

DEBATERS DEFEAT ST. JOSEPH

Winter Tax, Due Dec. 10, \$4.34 Per \$1,000 Lower than Last Year

WILL DEBATE CENTERVILLE HERE TONIGHT

Locals are Undisputed County Champs by Wins Over St. Joe, Berrien Springs.

ADMISSION CHARGE 10c B. H. S. Won over Lawton and Covert in State League; 2 More to Qualify.

Buchanan high school's debating team, winner of four straight debates and undisputed champions by virtue of their victory over St. Joseph high school here Monday night, will meet the Centerville high school team...

Dr. Henderson of Niles, will Speak at High School Fri.

The Friday morning assembly program will begin at 11:15 o'clock and the speaker will be Dr. Henderson of Niles.

Lewis & Frisinger Still at Work on Niles-Galien Road

The Lewis & Frisinger grading outfit is now operating to start shovel work on the Niles-Galien M-60 route...

days still patronize Smith and place their orders regularly for boxes of "Our V" cigars.

BUCHANAN'S CIGAR MAKER DIED FRIDAY

Samuel Smith, Maker Choice Smokes Here for Over Forty Years.

ONCE MARINE ENGINEER Shop was Local Feature Here In Old Furniture Making Days.

Buchanan lost one of its old-time handicraftsmen during the past week with the passing of Samuel Smith, veteran cigar-maker, whose cigar factory was a town institution on Front Street in the days of the furniture factories forty years ago.

Smith died suddenly at his home at 201 South Oak Street about 7 p. m. Friday while he was dressing for the day.

He was born at Halifax, Penn., Oct. 1, 1849. His only surviving relatives are his wife, Mrs. Jane M. Smith and his daughter, Miss Maude Smith.

The following feature story of Smith's career was printed in the Record last April. His wife, Mrs. Jane Smith, states that it is the best and most authentic story now available of his career, and it is herewith reproduced.

For 47 years Sam has been rolling 'em on the same wooden bench and throughout that entire time, almost a half century, he has always sold them for the same price, five cents.

After working there for a short time he heard through a friend of the thriving sawmill and manufacturing town of Buchanan, Mich.

Portage Prairie Installed Officers in All-Day Meet

The Portage Prairie Grange held installation of officers at an all-day meeting at the Bertrand Town Hall Tuesday.

ROBERT BABCOCK RECOVERING FROM GUN SHOT WOUND

Robert C. Babcock, Buchanan man who was seriously wounded by an accidental shotgun discharge, is reported as being much improved, although still suffering much from his injury.

Madison Weaver, Buchanan Pioneer, Passed Away Dec. 7

Madison Weaver, 78, a well-known pioneer resident of the Buchanan district, died at 4 p. m. Sunday afternoon, Dec. 7, at the state hospital at Kalamazoo.

On June 4, 1879, he was united in marriage to Alice J. Mills of Hills Corners.

George Wynn of Buchanan, a member of the Western State Teachers College football team, which lost only a single game this year, was awarded a letter after the meeting of the athletic board of control Friday, as a member of the Varsity team.

Funeral services were held from the home of the daughter, Mrs. Edith Houk, 210 East Third St., Buchanan, conducted by Rev. J. J. Terry, a retired minister of the Church of Christ.

Rebekah Lodge Elects Officers

The Bayleaf Rebekah Lodge held annual election of officers at their meeting at the T. O. F. hall Friday evening.

PERCH PLANT IN DISTRICT IS 750,000

Planting in Lakes of District Unprecedented in Number and Size of Fish.

RUN UP RIVER CEASES But Sportsmen Still Taking Out Fry Which Have Not Gone Back.

The plant of perch and other fry taken from the St. Joe river below the Berrien Springs dam and placed in the lakes of this vicinity totaled nearly 750,000, according to figures furnished the Record by M. S. Sands, who was active in the dispersal to the lakes of the vicinity.

While the plantings consisted in large part of young perch, smaller amounts of wall-eyed pike, trout and other fish were included.

BUCHANAN GRID STARS MAKE GRADE

WYNN AT VARSITY QUARTER; PINGST, FERGUSON IN FROSH BACKFIELD.

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On the return from Bowling Green the squad, including Wynn, visited at Mammoth Cave.

Coach Gary is counting on Wynn as one of the strong aggregations in the Western State team next year.

Officer—Flag of truce, Excellency. His Excellency—What do the revolutionists want?

C. of C. Hoopsters Meets Ridgedale A. C.'s Here Dec. 17

The Church of Christ C. E. basketball team will meet the South Bend Ridgedale A. C. at the high school gym Wednesday, Dec. 17 at 8 p. m.

FORMER BUCHANAN WOMAN EXPIRES AT WATERVLIET FRI.

STELLA BOYER, SISTER OF MRS. DELORA BATTEN, IS LAID AT REST SUNDAY.

Mrs. Stella Wooden Boyer, 57, a resident of Buchanan for many years, died Friday at her home in Watervliet, quite a number from here attending the funeral.

Buchanan people attending the funeral Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gray and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, Mrs. Hazel Widing, Mrs. Fannie Barnes, Lester and Ray Batten.

I. O. O. F. Rebekah Assc. Met Last Night at Glendora

The Berrien County I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Association held its county-wide meeting last night at the Wolverine Gardens at Glendora, the Wessaw Lodge I. O. F. and the Glendora Rebekah lodges entertaining.

Salvation Army Suspends Sunday School for Winter

Lieut. Ada Sinke, in charge of the Buchanan outpost of the Salvation Army, states that the organization has found it necessary to suspend the Sunday afternoon Bible school here during the winter months, due to the difficulty of transportation and of heating and caring for the hall during that time.

Shipping Assoc. Ships Carload of Tubercular Cows

The St. Joe Valley Shipping Association billed out a carload of T. B. cattle Monday to Detroit, the shipment representing the clean up of the campaign which the state has conducted against the scourge of bovine tuberculosis in Berrien County.

Rebekahs to Hold Benefit Party for United Charities

The next meeting of the Rebekah Lodge will be held on the evening of Dec. 19, at which the customary Christmas party will be replaced by a benefit party, all the members bringing contributions for the United Charities.

Buchanan Kindergarten Establish Toy Hospital and First Aid to Santa

Have you any dollies that you have outgrown and which may be made young and blooming again by application of a little paint and other decoration after the manner familiar to the feminine gender?

And if you have any dancing dolls, or toy monkeys or elephants or any miniature wagons or automobiles that need only a little paint (no major repairs) to render them fit to again fill a stocking and enter into a brand new Christmas career, the kindergarten department is equipped to put them into condition.

Ransack the store room and see what you have. And remember, no broken stuff goes. Just the stuff that needs paint and a little refurbishing.

Hartford Will Be on Air Over On WLS Dec. 12

Hartford, enterprising Van Buren county community, will be on the air over WLS, Chicago, on Friday, December 12, at 12:40 p. m. with Don F. Spurgeon, Hartford editor as the speaker.

Both the village of Hartford and the rich fruit and farming country-side will be featured in the "Story of Hartford", together with some of the high lights of Van Buren county.

Holmes Compliments Engineers on Choice of Route for M-60

Editor Record, I am very thankful to "Dayton Subscriber" for the information regarding the route of "M-60." I have been quite interested in the accounts I have seen but in all of them had found only the points at Galien, Dayton and the town line road at the East Bakertown crossing and it was left to my imagination to fill in the balance.

Modern Woodmen Hold Election on Thursday Night

Annual election of officers was held at the meeting of Buchanan Camp No. 886, Modern Woodmen of America, in their hall Thursday night, the following being selected:

Rebate-Kissing Gates Rayleigh, Essex, Eng. Three of the six kissing gates in Loveland are to be repainted.

RATE \$35.20 FOR STATE CO. SCHOOL TAXES

City Treasurer-Ada Dacy-Sanders Collecting at City Hall.

DOG TAXES ARE DUE Collection Hours Are 9 a. m. Until 12 and 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

City property owners who may find tax payments more than ordinarily difficult this year can at least find solace in the fact that the rate is \$4.34 lower than last year, according to City Treasurer Ada Dacy-Sanders, who began collections Tuesday, Dec. 10, at which time the winter tax became legally due and payable.

Mrs. Dacy-Sanders has established daily office hours of 9 a. m. until noon and from 1 p. m. until 4 p. m. in the afternoon at the city hall to accommodate the tax payers.

The winter tax rate this year is \$35.20 per \$1,000 valuation, as compared with a rate of \$39.54 per \$1,000 last year.

