

\$25,000 IN SOLDIER BONUS LOANS HERE

Buchanan Blossom Queen Candidate to be Chosen Here March 24

COMMUNITY TO BENEFIT FROM VET PAYMENTS

Now Here's the Proposition

ADVICE TO BOYS WHO RUN FOR OFFICE... It never pays to let 'em know exactly where you're at...

MISS EISENHART IS CHAIRMAN OF BODY IN CHARGE

Committee to Invite Girls to Enter Competition at Princess Theatre... The Buchanan candidate for the queen of the Southwestern Michigan Blossom festival will be selected...

ORMISTON TO ASK RECOUNT IN FEW PRECINCTS

Heads Cooking School



Mrs. Alma E. Hunt, Culinary Expert

COOKING SCHOOL TO OPEN MONDAY AT HIGH SCHOOL

Sessions Monday and Wednesday at 2 p. m.; Tuesday at 7 p. m.

John Russell At Chevrolet Meet at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

John Russell has just returned from Ft. Wayne, where he attended the Chevrolet Retail Salesmen's convention.

Mrs. Hazel Young Called to Indiana by Death Mother

Mrs. Hazel Young of the Bend of the River was called to Warsaw recently by the severe illness of her mother, Mrs. William H. Rice...

GEORGE SIMMONS IS CHARGED WITH MISUSE OF FUNDS

Is Alleged to Have Pocketed Money While Running Farm For Bootlegger.

George Simmons, Jr., was arraigned in the court of Justice A. W. Charles Tuesday morning to answer to the charge of having misappropriated proceeds from the farm of Joe Kosiasky...

MEMBER OF OLD FAMILIES HERE DIED IN IOWA

Mary Ann Brocius, Sister of Mesdames Fowler, Wray, and Hanley, Expires.

Mary Ann Brocius Quint, a native and resident of Buchanan during her early life, and a member by birth and marriage of two of the oldest and best known families of this district...

Infant Son of Bert Baldwin Died on Feb. 18

Arthur Albert Baldwin, 5 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Baldwin, died Wednesday evening, Feb. 18, of pneumonia at the home of his parents...

Fred Gawthrop and Bert Briney Trade Residences

Fred Gawthrop and Bert Briney traded homes recently, and "exchanged residences" Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Gawthrop moving to the former Briney farm...

LOSES BY 15 IN TOTAL VOTE OF OVER 4700

Thanks Buchanan For Fine Tribute Accorded Him Here.

Defeated on the face of the returns by 15 ballots in a total vote of 4,722 in his race for the Republican nomination for the office of county school commissioner...

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Expect Payments Back From Washington D. C. in Ten Days.

A total of approximately \$25,000 in bonus loan money, representing the applications of nearly 50 local veterans, will be returned from Washington, D. C., during the fore part of the present month...

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Liut. Ada Sine, who is in charge of the Buchanan Salvation Army outpost whenever the post is out, tells us that out of some 500 men who have been served at the soup kitchen maintained by the Army at Niles this winter, only five gave Buchanan as their address.

Your Opportunity

Justice Al Charles, chairman of the ticket selling committee for preferred parking places at fires, wishes to inform the public that there are still some choice locations within the 200 feet limit for the next fire, but they are going fast and if you want any choice, it will be advisable to make arrangements at once.

Sound Equipment For the Princess Theatre Arrives

Homor Morley stated this morning that the sound projecting equipment for the Princess theatre had arrived and was awaiting the arrival of the installation engineers. As soon as the installation is made and the proper acoustics are assured, the announcement of opening will be definitely made.

RILEY H. S. SINGERS HERE SUNDAY NIGHT

South Bend Young People to Give Concert at the Methodist Church.

Local lovers of good music will have an unusual opportunity afforded them in the program to be given at the Methodist church on Sunday evening by the students of the Riley High school of South Bend, arranged through the efforts of Mrs. Edna Reist.

The program follows: Instrumental Trio: Leah Pinney, flute; Virginia Gobel, piano; Cecil Bachelle, violin.

Maccabees Meet In Buchanan Friday Evening

A get-together meeting of the Sir Knights and Lady Maccabees and their families and friends was held in the K. O. T. M. hall last Friday evening, Feb. 27.

Forty-one year charter members were Charles Pears, Harry Bins, Charles Blodgett and Henry Blodgett; 25 year members receiving pins were: L. O. T. M. - Mrs. Charles Blodgett, Mrs. Minnie Nagle, Mrs. Jemore Sebasty, Mrs. Clint McCollum; K. O. T. M. - Charles Pears, Harry Bins, Jerome Sebasty, Harry Banks, Henry Blodgett, Lincoln Burrus, Henry Chubb, Charles Blodgett, Stephen Gushish, Clint McCollum.

Wm. W. Smith Died Monday at J. Richards Home

William Waters Smith, son of George W. and Myra (Clark) Smith, was born in Niles, Mich., Sept. 12, 1862, and passed away at the home of his nephew, Joseph L. Richards, 29 of Clark Street, Buchanan, Mich., Monday afternoon, March 2, 1931, at the age of 68 years, 5 months and 20 days.

He is survived by four brothers, Charles J. Smith of Portland, Ore., Mortimer E. Smith of St. Paul, Minnesota, Samuel N. Smith of New York City and George W. Smith of Minneapolis, Minn. Also by four nephews, George H. and Joseph L. Richards of Buchanan, Fred L. Mansfield of Minneapolis and Paul M. Smith of Chicago.

Berrien County Prisoners Govern Selves Through Kangaroo Court

The Record is permitted this week to reproduce a curious piece of literature which will doubtless interest greatly that not inconsiderable element of our population who, if ever their sins catch up with them, may do a stretch in the county bastille.

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GALIEN NEWS

Galien I. O. O. F. Observes 50th Anniv. Friday

The I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 347 of Galien celebrated their 50th anniversary Friday evening in their hall with 150 in attendance. Grand Master Francis Culp of the Grand Lodge of Michigan was an honored guest and gave a very impressive and interesting talk on "Odd Fellowship." History of the lodge was given by Bert J. Babcock. The I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 347, was organized Jan. 31, 1881. A brief outline of the following brothers membership in the order was given as follows by M. H. Nelson:

G. A. Jannasch, age 71, 50 years membership in No. 347; Charles E. Morley, age 83, 55 years membership in Bridgman, Glendora and Galien lodges; Samuel Jackson, 90, will have attained 50 years membership on Sept. 16, 1931; Luther Yaw, 77, with 46 years continuous membership; Dan W. Swem, age 87, 47 years continuous membership. G. A. Jannasch and Charles Morley were presented with gold medals representing 50 and 55 years membership respectively. Beautiful bouquets were presented to the other three brothers emblematic of their long membership. Deputy District President Henry Swem presided during the evening. The hall was beautifully decorated in gold and white by the

following committee: Mr. and Mrs. Forest Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goodenough, Mrs. S. Hoadley, Charles Lyons, Bernard Renbarger. A co-operative supper was served by the Rebekahs in the M. E. church in charge of the following committee: Mrs. Jennie Glover, Mrs. Cora Heckathorn, Mrs. Nell Swem, Mrs. Mary Potter. The tables were beautifully decorated in gold and white. Out of town lodges represented were Buchanan, Glendora, Three Oaks, Michigan City, Battle Creek and Galien.

Wray Pierce and Orchestra Go On Air from Florida

Friends and relatives of Wray Pierce have been delightfully entertained by him and his orchestra, broadcasting from a Florida station three or four times a week all winter. Wray is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce of Galien.

