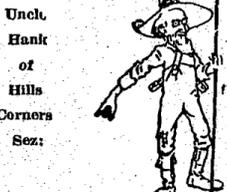


WPA STRIKERS OF NILES INVADE CITY

Cities and Townships Complete Nominations For Spring Election

Incite Local Men to Strike

Now Here's the Proposition



Trubel with the country ain't so much the high cost of livin' ez the high cost of dignity.

An' another thing that's the matter with the country is that there's so many people that knows what's the matter with the country.

Philatelists When wife stamps her foot and points Her finger at a feller For various things around the joint, Like ashes in the cellar,

For dirt rings on the porcelain, For shirts and trousers scattered, For vestiges of lunch remains, (As if such items mattered!)

I sometimes fancy now and then It takes us no keen detector To see that all us married men Are mainly stamp collectors.

Well, friends and neighbors, we were thrown into a panic Monday when somebody called the office and says: "It is time to turn the water off!"

"How should we know," we says. And the voice answers, "Why you told us Feb. 13 to turn it off, until the frost was out and we have been waiting since for you to tell us to turn it back on."

So it seems this fellow has been running up a water bill all spring waiting for us as the advance manager for spring to give the signal to turn it on again. And he says we are morally responsible for his water bill.

The Bradley Bros., Jesse and LeRoy, have been sending friendly little messages to their friends telling how they are enjoying the golfing weather and all that at Gulpport, Miss., when we thought we was over that nuisance with the return of the Florida migrants. Well, they cut down a lot on the coal bill this winter. How they used to burn us up!

Teachers Attend South Haven Meet

Several representatives of the Buchanan school faculty attended a meeting held last night at South Haven at the call of Supt. L. C. Moore of that city. The call was issued to presidents of teachers clubs and delegates to the state NEA assembly and to discuss the program of the latter organization for the coming year.

Attend Funeral of Harry Robe

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robe and Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Smith motored to Waukegan, Ind., yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of the former's brother, Harry Robe, who died suddenly at the LaPorte hospital Sunday. The deceased was known to many here.

Henry Cauffman Dies in Detroit

Funeral of Bertrand Pioneer to be Held at 2 p. m. Today.

The remains of Henry Cauffman, Bertrand pioneer, were brought to Buchanan yesterday from Detroit, where he died Monday and the funeral is set for 2 p. m. today at the Evangelical church with Rev. C. A. Sanders in charge.

Henry Cauffman, son of Michael and Rebecca Rough Cauffman, was born in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania, Dec. 14, 1847, and passed away Monday evening, March 16, at 6:30 o'clock in Detroit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alice Blodgett, at the age of 88 years, three months and two days.

When a small boy he came with his parents to Michigan, where the family settled on a farm in Bertrand township. In this community he has spent his entire life.

In November, 1871, he was united in marriage to Frances H. Fellows. To this union five children were born. Two daughters, Mrs. Mae Best and Mrs. Belle Heim, preceded their father in death.

On their farm south of Buchanan their family grew and departed from the parental home. In 1893, desiring to retire they disposed of their farm, but owing to the ill health of their daughter, Mrs. Heim, they helped them operate their farm for about a year.

Two years ago they purchased their home in Buchanan where they have since resided.

Although Mr. Cauffman endured the early hardships of the sturdy pioneers, he was ever of a jovial disposition and was loved by all who knew him for his ever helping hand and sterling qualities.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Frances Cauffman, two daughters, Mrs. Alice Blodgett, Detroit, Mrs. Ruby Dodge, Buchanan, one son, Frank, of Jackson, two brothers, Jacob of Fortage Prairie, and Pierce of Buchanan, and one sister, Mrs. Ellen Moyer of Hooper, Nebr. Several grandchildren also survive.

Capacity Crowd Sees Junior Play

The high school auditorium was filled to capacity Friday evening by an audience assembled to see the annual dramatic offering of the Junior class, the presentation this year being "Green Stockings".

John G. Ham Entered Drug Store of W. A. Severson Over 60 Years Ago.

Over sixty years ago an alert lad of twelve years walked into the building at the corner of Main and Front street where the Gallen-Buchanan State Bank now is and addressed himself to the young man who was installing a drug stock: "I believe I could do something to help you."

"What do you think you could do?" banttered the young man. "Can you run errands, unpack boxes, put things straight on the shelves?"

Yes, the boy was quite sure that he could do that. The young man would only be there about two weeks installing the drug stock for W. A. Severson, but that would help and perhaps there might be something after that. So he came in the morning before school and worked late after school at night.

"I'm going up to the store again this morning," said the boy to his mother, "Maybe there'll be something."

W. S. T. C. Sociology Head to Speak Here

Dr. Hillard, head of the department of sociology at Western State Teachers College, will be the guest speaker at a meeting of the Buchanan Parent - Teachers Association in the junior high assembly room Monday evening, March 23.

Co. Sportsmen To Meet Here

Berrien County Nimrods will meet in Legion Hall Wed. Eve., March 25.

The Berrien County Sportsmen's club will hold a special booster meeting at Buchanan, Wednesday evening, March 25, at 8 p. m. E. S. T. The meeting will be held at the American Legion Hall.