BUCHANAN BOY PICKS ALL-TIME ALL-COUNTY 11

GRID FAN AWARDS HONORABLE MENTION LIST TO GEORGE WYNN.

Now that it is time for the All-American, All-Conference, All-Western, and all-what-not teams to be picked, a Buchanan boy has picked an All-Time All-County team from Berrien county.

The boy, who wishes to have his name withheld, has based his selections on what the player has accomplished in college.

Encampments of S. W. Michigan Meet Here Friday

The southwestern Michigan circuit of Encampment lodges will hold a general meeting with Buchanan Encampment No. 75, Friday evening, Dec. 12, in the local T. O. F. hall.

Mrs. Marie Dempsey Accepts Position at Grand Rapids

Mrs. Marie Dempsey left Friday to accept a position as advertising manager of the South Kent County News, published in Grand Rapids.

Now Here's the Proposition

The Kids Next Door Bi Haws Those kids next door—they just don't know; They say that Santa isn't so. They say this sleigh and reindeer stuff

Clark Equipment Company Christmas Party Given Dec. 24

The Clark Equipment Company will give its annual Christmas party for the children of its employees at the Clark Theatre on Wednesday, Dec. 23, beginning at 2 p. m.

Free Employment Service Opened at the City Hall

Free employment service has been opened at the City Hall in charge of City Clerk Harry Post.

Infant Son of Robt. Wagner Dies

Robert James Wagner, infant son of Joseph and Opal Reed Wagner, of Flint, Mich., died Thursday, Dec. 4, at the Epworth Hospital at South Bend, death being due to a non-contagious form of meningitis.

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GALLEN NEWS

Gallen Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sheeley of Chicago, returned home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse James.

The Rev. J. W. McKnight conducted the Buchanan church Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. L. W. Johnson of Buchanan entertained the Bible Base Ball club. Fifteen members were present and enjoyed the chili con carne supper which was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKnight were host and guests.

Mrs. L. W. Johnson and Mrs. Roy Payne, Mrs. L. Norris, Mrs. Ted Payne were in Michigan City Saturday.

Miss Reva Goodenough returned home from LaPorte hospital where she had her tonsils and adenoids removed.

Mr. Kenney and Harland Lintner attended the stock show in Chicago Saturday.

C. A. Roberts spent last week in Chicago.

Henry Wilson, who suffered a broken hip several months ago, has returned to the Tom Foster home.

John Clark and son, Ralph, and Garret Koster attended the stock show in Chicago Wednesday and Thursday.

Auto Glass installed at Runner's Hardware, Phone 15.

Mrs. Fanny Switzer of Rolling Prairie, was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster. Mrs. Ann Garner spent Monday with them.

Miss Agnes Luther of Niles, Miss Lena Luther of South Bend, and Mrs. Bodie Foster and daughter were Sunday guests in the Fred Luther home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns spent Sunday evening in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schmeily were in Michigan City Saturday.

Ed D. Roberts was a Monday caller on Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Slocum.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland entertained at Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Surcin of Buchanan.

The Culture Club held their meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Austin Dodd. The program was as follows: Roll call, Washington chatter; The Facts of Niagara, Mrs. C. Smith; Picturing Canada, Mrs. A. Dodd; Carlotta, Our Lady of Flowers, Mrs. C. A. Janssch. The hostess served refreshments.

The Child Study Club was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. M. D. Roberts. Twelve members were present. Mrs. Charles Holman gave a very interesting paper on the "School Child." Three hostesses were held, Mrs. John McDonald and Mrs. Gladys Enders. Prizes, refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stevens of Niles, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Garrett Koster and Guy Smith spent Sunday in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Martin of Dayton.

The Ladies Aid supper given in the M. E. church Saturday was a grand success and added about \$50 to their treasury.

Mrs. Fanny Pruitt is spending the week with relatives in Benton Harbor.

Miss Willa May Oberle of St. Joseph was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Nelson.

Mr. Bachman of Niles was a Monday guest of David Kramer.

J. W. Wolford and son, Lawrence, spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Wannata, Ind.

Mrs. M. H. Nelson, Mrs. R. Wentland, Mrs. W. Carroll, Mrs. R. J. Kenney were in South Bend Tuesday.

BUCHANAN 10 YEARS AGO
From Record of Dec. 10, 1920
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Mrs. Anna Crandall of South Bend, is spending a few days at her home here.

Mrs. Nancy Lyon is making extensive repairs on her home on Moccasin Avenue.

Miss Thelma Childs will be home from Oxford, O., college this week for the holidays.

Mrs. LeRoy Bulhand is improving very nicely and the trained nurse who was in attendance has been discharged.

Miss Ruth Berry and Miss Elsie Clark of the Kalamazoo Normal School will spend Christmas week with their parents.

Mrs. W. F. Runner of Chicago returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Newitt are ill with influenza.

Kenneth Bowker and family of South Bend and Foster Bowker and family of Galien, spent Sunday evening in the Millie Bowker home.

Mrs. Chris Andrews was in New Carlisle Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Behne of Chicago, spent the week end in the R. V. Norris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walters and children of Buchanan spent Sunday in the Ed Phillips home.

Leslie Smith returned from spending a week in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pence of South Bend, spent Sunday in the Dell Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Storm and family were in Niles Saturday.

Mrs. Cassie Mixel of Galien is spending this week in the Arthur Bartmess home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough and Mrs. Margaret Goodenough were Sunday guests in the Arthur Bartmess home.

Rev. Edgar Schade of Indianapolis preached a fine sermon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivien Ingles and son, Duane, were in Niles Saturday.

Joe Uhl and Mrs. Marvin Uhl and an aunt were Monday afternoon visitors in the Millie Bowker home.

The Young People will meet at the church Saturday evening to look after the Christmas tree program.

Sore Throat? Don't Gargle

Famous Prescription Gives Almost Instant Relief.

Night coughs or coughs caused by a cold or by an irritated throat are usually due to conditions which ordinary medicines do not reach. But the very first swallow of Thoxine, a doctor's prescription, is guaranteed to give almost instant relief. Thoxine works on a different principle, it goes direct to the internal cause.

Thoxine is pleasant tasting and safe for the whole family. It will give you better and quicker relief for coughs or sore throat than anything you have ever tried or your money will be refunded. Put up ready for use in 35c, 60c and \$1.00 bottles. Sold by Wisner Pharmacy and all other good drug stores.

Olive Branch

Mrs. Leona Smith of New Carlisle is spending this week in the home of Mrs. Ida Bennett.

Herbert Raas is gaining every day and we are so glad.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roundy and son, Orville, were in South Bend Saturday.

Reva Goodenough, the little girl of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Goodenough, was in LaPorte last week and had her tonsils removed.

WYMAN'S Christmas Store at your Service

Wyman's gay Christmas Store is brimful now of beautiful gifts—lower priced than ever before. Wyman's, eager to help, offers these Wyman services to make your Christmas shopping easy.

GAY WYMAN CHRISTMAS BOXES are given away with gifts bought here, or sold for a small sum for other gifts.

PARCEL POST and express packages are packed without charge when gifts are bought here and shipped upon payment of carrying charges. **YOUR PACKAGES CHECKED** while you shop. Checking desk is on the first floor, at rear of north aisle.

MERCHANDISE GIFT CERTIFICATES are sold at the office on the third floor.

GIFT CARDS supplied.

GIFTS MAY BE CHOSEN and laid away for you until Christmas.

OUR PERSONAL SHOPPER, Joan Navarre, will, on request, shop with you or for you and suggest Christmas gifts. Write to her at Wyman's or telephone 3-5101. Perplexed men who "don't know what to get" will find this service especially helpful.

WYMAN'S PARKING-AT-THE-DOOR SERVICE for your car will save you many minutes. Drive to Wyman's curb. Our attendant, will park your car safely under a roof and return it when you are ready. You may leave it all day if you like. No obligation to buy. 25c charge.

SEE-SANTA in Wyman's Toy Window every afternoon from 3:45 to 4:30. Hear Santa's continued story over WSBT Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 5:10 to 5:20.

JOAN NAVARRE, Wyman's Personal Shopper, broadcasts pleasant music and interesting Christmas Gift news every weekday morning over WSBT 6 to 7:30.



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SOUTH BEND

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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 ORGELIN** has been discovered. This tablet attracts water from the system into the lazy dry, evacuated bowels, 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. Enter a **REXALL ORGELIN** at night. Next day bright. Get 24 for 25c today at the nearest **REXALL DRUG STORE**. Wm. N. Brodrick. 16122

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Auto Ship, South Bend, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dickey and wife were Sunday visitors in the John Dickey home.