Mrs. Mecham Carried Galien Poils by 6 Votes

The school commissioner primary election was held Monday in the town hall, and the following

candidates received the nomination as follows:

E. H. Orniston, 16; D. E. Patterson, 9; Mr. Jerome, 6; Mrs. Jennie Burton Mechem, 22. There were 54 ballots cast, one ballot spoiled.

No Beets Raised in Galien Dist. Acct. Cheap Sugar

On account of the low price of sugar there will be no beets raised in Indiana, Ohio and Michigan this coming year, according to an announcement made by Field Supt. Warren Hagley of the Holland & Louis Sugar Company. Plans are underway by which the sugar refineries may consolidate and that the prospects will be good for 1932.

Culture Club Met Friday at the C. Smith Home

The Culture Club held their meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clayton Smith. Roll call, Activities of Women, was responded to by the 12 members present. This was Woman's Day and the program was prepared by Mrs. C. C. Glover and was in charge of Mrs. Clyde Swank, Mrs. D. W. Ewing, Mrs. G. A. Jannasch, Mrs. John Hamilton, Mrs. R. Wentland, Mrs. Ed Shearer had charge of the question box.

Economic Club Meets Wednesday

The Economic Club held an all day meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Clarence Prenkert. Mrs. Ruth Hampton and Mrs. G. Goodenough had charge of the meeting. The topic was "Menus and Calories." Twenty members were present and enjoyed the co-operative dinner at noon.

To Pick Galien Candidate Blossom Queen March 14

Plans and preparations are being made for a program of entertainment and music to be held the evening of March 14, the date set for the selection of "Miss Galien" who will represent Galien in the annual Blossom Week festivities to be held in Benton Harbor. The local contest is sponsored by the community working in co-operation with the chairman, Mrs. C. C. Glover, and her committee, Mrs. D. W. Ewing, Mrs. Ward James, Mrs. M. H. Nelson and Mrs. R. Wentland.

Galien Locals

Mrs. Richard Wentland attended a board meeting of the County Federation of Clubs at the Y. W. C. A. in St. Joe Thursday. She is a director of the board.

Mrs. A. Jannasch and daughter, Marie, were in Glendora Saturday. The Misses Ida and Maribelle Stodder, who have spent the past 17 months in California, arrived in Galien Tuesday, and will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stodder.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Raas spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Jannasch.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jannasch and daughter were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Martin at Dayton.

Those in attendance at the Republican County Convention and banquet Friday evening were: Mr. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wentland, Mr. H. D. Roberts and Mr. Lincoln Hinnant. There were over 300 present.

Mrs. Mikesell of Pompeii, has been a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Conklin, since Thursday. She will return the first of the week.

Mrs. Meryl Bachman visited over the week end with her cousin, Mrs. Robert Weaver, in Glendora.

Mrs. W. Raybuck and Dan Swem of South Bend, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Swem.

Luther Yaw of New Carlisle was a Friday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gowland were in Buchanan Saturday.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday, March 12, at the home of Mrs. Ed VanTilburg.

Carl Renbarger was a business caller in St. Joseph, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Glover and daughter of Niles, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover.

Miss Irene Burger of South Bend spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Burger.

Paul Allen Edwards of South Bend spent Friday evening and Saturday with his father, Rev. P. Edwards.

Mrs. Alta Harner is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lydia Schultz, at Erieville Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Kimble, who has been spending the past five weeks in Florida, spent last Thursday with Mr. John Hamilton en route to their home in Hampshire, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Marble transacted business in South Bend Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doane Warnke entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins of Middlebury, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Partridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith entertained at Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stevens of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Renbarger and family. William Wolf left Saturday for

an indefinite stay with his grandson at Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Mando Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Potter were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Paul at Walkerton, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Babcock entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith and family of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morley, who have been living with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Morley for the past year, are moving this week back on their farm which has been operated by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Potter, who are moving on the John Lamb farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Morley and daughter were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuhl of Buchanan.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hess entertained Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smalley of Benton Harbor.

Donald Swartz and sister, Marjory, and Earl Warrels attended a birthday party given on Saturday evening in honor of the birthday of Miss Dorothy Kay of Michigan City.

The 33 acre farm belonging to the estate of the late Howard Swank of Galien has been sold to O. M. Fisk of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barnes are the parents of a daughter born March 4 at the home of the latter's mother Mrs. Truitt.

Tommie Foster of East Lansing, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster.

Mrs. Anna Harner spent Monday in Buchanan.

Olive Branch

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ingles were in Buchanan Friday.

Miss Olga Huntsley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Marjorie Sprague.

Herb Briny and son Bert, and wife of Buchanan were visitors a day last week in the Joe Fulton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Swank of Galien were Sunday afternoon callers in the Ira Lee home.

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

Mrs. Nina James and daughters, Gladys and Vera, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Yaw near Niles, Sunday afternoon.

Ralph Smith will spend this summer working for Charlie Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall of Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Powell spent Sunday in the Ed Phillips home.

Mrs. Lovina Swank is quite ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kizer and children of South Bend spent Sunday in the Charles Diedrich home.

Mrs. Della Swank visited in the Pete Unruh home last week.

Misses Margaret and Catherine Hampton spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eurus of near Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark and daughter, Laura Mae, were called to Buchanan Tuesday by the illness of an uncle, Francis Richardson.

James Renbarger is improving but cannot be up yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goodenough spent Sunday in the Earl Roberts home.

William Roundy and family spent Sunday in Oceola with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Watkins.

Mrs. Margaret Goodenough and little Margaret Storm spent Sunday in the Ralph Goodenough home.

The farm once owned by Howard Swank has been recently sold to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fiske and mother from South Bend, who will take possession soon.

Leslie Smith of South Bend spent Sunday in the Lew Truh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough and Mr. and Mrs. George France spent Sunday in the Ralph Thompson home near New Carlisle.

Mrs. Charles Storm spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ida Bennett.

Those who were on the honor roll at Galien Center school, which is taught by Nora VanTilburg, were, Vera James, Philip Lee and Warren Straub.

Those on the honor roll at the Waldron school, taught by Muriel Andrews, were, Olga Huntsley, Mabel Norris and Bob Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hathaway of New Carlisle, spent Monday afternoon in the John Dickey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLaren entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sheeley and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ingles.

Mrs. Mollie Reese and son, Herchel, spent Sunday in the Joe Fulton home.

Dean Bowker of South Bend is spending this week in the Millie Bowker home.

Mrs. Florence Popel and daughter and Gus Lechon of Chicago, spent Sunday in the Vivian Ingles home.

Rex Hinman spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bowker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kazen and family of South Bend and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bowker and daughter of Galien were visitors in the Millie Bowker home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Firmon Nye and son, Lysle and wife spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elba Powers near Niles. Mrs. Lysle Nye stayed there with her mother this week.

Henry Williams and daughter, Evelyn, were in Niles Monday.

Wagner News

Kenneth and Lillie Abele spent the week end with their brother, Oscar and wife near LaPorte.

Francis Wright, who underwent

an operation a week ago Tuesday at Pawating hospital is recovering rapidly.

Ralph and Virginia Hess attended the Hill Climbers class party Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Cooper in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess attended the funeral of H. A. Bishop at Eau Claire Thursday. Mrs. Hess remained with Mrs. Bishop until Friday evening.

Regular meeting of Wagner Grange Friday evening. The program will be in charge of Miss Helen Norman and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gunyon.

Hills Corners

The Ladies Aid of the Hills Corners Church will meet all day Friday at the home of Mrs. George Kool with a pot luck dinner at noon. The organization will also meet at the church all day Wednesday to tack comforts and clean the auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blackmun and two sons of Niles were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Blackmun.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rumsey and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hess were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Andrew Feather.

