

FORM BUCHANAN CIVIC ORGANIZATION

B.H.S. Glee Clubs Plan Grand Union Concert on Sunday March 1

CITIZENS TO ORGANIZE FOR TOWN BENEFIT

Now Here's the Proposition

KELLEY'S BACK IN TOWN
The land may doff its mantle cold...

Can We Imagine?
Charles Lyddick has 30 lambs from his flock...

THE SEASON'S FIRST
Front Street got a thrill Tuesday morning from the sight of a small boy...

Mayor and Wife Invited to Attend Ellsworth Wedding
An invitation was received recently by Mayor and Mrs. Matt J. Kelling...

Additional Local News
Mrs. Louis Lomough went to Argus, Ind., this week to spend several days with relatives.

TRUMPETEER OF SENN BAND TO PRESENT SOLO

65 GIRLS, 40 BOYS TO SING ACCOMPANIED BY H. S. ORCHESTRA.
The glee clubs of the Buchanan high school are to join in a concert Sunday, March 1.

The concert will be held at 3:30 p. m. (not at 2:30 as formerly). The hour has been changed to enable everyone to attend.

Parents Listen to Explanations Department Work
The audience attending the February meeting of the Parent-Teacher association enjoyed three excellent talks by high school faculty members on the work of their departments.

MRS. A. HUNT TO STAGE COOKING SCHOOL HERE

Don Pears Weds Gladys Seidlitz of Baroda on Feb. 18

A native son of Buchanan, Don R. Pears, stepped into the glare of the calcium Saturday, but in a matrimonial rather than a political way this time...

BENEFIT PLAY BY MEUSEL P.-T. A. TOMORROW NIGHT

All adults and non-school residents who may want to purchase tickets for the comic operetta, "The Return of Miss Caruthers," which will be presented by the Meusel School of South Bend at the local high school gymnasium tomorrow (Friday), evening...

Young People of Church of Brethren Will Present Play

The Young People of the Church of the Brethren of Buchanan are presenting two missionary plays on the evenings of Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 28 and March 1 at 7 p. m.

PRINCESS OPENS MARCH 11 WITH SOUND EQUIPMENT

Arrangements have been completed for the opening of the Princess theater March 11, fully equipped with all the latest sound-producing theater equipment...

COOKING EXPERT AT HIGH SCHOOL MARCH 9, 10, 11

The ladies of Buchanan and such men as may be inclined to the domestic life by preference or compulsion will be interested in the announcement on another page of the free cooking school which is to be held at the high school auditorium on March 9, 10 and 11 with Mrs. Alma Hunt, nationally known home economics expert, in charge.

Mrs. Hunt has conducted previous schools in Buchanan and has made a very fine impression on every appearance. On those occasions the meetings here were not only very well attended, but many local women followed her in her series at other county towns.

Record Ad Sells 100 Acre Farm Realtor States

Record ads were a main factor in the sale of a 100 acre farm, known as the Eleanor Clark farm, recently sold to Richard E. Schwartz, local real estate dealer.

Will Conduct Series of Meetings at Church Christ

W. Barton Quarles is scheduled to arrive next Tuesday from LaFollette, Tenn., to conduct a series of evangelistic meetings at the Church of Christ. The meetings will start as soon as possible after his arrival.

City Treasurer Announces Two Tax Deadlines

Feb. 27 is the deadline for dog tax payment and March 7 for the property tax payment, according to City Treasurer Ada Dacy-Sanders.

Fire Destroys Garage and Car at J. Kingery Home

Fire from cause not understood destroyed the garage and a new Chevrolet coach at the home of James Kingery at 113 West Alexander Street about 1:30 a. m. Sunday, the flames having gotten beyond control before they were seen.

MRS. ELLA DEWITT LAID AT REST IN ROLLING PRAIRIE

The funeral of Mrs. Ella DeWitt mother of Paul DeWitt, who died at the latter's home Sunday, was held in Rolling Prairie, her former home, at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, a short prayer service having been held at the DeWitt home in the Bend of the River at 1 p. m.

C. C. GLOVER HONORED ON RETIREMENT

Twenty-nine years of continuous service with the Michigan Central railroad was the record of Clarence C. Glover of Gallien, when he retired under the company's pension system Friday, Feb. 20.

I. O. O. F. Lodge Enjoys Round of Social Activity

Odd Fellows of the Buchanan district were involved in a whirl of activities this week, outstanding of which are the conferring of the Royal Purple degree at the LaPorte lodge tonight by the Buchanan degree staff, and the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Gallien lodge Friday night.