President E. A. Bower will head a delegation of Twin City club members to attend this meeting and Mr. Bower urges the full attendance of all sportsmen and their friends, and any other persons interested in wild life conservation.

The program committee hopes to have a speaker from the Indiana Department of Conservation. There will be movies, reports of the different club activities and project discussions during the evening.

The Berrien County Sportsmen's club is starting its year and is planning a busy season for 1936. Among the activities listed is a Crow Shoot, Fishing Contest, Carp Netting project, proposal of a game sanctuary, Pheasant and Mallard Duck propagation, Fly Casting and others.

Will Open Rain-Bo Gardens Saturday

Mrs. Allie Tichenor will hold opening day for the Rain-Bo Garden-Flower Shop, which she is installing at 107 days avenue in connection with her Rain-Bo garden and greenhouse on the Niles Buchanan road.

All who attend the opening day, Saturday, March 21, will receive favors. Mrs. Tichenor is planning to carry a constant supply of cut flowers for all occasions and of potted plants. She is known over a considerable area as a specialist in fine dahlias.

Story of Beginning of Career of Creator of "Children Cry For It"

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Mr. Severson said to the boy's parents: "I don't believe I can get along without your boy. I know that he is too young to take out of school, but if you will let him work for me I will promise to coach him in Latin and will teach him everything I can about the drug business."

Mrs. Ham was doubtful. The boy was very young. But John was not doubtful. "The school education will never make me so much as this will," he affirmed. So it was finally decided that way. John went to work but in two years, at the age of fourteen, he seemed to have exhausted the possibilities of his location, as far as learning anything. So Severson decided to give the boy a boost along. He gave him an introduction to the wholesale drug firm of Morris & Plumer of Chicago.

There he worked for two more years, and there seemed no more possibilities, unless he accepted the offer of the firm to go to England and Scotland as a salesman. And, despite all the nerve and assurances of the lad, he had an unconquerable aversion. So he staid and worked more

Five File For City Commission

Woman Candidate for Justice of Peace in Bertrand.

The closing of the time limit for filing for city office at 5 p. m. Tuesday saw a wealth of candidates in the field for the office of city commissioner, the following having filed candidacies for the one vacancy: Fred Schwartz, A. H. Hiller, A. S. Root, Phay Graffort, Atty. G. H. Batchelor.

There was no competition for the office of supervisor from Buchanan, Harry Boyce making the only filing from Precinct 1 and William Fette from Precinct 2.

Competition was afforded for two vacancies as constable by the filing of Fred French, Ed. Mitchell, and John Montgomery. An error was made in last week's issue when it was stated that the offices are now filled by Mitchell and Montgomery. Mitchell was not a candidate last year and the incumbents are French and Montgomery.

Among the features of the local township nominations was the naming by the Bertrand Democrats of Mrs. Sadie Redden as a candidate for justice of the peace. This is said to be the first time in the history of Bertrand that a woman has been nominated for that office.

Bertrand Democrats Fred Koenigshof was nominated by the Bertrand Democrats to succeed himself as county supervisor, heading the following ticket: clerk, Trella Rhoades; treasurer, L. B. Rough; Board Review, C. B. Rozelle, Sr.; highway commissioner, Floyd Klamer; Justice of the Peace, Mrs. Sadie Redden; constables, Cass Rozelle, M. E. Gilbert, Albert Newsom, Claude Haslett.

Oliver York was named as candidate for supervisor Monday by the Bertrand Republicans, the remainder of the ticket being as follows: clerk, Marie Upham; treasurer, LaRue Gillette; Justice of the Peace, Robert Franklin; Board Review, Clarence Cripe; constables, Robert Kell, LeRoy Spencer, Ed. Swartz, Arthur Newsom.

Buchanan Democrats Buchanan township Democrats placed in nomination the following ticket at a meeting held at Wagner Grange Tuesday: supervisor, Dean Clark; clerk, P. E. Hall; treasurer, Verna Kool; highway commissioner, Herbert Wallquist; justice of peace, Charles Sebasty; Board of review, Arthur Miller; constables, Harold Sebasty, Andrew Wesner, Lawrence Jones, and Elza Wolken.

Buchanan G. O. P. Buchanan township Republicans nominated the following ticket: supervisor, Harvey Reed; clerk, Milton Mitchell; treasurer, Grace Weaver; justice of the peace, Ira Stearns; board of review, T. C. Stearns; constables, Harvey Letcher, Clayton Spaulding, Herbert Harroff, George Marsh.

Gallen Democrats nominated the following slate: supervisor, Charles H. Renbarger; clerk, Conway Alein; treasurer, Roland Potter; highway commissioner, Frank Thompson; justice peace, Ford James; board of review, George Noggle; highway overseer, Wm. Myers; constables, Stanley Brewer, Fred Straub, Edward Enyart, and Charles Myers.

Legion Birthday Party March 27

The Ralph Rumbaugh post of the American Legion will sponsor a Legion Birthday party Friday, March 27, at the hall, the occasion commemorating the founding of the Legion in Paris, March 17, 1919.