No minister has been engaged so far for the Hills Corners church and services on the coming Sunday will be limited to the Bible school at 10 a. m.

The boys 4-H club meet regularly Saturday afternoon at the church under the direction of Milton Mitchell.

Mrs. Maude Spaulding and Mrs. Agneta Fox of Buchanan have donated 30 books as a foundation for a library at the Wagner Grange hall. The books include a number of valuable classics.

VanTilburgs at Galien Honored on 34th Wedding Anniv.

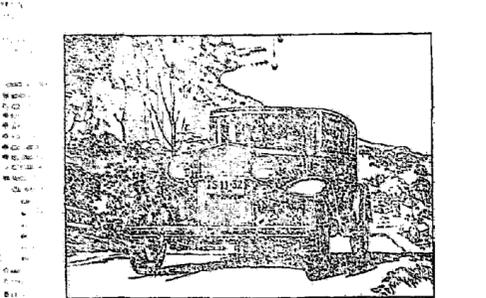
burg came to their home Wednesday night. Thirty-four of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edward VanTilburg came to their home Wednesday evening to remind them of their 34th anniversary. The honor-day couple started house keeping on the same farm a mile south of Galien and in the same house where they still reside. A very pleasant evening was spent.

COLVIN DISTRICT

Harold Sebasty is confined to his home this week on account of flu. Mr. and Mrs. Ceph Moomaw and daughter of South Bend were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Carpenter. The ladies are cousins.

Glenn Kinney went to Chicago Tuesday in company with a Berrien Springs farm excursion to witness a tractor demonstration.

The wind is not strong in the same state, being at times cheerful, melancholy, severe, peevish. These different states may not be properly be denominated tones—Lord Kames.



The New Chevrolet Special Sedan

Performance proves Chevrolet the Great American Value

The new Chevrolet Six is a fine performer. It maintains high road speeds at an easy-working engine speed. Its 50-horsepower engine operates with unsurpassed economy. Six cylinders enable you to do what you want—creep along, accelerate, climb hills, go fast—and do it all smoothly, quietly—with little shifting of gears. Step into a Chevrolet and drive. Let performance, too, prove Chevrolet the Great American Value.

New low prices

Chevrolet's new low prices range from \$175 to \$650. All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich. Special equipment extra. Low delivered prices and easy terms.

NEW CHEVROLET SIX

The Great American Value

Russell Chevrolet Sales
BUCHANAN

ANNOUNCEMENT

We now have in stock a complete line of shoes for Misses, Children, Youth and Boys in black, brown, white patent and smoked leather. Sizes from 3 to 5—5½ to 8—8½ to 11—11½ to 12.

These shoes are made from the best of leather and workmanship.

Thorogood Healthy Shoe for children, we invite you to come in and see them.

JOS. ROTI ROTI Main St.

Your First Spring Thought

A SMART NEW COAT

with a flattering fur collar

\$49.50

We knew a smart coat would be your first spring need. That's why Wyman's Fashion Floor is filled with beautiful new spring coats with smart fur collars. This year we can offer better quality coats at lower prices than ever before, and a marvelous selection of both sports and dress styles at \$49.50. Black, blue, beige, gray, tweed mixtures. Sizes 14 to 46. Half sizes 35½ to 50½.

Choose from these Coat Fashions

- Soft spongy fabrics
- Straight line designing
- Loose sleeves
- Elaborate cuffs
- Adjustable fur collars
- Jaunty scarf collars
- Uneven reverses
- Belts, narrow and wide
- Skipper blue, beige, black and gray
- Button trimming

Coats without fur \$29.50

Coats without fur come into their own this year. Smart spring coats in blue, black, and new tweed mixtures are modestly priced at \$29.50. (Also fur-trimmed coats)

Other spring coats \$19.50 to \$125.00

MARCH RUG SALE NOW ON!

Wymman's

SOUTH BEND

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

Bread of Highest Quality

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company in a National-wide Reduction acts on the suggestion of U. S. Senate Committee on Food Prices to meet the country's need of low priced food.

Experience is said to be an expensive teacher. But the A&P has learned from years of experience how to eliminate waste in buying, shipping and retailing food. That is why A&P is able to sell the best food at the lowest prices.

Experience in this case, at least, has charged but little for its lessons.

5c lb. loaf

5c BAKED BEANS Quaker Maid Open Baked can 5c

25c SCOTT TOILET TISSUE 3 rolls 25c

25c CAMPBELL'S Soups All Varieties 3 cans 25c

TEA Grandmother's Black Basket Fined and Pan Fined Japan Green ½-lb. pkg. 33c

TEAS Bulk Gunpowder or Pan Fined, Japan Green lb. 49c

GREEN GIANT PEAS Sweet, Tender 2 No. 2 cans 29c

N. B. C. FLAKE BUTTERS Square 1-lb. pkg. 15c

SOAP CHIPS Easy Task 5-lb. carton 45c

5c RICE Blue Rose Bulk lb. 5c

MACARONI or SPAGHETTI pkg. 5c

SAUERKRAUT No. 2 can 5c

BLACK PEPPER Ground 2-oz. can 5c

GOLDEN BANTAM Corn 8-oz. can 5c

RED BEANS can 5c

ONIONS Michigan Dry Yellow 4 lbs. 5c

BROWN SUGAR Bulk lb. 5c

5c SARDINES Domestic In Oil or Mustard can 5c

HOMINY Scott County No. 303 can 5c

TOMATO CATSUP 4-oz. bottle 5c

SALT Morton's Triangle 2-lb. pkg. 5c

VANILLA EXTRACT 5-dr. bottle 5c

MUSTARD Master Brand 4-oz. glass 5c

CUT BEETS No. 2 can 5c

DINNER ROLLS doz. 5c

8c PUMPKIN Scott County 3 No. 2 25c

LA FRANCE POWDER 3 pkgs. 25c

RAISINS Seedless Bulk 3 lbs. 25c

GRAPEFRUIT 8-oz. can 3 cans 25c

SAUERKRAUT 3 No. 2 25c

8c STRING BEANS 3 No. 2 25c

PEAS or CORN 3 No. 2 cans 25c

PET or Carnation Milk 3 tall cans 25c

CLIMAX Wallpaper Cleaner 3 cans 25c

SUPER SUDS Kitchen 3 pkgs. 25c

10c PURE LARD Refined Bulk lb. 10c

WAX BEANS No. 2 can 10c

CUT BEETS No. 2 1/2 can 10c

LIMA BEANS No. 2 can 10c

GERBER'S Vegetables can 10c

10c TOMATOES No. 2 1/2 can 10c

RAISINS Del Monte 15-oz. pkg. 10c

COCOA Quaker Maid ½-lb. can 9c

CATSUP Quaker Maid 8-oz. bottle 10c

SARDINES Blue Peter Imported can 10c

ENCORE SPAGHETTI In Delicious Sauce 4 cans 25c

JELLO Famous Gelatine Dessert All Flavors 4 pkgs. 29c

BACON SQUARES Sugar Cured lb. 14c

ROLLED OATS Quality Grade 22½-lb. bag 59c

CORNMEAL Yellow or White 6 lbs. 19c

BLOCK SALT 50-lb. block 39c

35c RINSO For Clothes or Dishes 2 large pkgs.

19c OLD DUTCH CLEANSER 3 cans

— IN A&P QUALITY MARKETS —

PURE HAMBURGER AND PORK SAUSAGE, 3 lbs. 29c

BACON SQUARES, lb. 14c

PORK SHOULDER ROAST, lb. 12½c

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All All-American League

The Scripps-Howard newspapers have come around to the view, long urged by many other papers, that the Pan-American league of nations should be revitalized by turning it into a sort of American league of nations. The union as it now exists is little more than a paper union, a mere vestige of the hopes held for it when it was founded. The magnificent marble home built for it in Washington by Andrew Carnegie might almost be called the tomb of those hopes.