Mrs. Celia Wade and son of Dowagiac were supper guests in the Firmon Nye home Saturday.

John Fulton of Amboy, Ind., returned home Monday after visiting his brother, Joe Fulton, and other relatives last week.

Mrs. Clara Hampton and son, Fred, spent Thursday evening in the John Dickey home.

Russell McLaren and family spent Sunday in the Ira Lee home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sprague and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee were in Dowagiac Saturday to visit Frank Sprague, who is in the Lee hospital.

Mrs. Lysie Nye received a message that her aunt, Mrs. A. D. Wood of near Niles, had passed away Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Nye went to the funeral on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paloski and daughter of Donner's Grove, Ill., spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Currie McLaren home.

Col. and Mrs. John Seymour were in New Carlisle Tuesday.

Edward Raas of St. Joe and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Raas and son, Shelby were guests in the William Janssch home Sunday.

Dr. William Barton of New York, brother of Mrs. Ira McLaren, who used to live here, passed away Sunday. Dr. Barton spoke in Three Oaks on Dewey Canon Day. He was a wonderful Christian minister.

Irma Bennett was taken to the Holy Family hospital at LaPorte, the last of the week. At present she is on the gain.

Mrs. Hattie Nye received a letter Monday from Mrs. Mary E. Schroeder of Los Angeles, Calif., where she has been for five weeks at the home of her son-in-law, Glenn Smith. She says the weather is beautiful but the nights are cool.

She feels well and Glenn is much better in health. Mr. and Mrs. Smith had a store in Galien for years. Mrs. Schroeder is not far from 90 years old. Aunt Mary Witter, who, while living, lived in this vicinity, took Mrs. Schroeder when first born as her own mother. Mrs. Abshire, died at that time. Scarcely any white people lived here, mostly Indians.

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This bank provides for your use—deposit slips, passbooks and checks as well as monthly statements. Other forms by request. This stationery is costly, but it is furnished as a part of our service.

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Make it one that will be a permanent pleasure

The Million Dollar Majestic brings the Whole Family Box Seats for the World's Finest Entertainment

Now—with Christmas but two weeks away, a wonderful Majestic comes as the ideal answer to this year's gift problem.

Unbelievably economical in price, a Majestic will thrill the whole family. To each one, from the oldest to the youngest, it is a personal gift of favorite entertainment for years to come.

With its uncanny selectivity and glorious Colorful Tone, a Majestic makes it fun to stay home. Night after night, it will bring you free—the most brilliant, the costliest talent in the land.

Economize this year. Cut out the little luxuries so pleasant but so temporary and make a permanent investment in year-round pleasure.

See us today. Order a Majestic for Christmas delivery. Model 131, beautiful lowboy illustrated, is but one of an amazing line of ten Million Dollar Radios.

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Cress Watson and son, Richard, visited Sunday at the home of county highway engineer, James Hampton, of St. Joseph.

many friends who deeply regret their departure. Mrs. Ada Brant visited from Sunday until Tuesday at her home here. She has been taking care of her mother, Mrs. Ellen Sipress, at South Bend for nearly a year.

with a silk handkerchief, but if he gets a few good whacks with a rawhide, on the bare back he will be likely to steer clear of any more I have in my possession a copy of the whipping law of the state of Delaware. It simply provides for such an instrument of correction, states where it shall be located, how and by whom the whipping shall be done, but leaves the decision as to what refractors or the extent of the punishment to the court.

The brilliant mind of the Interstate commerce commission after laboring over the problem for long and weary months, have decided that chewing gum is not a food and hence cannot be shipped as second class freight. The Solomons of the commission declare that gum may have some nutritive value, but not as much as candy. This leaves chewing gum without any exact definition; perhaps, says World's Work, it should be classified as athletic equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rotzine of Buchanan, spent Sunday with the latter's parents. Willie and Mildred Richter and Miss Vera Kay of Michigan City called on their grandmother, Mrs. Julius Richter, Sunday.

City, was called here Saturday by the serious illness of his mother, Blanche and Claude Sheldon spent Sunday at Argos with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gowland.

Dayton News

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smedley and son of Buchanan spent Sunday with her parents. Mrs. William Reinke spent the week at Benton Harbor, the guest of Mrs. Alice Kaiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lange and son of Michigan City, spent Sunday with her parents. Miss Alice Johnson returned to her home at South Bend after visiting at the Neal Van Lew home several days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland of Galien, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Martin. William Richter of Michigan

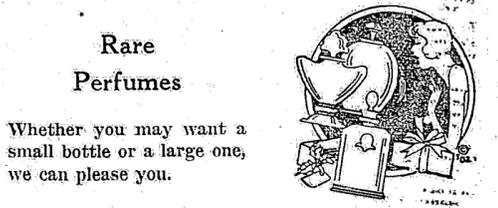
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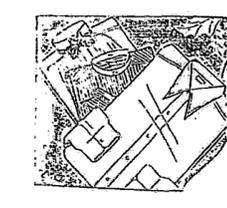


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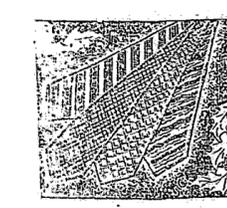


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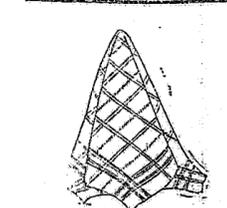
WONDERFUL GIFTS for Men and Boys at Desenberg's



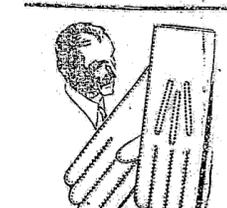
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SWEATERS A Serviceable Gift Wool Sweaters—comfy and warm. Pull-over and coat styles. Excellent colors. \$1.98 to \$8.50



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Return of Employment.

As the days pass, it begins to appear as if unemployment were reaching its end. There has been a very general return, in Michigan, either for part or full time, of working people to their former employment, especially so in the business of making automobiles and the collateral lines. One has but to name the plants which are re-employing to gather an idea of their capacity to put men back to work.

The Hudson Motor Car Company of Detroit is one of these. The Murray Body Company is another. The Buick and Fisher Body organizations are still others. The Ford organizations continue upon the average three-day basis, although reports are out that a shut down will occur during December for inventory purposes. The Packard Motor Car Company organization has not been distinguished by an extensive shut down. In other lines and throughout the state there has been an accession to employment, as in Kalamazoo, and we believe to some extent in Grand Rapids, although in the latter city unemployment was not proportionately as extensive as it was in the greater centers. In Saginaw and Bay City, which were not by any means hit the hardest, there has also been a return toward the old-time basis.

A study of Michigan conditions shows that unemployment was naturally more striking in the larger than in the smaller cities. We know of dozens of small Michigan places in which manufacturing industry is carried on and which have not gotten beyond the low level for labor. Marshall and Albion are good types of these kind. Adrian is another. So are many others in which the expansion of production has never reached a high limit and the normal demand for whose products continues on an average basis.

We have observed that a palliation of the employment situation, the labor leaders are coming into evidence again with their old pet theory of fewer hours of daily employment, and nowadays of fewer days per week. The theory of the labor union was to limit the opportunities of employment of its adherents and then to spread the available work over the largest number of workers, either by diminishing the hours of daily labor, or, as lately, by diminishing the number of days per week. This is not in the interest of normal production in normal times, and if it be adopted in abnormal times as a palliative, it is likely to pass into normal times, when they return, as a bad condition for production. Already this question has been injected into the management of the business of the unemployment committee organized in Detroit by the city's mayor, and those who were foremost in the establishment and maintenance of the open shop have come into opposition with representatives of organized labor, who have found their way into this commission, as well as the purely altruistic members who have not had that training in industry to make them careful of its best conditions. So that in this moment and season it will be well to make sure that the last stage of the solution of the problem does not become worse than the first, by setting up permanent conditions which will affect industry and the possibility of competition when business gets back to its normal state.

As a matter of experience, industrial history has shown that bad times are more conducive to the growth of labor unions and their theories of the limitations of opportunities of employment than are good times. In the latter, workers do not have to lean on anybody because, labor is then for sale in a buyer's market. In the former in conditions of depression, labor is taught to believe that it must lean on somebody, the unions offering the crutch, so that these are times in which, barring the lack of means to support the unions, the offers of the union seem most attractive.

The many efforts of palliation of conditions of employment that are being offered at this time are well-intentioned and useful, but not of permanent value. They reflect credit on the people who are endeavoring to make them effective by digging out the casual work that may be done by putting it into the reservoir of the labor demand, helping out some people by temporary employment. This is good as far as it goes, but unfortunately it does not go far enough.