The meet is to be held at the LaSalle School on 1611 Milburn Blvd. at 7:30 p. m. The Buchanan team will compete with five other teams from neighboring councils in preparation for the final Midwest First Aid Contest to be held at Chicago.

Represent Mich. at Credit Conference

A. J. George will go to Chicago Saturday to represent the farm credit unions of Michigan at the National Conference of Rural Credit Unions at the Medina Athletic Club building.

Male Chorus To Sing Here

Twin City "Y" Men's Chorus to Give Concert at M. E. Church Sunday Evening

The Twin City "Y" Men's Chorus from Benton Harbor and St. Joseph will present a program at the Methodist church Sunday evening, the occasion being sponsored by the Hill Climber's class. The chorus of twenty-five voices will present the following program:

- "O Bone Jesu" Palestrina
"Send Out Thy Light" Gounod
"Now the Day is Over" Baraby
"Solos-Selected" Mr. Foster Krake
"Plantation" Steiner
"Steal Away" Negro Spiritual
"In the Time of Roses" Reichardt
"Rolling Down to Rio" German
"Volga Boatman" Russian Folk Song
"High Barbary" Hall

Clark Reports on Company Progress

In a preliminary report sent to stockholders of the Clark Equipment company under date of Mar. 14 by Eugene B. Clark, president, reports an operating profit of \$129,000 and a final profit, after non-recurring items of income, expense and federal tax of \$6,000.

During the year regular dividends were paid on the preferred stock at the rate of \$7.00 per share per annum and on the common stock at the rate of 80c per share per annum. Dividend disbursements for the year amounted to \$266,411.30, requiring a deduction of \$260,000 from surplus.

The letter states further that there has been encouraging progress in the development of improved articles of manufacture in the automotive line, the railway field, and the new rivet. There has been less progress in the air-conditioning field.

The letter concludes: "In general I can fairly state that our efforts to maintain our established business and to develop along new lines has met with a fair degree of success but has not produced any great results as yet."

Mrs. Wm. Ritter Dies of Tuberculosis

LaVine Francis Ritter, 21, died at her home on Chippewa street late Sunday evening, after an illness of one and one-half years of tuberculosis.

She was born May 27, 1914, in Benton Harbor, daughter of Henry and Myrtle Truman Houn. She was married to William Ritter on June 29, 1935, in South Bend. In addition to her parents and husband, she is survived by two sons, Harold and Bill, and one daughter, Betty Jean, all at home.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday from the Swem Funeral Home, with Rev. C. A. Sanders officiating. Burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

41 in Sectional 1st Aid Meet Apr. 1

Troop 41, American Legion troop of Buchanan, and winners of the Area Wide First Aid contest, will travel to Mishawaka April 1st, to represent the Berrien-Cass area in the Sectional First Aid Contest. The meet is to be held at the LaSalle School on 1611 Milburn Blvd. at 7:30 p. m.

A NEW FIELD FOR THE RAILWAYS

Recent action initiated by the Business Men's Association of Dowagiac to secure the restoration of the local railway passenger service which smaller towns along the Michigan Central formerly enjoyed would seem worthy of emulation by other communities.

Gradual discontinuance of local stops of passenger trains has been the rule for a number of years, without protest on the part of the communities so hampered. It is a fine example of the old vicious circle in operation. The railway company cannot afford to give the service that it once did, because the people have taken to automobiles and do not give them the patronage that would warrant it.

Perhaps, also, if the midwest railways would emulate the action of western and southern roads in radically reducing passenger fares it might further aid in swelling the volume of passenger rail traffic.

International Friendship Gardens to be Established at Michigan City

Buchanan was considered last summer in search for location. A story carried in a South Bend Sunday paper of the initiation of work on a 100-acre permanent garden exposition near Michigan City, to be known as The International Friendship Gardens, calls to mind that Buchanan was considered as a possible location by the sponsors during a wide investigation for a site carried on last summer.

A main factor in the location at Michigan City appears to be the fact that Dr. Frank Warren of that city donated 85 acres of the tract of 100 acres which the gardens are to occupy. A representative of the sponsors of the garden visited Buchanan twice last summer inspecting several possible locations in this vicinity.

The gardens are to be a permanent exposition for the exhibit of fine flowers and shrubs, the product not only of the most skilled American hybridizers, but also of foreign countries.

The site selected is just east of Michigan City in the beautiful valley of Trail Creek, just above Memorial Park and adjacent to the town of Pottawatomie Park, and the Pottawatomie Country club. This place is considered well-adapted to the project from its proximity to Chicago, its strategic position between major U. S. highways, Nos. 12 and 20. The nature of the soil, and the presence of beautiful hills, streams and forests, also add to the value of the location.

The value of the land donated is estimated at \$150,000. The first nation to assure participation was Holland, from which country a carload of ten tons of tulips, 200,000 choice bulbs, has already arrived. These tulips are being planted this year. The display will surpass anything on this side of the Atlantic and will rival the famous tulip gardens of the city of Haarlem, Holland.