It would be a fine thing if newspaper support generally should rally to this proposal. "American league of nations" is not a very good title or slogan, because it tends to revive the old controversy about the league at Geneva and seems to imply rivalry and opposition to that body. But surely the idea in itself should be acceptable to a majority of Americans in this hemisphere.

South America is a distinct and separate region of the world, with its own problems and its own spirit, and should stand together in some sort of flexible federation, when the rest of the world is organized.

Such a federation, with Uncle Sam at its head, should start its career strenuously by taking over the Monroe Doctrine, which Uncle Sam's signs has made and more trouble than it is worth. With the Latin-American nations ranged in its defense rather than against it, as they mostly are now, it should be more effective than ever, and last events on an Uncle.

The State Fair's Removal

A wise man in the legislature has been proposing that the State Fair grounds in Detroit be sold and the proceeds thereof be devoted to the building of a new plant for it in an interior city. This is in pursuance of a report that the State Fair has been making the state a good deal of money of late years. It will be well to remember that the state is to have to reckon with Detroit and the Congress of the present site before it got pay with the selling of this property. Its history is that it was donated to the Michigan State Agricultural Society on condition that the fair be permanently held in Detroit. If that condition of the gift is not carried out, it would seem that the property would revert to the donors. There has always been some question as to the way in which the state took title, or possession, whichever it was, of this property from the Agricultural Society. In any event, the state's title to it is no greater than that of the Agricultural Society. Moreover, by some way which is not clear, the state made the property the security for a million-dollar bond issue, which would have to be paid off before the proceeds of the property could be applied to a new plant in an interior city.

There are difficulties, it would appear, in the sale of the State Fair grounds, at Detroit, and the application of the proceeds thereof to a new settlement of the institution.

Michigan Mann, & Min. Record

Labor-Saving Animals

Animals, in search of food, take the shortest course and easiest way. They are just natural labor-savers. So, at least says J. A. Generali, of the experimental psychology laboratory of the University of California.

"It is a fundamental law of behavior that the organism, under the stress of a need, tends in consequences of competition to relieve that need in process of the least effort."

"This may or may not give support to the human tendency toward labor-saving machinery in business effort."

But Generali's another point about animals as well as human beings. When the immediate need is relieved, animals play. The way of a gull in the air is not always the shortest flight to the fish. The way of the snake on the rock may be purely recreational. The way of a collie dog in the first snow, or a horse in a spring pasture, is as certainly the way of fun as that of the man with the golf club or fishing rod or sail boat.

Perhaps when all is done and said, we need to shorten the work to that we may have time to play. The present depression does not prove the fundamental of instinct wrong. It merely proves bad management and lack of foresight in the use of them.

Canada Abandons Wheat

Canada, like the United States, is a wheat-growing country. Its government, like ours, has been trying to help its farmers by boosting the price of wheat through market operations with public funds. Like our farm board, it now has a great deal of wheat on its hands.

The government is not satisfied with the result. Since it started boosting wheat, the price has dropped nearly a dollar a bushel. So after two years' effort and a big financial loss, it has decided to quit. Canada thinks it can get its public funds better in other ways.

The idea seems to be that the value of wheat is controlled by world supply and demand, and that the government has no right to interfere with it.

Speeding Ships

At the close of the war it is said, European shipping men had about decided that the giant express liner was not economic. They weren't planning much on liner and faster boats. Then came the German ships, Bremen and Europa, winning the speed title from the Mauretania and setting new records of speed, size and luxury. Since then the international race has been resumed with considerable enthusiasm.

England and France, and even the United States, are planning on new construction which will bring the old rivalry up to date.

This month or early next month, the French line plans to lay the keel of a ship which will be larger and faster than any ever built before. It will be nearly 1,100 feet in length, with a contracted speed of 30 knots—enough to leave the Bremen and Europa far behind in a race. The ship will be electrically driven, deriving power from 30 water-tube boilers that will supply superheated steam to high pressure turbines.

The French are the first to make definite announcement of their plans, but British and American shipbuilders doubtless will have announcements to make before the French ship has progressed very far.

If steamships continue to break each other's speed records and lower the length of time required to cross the ocean, they may make aviation sit up and take notice.

Deceiving Drouth Victims

Spring frosts are bad for farming. Floods are bad. Drouths are bad. When all three come in one year, it is just about the limit of agricultural endurance. That's what the farmers in the stricken region of Arkansas have been up against. And that's why the rest of the nation, even with an inadequate idea of what they are enduring, want to help them.

Don't think, though, that those afflicted farmers have given up. They are not giving. A professor of forestry from Massachusetts, visiting the college of agriculture at Fayetteville the other day, was amazed at what he found there. He met 5,000 farmers who came, registered and attended courses, contests and exhibitions, eager to learn and to exchange ideas in order to improve their farm methods.

"They believe in better farming," he says. "They want to forge ahead. They have fought against terrific odds during the last year. If some of them have to call for help now, it is because they absolutely need it and can't get along without it. For once, just once, circumstances have been too much for them."

Such people are worth helping.

Russian Railroad

A weak feature of the Russian five-year industrialization program has been the railroads. In planning its swift and gigantic development of industry, the Soviet government neglected them and appropriated very little money for transportation development. The weakness is to be corrected. Arriving Moscow's commercial agent in America, has been arranging here for the Americanization of the Russian railroads. It is proposed to employ 100 American locomotive engineers, other workers as a "perfect division" of the vast industry, switchmen, signal men and Soviet railway system. They will be placed in key positions, with a complete Russian crew under their instruction. As fast as one Russian group has mastered the American technique it will be moved out to take charge of a division itself and another training group will be moved in.

The Russians are said to be receiving full cost co-operation from American railroad executives. Whatever Americans think of Russian political ideas they are tremendously interested in Russian industrial experiments, and American business men than is generally realized.

Why Reformatory Fails

In criticizing the methods followed in American reformatories and houses of correction, William M. Brennan, former chaplain of the Philadelphia county prison, recently made some remarks that ought to be given wide publicity.

"The same reformatory and house of correction are mentioned," he says. "They accomplish anything but that which the names imply. These institutions are centers of contamination and stepping stones to the penitentiary and the electric chair. Ex-convicts are returned to prison so rapidly that penal institutions cannot be built fast enough to accommodate them."

Brennan also points out that reforming these things is what the state does in handling criminals, and suggests that this is because the ruling leaders use more intelligence in the way they go about their work. If animals, he says, were locked in cells, fed and watered and then left to their own devices—so in the case of convicts—very little would be accomplished.

All Hostesses

The Eastern Air Transport planes, operating from Newark, N. J., to Washington, have started something of which no man can foresee the end. "Hostesses" are carried to entertain the passengers. They will play cards, engage in spirited conversation and generally relieve the tedium of the trip for the tired business man, statesman and lobbyist.

The idea, the company explains, is to make passengers feel at home. It would increase ultimate success. However, many depend on what the wires at home think about such an entertainment. The net result may be to stimulate family life.

The Old Timer's Corner

Some people seem to think that living in a city of larger proportions is different from living in any place else. Well, it is not. It is not of course if you have every comfort, but you get the feeling that you are not at home. You don't get to know much about city life as the people around you. But if you are getting in an age which "moving" is a job that you don't "fiddle" for very much and you settle down and get to know a certain neighborhood, a few blocks, you will find that the feeling that you are not at home in any place else is not an integral part of your larger city. Well, I can assure you that people here are just as human and just as friendly and just as "friendly" as they are ever home, or in any other smaller place.