Real prosperity will come back when a real demand for staple articles of manufacture returns and causes a need of men to make them, so that the best hope of those who are interested in the prosperity of communities is for the return of that demand. The agencies, many of them powerful, which are applying themselves to stimulate that demand are doing a good work, especially so in the direction of removing a psychological condition, by inducing people who are able to buy and who are deferring purchases, to break into the market with their demands. If that was universally done, consumption would at once impinge upon production and bring about employment of more men, perhaps up to the normal condition.

However, it is not for anyone to minimize the value of the palliatives. So far as they go they help train the people who are making the efforts in the duty of the common interest and kindness. The work is really heart-work rather than brain work and to the extent that it is successful, the Lord be thanked.—Mich. Mfr. & Eln. Record.

Benedict Arnold's Leg.

Most of us have heard of the American, who, soon after the revolution, went to London and met Benedict Arnold, who asked what his countrymen would do with him if they caught him. The reply, as handed down by traditions, was:

"General, they would cut off the leg that was wounded at Saratoga and bury it with military honors, and they would hang the rest of you."

If it wasn't said it should have been, and it seems that the idea, or part of it has been perpetuated in one of the most unusual monuments in the world, which had been practically forgotten for decades until the state of New York, quite recently began cleaning up the battlefield where Burgoyne was captured. It is a monument bearing a likeness of Arnold's left leg, on one side, and on the other a statement that it was erected in memory of "the most brilliant soldier of the continental army," to whom it also gives credit for winning the battle.

There is, according to R. L. Duffus, a New York Times writer, a bit of an Ethiopian in the woodpile, for the man responsible for the monument, one General de Peyster, was related to the family of General Philip Schuyler, superseded by Gates shortly before Saratoga. De Peyster wanted to show that Arnold was the real hero of the battle rather than Gates, and took this way of putting it across. Anyhow, the statue of a leg—if you call it a statue—has been furnished and mended, the weeds have been cleaned from about it, and visitors to Saratoga will now see it as one of the sights of the place.

One wonders what Arnold's descendants in England would think if they should come over touring and see the thing.—Detroit Saturday Night.

Too Many Laws

Investigation by experts has not been necessary to prove to everyone that laws and more laws do not check the crime or lawlessness that is not exactly criminal in intent and purpose, but that is due, in a very large measure, to the multiplicity of laws.

Many people violate laws they do not know exist. Others violate laws of which they know full well, but which they do not respect and, therefore, feel they are justified in violating. Whatever the conditions under which laws are broken every day and night, more and more laws are being enacted and scarcely any repealed. Law violations of every character are more numerous now than in any time in the past. The increase in population has not been as rapid as the increase in crime.

Laws at the rate of 1,500 a year are being enacted. And lawlessness steadily keeps pace with the law-makers. It is estimated that since the adoption of the constitution of the United States the laws passed in this country have exceeded in number the total of all laws enacted for the government of mankind from the time of Adam to the inauguration of George Washington. Whether the calculator believed he was stating a fact or merely resorted to hyperbole, the comparison admirably described what seems to be a mania among legislators.

If laws had the power they are supposed to have, with the very great number of the statute books there ought to be scarcely any crime in the United States. The fact is, however, this country has the unenviable reputation of being the most lawless nation in the civilized world.—Traverse City Record Eagle.

The Great Babcock.

For distinguished service to agriculture the first award under the Capper Fund, \$5,000 and a gold medal, was given to Dr. Stephen M. Babcock, professor emeritus of the University of Wisconsin. His service was the invention of the Babcock test for determining the butter fat content of milk. In presenting the award former Governor Lowden of Illinois said it revolutionized the dairy business as greatly as Whitney's gin affected the cotton industry.

Dr. Babcock was one of the pioneer scientists Wisconsin gathered at her university years ago. The combined efforts of these men helped establish that university as one of the foremost in the nation. Discoveries of world importance have been numerous there as science paved the way to great results in agriculture.

Wisconsin was ridiculed and criticized in the early days for turning her university over to the direction of scientists but results have more than justified the venture. The Capper award, 40 years after the Babcock invention, calls attention to a great service given to the world by a man whose only compensation was the satisfaction of seeing others prosper thereby.

Fancy Highways.

Since the rising tide of color has invaded the home, the office and the school, leaving in its train a procession of magenta bath tubs, heliotrope kitchen stoves, royal purple fountain pens and apple green type writers, the news that certain up to date American cities are splashing their sidewalks with color may be accepted calmly.

No doubt the harmonious blending of color even under his feet, delights the esthetic pedestrian. But how about the equally artistic motorist? He has to stand the glaring monstrosities in the way of bill board posters as well as the dazzling, trying whiteness of mile after mile of concrete road.

A pale green or soft brown road would be easier to look at and would correspond pleasantly with the landscape. Wouldn't it be a kind thought as well as a practical one, both for the motorist of the present and the future, to put a little paint in the concrete mixer?—Christian Science Monitor.

User Illegal Nets Fined \$25; Loses \$500 Equipment

Five and a half miles of gill nets valued at \$500 and 1,200 pounds of chubs were confiscated by the Department of Conservation following the arrest of Fred Schmekel, Rogers City commercial fisherman. Schmekel was convicted of using nets having illegal sized mesh. He paid a fine of \$25 with costs of \$5.50. It was his first offense.

Walter Winchell, who is also a pretty swell columnist, tells about the actor who visited a booking agent for nearly five years without any encouragement. Finally, he asked, "Listen here, now! Can you book me or not?" The booking agent shook his head. "Well, then," said the disgruntled actor, "give me back my name and address."

NEW TROY SCHOOL NOTES

The Poultry Show will be given Friday and Saturday, Dec. 12 and 13, in the New Troy high school auditorium. This is the third annual event of this nature and is sponsored each year by the high school agricultural department in co-operation with the local committee with Joe Fritsch of the Snow Flock Poultry Farm as the chairman. The show is open to all and we invite every poultry breeder to participate.

A large list of special prizes are offered to the winners in the various classes. Professor C. G. Card, head of the Poultry Department, Michigan State College, will do the judging and will be the principal speaker at the Friday evening meeting which will be held in the high school auditorium. Come and hear a good speaker on an interesting topic. A chicken pie supper will be served Friday evening 5:30 to 7:00 by the high school agricultural club. The poultry show as well as the program in the evening is FREE to the public.

Following is a list of the people neither tardy nor absent during the first three months of school:

- Primary room, Geraldine Castro, Josephine Castro, Marion Liskey, Winifred Marx, Stephen Wood, Ella Brueck, Gerald Casto, Berkeley Ritchie, Ralph Wood.
- Intermediate room, Mary Louise Morley, Mary McKeene, Eldon Ritchie, Clarence Carpenter, Lawrence Carpenter, Robert Hamilton, Dorothy Pearson, Vera Ritchie, Hazel English, Robert Liskey, May Marx, Vera Penland.
- 8th and 7th grade room, Andrew Mazur, Harold Wisner, Earl Brackett, Evelyn Chadwick, Harry Coupe, Doris Liskey, Edith Marx, Henry Marx, Kenneth Pearson.
- 8th grade room, Earl McClellan, Margaret Smith, Janet Kelley, Dorothy Blackmun, Grace Penland, Everette Penland, Claire McGuigan.
- 9th grade, Eva Ritchie, Helen McClellan, Hope Kelley, Vera Hartline, Beverly Guther, Lucille Dunham, Ruth Edwards, Charles Kennedy, Thomas Sowersby, Ralph Schopbach, Cecil Renbarger, George Ritchie, Chester Reich, Walter Keller.
- 10th grade, Audrey Paul, Earl Hartline, Charles Karbusick.
- 11th grade, Marguerite Payne, Virginia Keith, Charles Schopbach.
- 12th grade, Clara Tatro, Theron

Penland. Honor roll at New Troy for the month of November: Beginners, Winifred Marx, Zelma Pearson, and Betty Jane Carlson; 1st grade, Ella Brueck, Albert Peters, Frieda Oelke, Ida Marfert; 2nd grade, Victor Pearson, Mary Morley, Margie Jean Zimmerman and Shirley Liskey; 3rd grade, Marie Brueck, Robert Waters; 4th grade, Robert Keefor, James Chadwick; 5th grade, Hazel English, May Marx; 6th grade, Robert McKeene, Betty Jane Pardee and Harold Wisner; 7th grade, Doris Liskey, Aline Knapp and Mildred Karol; 8th grade, Dorothy Blackmun and Janet Kelley; high school, Doris Peterson, Lydia Mensinger, Alice Oelke, Walter Wetzel, Ernest Streifling, Charles Schopbach.