The sponsors of this movement created at a Century of Progress the "Old Mill Garden" and the "International Friendship Gardens" in which they were credited with having twice as many nations represented as were represented in any other form in the entire exposition. They exhibited the two prize winning gardens for both years, from which their contracts and prestige spread to all parts of the world. The gardens will be laid out so that each nation may have a display to suit its desire and purpose. Commercial producers and growers of flowers and shrubs and other garden requisites such as statuary, pottery and garden furniture will be given areas in which to have their permanent displays. Trust funds will be in charge of a board of trustees. Committees will further the many necessary features to attract visitors yearly and generally promote the movement.

Plan 99-Year Leases Nations and other exhibitors will be given leases without cost for a period of 99 years with renewal privileges. This assures both exhibitors and the management of permanency of all undertakings. There will be a department for scientific experimentation and for educational purposes under the direction and supervision

Ray Juhl Off On Aerial Cage Tour

Ray Juhl left Saturday in company with the basketball team representing the Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, for an aerial tour of the flying fields in the course of which they will play the teams representing several. They made their first stop for a game at Columbus, O., and were scheduled to play games in New York, Washington, D. C., St. Louis, and several other places. The Selfridge field was accorded the honor of the flying tour by reason of the fact that they won 14 out of 15 inter-field games in the past season, the best record of the government aviation schools of the country. Young Juhl was graduated from Buchanan high school in June 1935, after a record as a star basketball player here, and enlisted at Selfridge Field July 8, 1935.

Last Rites Held For Alice Clark

The body of Mrs. Alice Helmick Clark, Mt. Tabor pioneer, arrived Monday from Puento, Calif., accompanied by her son, Elmer Clark and wife and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Johnson. Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. on Tuesday from the Oronoko church with Rev. Thomas Rice in charge.

Burial was made in the Burk cemetery, pall bearers being Clifford Hollenback, George Shafer, John Kinney, Clyde Penwell, Clayton Spaulding, Amos Spaulding.

Demand 60c Hour for 30 Hours Week; No Buchanan Men Join Movement.

Buchanan experienced a more or less exciting hour yesterday morning as a delegation of Niles WPA strikers numbering about 75 parked their cars and trucks at the top of Niles hill and paraded through the streets to the local sewer projects on Oak street and Short street, bearing banners with the slogans calling for better wages and less hours and kindred sentiments.

The Niles delegation arrived in Buchanan about 10:30 a. m. preceded by a state police car and proceeded to the local projects, where they attempted to incite local workers to join in a strike. Their principal demands were a wage of 60 cents an hour and 30 hours per week of labor. They marched first to North Oak street where a Niles crew of about 50 men were at work and were able to induce about a dozen to leave with them, after much oratory, jeering and exhortation. They marched from there to the Short street work, where about 125 Buchanan men were at work and repeated the performance without result. They then reformed in line with placards hoisted and paraded back to Niles hill and embarked for Niles.

There was no violence although it was alleged that several of the Niles men who left were frightened into the action. The strike committee in charge acted as spokesmen. They asserted that only seven men were left out of about 250 men at work in Niles. Niles WPA officials denied this and stated that only about 70 had left. As a matter of fact about 75 paraded the street, although the strike committee claimed that 150 came. The strike was sponsored by the Workers Alliance of America which is quite active in Niles.

It was stated by county WPA heads that the strike was confined to Niles. The men there went to work yesterday morning but shortly afterward a call was made by Workers Alliance leaders, asking the men to go to the hall, where the Buchanan trip was arranged.

The Niles and county WPA officials stated that all projects there were continuing although with reduced forces. County WPA Administrator Morse stated that all men had been asked to report again at work this morning, and that decision would then be made as to whether those who refused to come would be employed longer.

Demands were listed on circulars as follows: 1. Full recognition of our organization by all work relief and relief officials. 2. Sixty cents an hour for unskilled labor, 30 hours a week. Trade union wages for skilled labor. 3. No working in stormy weather or make up time. 4. Minimum wages for all truck drivers. 5. Ten cents a meal for each person on direct relief, three meals a day. Up to \$15 per month rent. 6. No discrimination against race, creed or nationality, or for union activity.

Sings at Fine Arts Program, Mishawaka

Mrs. H. E. Thompson sang Monday evening in a Fine Arts program given for the American Association of University Women at Mishawaka. The program illustrated a talk on opera by Miss Katherine Boone of the LaSalle School of Music, South Bend. Mrs. Thompson presented the "Aria" from "Tosca" by Puccini. Other operas represented were "Lohengrin," "LaTraviata" and "Othello."

Legion Entertains Basketball Squad

The Ralph Rumbaugh post of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary will be hosts to the basketball squad of the Buchanan high school on the evening of April 8, with Buck Reed, basketball coach at Western State Teachers college as speaker.

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## GALIEN NEWS

### Name Hampton For Co. Board

Morton Hampton was nominated for supervisor in the Republican caucus held at the town hall on Saturday afternoon.  
Clerk—Bert Babcock.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Nina James.  
Highway Commissioner—John Welsh.  
Overseer of Highways—John Dickey.  
Justice of the Peace—L. L. Hinman.  
Board of Review—Charles H. Smith.  
Constables—Frank Kelley, Leo Hinman and Charley Lyon.