Every week we have our "conversations" that are so popular. The first and some one will have the trouble to call us all about them, come or late and you stand and listen and say nothing. O yes, there are neighboring "reporters" scattered in all places and among all people in all "blocks" here, we have our own "reporters" who come from Sweden. His report is that there is a couple of married ones over here, so he came over at the age of 22, and is making himself useful at home. He works at his trade, part of the time a mechanic, will be taking long walks every day, he wears long whiskers, and he looks like an old man. He plays with the ball, plays ball and seems to have a lot of fun.

When we have another fellow who is a carpenter and is generally known as "Red News". He always has some calamity to tell about either that has just happened or is just about to happen. When he tells you he has some news, you begin to wonder where the accident occurred.

When we have an old fellow who is a baseball fan, and tells you all about each member of both the Chicago teams, and to favor the winning team, mostly.

There are a number of other fellows living in a little cottage all around with the old timer, and they are all very friendly and they are all very friendly.

We have a gentleman who is a very busy man but he attends to his own affairs mostly and he is a very busy man. He is a very busy man.

So I don't go in there but I would tell you something at least about every one of us in the block. What like I said to you, we are all very friendly and every one of us is very friendly. We are all very friendly and every one of us is very friendly.

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I have lived in certain parts of the city where I lived for several years in one apartment and did not know the people who lived above or below me, or as other people. But that was a large apartment building, and I lived in the same human nature and they are all very friendly.

OLD TIMER

For some time I have been thinking about the city. I have been thinking about the city. I have been thinking about the city.

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Some More Free Publicity for the Democrat Party

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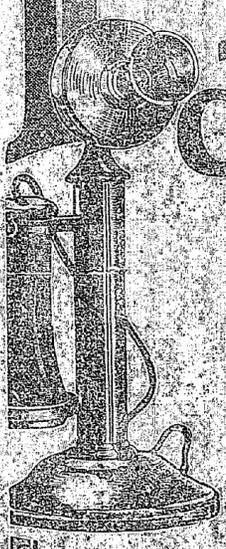
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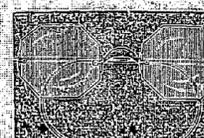
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THE MICROPHONE News of Buchanan Schools

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

Bucaneers Favored to Win in Niles Tournament

BERRIEN SPRINGS TOUGHEST FOE IN LOCALS CLASS

Two Rivals Will Settle Supremacy on the Opening Night.

With rapid improvement in their last games and two weeks of variety practices behind them, Buchanan's basketball team...

The number of teams competing as compared to previous years has been reduced, and only eleven schools have entered this year.

Buchanan and Berrien, the two toughest babies in Class C, will stage their fireworks the opening night...

St. Joe and Niles will stage their annual battle in class B, with the hosts expected for defeat.

Do you think that girl's long hair is better looking than short hair? It all depends on the type of face each girl has.

INQUIRING REPORTER

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PROGRESS IN CLASS ROOMS DURING WEEK

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Annual Grade Operetta to Come in April

The annual grade operetta will be held in the latter half of April. It was the announcement given last Monday by Miss Theo. Olson...

"Rompelstiltskin" is the name of the operetta, consisting of one hundred and fifty to two hundred grade children and possibly one or two high school students.

SCHOOL SLANTS

What wouldn't we give to see: John Strayer awake on hall duty Marjory Campbell without her sum...

H. S. MUSIC TALENT GIVES THIRD CONCERT

Trumpet Soloist of the Seneca High School Band is Feature.

The third concert of a series of six was given Sunday afternoon, March 1, at the high school. The attendance at this concert was much larger than at the other two.

- Japanese Sunset - Depgca Mixed Chorus Cornelia-Wilson-Arranged by Noble Cain Girls' Glee Club...

BASKETBALL BIOGRAPHIES

Richard Chubb was born in Buchanan, Michigan, July 10, 1913, and has resided in that city all his life.

From early childhood Richard took to athletics more than anything else. He, like all other boys named Richard, acquired the title of Dick and became very popular among his fellow students.

This piece on Beethoven is taken from the notebook of Cherryblossom Heim.

We see him again at the age of eleven. His father has taken him from school. His education is finished.

And again we see him, This same small child, Playing for Mozart. A noise in the world he will make Says the great composer.

And later still we see him Walking in the forest Beside a lazy tumbling stream. He is inspired by nature.

A short time later He hears buzzing noises In his ears continually He hears no words unless shouted at.

But he keeps writing. His wonderful music. He hears less worldly sounds He soon hears nothing that is Going on in the outside world.

VELMARIAN LIT GIVES PLAYS BY STUDENT WRITERS

Richard Brodrick is Elected President for the Rest of the Year.

The Velmarian Literary Society, under the capable supervision of Mrs. Dunbar, presented an office play written and presented by Richard Brodrick, Leo Boyce, Mildred Brewer, Mary Howe, Richard Chubb.

The following officers were elected to hold office for the remainder of the year: President, Richard Brodrick; vice president, Ralph Zerbe; secretary and treasurer, Helen Schmalzried; literary critic, Roger Thompson.

Senior High Volley Ball Tournament On

The four upper classes began their volley ball tournament on Thursday with the sophomores playing the freshmen and defeating them 53 to 47.

The freshmen first team consists of Margaret Hamilton, Helen Spatka, Jean Russell, Ruth Cripe, Mary Donley, Lucille Lightfoot, Jane Briney; sophomores, Dorothy Vincent, Genevieve Glasel, Rosemary Thompson, Marjorie Hamilton, Doris Campbell, Elizabeth Hess, Josephine Dunlap; juniors, Teresa White, Dorothy Rothluhs, Mildred Buchanan, Zeida Frank, Dorothy Holmes, Martha Speckling; seniors, Alora Hart, Mary Jane Harkrider, Florence Hansen, Lenice Thompson, Charice Banks, Bernice Lohmaugh Helen Schmalzried, Enid Reams.

The officials for Thursday's game were: referee, Miss Roehenback; scorer, Harold Boyce, and time, Mary Jane Harkrider.

The children have completed their project about cotton and they have some very interesting booklets telling the Story of Cotton.

No one was tardy in our last week. Original poems on Spring were written and those printed are those which were selected by the pupils as the best work.

Spring is surely coming, Birds are all around, The air is getting sweeter, Nine flowers I have found.

Spring is coming, spring is coming, Flowers blooming, seeds awakening, Are pushing through the earth's. They know when spring is here For they can feel the sunshine.

Spring has come, by this I know The Johnny-Jump-Up told me so; The maidens sing a happy tune, They fill the air with the merry tune.

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At last death comes to Beethoven. But his wonderful music will live forever.

The several grade rooms were presented Monday with posters giving valuable information concerning the national emblem and showing plainly how to display the flag.

Grade News

Friday Assembly Has Galaxy of Musical Treats

Barbara Swartz, kindergarten student, and xylophone soloist from the "Toy Orchestra" played two pieces, "The Spring Song" and "Old Age," on the Friday morning assembly program under the supervision of Miss Theo. Olson, instructor of music.

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Closing Hall in Brown Building Made Necessary

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Michigan Bell 1930 Income is \$3,557,681.54

Net income of the Michigan Bell Telephone company for 1930 was \$3,557,681.54, or only 2 1/2 per cent on the plant investment, compared with \$6,012,709.79 in 1929.

The report shows that the total telephone operating revenues last year were \$41,502,996.93, and operating expenses, maintenance and depreciation, \$30,579,661.63, leaving a net operating revenue of \$10,923,335.30.

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In 1925 only 5.09 per cent of the fires were attributed to the smoker. It increased 11.80 per cent the following year. In 1927 the percentage had jumped to 20.96 per cent.

