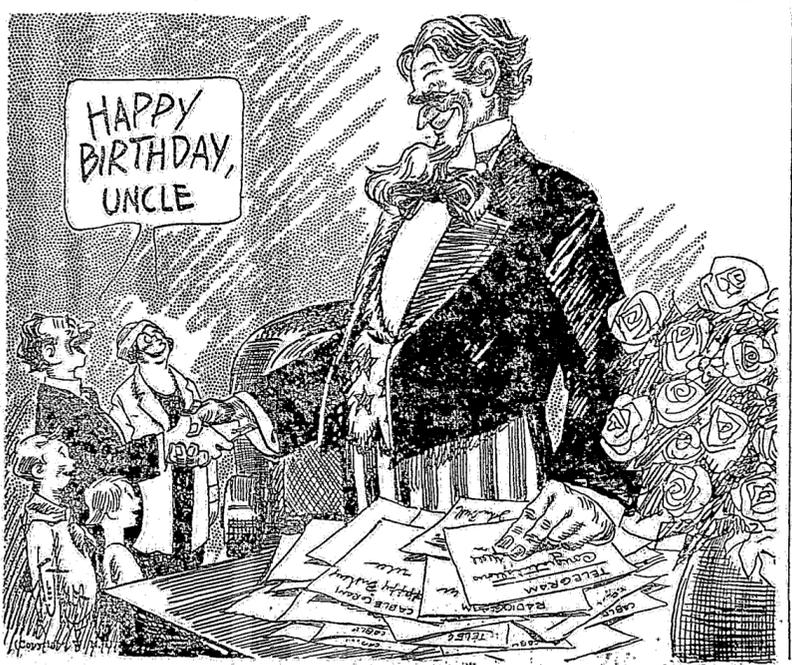
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