### Culture Club Has County Day

The Friday Culture club was held Friday afternoon at the home of the President, Mrs. A. Schaafsma. It was "County Day" and the meeting was in charge of Mrs. C. Renbarger, whose subject was "Home Making." Mrs. C. Swank gave a paper on "Arts." Mrs. G. A. Jannasch's topic was "Pine Crest." Roll call, "Superstitions." The meeting Friday will be with Mrs. R. Wentland.

### Galien Locals

Mrs. Maude Wolford and son and daughter spent the week-end with relatives in Chicago.  
Arthur Bartmess was in Niles Monday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover spent Friday evening with Mrs. Lydia Hocum.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Renbarger and family spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Renbarger, Kalamazoo.  
The L. D. S. Ladies Aid Society held a meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Smith. It was decided to give a Mother and Daughter banquet at the church Wednesday evening, April Harry Robe, 61, passed away on Sunday, March 15th at 2 p. m. following a short illness. The funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at Wamatah, Ind., and burial was made at Westville, Ind. Mr. Robe was born in Galien, the

### Olive Branch

Rev. G. Barnard gave a fine sermon Sunday morning at the Olive Branch U. B. church. Miss H. A. Dahlstrom had charge of the music.  
Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Olmstead of Toledo, O., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Olmstead.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLaren of South Bend spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLaren. Mrs. Ada Sheeley was a Sunday dinner guest.  
Mesdames Paul and Charles Smith were Saturday afternoon callers in the Clinton VanDusen home near New Carlisle.  
Mrs. Catherine Goering left on Saturday for an indefinite visit with her sister in Chicago.  
Miss Joan Flisk spent Sunday afternoon with Eleanor McLaren.  
Miss Vera James spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Pearl Eastburg.  
Joseph Fulton has been quite ill with pleurisy for the past week.  
Miss Helen Hinman spent Sunday afternoon with Bernadine Painter.  
Those who attended the Olive Branch church services from away were Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Olmstead, of Toledo, O., Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Kokomo, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLaren of South Bend and William Putman, Niles.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gardner and family of Hills Corners were visitors in the Lester Olmstead home Sunday.  
Miss Mabel Norris entertained Saturday night at a 500 party. Favors were won by Miss Gladys James, Russell McLaren, Mrs. Thelma Roberts and Fred McLaren.  
Mr. and Mrs. Odean Roberts have moved into the Doan Straub estate house.  
John Rose and Charles Shepherd were in St. Joseph Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLaren were in South Bend last Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Kokomo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Sr.  
Mr. and Mrs. Don Clark and son Berrien Springs spent Thursday

### Bend of the River

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June Rebekah lodge will hold their last 6:30 supper for this spring on Thursday evening. Mrs.

### North Buchanan

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### Wagner News

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, Chicago, expect to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rep. They are remodeling their cottage at Clear Lake.  
Miss Marjorie Fletcher, who is working in Niles, spent the week-end at her home.  
Miss Bernice Strauss has begun working at the Johnson home west of Glendora.  
Ed. Collins, who has been caretaker at the Madron Lake Boy Scout camp, is leaving this week to make his home in Buchanan, where he has other employment.  
A piano has been installed at the Wagner school. Also one was recently installed at the Broccus school.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickow and son are moving in with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quirk.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dickow of Chicago spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickow.  
The Berrien County Pomona Grange will be held at the Wagner Grange hall, April 1. The Cass County Pomona degree team expect to give the fifth degree to a class of candidates in the evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Timm and baby are visiting this week with relatives in Ronnselaar. They expect to leave soon for the state of Washington to make their home.

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HOLLYWOOD stars, noted designers... smart women everywhere... are really excited about this marvelous new principle in shoes! A revolutionary idea that has put three extra comfort features in lovely, light shoes! Invisible Rhythm Treads buoy up your foot at the heel, the arch and the metatarsal arch without the need of thick leathers, heavy arches and solid-looking heels! They give an utterly new sensation of comfort that's like walking on clouds... in trim, young-looking shoes!

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See how your heel is gently cushioned against the pounding strain of walking... how your arch and metatarsal arch are lightly cradled and supported... in a way that adds no weight to these dainty, trim and flattering shoes! See the 1, 2, 3 steps indicated in every pair of Rhythm Steps. Try them on... you'll marvel at how small your feet look in Rhythm Steps... and at how rested and buoyant you feel when you walk in them!

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South Bend, Ind.

Clarence Weaver, Otis Worth, Amiel Villard, Lloyd Boles and Daisy Best are on committee for entertainment.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver were dinner guests at the home of Russell Payne last Sunday.  
The Lindy Bridge club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Boles at Three Oaks Tuesday. High score was won by Mrs. Lena Paul and Mrs. Florence Mansinger. Consolation by Mrs. Pauline Boniface. Mrs. Maud Lewis was a guest.  
Leon Strauss and family attended the funeral of the former's brother, Clayton Strauss in Buchanan last Wednesday.  
Mrs. Hazel Hanover is a patient in Mercy hospital, Benton Harbor, recovering from an appendicitis operation. Mrs. Vera Dempsey, Buchanan, is caring for the family while Mrs. Hanover is away.