Penetration of highways into every forest area of the state, the increasing summer traffic on the main and side roads to the north and the increasing number of hunters and fishermen are given by the Forest Fire Division as reasons for the increased hazard to the woods from smokers.

However, while the same reasons of more and more tourists would seem to apply to camp fires, the percentage of increase in fires caused by camp fires in 1930 over the previous year was but 74 per cent. The Forest Fire Division reports 204 or 6.40 per cent of the fires last season being caused by camp fires. Increasing precautions on the part of the camper was cited as the principal reason for the fact that this percentage is remaining low.

An increase of 4.47 per cent in the number of fires of incendiary origin is reported. Last season 497 or 15.23 per cent in 1929 to 515 per cent for the year, were maliciously started. The percentage for the year before was 5.01.

While noticeable increases were reported in several of the ordinary causes of forest fires; considerable decreases were noted in other causes. Fires having "railroads" as their origins dropped sharply from 18.28 per cent in 1929 to 6.75 per cent in 1930. Increased operation on the part of the railroads, and a more systematic and better inspection of locomotives were given as the principal reason for the drop.

Fires starting from various lumbering operations also dropped during the two year period from 2.46 per cent to 1.41 per cent.

Over a six year period, 1925-30 inclusive, 16,013 forest fires were reported in Michigan.

First Grade, Miss Carnagan Doris Rohl and Beverly Collins are reading with group one now. Our weather calendar for February shows there were fourteen sun shiny days during that month.

Norman Olson from Chicago, played the trumpet for us during the band period last Friday. The following people received "A" in spelling last week: Duane Arend, Doris Lamb, Martin Walter and Robert Six.

Acid Stomach Puts Many a Man Down

READY Niles, Mich

"The Gorilla" Saturday, March 7, Only A Riotous Comedy Lila Lee-Harry Gribbon

Sunday-Monday, Mar 8-9 Their Best Fun Fest Joe B. Brown Winnie Lightner in "Sit Tight"

Tues. Wed. Mar. 10-11 To Big Attractions Douglas Fairbanks in "Outward Bound" and Harry Langdon in "Playing" "Soldiers"

Thurs. Only, Mar. 12 Walter Huston Kay Francis in "Virtuous Sin" Fri. Sat. Mar. 13-14 Richard Barthelmess in "The Lash"

For the Best Entertainment Visit THE READY

London-Hon. Dorothy Paget, daughter of Lord Queensborough, made her debut as a public singer before the convicts of Wormwood Scrubs prison.

Tokio-Telephone number brokers are operating in Japan to secure telephone numbers desired by their customers. If a subscriber is given a number which he considers unlucky, he sees his broker and that worthy purchases his lucky number for him.

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As far as we know the young people on the church teams and members of the church societies kept the rules.

The young people want to thank Mr. Brown through this paper (The Berrien County Record) for the use of the room for the winter.

London-Hon. Dorothy Paget, daughter of Lord Queensborough, made her debut as a public singer before the convicts of Wormwood Scrubs prison.

Tokio-Telephone number brokers are operating in Japan to secure telephone numbers desired by their customers. If a subscriber is given a number which he considers unlucky, he sees his broker and that worthy purchases his lucky number for him.

Some numbers in great demand bring from \$800 to \$3,000. The unlucky numbers are generally assigned to police stations.

Rate of net earnings to cost of plant and other assets decreased for the third consecutive year. Earnings the past four years were: 1927, 6.30 per cent; 1928, 5.78 per cent; 1929, 5.54 per cent; 1930, 3.50 per cent.

During 1930, the largest plant expansion projects of the company included opening three new dial central offices in new buildings in Detroit; erection of a new central office building for a new central office in southwest Detroit; completion of a combined warehouse, garage and shop buildings in Detroit; establishment of a new dial central office in a new building at Holland; completion of new central office buildings at Benton Harbor and Grand Haven, and installation of a manual central office in the latter; completion of a central office and administration building at Saginaw; completion of a new warehouse and garage building at Grand Rapids; installation of new dial central offices in new buildings at Port Huron and Macatawa Park; installation of new long distance central office in Detroit, in one of the largest in the world; placing in service of new long distance cables between Jackson and Lansing and between Benton Harbor and South Haven, and extension of the Grand Rapids-Marine long distance cable to Grand Haven.

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FAIRIES FOR SALE

150 acres, 2 sets of improvements, one 12-room house and one of 5 rooms, large barn, poultry and hog houses, good well and windmill fenced with woven wire and steel posts, spring watered pasture, 1000 ft. concrete dam, 2000 ft. 8000, and a barge, no waste land.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—West apartment, Alexander St., strictly modern, call W. Alexander, 521 North St.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Farms to sell. We have some good customers. Write giving full particulars August Peters, 124 Water Street, Easton, Harbor.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—37 acres very reasonable, near new M-30, 3 miles east of Buchanan, Wm. Gilchrist, Jr., 4 Niles, Mich.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fruit, stock and grain farms. E. H. SCHWARTZ, 206 Lake St.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Chevrolet coupe in good running order. Good tires and new batteries. 524 H. H. Ertmer, 111 Lake St.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Household goods, 207 Days Avenue, phone 432.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Small 5-room house, a bargain for quick sale. Wilbur Dempsey, 403 W. Third St.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Maple syrup, full weight, excellent flavor guaranteed. Ray F. Weaver, phone 713343.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bungalow, 3 large rooms and bath, large enclosed veranda built one year ago, 1 1/2 miles east of town, clear, will divide. Terms. Wm. D. Nelson, 215 N. Cayuga St. Buchanan.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Choice Rhode Island Red roosters, inquire at Robert Franklin, Fortage Road, Buchanan, Mich., phone 713342.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—10-foot McCray display case, one refrigerator, three 5-foot oak counters, one Toledo scale, one metal block, two show cases. C. W. Ryan, 428 W. Chicago St.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—3 good milk cows, Robert Canfield.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Young work team, stock hog for sale or rent, phone 710193.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Desirable building lots on Third and Cayuga St. Improvements in excepted payment. Also lot on Cayuga near Front St. Leo Huebner, 212 Lake St.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, buy them with a guaranty to live. Prices reduced. Order early to be sure of them when wanted. H. B. Brown, phone 421.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Pure Spartan barley from certified seed. Phone Buchanan 710912. Estal. Price, 91c.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—No. 1 grade seed corn oats, Wolverine variety, grown from certified seed, also baled oat straw, wheat, straw and potatoes. Elmer Butts farm, phone 710352.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—250-egg capacity incubator, 400-egg capacity incubator, both nearly new. Call F. French, phone 713522.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Mixed hay, 100 laying pellets. Elmer Clark, Niles, Buchanan, Road.

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FOR RENT—2-room apartment, both on ground floor, furnished for light housekeeping. Also 1 pleasant front room, equipped for light housekeeping on ground floor. Rates very reasonable. Inquire 403 Days Ave. Phone 529R.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern six room house on Moscow Ave. Call 367R or see C. D. Koenigsht.

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CARD OF THANKS

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NOTICE

NOTICE—The dump on West Jordan street is free to all who bring their own stuff, because of having nothing they want to take back. Jobbers, 10c per load.

WANTED

WANTED—A low priced 40 or 50 acres for cash. E. C. Wonderlich, Buchanan, Mich.

TRADE FOR FARM

TRADE FOR FARM (40-50 acres)—3 room house, new cement block good garage. Lot 55 by 260. Some fruit, facing Lake Michigan. No real estate. Mr. Peter Artinus, 1457 Napier Ave. St. Joseph, Mich.