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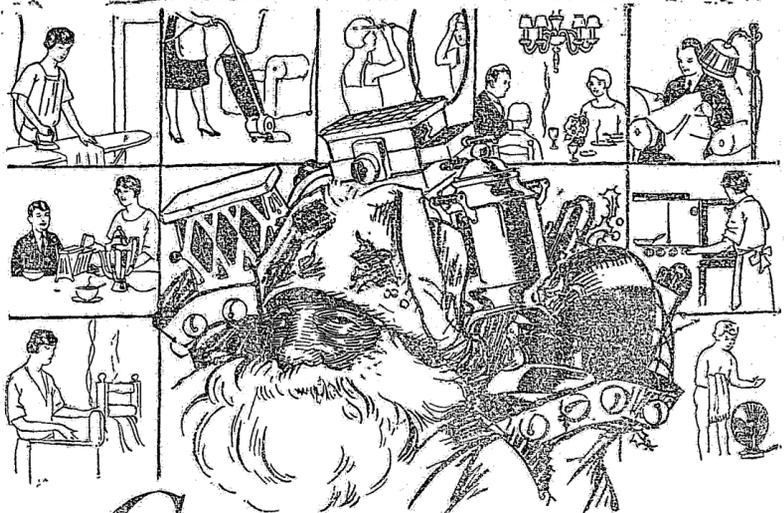
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Bucaneers Will Meet Niles Here Saturday Night

OPPONENTS SEEM STRONG IN FIRST GAME

Defeated Cassopolis Last Wk. 35 to 10; Bucks Lost to Berrien Springs.

OLD STARS ARE MISSING Reserves Will Clash With Niles Seconds in the Curtain Raiser.

The Buchanan high school basketball team will inaugurate their 1930-31 home season Saturday night when they meet their ancient rivals from the east, Niles.

Both teams are out strong for a victory. Last year Harold Pierce and Ralph Pfingst happened to be "hot" when we met the Niles boys.

From the opening march, played by the high school band, to the final dip of the closing curtain, the play was a big success. The setting was a beautiful garden of varied colors.

The Misses Vivian Wissler and Allene Riley, with the aid of a singing and dancing chorus, gave a very clever act that the lovers of modern song and dance appreciated.

Niles opened their season Saturday night by walloping Cassopolis by a 35 to 10 score, and incidentally looked pretty good.

Season tickets for all home games will be placed on sale at the gate Saturday night, thereby giving the local fans a chance to see the Bucks during their home games and still save some change.

Don't forget—Saturday night—Niles—two games—first at 7:30—good game—everybody coming.

FOOTBALL SEASON IS BROUGHT TO OFFICIAL END

COACH BRADFIELD AWARDS 16 LETTERS AND 6 RESERVE AWARDS.

The 1930 football season was officially closed by Coach Bradfield, when he awarded the letters to the football squad in the general assembly, Friday morning.

The following sixteen fellows on the first squad of twenty-two who received their B's are: Captain Robert Dempsey, Milford Schultz, Paul DeWitt, Richard Chubb, Roger Thompson, Dale Hamilton, Paul Letcher and Claude Timhoff.

Our pet squirrel "Happy Jack" is with us again this year. He seems very happy to find corn and cracked nuts on our window sill.

John Montgomery, John Chapel and George Fitch have had their names added to our Dental Honor Roll.

Second Grade, Mrs. Wilcox. The following remain on the December honor roll in Spelling, Donna Frazier, Madonna Eubner, Edward Kimball, Lorraine Morley, Russell Walters, Genevieve Norman, Jack Ednie, Dorothy Sherwood, Billy Donley, Suzanne McKinnon, Emma Fuller, Bonnie Jane Chain, Arlis Fairman, Jane Harris, Vera Green and Harvey Hinman.

Third Grade, Miss Simmons. Mesdames Manning, Wynn and Sharp were visitors in our room.

Fourth Grade, Mrs. French. Billy Snyder was absent last week with tonsillitis.

Mildred Ferris was the only one who received 100 in the forty words we had last Friday.

Our reports of books read were given on Monday night. Vernon Walls gave an especially good report.

In a game with the multiplication combinations four people were not caught. This means the others need more work and drill on the tables.

Practical Work Done in Home Economic Dept.

Members of the advanced home economics class are making pillows for their next project.

The girls in the home economics class spent most of their time last week in making costumes for Mr. Robinson's musical show.

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Musical Comedy, "To a Wild Rose," Scores a Big Success

Harmonious Adaptations of Stage Play by R. H. Robinson Shows Thursday Night to Packed Auditorium. Stage Settings, Lighting, Costuming, Acting, All Deserved High Praise.

PROGRAM: Band: March, On Wisconsin; Overture, Determination; Selection, Prince Charming. Two Guitars: When Day is Done; Blossom Time; Atlantis. Orchestra: Buchanan High School March; Minnette, Haydn. Spanish Dance, Teresa White; Miller Sisters, Acrobatic Dance. Four Marx Brothers, Sketch; Peggy Merfield, Tap dance; Riley and Wissler, Song and Dance. White and Merfield, Classic Dance.

Ralph Robinson's musical comedy, "To a Wild Rose" was given last Thursday evening to the largest crowd to assemble in the high school auditorium this year.

From the opening march, played by the high school band, to the final dip of the closing curtain, the play was a big success.

The setting was a beautiful garden of varied colors. The rock garden with its gorgeous coloring gave the stage all the enchantment of the moonlight, while the palm trees added a little more to the tropical evening.

The Misses Vivian Wissler and Allene Riley, with the aid of a singing and dancing chorus, gave a very clever act that the lovers of modern song and dance appreciated.

Edward Rolan as Gratcho, John Strayer as Chico, Roger Thompson as Zeppo and Sheldon

this week. We have twenty-eight names on our dental honor roll. There are a few more names to be added.

Virginia Arnold, Lorea May Anstiss, Carl Backus, Elaine Blaney, Muriel Dillavou, Kathryn Hess, Lester Hanover, Marion Hansen, Dorothy Irvin, James King, Margaret Miller, Frederick Manning, Richard Neal, Russell Nye, Arthur Rohl, Geradine Reamer, Clifford Sharp, Donna Smith, Donna Thompson, Leo Topash, Catherine Wynne, Maxine Fox, Mary Schindler and Donald Longworth received 100 in spelling this week.

Frederick Manning brought a well preserved hornet's nest to school, the best we have ever seen. It will furnish material for a lesson in nature study.

We have headed in our second project which was a combination of language and art. It consisted of rhyme sheets made by the children.

We will have our assembly program next Monday afternoon.

We are sorry to lose Mary Schindler, who has gone to Foley, Ala., with her parents.

Norma Bromley is still absent on account of the whooping cough.

Grade 3, Mrs. Fitchmar. The following names were added to our honor roll in spelling this week: Ruth Rumsey, Robert Fairman, Betty Smith, Edward Pascoe, Richard Pierce, Marilyn Staver, William Gregory, Wanda Fergas, Thomas Fitch and Philip Brang.

We now have eighteen names on the list. We are glad Leona Campbell and Lillian Fabiano are improving. We hope both will be with us soon.

We are delighted with our nice, clean room and we are pleased to be in our own room again. One boy said we hardly knew ourselves.

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BUCHANAN LOSES FIRST GAME TO BERRIEN 22-20

EXPERIENCED UP-COUNTY 5 GAIN LEAD AND HOLD IT UNTIL FINISH.

Bradfield's Buchanan basketball team opened their coming season Friday night when they journeyed to Berrien Springs to take a 22 to 20 licking from the big Berrien boys, after staging a desperate rally in the last quarter. Buchanan was never in the lead but were never more than three or four points behind, and were always threatening the Berrien lead.

The Bucks inaugurated a new type of play in the Friday game and due to lack of practice, did not have their offense worked out completely as they will with a few weeks more practice.

Nevertheless, they put up a good battle against the veteran Berrien five who have already played two games this season. Of the six Bucks who saw action, three were seniors and three were sophomores, and those who were not really hand and foot ball, as well as sink baskets when they are needed.

In fact, the local prospects are quite promising. Berrien Springs started off with a bang, rolling up five points before Dick Chubb could sink a long "swisher" and they maintained this lead during the half.

In the second half Coach Harvey sent a fellow named Dugan into the game and, although he was in a little more than one quarter, he managed to drop three baskets for his team, giving the Bucks something to think about.