### Wagner News

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, Chicago, expect to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rep. They are remodeling their cottage at Clear Lake.  
Miss Marjorie Fletcher, who is working in Niles, spent the week-end at her home.  
Miss Bernice Strauss has begun working at the Johnson home west of Glendora.  
Ed. Collins, who has been caretaker at the Madron Lake Boy Scout camp, is leaving this week to make his home in Buchanan, where he has other employment.  
A piano has been installed at the Wagner school. Also one was recently installed at the Broccus school.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickow and son are moving in with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quirk.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dickow of Chicago spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickow.  
The Berrien County Pomona Grange will be held at the Wagner Grange hall, April 1. The Cass County Pomona degree team expect to give the fifth degree to a class of candidates in the evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Timm and baby are visiting this week with relatives in Ronnselaar. They expect to leave soon for the state of Washington to make their home.

## KATE SMITH Invites You

TO TRY **EIGHT O'CLOCK COFFEE** MILD AND MELLOW

**SPECIALY PRICED** 1 LB. PEG. **15c**

**Bokar** Vigorous and Winey 2 lb. tins 41c  
**Red Circle** Rich and Full Bodied 2 lbs. 37c  
**Condor** Vacuum Packed lb. tin 29c

**Gold Medal Flour** 24 1/2 lb. bag \$1.05  
**Wheaties** Breakfast Food 2 pkgs. 21c  
**Bisquick** Sm. pkg. 15c large pkg. 29c  
**Softasilk Cake Flour** pkg. 25c

TUNE IN **KATE SMITH** at Coffee Time EVERY Tues., Wed., Thurs. STATION WBBM 7:30 P. M.

FRESH CREAMERY **BUTTER** lb. roll 35c

FRESH **EGGS** Grade "A" Bulk lb. 13c

**FELS NAPHTHA SOAP**  
**LUX or LIFEBOUY SOAP**  
**PANCAKE FLOUR** Sunnyfield  
**PET or CARNATION MILK**  
**PINK SALMON** Finest Alaska  
**IONA SALAD DRESSING**  
**KETCHUP** Ann Page  
**RINSO**  
**SHORTENING** Sisco—Sanco or Cotto  
**BREAD** Grandmother's White  
**STALEY'S PRUNES** Golden Syrup 20-30 Size  
**PACIFIC TISSUE**  
**KRAFT'S CHEESE** 5 Varieties  
**N. B. C. LORNA DOONE COOKIES**  
**HORMEL'S BEEF STEW**  
**HEINZ KETCHUP**  
**BABY FOOD** Heinz or Gerber's  
**COOKIES CHOCOLATE STARS**  
**CAMPBELL'S SOUPS** Except Chicken  
**IONA PEACHES**  
**BIRDSEYE MATCHES**  
**KITCHEN KLENZER**  
**SARDINES** Van Camp's  
**HEINZ SOUPS** Most Varieties

10 bars 41c  
6 cakes 33c  
5-lb. bag 19c  
4 tall cans 29c  
2 tall cans 21c  
quart jar 23c  
14-oz. bottle 10c  
large pkg. 19c  
2 lbs. 25c  
lb. loaf 6c  
1 1/2-lb. can 9c  
3 lbs. 25c  
12 rolls 29c  
2 1/2-lb. pkgs. 33c  
lb. 27c  
2 cans 25c  
large bottle 19c  
3 cans 25c  
2 lbs. 25c  
3 cans 25c  
No. 2 1/2 can 15c  
6 boxes 25c  
2 cans 11c  
3 large cans 25c  
2 cans 25c

**EASY TASK SOAP CHIPS** 5-lb. box 29c

**STALEY'S CUBE STARCH** 2 pkgs. 15c  
Got a Children's Party Book

**CREAM or BRICK CHEESE** lb. 19c

**SULTANA PEANUT BUTTER** 2-lb. jar 23c

**RAJAH SALAD DRESSING** qt. jar 27c

GRAPE FRUIT, lge. 64-70 size, 4 for 19c  
ORANGES, Florida Jumbos, doz. 33c  
DELICIOUS APPLES, 5 lbs. 25c  
SPINACH, 3 lbs. 14c  
ONIONS, 10 lb. bag 19c  
CARROTS, bunch 5c

SMOKED HAMS, whole or string half, lb. 25c  
SLAB BACON, in the picce, lb. 25c  
BEEF ROAST, Branded beef, lb. 17c  
FILLET of POLLOCK, no bone, lb 12 1/2c  
PURE LARD, 2 lbs. for 25c  
BOILING BEEF, 2 lbs. for 25c

## We will have all kinds of hams for Easter

# A & P FOOD STORES

3% SALES TAX -- WE CASH WPA CHECKS  
Listen to Kate Smith "Coffee Time" -- Station WBBM, 7:30 P. M., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday.

# LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Berry drove Sunday to Valparaiso, Ind., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry.

Miss Belle Landis and Charles Landis visited Sunday at the home of Miss Maybelle Payne, Elkhart.

Rainbo-Garden Flower Shop opening at 107 Days Avenue, Saturday, March 21st. See display ad.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gray spent Sunday at LaPorte.

Root's Delicious Home-Made Ice Cream. Wholesale and Retail. 1211c

Alfred Roe motored to Detroit yesterday.