Dr. Jas. Garland Dies at Pasadena on Sunday, Feb. 15

Word was received here in the past week of the death of Dr. James Asa Garland, former Buchanan physician, which occurred at his home at 100 Monterey Road, South Pasadena, Calif., on Sunday, Feb. 15.

GALLIEN MAN ENDS LONG RAIL SERVICE



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JOHN W. LYONS BURIED FRIDAY

Born at Barron Lake; Lived in Buchanan District Entire Life.

Funeral services were conducted Friday at 10 a. m. for John W. Lyons, Buchanan carpenter and builder, at his home on the Letter farm near Bakertown and the burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

PRIMARY POLLS OPEN AT 7 A. M. CLOSE AT 6 P. M.

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Sister of Mrs. James Boone Dies at South Bend Sat.

Mrs. Joseph Augustine died Saturday in South Bend after an illness of several years.

Former Buchanan Girl Appointed Post Mistress

Announcement of the recommendation of Mrs. William Watson for the position of postmaster of Three Oaks to succeed her late husband has been made by Congressman John C. Ketcham, recalling the fact that the appointee was formerly Miss Florence Mead of Buchanan.

All forwardminded citizens of Buchanan who are interested in affiliating with a civic organization which will be in a position to head up movements in the city's interest whenever occasion arises are invited to attend a noon dinner to be held at the Grill at 12:15 p. m. Monday, March 2, for the purpose of forming a luncheon club.

MRS. A. SHERWOOD BUCHANAN NATIVE DIED THURSDAY

Was Born and Lived Entire Life in Bakertown District.

Nellie Sherwood, wife of Albert Sherwood of Buchanan, Michigan, R. 3. and mother of Harvey Sherwood, of Kalamazoo, Mich., died at Pawating hospital, Niles, a 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 19, aged 68 years.

Her father, Henry Farran, was a native of Ohio, born in 1837 and crossed the Plains with an ox team as a "forty-niner to California, where he remained for four years, and for one year in 1860, sought gold at Pike's Peak in Colorado. He predeceased her in 1892.

Her mother, Sarah Lister, was a native of Kent County, Delaware, and direct descendant of the distinguished "House of Lister" of Yorkshire, Eng. Her death occurred in 1910.

In 1896 "Nellie" as she was more widely known was united in marriage to Albert Sherwood of Buchanan. Of this union was born one son, Harvey. For about fifty years she had been a most loyal member of the Church of Christ of Buchanan "standing by" that institution, through its struggles continuously. No more faithful, loving, self-sacrificing wife and mother could be found.

GALIEN NEWS

Culture Club at W. Hagley Home

The Culture Club held their meeting at the Warren Hagley home Friday afternoon. The subject was a debate, "Resolved, that U. S. should not admit for residence, peoples from foreign countries." Affirmatives, Mesdames Ewing and Boyle; negatives, Mesdames Swank and Wentland; time keeper, Mrs. Hagley; judges, Mesdames Smith, Lawson, Renbarger Hamilton and Dodd; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Jannasch. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. The hostess served luncheon, assisted by Mrs. Ewing.

Hostess in Honor Mother's Birthday

Mrs. Frank Clark entertained at her home Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Sheeley. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLaren and daughter, Helen, of South Bend; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ingles, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sheeley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rhoades, Eugene Ingles of Detroit. Mrs. Clark baked and decorated the birthday cake. Mrs. Sheeley received a beautiful gift in recognition of her birthday.

Is Honored on 70th Birthday

Mrs. C. C. Glover delightfully entertained about 40 relatives and friends at her home Friday evening in honor of Mr. Glover's 70th birthday anniversary and their granddaughter's, Gladys Glover of Blue Island, 16th birthday anniversary. "500" and luncheon were the evening's diversions. Those present from out of town were, Rexford Glover of Flint, Robert Glover and daughter, Gladys, of Blue Island, Mr. and Mrs. George Glover and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Graffort of Niles; Mr. and Mrs. C. Glover and Mrs. Olie Cooper of Buchanan; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pass, Ralph Phillips, Edward Engleright of Three Oaks. A two-course luncheon was served by Mrs. Glover. Numerous gifts were presented to the honored guests.

Rexford Glover of Flint, Robert Glover and daughter, Gladys of Blue Island, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover.