Then the Morse brothers got hot and with two minutes to go, pulled the score up to 20 and 20. Berrien, also, possibly slightly alarmed at the possibility of dirty work at the crossroads, causing their well-laid plans for a victory to be as ruined as a straw hat at a baseball game, so Mr. Graham, who was named as center on the score books, promptly sank another field goal, and the best the Bucks could do was a carry throw by one of the Schultz brothers, making the final score, 22 to 20.

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"IKE AND MIKE" AND LOUIE AND LAUREN HOLD DOWN REGULAR BERTHS.

In interviewing Coach Bradfield, he said that he did not claim to have any all-American team, but he did think that Buchanan was the only team in Michigan who had two sets of twins on the first team. The Schultz brothers, known as "Ike and Mike, they look alike," are seniors this year, and the Morse brothers, who are just plain Louis and Lauren, are sophomores.

The Bucks will meet their old rival, Niles, at the local gym this Saturday night, the game being moved back one day because of the county music festival which is being held in Niles Friday night.

The original date set for the encounter. A large crowd is expected to watch Bradfield's Buchanan Basketball team battle with their old rivals, Davison's Daring Dribblers from Niles.

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History, Civics Class Programs

The citizenship class members are making drawings and booklets illustrating the progress of man's means of travel.

Many good illustrations have been handed in. Students of the tenth grade history class, under the supervision of Mrs. Whitman, are studying the clash of the church and state during the Feudal Regime.

Mrs. Whitman's eighth grade history classes are beginning the study of slavery.

Second Declamation Elimination Held

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights after school the second declamation elimination series will be held.

The upper three classes have been holding weekly practice in public speaking. This week the freshmen began their work along this line, by telling simple stories of their own experiences. These were very well given.

English Notes

The seventh grade English classes, under the supervision of Mrs. Zerbe, are studying good beginnings and endings of paragraphs. They are also studying adjectives.

The second elimination contest for the 9th and 10th grade declamations will be held Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights after school.

The following students survived the second eliminations in oratory and will enter the final contest: Carol Currier, Doris Whittaker, Geneva Metzger, Ralph Zerbe, Roger Thompson and Sheldon Ryan.

Second Grades Study Arabians

The second grades, under the supervision of Mrs. Wilcox and Mrs. Heim, are working on Arabian projects for this year. They are studying the desert landscape, tents and trees also the native costumes.

The Arab beasts of burden, namely the camels, are proving of much interest to the children in comparison to our own autos and aeroplanes. Notebooks on Arabia will also be made.

For Christmas the children will make calendars picturing the three wisemen and the star which guided them to Bethlehem.

Manual Arts Students Make Christmas Gifts

The Manual Arts department, under the direction of "Doc" Millen, is doing considerable Christmas project work.

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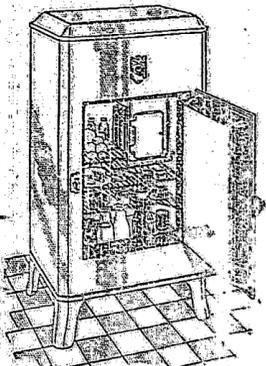
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Evangelical Church
 W. D. Hayes, Pastor
 Sunday School at 10.
 Sermon, "Good Will Ambassadors" at 11.
 Leagues, Adult, Young People's, Senior and Junior, at 6.
 Sermon, "Modern Marthas and Marys" at 7.
 We will have a baptismal service and the reception of new members at the Sunday morning service.
 Prayer meetings for young people and adults Thursday evening at 7.

The Friendship Class of the Sunday School will meet at the church Friday evening at 6:30 for a pot luck supper, after which they will have their monthly meeting and election of officers.
 The annual business meeting of the church will be held on Thursday evening, Dec. 18, at 7. Every member of the church is urged to attend this meeting.
 We will hold our Christmas program on Christmas Eve. The committee is working hard to make the program a success. An offering will be taken up for the orphan's home.

The third quarterly meeting will be held Dec. 28.
 The youth conference will be held here Jan. 2. The Ladies Aid will serve the banquet at 6:30.
 You are cordially invited to our church services.

Redeemer Lutheran
 Corner Front and Main, 2nd Floor
 O. E. Solin, Pastor
 Divine service every Sunday at 9 a. m.
 Religious instruction for children Saturday at 2:30 p. m.
 Visitors always welcome

Hills Corners Church
 Raymond Morgan, Pastor
 Program of services for Dec. 14: 10 a. m. church school, a class for every member of the church, 11 a. m. worship and communion service. The pastor will speak on "The Meaning of Love."
 On Saturday afternoon the boys who wish to belong to the 4-H club being organized at Hills Corners, are asked to meet at the church. Boys from 10 to 20 years of age are invited.

Christian Science Churches
 God the only Cause and Deator was the subject of the lesson-lesson in all Christian Science churches Sunday, Dec. 7.
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Christian Science Church
 Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
 Sunday service at 11 a. m.
 Subject: "God, the Preserver of Man."
 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.

Church of Christ
 J. L. Griffith, Pastor
 Bible school and worship service at 10 a. m. Bible study, "Saul of Tarsus." Text Acts 22:3-15. Sermon subject: "The Program of Jesus."
 The Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6 p. m. Miss Isabella Pemberton will lead the juniors and Misses Hazel Hemphill and Nellie Hinman will be the intermediate leaders. Topic, "How Christmas is Celebrated in Other Countries." Don Elliott will lead the seniors. Topic, "How to Make Others Happy."

Mid week service on Thursday at 7 p. m. The theme for Dec. 18 is "Good Will." Text, Luke 2:14. Sunday evening preaching service at 7. Sermon, "God Hath Spoken."
 The Christmas candle service, "The First Christmas," will be presented on Sunday evening, Dec. 21st.

First Presbyterian Church
 H. W. Staver, Minister
 Church School at 10 a. m. Mrs. G. E. Smith, Supt.
 Morning Service at 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "When the Fullness of Time Came." Music by the robed choir.
 Evening service at 7 p. m. Subject, "Dreams and Goals." This is the concluding sermon in the series on the book: "Poems of Injustice."

Thursday, Dec. 16, the Jeannette Stevenson Guild at 7:45. Hostesses, Mrs. Glenn Sanford and Miss Alice Herring.
 Sunday night, Dec. 21, the Christmas exercises of the church school will be held at the hour of the regular evening service.

Methodist Episcopal Church
 Thomas Rice, Pastor
 Sunday school at 10 o'clock with Mr. Ormiston as superintendent and Mrs. French superintendent of the Junior department. You will find incentives for better living by joining us in the study of God's Word.
 Morning worship service at 11. The special music will be a selection by the choir. Sermon subject, "How Christmas Shows God to Men."
 Junior League at 5. Frances Hamilton and Florence Brewer are the leaders.
 Senior League at 6. The popularity of this meeting with the younger generation continues with increasing numbers each week.
 Evening service at 7. Rev. F. H. Zerby of the Anti-Saloon League will give a temperance address. There will be special music.

Serv'ces at Ononoko at 9 a. m. You will find this hour of worship most refreshing and helpful for Sunday and the tasks of the week.
 Family Night will be held Monday night, Dec. 15, beginning with a pot luck supper. Please bring your own dishes and table ware. This Family Night is sponsored by the O-C-O class. There will be special entertainment features. Dr. R. E. Meader of Kalamazoo, will be the special speaker. Plan to come and have a good time.

Midweek service Thursday in the parsonage at 7:30. We will take the Book of James as our study.
 A Christmas Juvenile Cantata will be presented Sunday night, Dec. 21, entitled, "The Children of Bethlehem" under the leadership of Miss Dorothy Chandler, assisted by Mrs. E. H. Ormiston, Mrs. Laura French and Mrs. Rosalie M. Rice. A White Gift Christmas will also be observed at this time. Bring gifts suitable for the needy poor and place them in a manger in front of the altar of the church. These gifts will then be distributed through a committee and the United Charities.
 There will be a Junior League Christmas party, Friday, Dec. 19.

Women Now Filling Many Places in Field of Aviation
 The question has often been asked, "What does aviation offer to women?" or "Is there an opportunity for women in this new field?" There seems to be no remaining doubt that women can and will take an active part in the development of aviation. While up to this time flying by women has been largely for sport and pleasures, nevertheless a number of women have found responsible positions in the commercial phase of aeronautics. What the future holds in store for the feminine enthusiasts can best be judged perhaps by a glance at some of the positions filled by women up to the present time:
 Pilots (engaging in miscellaneous activities).
 Flying instructors (instructing women students).
 Stewards on air liners.
 Airport hostesses.
 Aircraft saleswomen.
 Traffic representatives and managers.
 Air travel advisers (travel agencies).
 Airport operators.
 Aerial advertisers.
 Interior decorators (cabin interiors).
 Accessory saleswomen.
 Airport managers and assistants.
 Saleswomen at aviation schools (selling training courses).
 Miscellaneous airport positions.