Mrs. Florence Wooden left for Whiting, Ind., Saturday after a visit of several days here.

Mrs. L. W. Johnston spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jasper Stoner of Elm Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rupert, East Gary, Ind., visited Monday at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Marlin Kean.

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Clem Binns submitted to an appendectomy Saturday at Pawating hospital, Niles, and is doing very nicely.

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Mrs. Ida Bishop had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Odell Harvey and son and Miss Nellie Remington, Marcellus.

Born, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cauffman, at their home on M-60 west of Buchanan, Monday morning.

James Best of St. Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. Justin Brown of Mishawaka were Sunday guests of Mrs. Bertha Hanover.

Mrs. L. E. Spafford is reported to be improving satisfactorily at Pawating hospital, but will be there several days yet.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rossow, a son, Robert Arnold, on March 10th. Mrs. Rossow was formerly Miss Crystal Hemphill.

Donald Plear and the Misses Marguerite and Catherine Babcock visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Florence Wooden, Whiting, Ind.

Roscoe Jesse, who underwent an operation in Pawating hospital, Niles, for appendicitis, last Thursday is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mrs. Earl Harkrider and daughter, Mrs. Daniel Clark, South Bend, visited Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Will Wyant, at Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dempsey and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blake were week-end guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Bertha Roberts, at Rogers Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Koons of South Bend visited Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Alice Koons, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Leggett.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pearson, Berrien Springs, a daughter, Monday, March 16. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pearson were former residents of Buchanan.

W. H. Chubb had as his guests Sunday, Mrs. Mary Ellis, Will Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. John Clemens, all of South Bend, Mrs. P. B. Chubb, Granger, and Mrs. Emma Boyer, Buchanan. All called in honor of his 81st birthday.

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er, who bought it out and became the producer of Fletcher's Castoria, John G. Ham worked for forty years. For this firm he coined the advertising slogan, "Children Cry For It" which made both him and the firm famous. He became the head of its advertising department, and remained in that position until the firm sold out to a large combine about twelve years ago. Then he founded his own advertising agency, and managed the publicity of firms in United States, Canada, South America and in England and Scotland.

He was married early in life to Anna M. Johnson of New York City and to them were born two children, both of whom died young. He was later married to Edna Dotty of New York City, who survives him. He is also survived by a sister, Miss Mary Elizabeth Ham.

CREATOR OF "CHILDREN CRY FOR IT"

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So he finally decided to go to New York City, where he had influential relatives. It seemed as though there should be larger opportunities there, if anywhere, in America.

His relatives took him to the Centaur Drug company, then one of the largest in New York City. After a fifteen-minute talk and the presentation of his credentials from Chicago, he was employed. And for that firm and for one of the executives, Charles H. Fletcher,

of Buchanan, and a brother, Asa Ham, Niles. A brother, Edgar, who was for many years a local justice of the peace, died Nov. 12, 1927. A sister Mrs. Ellen Gray Rowley, died in Buchanan in 1919. He was a member of the Christian Science church and of the Masonic fraternity. Funeral services were held in New York City and burial was made in the family lot in New York City beside his first wife and two children.



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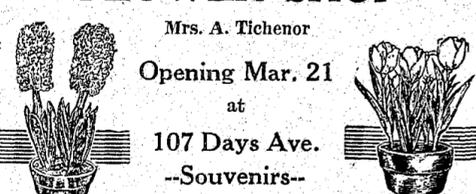
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Finest coffee imported direct... scientific blending... and scientifically controlled roasting of daily requirements assure finest and freshest coffees. Each of National's coffees is a real value

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**1-lb. green bag 15c**

**3 lbs. 43c**



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Friday & Saturday March 20 and 21  
DATED COFFEE—IN RED AND BLUE BAGS  
American Home 1-lb. bag 19c  
VACUUM PACKED—COFFEE  
National Deluxe 1-lb. jar 25c

FULL STANDARD GRADE

**Peas 4 25c** (20-oz. No. 2 cans)

**Milk 4 25c** (14 1/2 oz. cans)

TENDER AND TASTY  
Cut Beets 20-oz. No. 2 cans 4 for 25c  
NATURAL SWEET FLAVOR—DICED  
Carrots 20-oz. No. 2 cans 4 for 25c  
MUSSELMAN'S  
Apple Sauce 20-oz. No. 2 cans 4 for 25c  
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Tomato Juice 14-oz. cans 4 for 25c

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Taste the Difference  
Taste is the final test in any food. See how well American Home Vegetables pass the "taste" test.