NOTICE

NOTICE—Buchanan Township Democratic caucus, Wegner Grange Hall, on Thursday, March 12, 2 p. m., to select Township Officers. Committee.

ANNOUNCEMENT

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W. Barton Quarles of LaPorte, Tenn., is a southerner with the southern brogue, but his gripping gospel sermons hold his audiences spell-bound.

Wednesday evening his message laid plans for an unusual soul-winning campaign. His topic was "Conquering the Hopeless." Thursday evening his sermon will be an illustrated lecture on "Rightly Dividing the Word of Truth."

Friday evening "Faith and How to Gain It" Saturday evening "True Repentance" Sunday at 11 a. m. "A Much Disputed Question" illustrated by colored charts Monday evening "Christ Likes Ness" Tuesday evening "Heaven Is There a Place of Eternal Rest" Wednesday evening "Hell Will a Loving God Prepare a Place of Everlasting Punishment?" Further announcements will be made in next week's paper.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Evangelical Quarles, widely known having conducted campaigns in some 20 states, in a recent campaign there were 246 additions to the church.

—Correspondent.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Evangelical Church W. D. Hayes Pastor

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Special music and sermon "The Resurrection" at 11 a. m.

The pastor and choir expect to go to the Evangelical Old People's Home at New Carlisle Sunday at 2:30.

The leagues will meet at 8:00. Evening song service and sermon "Bring Him to Me" 7:00.

The Adult League will entertain the Young People's and Senior Leagues at the church Monday evening at 7:30.

Rev. W. M. S. will meet at the church next Tuesday noon for a pot luck dinner and their monthly meeting.

Prayer meetings Thursday evening at 7:00.

The Winners class will meet this week Friday evening at the Frank Bachman home for their monthly meeting.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held Saturday evening, March 14, at which time the delegates will be elected to our annual conference which will convene in May.

The communion will be held on Sunday morning, March 15. Rev. W. H. Watson of Kalamazoo will be in charge, or both services.

You are cordially invited to these services.

Methodist Episcopal Church

Thomas Rice, Pastor.

The combined service will be held at 10 o'clock and will be concluded not later than 11:30. Prizes will be awarded those who have attended Sunday School continuously for 13 Sundays. The special music will be selections by the Junior Choir and other attractive numbers. Mr. Rice will give a short address on "What is a Christian?"

The Junior League will meet at 5 o'clock. Betty Semple is the leader. We had one of our best meetings last Sunday night. We know Betty will make a good leader this Sunday.

Senior League at 6 o'clock. This is a popular meeting with the young people. We are glad to see so many come. The League cabinet met in the paragon; Tuesday night and have some very attractive things for this week and Easter. Come and be in on it.

Evening service at 7 o'clock. There will be a group of flowers and players from South Bend who will give selections. Among them is a colored person spoken very lightly of. Do not miss this program. Last Sunday night Marvin Gross and Mrs. Orniston gave numbers that were very well received.

The mid-week service will be held in the small room of the church this Thursday at 7:30. Services at Ononka will be held at 9 a. m. Folks in this neighborhood will find these services very helpful.

A feature of the Sunday morning service will be a vocal duet by Mrs. E. H. Orniston of Buchanan and Mr. Lake of Benton Harbor.

Christian Science Church Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Sunday service at 11 a. m.

SEEDS

We specialize in cleaning and shipping local grown Clover Seed. Have shipped out two carloads this season.

We have saved the choicest lots of fill you want for seed for spring sowing.

See Our Quality Local Grown CLOVER SEED

L. BARDEE at Galien

DAYTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Bowker of Galien spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dreyer.

The Dayton Old Fellows will entertain their wives and families at an oyster supper at their ball on Monday Feb. 9. Cards and bunco will be played. Prizes will be given to the highest winners.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hecathorn and nephew spent Saturday at Niles with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crooker.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allison of Carson City, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allison of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Allison of Lakeville, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keller of Buchanan spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. William Strunk.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuhl of Niles spent Sunday evening with his mother, Mrs. Emma Kuhl.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jannsch and daughter of Galien spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Meritt Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Coopert of Niles spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Strunk.

Mr. and Mrs. Shuman Sarver and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sarver were entertained at the Fred Koenigshorn home Sunday.

At the Mrs. Ed Richter spent Sunday afternoon at Buchanan with Mr. and Mrs. William Pettit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones and family of Galien and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lauer of Buchanan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Burrus.

State Has Courses In Natural Wealth

Courses of study which are concerned with the conservation of forests, minerals, wild animals and other natural wealth have been grouped at Michigan State College to make it possible for students interested in this work to specialize in any of these three lines of work.

The course in forestry has been given for many years but the other two are to be started in response to a demand for training in subjects which deal with the preservation of natural resources.

Michigan's natural wealth in minerals and wild life will enable the class room work to be supplemented with such practical training as is needed for the courses.

The breeding of game and fur bearing animals has become an industry which rivals in size and value many of the phases of livestock raising. Trained men are scarce in the new industry and there appear to be places for many more than are now prepared for the work.

Students will make the election of one of the courses during their sophomore year and devote their junior and senior years to study of the subjects in the special courses.

CHICHESTER PILLS

THE BERRIEN COUNTY RECORD

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County Prisoners Hold Kangaroo Court

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Rule 1. Any man who says that he has no money is searched by the sheriff. Any resistance is subject to an additional fine. Rule 2. Any man must fall in line for his meals. His hands and face must be clean. Failure to do so will result in a loss of your meal. Rule 3. All inmates must attend religious services. They must be neat and clean in appearance. Whistling, talking or any other unnecessary noises is punishable by a fine. Rule 4. Any inmate seeing a lady enter must call out "Lincoln" to notify all other inmates not to use profane language, make any unnecessary noises, or to be exposed unless properly clothed. Rule 5. Marring or defacing the walls, spitting, or throwing refuse upon the floors, or out of the cell is not allowed. Rule 6. No inmate is allowed in another inmate's cell without an invitation. You must knock on the door for admittance. Rule 7. Any inmate placed in solitary confinement is entitled to the same cell when released. Rule 8. No inmate is allowed in another inmate's cell when he has company. Rule 9. Fighting demands severe punishment. Rule 10. No talking or other unnecessary noises after lockup at 11 p. m. Rule 11. Any inmate caught slamming doors, will be punished by the court. Rule 12. Any inmate caught throwing match stems, paper, cans or other rubbish in garbage can, will be punished or sentenced by the court. Rule 13. Put all paper, match stems and other rubbish in urinalpunks which are hanging on back bars. Rule 14. All inmates who have cells to sleep in, must keep same neat and clean. Rule 15. All inmates to fall out on scrub morning and help clean up. Rule 16. No inmate to use electric stove after 11 p. m. and not before 8 a. m. Rule 17. Any inmate who thinks another inmate has violated one or more of the above rules, must report same to the Prosecuting Attorney. The offender will be brought to court and punished or sentenced as the judge sees fit. All rules to be strictly enforced. By order of Fred J. Cutler, County Jail Ward.

Table with 2 columns: Offense, Men Fem. Rows include Drunk, disorderly, Held for investigation, Driving while drunk, Violation Motor Law, Grand Larceny, Assault and Battery, Breaking and Entering, Petit Larceny, Disorderly, Wife and child desertion, Murder, Auto Theft, Violation Liquor Law, Fraudulent Check, Inmates of Disorderly House, 16 other offenses bringing totals up to 405 37 442.