Miss Nola VanTilburg spent Sunday with friends in South Haven.

Emil Schmaltz Weds Constance Geminder

Miss Constance Geminder of Galien and Emil Schmaltz of Glendora, were married Saturday afternoon in the German Lutheran church at Hills Corners. They were attended by Miss Nola VanTilburg and John Schmaltz. After the church ceremonies a reception was held at the groom's home where the immediate relatives and friends partook of a bounteous three-course dinner. The bride is the only daughter of Mrs. Vera Geminder and a woman of charm and ability. She graduated in the class of 1928 at Three Oaks, and graduated from Kalamazoo College and is now teaching in the Hills Corners school. The best of wishes of a host of friends are extended to them. They will reside on a farm near Hills Corners.

Galien Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Doan Straub and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roundy attended the dairymen's annual meeting Wednesday in the township school on US-31. Gus Bohstedt from the University of Wisconsin was the principal speaker. His topic was "Economic Feeding of Dairy Cattle." Prof. Williams of Purdue University awarded seven medals to the St. Joseph county dairymen.

M. G. Jordan and son, Harold, of Elkhart, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Slocum. Fred Martin of South Bend was a Monday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover attended the theatre in Niles Monday evening.

Mrs. Leona Dwan and Mrs. H. Parren of Benton Harbor of the committee in charge of the 1931 Blossom Festival, conferred with Mrs. C. C. Glover asking that Galien enter a candidate for queen of the festival. Mrs. Glover is the chairman of the affair and if Galien is to be represented the selection in Galien will be held Saturday evening, March 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawson entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of Chicago.

Miss Marie Jannasch, Miss Geraldine Kiley and Miss Gladys James spent the week end with friends at LaFayette, Ind., and attended a fraternity party at the Purdue University.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson of Buchanan were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland.

Miss Thelma Toland of Benton Harbor, was in Galien Tuesday, and accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Ted Payne, home where she will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jannasch spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Beistic at South Bend. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Goodenough of Chicago were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Renbarger. Mrs. Lila Renbarger of Buchanan and Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger were Sunday guests.

Revere Wentland returned to Albion college after spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wentland.

Galien high school and all rural schools were closed last Friday on account of Teachers Institute held at Niles.

Miss Dorothy Wolford spent last Friday in Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed VanTilburg and Mrs. Floyd Norris were in St. Joe Thursday.

Mrs. John Britton is entertaining her sister from Flint.

The Childs Study Club held a meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Walter Enders. Mrs. Reva Roberts had charge of the meeting. Twelve members were present. The hostess served a luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ensel Swem, transferred business in Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Vera Hess spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hess, at Niles.

Little Norma Jean Noggle who has been very ill with pneumonia at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thorston, is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Swanson returned to their home in New Carlisle after spending several days in the Fred Thorston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Morley spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Kuhl of Buchanan.

Lyle Doyle entertained Sunday evening in the Doyle Hotel, Miss Marion Bachman, Miss Francis Supten of Buchanan and Dean Swank.

Max Morley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morley is listed among the sick this week.

Mrs. Charles Norris is very ill at her home in Weesaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sheeley, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sheeley spent Monday in Michigan City, the guest of Mrs. George Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen of South Bend, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Partridge entertained at Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klasner and son, Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gallaspy.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Roundy and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vinton were in South Bend Friday.

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

Mrs. Fanny Truitt entertained at her home Sunday, Mrs. Louise Scott and grand daughter, Joan, Mrs. Mary Scott, Benton Harbor, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVera Olmstead of Toledo, spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Olmstead. Mrs. E. Gorton of Niles was a Sunday guest.

The Maple Grove Aid Society will hold an all day meeting Thursday March 5, with Mrs. Henry Arnen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland were the Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Norman of Buchanan.

Parsley is said to have come from Egypt, and mythology tells us that it was used to adorn the head of Hercules.

Hills Corners

Rev. Raymond Morgan, student pastor at Hills Corners since last fall, has resigned that charge due to pressure of work at the University of Chicago. He preached his last sermon at Hills Corners Sunday. He is preparing his thesis for his master's degree in June, and has secured research work along the line of his thesis. He will visit churches in the Chicago area, observing services and making reports of the variations and results of the various forms. He has also held the post of leader in 4-H club work and will be missed in both capacities. He had served at Hills Corners several years ago afterwards preaching at Norway, Maine. He returned to Hills Corners last summer and resumed his pastorate in October.