SEASON BASKET BALL TICKETS ON SALE THURSDAY
 SINGLE ADMISSION TICKETS GOING TO 35c; MAY SAVE 80 CENTS IN SEASON.
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 A large number of the townspeople have been real backers of the local teams and so the athletic department is issuing ducats at a bargain price to enable these backers to see the team in action without having to drain their own pockets.
 This year there are eight home games on the Bucks' schedule. Niles opens the home season here Saturday night in one of the feature home games. Bridgman is the next opponent here, coming to Buchanan, Dec. 10. The old grads have their brief minute of glory on Dec. 26, when they will attempt to give the young Bucks a few pointers. A new face then appears on the horizon in the personage of Coloma, the date being Jan. 9. Stevensville and Three Oaks are the next two home games/coming here on Jan. 27 and Feb. 6, respectively. Dowagiac and Berrien Springs complete the home games, the Bucks meeting the Berrien boys on Feb. 20 and taking on Dowagiac the week before. This makes a total of eight good games awaiting the local fans.
 A reduction has been made in the straight admittance tickets, the price being reduced to thirty-five cents for everyone. For season tickets the adults can obtain them for \$2.00 and the students for \$1.00 making a saving of 80c for the adults and \$1.80 for the students. In other words it will pay anyone to buy all their ducats at once in the shape of a season ticket.
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 Chronology, Your Honor "Do you mean to say," asked the magistrate, "that such a physical wreck as your husband gave you that black eye?"
 The woman smiled proudly. "It wasn't a physical wreck, your worship," she said, "it gave me that black eye."
 Lots of people absolutely refuse to answer the door bell these days. They're afraid it's the wolf, suggests F. P. A.

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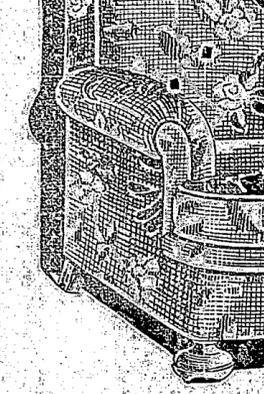
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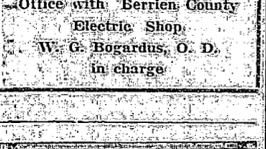
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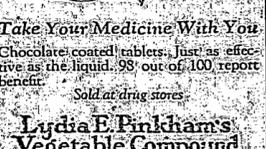
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FOR SALE—Corn, oats and baled wheat and oat straw. Elmer Butts farm, Walton Road, phone 7108F2. 464P

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FOR SALE—Young geese, Orville Rose. Phone 7118F12. 4911C

FOR SALE—Four-cylinder Henderson motorcycle. In good condition. New tires. Will sell cheap. Call 607 S. Oak St. 4911C

FOR SALE—Wheat, corn, oats, baled wheat, oat straw, potatoes. Orders taken for first class beech wood, Elmer Butts farm, Walton Road. Phone 7108F2. 4915P

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FOR RENT—Furnished flat for light housekeeping. Both furnace and gas heat, lights, hot water. 607 S. Oak St. Phone 320. 4911C

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house, 318 North Oak St. Inquire J. M. Chubb, 311 North Oak St. 4911P

FOR RENT—House, strictly modern, newly decorated. Good location. Phone 448, or inquire 210 East Third Street. 4911P

FOR RENT—Bungalow, modern, 5 rooms and bath on Clark St. Phone 967. 4913C

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—No trespassing will be allowed on my farm. All violators prosecuted. E. W. Clark. 4914C

WANTED—Job as clerk, waitress, nurse maid or—? by week, day or hour. Go home nights. Call 117 Alexander St. 4914P

WANTED—By Home Laundry Service, all kinds of washing and ironing. Called for and delivered. 118 Front Street. Phone 133. 4911P

FOUND—Young hound. Owner may reclaim by identifying and paying for this advertisement. Inquire 309 Smith St. 4911P

LOST—Music bag containing music, on N. Portage St. Return to Mrs. Steve Rudoni or to Mrs. Ida Rice. 4911P

WANTED—If you have soft wood in logs to sell get in touch with Record Office. 4911P

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

GLASSES FITTED—C. L. Stratch at the Cathart News room every Thursday. No extra charge for house calls. Phone 448. 4416C

CUSTOM GRINDING—Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Beck's garage. Seikman, phone 7136F13. 4714P

XMAS TREES for sale. 50c to \$1.50, delivered at your home before Xmas. Phone 252. Frank Imhoff. 4812P

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS—Beginning Wednesday Dec. 10, 1930, I will be at the city hall for the collection of taxes. Ada Dacey-Sanders, Treasurer. 4812C

WANTED—Farms large or small to show our prospects. Advertisements extensively. Write or call at E. A. Strout Realty Agency, Inc. 211 1/2 N. Fourth St. Niles. 4714C

NO HUNTING or trespassing signs for sale at this office. 10c per card. The Record Co. 4116C

1st insertion Nov. 6: last Jan. 29
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
WHEREAS, Margaret Bolton, of Chicago, Illinois, did make, execute and deliver to Elwood E. Brockway and Agnes E. Brockway, husband and wife, a certain mortgage, which said mortgage is dated the 21st day of September, A. D. 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan, on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1928, in Liber 157, of Mortgages on page 467,

which said mortgage was afterwards assigned by said Elwood Brockway and Agnes E. Brockway, husband and wife, to Charles J. Kane by assignment of mortgage dated the 27th day of September, A. D. 1930 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan, the 1st day of October, A. D. 1930 in Liber 9 of Assignments of Mortgages, on page 136, and WHEREAS, default has been made in the conditions of said mortgage whereby under the terms thereof the whole amount of the principal and interest secured thereby has become due and payable, so that the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative, and WHEREAS, there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Two Thousand Twenty-nine and 80/100 (\$2029.80) Dollars, and an attorney's fee of thirty-five (\$35.00) Dollars, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will sell at the front door of the court house, in the city of St. Joseph, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien is held, at public auction to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, to-wit:

These certain pieces or parcels of land, situate in the Township of Galien, in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: the north three-eighths (3-8) of the north one-half (1-2) of the southwest quarter (1-4) and the south quarter (1-4) of the southwest quarter (1-4) of the northwest quarter (1-4) of Section 15, Town Eight (8) south, Range Nineteen (19) west, Forty (40) acres more or less.

Dated: November 6, 1930.
Charles J. Kane, Assignee.

Philip C. Landsman
Burns & Hadsell,
Attorneys for Assignee
Business Address:
State Bank Bldg.
Buchanan, Mich.

1st insertion Dec. 4: last Dec. 18
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 27th day of November, A. D. 1930.

Present, Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Laura E. Hinman, deceased.

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

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 30th day of March, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court;

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

1st insertion Dec. 11: last Dec. 24
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1930.

Present: Hon. William H. Andrews, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Alice J. Higgins, deceased. Edith Houk having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Edith Houk or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 5th day of January, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

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

1st insertion Nov. 27: last Feb. 12
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage, dated the 1st day of November, 1928, executed by William S. Marks and Mary E. Marks, as his wife and in her own right, as mortgagors, to The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, a body corporate, of the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, in the County of Ramsey, State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Berrien County, Michigan, on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1928, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., recorded in Liber 150 of Mortgages on Page 197 thereof, in that certain installment of Fifty-seven and no/100 Dollars (\$57.00), principal and interest due May 1, 1930, remains unpaid; that pursuant to the provisions of said mortgage, said mortgagee has elected to declare the whole debt secured thereby to be now due and payable; and there is due and payable at the date of this notice upon the debt secured by said mortgage, the sum of One Thousand and Nine Hundred Eighty-two and 80/100 Dollars (\$1982.80); and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof, that by virtue of a power of sale therein contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the land and premises therein described lying and being in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, as follows, to-wit: The East Forty (40) acres of the Southwest Fractional Quarter (SWF 1/4), Section Thirty-one (31), Township Seven (7) South, Range Seventeen (17) West, exclusive of that part occupied by the old right-of-way of the Michigan Central Railroad, excepting therefrom that part thereof lying North of said right-of-way. Also that part of said Southwest Fractional Quarter (SWF 1/4) described as follows: Commencing at a point ten (10) chains and fifty-three (53) links west of the southeast corner of said southwest Fractional Quarter (SWF 1/4), said point being the southwest corner of the foregoing described tract, thence west along the section line six (6) chains and seventy-six (76) links, thence north thirty (30) chains and fifty (50) links to the south line of said old right-of-way; thence southeasterly along the south line of the said old right-of-way seven (7) chains to the west line of the foregoing described tract, thence south twenty-eight (28) chains and seventy-one (71) links to the point of beginning. The above described premises contain Forty-nine (49) acres, more or less, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Berrien County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of St. Joseph, in said County and State of Michigan, on Tuesday, February 24, 1931, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, to pay and satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage and the costs and disbursements allowed by law upon said foreclosure sale.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1930.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF ST. PAUL,
Mortgagee.