Michigan Scientist's Discovery has Wide Medical Bearing

Ann Arbor.—New light on the life history of disease germs, indicating that their behavior is more complex than heretofore thought, and that they commonly undergo a "seed" stage during which they are submicroscopic and cannot be caught by the finest filters, is the result of work by Philip Hadley, Professor of Bacteriology in the University of Michigan. The investigations may show new roads of attack on germ diseases, and solve perplexing problems in the biology of bacteria, and are the first proof of a theory advanced in Europe as early as 1888. Bacteria have long been known to undergo at least two characteristic changes in structure, and in some cases apparently become so small that they could not be strained out with a porcelain filter, or be detected with the microscope, but these latter were usually considered to be abnormalities occurring occasionally and of little importance, or even to be impurities mistaken for living material. By locating this ultramicroscopic stage before filtration had taken place, growing it and observing it turn into the familiar states and back to the original stage and finally by showing that a pure culture of the ultramicroscopic type alone could be filtered and afterward develop into the well known larger stages, Prof. Hadley demonstrated that the filterable ultramicroscopic state is probably a phase in the life of every bacterial species. This phase in the life history of a germ may be regarded as a spore or seed stage, and may be compared with the spore stage of fungi in which the seed little resembles the mature vegetative growth. The dissociation into stages takes place slowly in nature, it was found, which may account for the way in which some infections remain dormant for time, especially if conditions are unfavorable to growth. Transformation may be speeded by hydrogen chloride, by a preparation of the pancreas, by bacteriophage, and probably by other chemical substances. The seed stage of the cell is unusually hardy, and may exist in that form for a long time, eventually developing into the larger stages, at which time it easily is detected. The medical importance of the filterable stage lies in the fact that due to its small size the germs may enter and spread more rapidly and may perhaps be more virulent than is the case with the usual form. In addition, it is possible that the new culture type may be employed in the recognition or prevention of certain so-called virus diseases such as "sleeping sickness," herpes and the common cold.

Alcona Flock Wins Its Owner High Honors. An average production of 141.29 pounds of lamb from each of the 34 ewes in his flock won the title of Michigan Champion Flockmaster for Port Colville, Harrisville, according to the animal husbandry department of Michigan State College. The sale of the lambs and the wool from Mr. Colville's flock brought him an average gross return of \$16.46 for each ewe. The ewes were grade Oxfords and the 34 ewes dropped 53 lambs of which 51 were raised. The record was made in the Wolverine Lamb Production contest. The winners of prizes two to ten in the contest were Charles Covell, Elwell; R. L. Currie, Merritt; W. S. Huber, Gladwin; Armstrong Brothers, Fowlerville; Roscoe Harrison, White Pigeon; Edward Olson, LeRoy; Mike Cubilo, Lincoln; Percy Somers, Harrisville; and Hemmes Brothers, Falmouth. All of the first ten prize winners fed their sheep legume hay, which was drenched with copper sulphate and a nicotine preparation for the control of internal parasites and with the exception of one man, dipped the sheep to combat external parasites and skin diseases. These ten men also used purebred

Less-used Meat Cuts and Thrift

The thrifty homemaker, who at the same time a good cook, is quick to recognize the advantage of the less-demanded meat. The meat dishes suggested below by Inez S. Wilson, home economist, fill the demands of the good cook and manager. Hot Spiced Tongue. Boil, skin and trim a good-sized beef tongue. Rub the surface well with one-half teaspoon ginger and one teaspoon oil-spice. Slice small onion and fry in butter. Dredge the tongue with flour and brown in onion seasoned butter. Put in a saucepan and blend with one teaspoon flour with the fat in the pan and adding one cup stock, the juice of one lemon and one-half cup seeded raisins. Pour this sauce over the tongue and bake

thirty minutes. Breadcrusted Breast of Lamb. Cook a breast of lamb in water for 4 minutes. Drain, remove the bones and press under a heavy weight until cold. Cut in pieces. Dip in melted butter. Season with salt and pepper, dip in fine crumbs and fry in fat until nicely browned. Mock Goose. Parboil a leg of pork and remove skin. Rub with butter, sprinkle with powdered sage, salt, pepper, bread crumbs and finely minced onion. Roast in moderate oven until tender and nicely browned. Bake a well seasoned bread dressing in the pan with the pork. Serve with fried apple rings. Individual Mock Venison Pies. 3 pounds round steak, 1 teaspoon salt, pepper, 3 tablespoons flour, 2 cups turnips, sliced, 1 cup potatoes cubed, 6 small onions. Cut beef into one inch cubes. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and flour. Fry in a little fat until brown. Cover with boiling water and cook one hour. Add carrots, onions and turnips and cook fifteen minutes longer. Thicken gravy with a little flour smoothed in cold water. Add potatoes and pour into individual ramekins. Cover each with a crust of flaky pastry. Bake in hot oven ten minutes and then reduce heat and cook for forty minutes longer.

rams. D. H. LaVoi, specialist in animal husbandry, who was in charge of the contest states that it is impossible to secure good gains in weight on a flock of lambs unless some system of parasite control is practiced. The results of the contest are reported in detail in Extension Bulletin No. 113, published by Michigan State College. Retire Older Men In Service of State Game Department. A reorganization of the field operations of the law enforcement division of the Department of Conservation, while decreasing the number of men, will create a more mobile force, has been authorized by the Conservation Commission. The Commission, at its regular January meeting, authorized the retirement of men who had become incapable of efficient work because of their age or for other reasons. It was recommended that worthy men, retired because of age, and who had seen long service in the department, be given the game and fish license agencies for their counties. Commissions would form a substantial income. "The department deeply regrets that these retirements have become necessary," Director George R. Hogarth said referring to the commission's action. "It is the same problem that is encountered by business organizations every day. When a man reaches an age when he can no longer per-

form his duties he must be let go, even though he has given his best years to faithful service. That we have no retirement fund or pension system is very unfortunate." Through the reduction in the total number of the field force each county in the lower peninsula will be limited to one conservation officer. In districts where it is thought necessary, one or more "free lance" officers will be attached to headquarters to be available for call to any part of the district to answer complaints or to assist the local officer. PILES GUARANTEED TO YIELD TO CHINESE HERB. If you suffer from itching, burning, protruding or bleeding Piles you are likely to be amazed at the soothing, healing power of the rare, imported Chinese Herb, which forces Dr. Nixon's China-rod. It's the newest and fastest acting treatment out there. Brings ease and comfort in a few minutes so that you can work and enjoy life while it continues its soothing, healing action. Don't delay. Act in time to avoid a dangerous and costly operation. Try Dr. Nixon's China-rod under our guarantee to satisfy completely and be worth 100 times the small cost of your money back. CORNER DRUG STORE G. M. Wisner, Prop.

Will Attend College To Study Rabbits. The number of rabbits grown for meat and fur in Michigan has increased until those interested in the industry have arranged to hold the second annual short course of study of rabbit production at Michigan State College, on March 23 to 27. Members of the instructors staff who will assist the poultry department of Michigan State Col-

lege in giving the courses are: Dr. E. G. Baxter, Webster, N. Y.; Prof. H. L. Ibsen, Manhattan, Kan.; A. C. Nowak, Hammond, Ind.; and S. H. Sixsma, Muskegon. Michigan men who have had practical experience in the business will take part in the daily discussions. The course of study will include work in nutrition, disease, breeding, marketing, and housing. One day will be devoted to a study of each of these subjects. A rabbit show will be held during the week to enable those taking the course to see just what types of rabbits are desirable. The show is open to the public and, as the committee expects there will be 700 rabbits shown, everyone will be interested in the extent to which the rabbit has been developed as a fur and meat producing animal. There is little resemblance between the present day show type of rabbit and the old style bunny that the children used to keep for a pet. The annual meeting and banquet of the Michigan Rabbit Breeders Association will be held at the college, Thursday, March 26. SCRATCH PADS—Assorted sizes at 10 cents per pound. Record Office.

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