The Hills Corners Home Economics Club will meet Wednesday,

March 4, at the home of Mrs. Myra Smith with Mrs. James Hanover, Mrs. Fred Chapin and Mrs. Peterson as assistant hostesses. The meeting will begin at 10 a. m.

The 4-H Club of the Hills Corners church will be led for the future by Milton Mitchell, who has been acting as assistant to Raymond Morgan. The club has already

completed the bench hooks and bread boards which comprise the preliminary work, and are now taking up the neck tie holders.

Durham, Eng.—Canon Derry, the Archdean of Auckland, in an address declared the entire system of modern education wrong, college down to elementary schools.

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- A special purchase! Beautiful rugs in Oriental, Early American and all-over designs. \$30 value, March Sale, \$24.75.
- 12 9x12 ft. Seamless Wilton Rugs, formerly \$70 \$59.50
- 2 11.3x15 ft. Axminsters, formerly \$75 \$59.75
- 25 9x12 ft. Hartford-Saxonies, formerly \$115 \$97.00
- 5 8.3x10.6 Hartford-Saxonies, formerly \$102 \$89.00
- 24 27x60 in. French Oval Wiltons, formerly \$3.75 \$1.88
- 27 inch plain carpet, rose taupe, formerly \$1.90 yd. \$1.65 yd.

Plain and figured carpet in discontinued patterns, rolls of 10 to 45 yards. Bring your room measurements, formerly \$2.50, \$1.90 yd.

Drive your car to Wyman's curb. We'll park it for you. 25c charge

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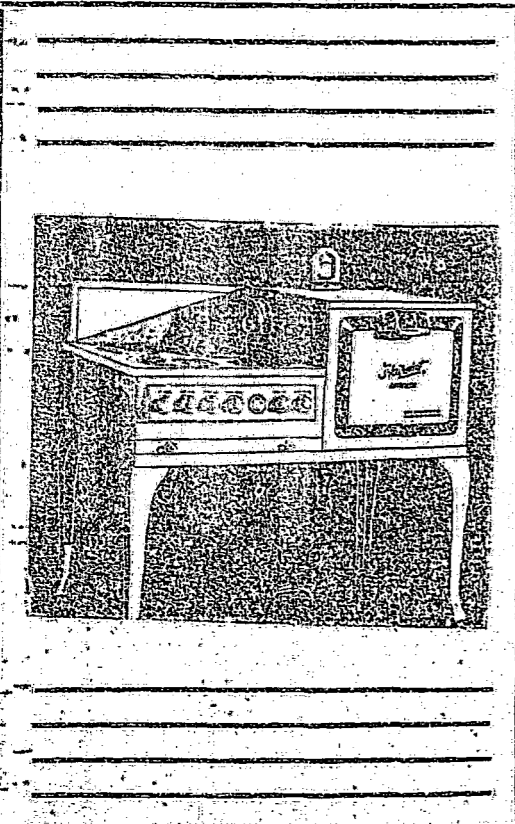
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Berrien County Record

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Why Raise Wheat The farm board continues to urge American farmers to curtail their wheat acreage...

Influenza. The flu is loose in this country again along with most of the world. It is not so bad as the famous "Spanish influenza" of war days...

Standards of Living. "The American people must consent to lower their standard of living," says one authority. "Never must that standard be lowered..."

Wages for Road Workers. If present plans are carried out, 1931 will be the banner road-construction year in the history of Illinois.

Why Pick on Bridge? A columnist says he gets a big kick out of H. G. Wells' remark that "there are plenty of people who could be first-class bridge players..."

The Submarine Lung. The navy has developed a device which enables men to live at a depth of 350 feet under the sea...

Children and warships. President Hoover in a magazine article expresses his belief that the nation's worst ills would be remedied by one generation of "properly born, trained and healthy children..."

Dayton News Mrs. Florence Johnson and son, Harold of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher and family and Mrs. Margaret Sinnott and daughter of South Bend spent Sunday at the Dickinson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fergus and family and Miss Gertrude Gowland of Buchanan, spent Sunday with Claude and Blanche Sheldon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Richter, Leo and Fred Richter, attended the funeral of their uncle, August Kroll at Michigan City Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuhl of Niles spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Emma Kuhl.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strunk and daughters of Buchanan spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Strunk.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wentland of Galien visited Mrs. Julius Arnold Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland at Galien.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Galbreath, one of her arms badly scalded Tuesday when she upset a cup of hot tea over herself.