Gordon Brewer,
Attorney for the Mortgagee,
Bronson, Michigan.

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Entertain Boys and Girls Classes
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Mrs. I. N. Barnhart was hostess to the Ladies' Aid Society of the Evangelical church at an all-day meeting at her home at 207 Main Street Thursday. Dinner was served by Mrs. Barnhart at noon for 35 cents, the proceeds going to the treasury of the organization. After dinner a business meeting was held at which annual election of officers was the main order of business. The following officers were elected: president, Mrs. Guy Young; vice president, Mrs. I. Newton Barnhart; secretary, Mrs. John Fowler; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Imhoff.

Mrs. Nora Sparks Is Surprised
A number of friends very pleasantly surprised Mrs. Nora Sparks by arriving at her home at 205 N. Portage Street, Monday afternoon for an informal session of cards.

F. D. I. to Meet This Evening
Mrs. Charles Lightfoot will entertain the F. D. I. club at her home at 603 South Portage this evening. Mrs. R. F. Hickey will assist.

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Thirty Club Holds Poetry Program
The Thirty Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. George Smith on Charles Court, the occasion being Poetry Day. The roll call was answered by original verses by the members. The following papers were read: "Poems of Childhood" by Mrs. Will Beardsley; "Poems of Sentiment" by Mrs. Robert Franklin; "Poems of Humor," Mrs. I. Bishop; "Poems of Higher Life," by Mrs. George Deming. The annual Christmas party will be held next week at the home of Mrs. G. E. Smith, 106 West Third Street, convening at 2:30 p. m.

Friendship Class To Elect Officers
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The Christmas gifts this year are to be of a practical nature to a greater extent than ever before, and we have our store well stocked with just that kind of gift selections for you to choose from. Gifts for babies, girls, boys and grown-ups. We shopped for the best at the lowest price and the result is that we have the highest quality at the lowest price you have seen. Where the quality is same as a year ago, price is lower. Where price is same, quality is higher. The Evans Co.

Silk Underwear

- Crepe de Chine Slips, pink and peach, pure silk\$1.95
- Silk Pajamas, 2 color effects, gold, red and black, very nifty models, \$1.95
- Bloomers of non-run Rayon, elastic knee and loose bottom style, regular and extra size 98c
- Combination suits heavy de lustered rayon, child's and women's sizes, 98c
- Philippine Gowns 98c

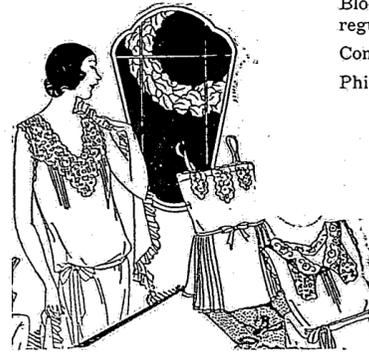
SILK HOSE

- Ladies' full-fashioned Chiffon Hose\$1.49
- Full-fashioned silk to top, service weight\$1.00
- All silk, seamless foot and leg 79c
- Silk plated Hose, all sizes and colors 69c
- Misses' silk plated Hose 49c

ACCESSORIES

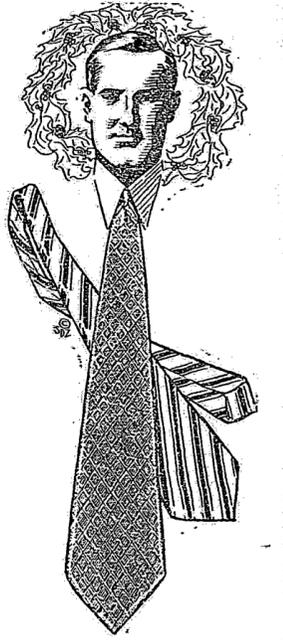
- Fabric Gloves, pair 69c
- Lace Collar Sets, set 49c to \$1.49
- Ladies' boxed Handkerchiefs, box 29c to \$1.49
- Silk Scarfs 98c

Shop Early Shop Now



For Men and Boys

- Fancy silk Sox, 2 pairs in Xmas box with gift card \$1.00
- Genuine Leather Belts in individual box 98c
- Silk Suspenders, fancy box 98c
- Men's Garters, in Xmas box 25c
- Genuine buck skin and silk lined cape Gloves, pair, \$1.98
- Men's warm lined Cape Gloves \$1.49
- Men's Handkerchiefs, 3 in box 49c
- Men's Ties 79c
- Boys' Ties 49c and 25c
- Genuine cowhide Bill Fold \$1.49
- Men's fancy Lounging Robes \$4.98
- Silk Scarfs 98c
- Broadcloth Shirts 98c
- Men's part wool Sweater Coats \$1.49
- Size 38 to 46, Oxford Grey
- Wool Sox for Hi Top Shoes 49c
- Leather Helmets, knit wool chin strap and goggles, 98c



WASH DRESSES

- Broadcloth and printed madras Dresses for women. Absolute fast color guarantee with each garment, each \$1.00

BABY SETS

- All wool knitted sets for baby, white with pink and blue trim, cap, jacket and boots \$1.49

FLANNEL GOWNS

- Women's heavy flannel Gowns, plain white and pink, also striped patterns, sizes 16-19 98c

DOLLS

- Regular \$1 value dressed doll 59c
- Special Other Dolls priced \$1.49 to \$4.98

- 36 inch fast color Prints, 29c value 23c

- 36 inch heavy fancy color Outing Flannel, yard 16c

BLANKETS

- Heavy wool blankets, blue, lavender, rose, gold plaids, 70x80, satine bound edges, Pr. \$3.49

- Part wool, plain grey and tan Blankets, 66x80, pair \$1.49

- Single cotton sheet blankets tan with blue and gold stripe, heavy weight, full size, each 98c

- Baby blankets, pink and blue Each 25c

LUNCH CLOTHS and SCARFS

- All linen Dresser Scarfs with lace trim ends and medallions 98c

- Heavy linen Lunch Cloth, 54x54, fast color printed all over design \$1.98

- All linen Lunch Cloth, 50x50 with colored border \$1.29

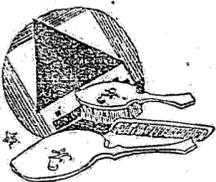
- Mercerized damask Table Cloth, 63x64, with fancy border \$1.19

- Card Table Covers with score pad and pencil, black, green, gold and red with bound edges, 75c

GIFTS FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

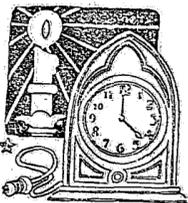
Let Us Help You Solve Your Gift Problems This Year!

This year our collection of Gifts is more dazzling and alluring than ever before. Regardless of the Gift you may wish, you will find it here at a moderate price.



Gifts for Women

Come in and see the marvelous display of Toilet Sets for Women at prices so low that they will surprise you!

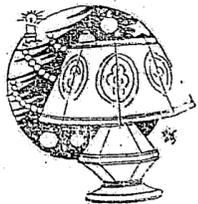


Electric Clocks

These clocks make ideal Gifts for the home. We have them from

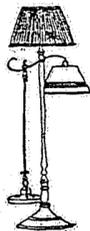
\$4.95 to \$50.00

Lamps for Christmas Giving



We are showing lamps for every occasion and every scheme of decoration—and at prices that will amaze you because of such values. We have Table Lamps in all varieties of base and shade and color schemes, priced as low as

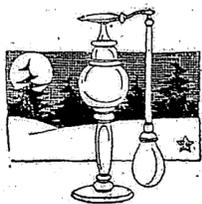
\$5.75 Complete



We have Bridge Lamps and Floor Lamps in a great variety of designs, priced complete at

\$4.95

to **\$35.00**



Gift Atomizers

Never before have we had such a beautiful collection of Atomizers for Christmas Gifts. Every one is a remarkable value.

\$1.00 to \$12.00



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will be appreciated as a Gift. We have them from

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and up

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