The Old Timer's Corner

BUCHANAN 10 YEARS AGO From Record of Feb. 25, 1921. G. S. Easton, Editor. H. K. Trask has resigned his position with the Clark Tractor company and left for New York the first of the week.

Olive Branch

Tom Bowker is just about the same. Col. John Seymour and wife were Three Oaks shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLaren of South Bend spent the week end in the Russell McLaren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Hardman and family of South Bend were Sunday visitors in the Joe Fulton home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seymour of Willow Brook farm entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brown and son, Wilbur Jr., of Chicago, who came by car Sunday and stayed until Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stella Finney and sons, Lester and Harold of South Bend were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith at Maple Lawn farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Straub and children, Leona and Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLaren and daughter, Nancy, helped to make a Red Letter Day Sunday. As it was the birthday of Ira Lee. A happy time in the Leo home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark entertained Sunday at a dinner party honoring the birthday anniversary of Mrs. J. A. Sheeley. A fine dinner and quite a lot of relatives were present.

Mrs. Celia Wade and son, Devere, of Dowagiac, and Mrs. Genevieve Nye were in Michigan City Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Wade and son spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Firmon Nye home and Mrs. Nye and Mrs. Wade attended church at Olive Branch Sunday and heard a fine sermon by Rev. Edgar Schade.

Miss Elma Kolburg was home from Three Oaks for the week end.

Dayton News

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strunk and sons of Battle Creek spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Renbarger of Galien spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reinke.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fette and Mrs. Mary Matthews of Buchanan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed

TOUGH ON ART. Salem, Ore.—Art O'Brien was hard up and stole 18 cents. He was caught in the act and put in jail. Police, evidently, were very desirous of Art's company, for they refused to let him out without bail of \$1500. Art stayed in for a while.

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Vote for JEROME for School Commissioner NEXT MONDAY March 2. Each Step a Promotion Each Promotion a Step—For Greater Educational Service. Why Mr. Jerome Merits Your Support: 1. Received his elementary education in rural schools.

D. E. PATTERSON Knows the Schools of Berrien County. 12 YEARS SUPERINTENDENT OF NEW BUFFALO PUBLIC SCHOOLS. 17 YEARS TEACHER SUPERINTENDENT. 10 YEARS ON BERRIEN COUNTY BOARD OF SCHOOL EXAMINERS. EX-SERVICE MAN. THE MAN FOR THE JOB! Commissioner of Schools VOTE MARCH 2nd BERRIEN COUNTY

Social, Organization Activities

Luncheon in Honor of Birthday
Mrs. Jesse Viele, Mrs. G. W. McCracken and Mrs. H. W. Graham were hostesses on Wednesday of last week at a one o'clock luncheon honoring Mrs. Effie Crane, the occasion being her birthday. Following the luncheon an afternoon of bridge was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Graham. Guests from out of town were Mrs. Edgar Upham, Mrs. Enid Kammerer, and Mrs. K. R. Stahl of St. Joseph, and Mrs. R. S. Dougan and Mrs. Warren A. Smith of Berrien Springs. ***

Superior Club
At Devine Home
The Superior Club held its seventh meeting at the home of Mrs. Alfred Devine on Feb. 12, 1931. High prizes went to Mrs. Bert

by Mrs. Alice Koons, who had been visiting there eight weeks.
Give Dinner on 21st
Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lyddick entertained at a family dinner at their home in the Bend of the River Sunday, the occasion being their 21st wedding anniversary. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyddick of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. John Lyddick of Gary and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randall and family of Kalamazoo. The guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Lyddick with a handsome mahogany clock. ***

Thirty Club
Elects Officers
The Thirty club held election of officers at the home of Mrs. Fred Howe Monday afternoon. Mrs. George Smith being named president. Others selected were: vice president, Mrs. John Russell; recording secretary, Mrs. A. G. Hallett; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. G. VanDeusen; parliamentarian, Mrs. Will Beardsley. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Otto Schurr. ***

Will Observe Founders Day
The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will celebrate Founders Day May 4 in the parlors of the church at 2:15.

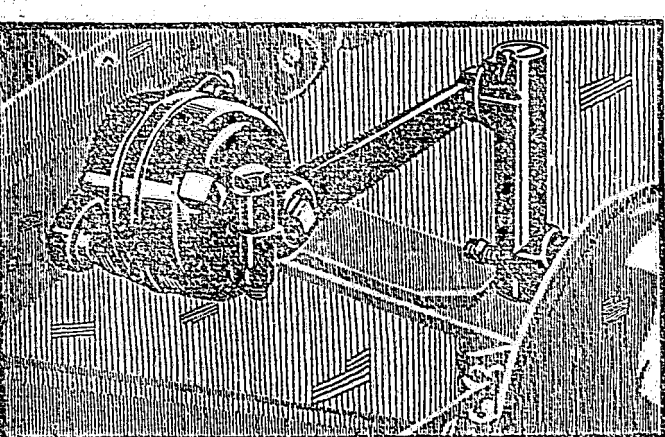
Mrs. Floyd Simpson of Ayette Street is improved from illness.
Mrs. Henry Dellinger was hostess yesterday at an all-day meeting and pot luck dinner for the Aid Society of the Church of the Brethren.
Lieut. D. W. Kent and Captain McMahan of the faculty of DePaul University, Greencastle, Ind., were visitors at the Kent home here Saturday evening and Sunday morning.
The Upstreamers Bible class of the Evangelical church will have a bake sale at Clarence Runner's store, Saturday, Feb. 28, at 10 a. m.
Mrs. Judson Markham of Chip-pawa Street has been in South Bend the past week attending her mother, Mrs. Bert Browning, who was the victim of an automobile accident Monday evening. Mrs. Browning incurred an injured leg and foot that will keep her in bed for some time, but is improving.
Rudy Reisch, the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Markham, has been ill with influenza for the past week.
Bake sale, Ladies Aid, Hills Corners church, at Arney's, Saturday, Feb. 28. ***

Mrs. E. L. Florey was rushed to the hospital at Niles for an operation for appendicitis Monday. And Gerald White of 208 Days Avenue comes into the office to tell us that he saw two robins in his back yard apartment shopping for the spring matrimonial season.
Mrs. Edna Lauer underwent an operation at the Pawating hospital this morning.
William Fayish was taken Tuesday to the University hospital at Ann Arbor for treatment for inflammatory rheumatism.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coleman are the parents of a son born at the home of Mrs. Kelley Feb. 23.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ferris are the parents of a son born Feb. 22.
Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Aafis are the parents of a son born Feb. 23.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crawford are the parents of a daughter born at their home Feb. 21.
Closing out stock at cost and less. Mrs. E. F. Kubis. 81c
Lester Hanover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hanover incurred a compound fracture of the right arm, when he was accidentally pushed down a flight of cellar steps. The family were visiting at the time at Dayton, O.
Have you given Mrs. Sanders that Fido dough? Feb. 27 is the last date.

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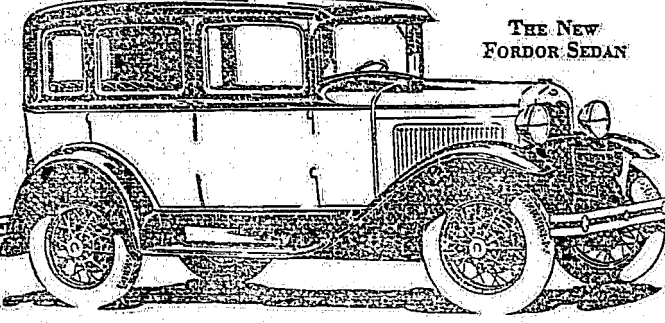


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DO YOU KNOW THAT
80% of rural and village teachers are women and prefer women commissioners.
29 counties of Michigan have women commissioners and the tendency is to give this office to women.
Primaries March 2

Local News

John Russell is reported to be improving from illness at her home in the Colvin district.
The Oronoko Grange ladies served lunch at the Harry Huffman home Thursday, clearing \$16. Mr. Huffman is moving to Niles this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Spaulding have moved to their new home on the Spaulding farm, just east of the Amos Spaulding place.
Vivian Russell, daughter of Will Russell, is able to be up after an attack of scarlet fever, but will not be out of quarantine until the latter part of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Clark were among those attending the meeting of the Berrien Center grange Saturday evening. Over a hundred members and guests were present that evening to witness the initiation of a class of 16.
Mrs. Anna Harner of Galien was a visitor Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Newton Barnhart, 207 Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Curtis of St. Joseph were guests Sunday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Kelsey Bainton.
Miss Grace Enk arrived home on Wednesday from a visit of ten days in Chicago.
Earl Bestie is holding a sale of farm stock and implements at his farm southeast of Buchanan on March 4 and is planning to seed his place to grass and quit general farming operations while devoting his time to outside business.
Mr. and Mrs. Newton Barnhart and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Huss motored to Watervliet yesterday to visit the cousin of the former couple, Mrs. Dollie Celler.
Fred Gombosi of the Chicago Daily News advertising force was a guest Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gombosi.
Baby gifts marked to cost. Mrs. E. F. Kubis. 81c
Mrs. Alice Koons visited Monday at the home of Mrs. Belle Osborne, who is recovering from serious illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Baker of South Bend.

Rebekahs Met Friday Night
The Rebekah lodge held its regular meeting Friday evening with Mrs. Harleigh Squier as chairman of the entertainment. Prizes at bridge and luncheon were won by Mrs. Rudoni, Mrs. May Gawthrop, Mrs. Bettie Smith, Mrs. Frank King, Mrs. Myrtle Leggett and Mrs. Mabel Bradley. Refreshments followed. ***

Monday Club Holds Washington Program
Mrs. Wilson Leter was hostess to the Monday Literary Club this week. A Washington program being observed. Mrs. Ray Stults sang "Face to Face." Neil Foster played a number of accordion selections. Mrs. Birdie Leter read "Washington's Prayer." Mrs. Emma Hayes read a paper on the life of Washington. Mrs. M. Redden described the university named in Washington's honor. Mrs. A. H. Eiler reviewed the achievements of Washington. Members of the club contributed other matters of interest relative to the first president. The meeting closed with more music by Mrs. Stults and Mr. Foster, which was greatly appreciated. ***

Mrs. T. D. Childs Surprised on Birthday
Mrs. T. D. Childs was very pleasantly reminded of her birthday when a group of ladies members of the Saturday night "wid-

ow's Club" waited in unannounced last Saturday evening. The hostess was presented with a beautifully decorated cake, the handiwork of Mrs. A. S. Webb, a lovely blooming plant and numerous other pretty and useful gifts.
On Sunday about thirty members of Mrs. Child's family from Three Oaks, Kalamazoo, and South Bend, came to spend the day and enjoy the delicious dinner given in Mrs. Child's honor by her sisters, Mrs. Anne Dedrick, Mrs. Martha Ansley and Mrs. Louise Donner. ***

Thirty Club
Elects Officers
The Thirty club held election of officers at the home of Mrs. Fred Howe Monday afternoon. Mrs. George Smith being named president. Others selected were: vice president, Mrs. John Russell; recording secretary, Mrs. A. G. Hallett; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. G. VanDeusen; parliamentarian, Mrs. Will Beardsley. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Otto Schurr. ***

Will Observe Founders Day
The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will celebrate Founders Day May 4 in the parlors of the church at 2:15.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shupe and son, Richard of Benton Harbor were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Ham, 703 South Oak Street.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pangborn of Chicago, visited Saturday with the former's aunt, Miss Eva Pangborn.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reinke were callers in Chicago Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Pears were guests at the home of the former's Thursday evening, while enroute home from their honeymoon trip.
Robert Roe came from Ann Arbor to spend the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roe, Sr.
Miss Tina Skeels was called to Whitehall, Friday, due to the severe illness of her father.
Miss Emma Bohl came Friday from Kalamazoo, where she is a student at the Western State Teachers College and spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bohl.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shoop of Manistee were guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pears. Their two daughters, Helen and Norma, visited at the Habicht and Mogford homes.
Bake sale by the Reorganized church of L. D. S. Saturday, Mar. 7, at L. V. Johnson's Furniture Store, Main Street. 81c
C. S. Fox, superintendent of schools at Gilbert, Ariz., stopped Thursday evening between trains for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Arnold. He was en route to attend the National Superintendents Association meet at Detroit.
Supt. H. C. Stark left Friday for Detroit to attend the convention of the National superintendents Association. He planned to return today.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herman of Michigan Street are the parents of a daughter, born Friday evening.
Mrs. Edith Houk returned from Epworth hospital where she went for examination Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Eiler went to Jamestown, Ind. Monday to attend the funeral of the latter's cousin, Harold Barrie.
Mrs. Grace VanHalst went to Columbus, O. Saturday to visit her son, Lester VanHalst, returning Sunday.
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Roy Pierce was a visitor in Jackson Monday and Tuesday.

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