## TOMATOES

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN OR GOLDEN BANTAM EARLY JUNE SIFTED

**CORN • PEAS 2 23c** (19-oz. No. 2 cans)

RICHER—MORE ECONOMICAL  
Sunsweet Prune Juice qt. bot. 23c  
AMERICAN HOME—ALL VARIETIES  
Pure Preserves 1-lb. jar 17c  
NATIONAL GRAPE OR CRABAPPLE  
Pure Jelly 12-oz. glasses 2 for 25c  
HAZEL—IN NURSERY RHYME TUMBLERS  
Peanut Butter 9-oz. tumblers 2 for 25c  
AMERICAN HOME  
Salad Dressing pint jar 17c  
BORDEN'S CONDENSED  
Eagle Brand Milk 15-oz. can 19c  
All Varieties Except Clam Chowder and Consomme  
Heinz Soups 16-oz. cans 2 for 25c  
JACOB'S—SLICED BUTTONS  
Mushrooms 4-oz. can 19c  
OLIVE PIMENTO, PINEAPPLE, PIMENTO or KAY  
Kraft Cream Spreads 5-oz. glass 17c  
MAMMOTH CHOCOLATE DEVIL'S FOOD  
Layer Cake half cake 15c whole cake 25c

SALTINE OR GRAHAM  
Salerno Crackers 1-lb. pkg. 15c  
SALERNO  
Saratoga Flakes 8-oz. pkg. 10c  
SALERNO  
Butter Cookies 1-lb. pkg. 16c  
CHOCOLATE COCONUT CREAMS  
Salerno Cookies 1-lb. 19c

HOUSEHOLD NEEDS  
FAMOUS FOR THE BATH  
Ivory Soap 2 large cakes 17c med. cake 5c  
"FIN, CURLY FLAKES  
Ivory Flakes 12 1/2-oz. pkg. 19c 5-oz. pkg. 9c  
"AMERICAN FAMILY  
"oap  
"AMERICAN FAMILY  
"akes 21-oz. pkgs. 2 for 37c  
"DOUBLE-ACTION  
Sunbrite Cleanser 14-oz. cans 6 for 25c  
CLEANS A MILLION THINGS  
Oakite 10 1/2-oz. pkgs. 2 for 19c

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**BLUE GOOSE ORANGE SALE**

The American Fruit Growers join hands with the National Tea Co. in this great selling event. The crop is at its best and the price is right. Buy at least two dozen of these famous quality Blue Goose Oranges.

**BLUE GOOSE CALIFORNIA NAVEL**

**ORANGES 2 doz. 37c** (doz. juice size)

**25c** (doz. med. size)

**33c** (dozen lgc. size)

**New "Ship" Organized in St. Joseph**

All Seascouts in Berrien and Cass counties have been invited to the "bridge of honor" which will induct Seascout Ship No. 25, "The Flying Cloud", St. Joseph, into Seascouting. The "bridge of honor", counterpart of the Boy Scouts court of honor, will be held Wednesday evening, April 8, in the St. Joseph high school gymnasium at 8 p. m.

Skipper Victor Pethick of the Flying Cloud will receive the charter for his ship from officials of the Berrien-Cass area council. Apprentice seaman badges will be given nine initiates and coxswain badges to four Seascouts. Awards will be presented to other Seascouts of the two counties.

Seascout "ships" now exist at Niles, New Buffalo, Dowagiac, Benton Harbor and Buchanan.

**Use these Services, too**

You may have a checking account, a savings account and a safe deposit box for your valuables, and still be missing some of our most helpful services. Note the list at the side. We invite you to use these services, too:

- CHECKING ACCOUNTS
- LOANS
- SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES
- SAVINGS ACCOUNTS
- CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT
- FOREIGN EXCHANGE
- TRAVELERS' CHEQUES
- COLLECTIONS

**Money Orders**

**Galien-Buchanan State Bank**  
Buchanan Michigan Galien

## FIRE SALE

On Merchandise from Our Main Warehouse starts SATURDAY, MARCH 21

We have just received a shipment of good merchandise saved from the stock held in our warehouse when it was partially damaged by fire.

<b>PADLOCKS</b> Values up to 25c Choice 5c	<b>Hosiery for Men Women and Children</b> Values up to 29c Selling at 5c pair Choice	<b>ADHESIVE TAPE</b> 5 yd. spools Each 5c
<b>YARN</b> 10c value All colors 5c	<b>BRASSIERES</b> Sarcely soiled Values up to 19c Choice 5c	<b>PENCIL BOXES</b> Regular 10c value Choice 5c
<b>HANDKERCHIEFS</b> 5c value At 4 for 9c		<b>RAZOR BLADES</b> To fit any popular brand razor. Single or double edge. 6 blades for 10c

MANY OTHER SUCH BARGAINS  
Some of this merchandise looks like new  
We are cleaning it out to make room for the new shipments coming in.  
THESE BARGAINS MAY NOT COME AGAIN

**Haffner's 5c to \$1.00 Stores, Inc.**

## KROGER STORES

**HOT DATED Jewel Coffee lb. bag 15c**

COUNTRY CLUB - TENDER, SAVORY  
**Pork & Beans 2 9c** (1-lb. cans)

COUNTRY CLUB  
Wax Beans No. 2 can 9c Table Salt 5 lb. bag 9c  
Fancy, Tender

CHOICE QUALITY  
**Golden Bantam No. 2 can 9c**  
CORN

DEL MONTE lb. EMBASSY - Tasty, Tangy  
Oval Sardines can 9c Mustard pint jar 9c  
Tomato or Mustard

WHIZ - MICHIGAN MILLED  
**Pancake Flour 5 19c** (lb. sack)

COUNTRY CLUB lb. KROGER  
Pastry Flour 5 sack 19c Rusk 3 pkgs. 19c  
Laboratory Tested

**Catsup 2 large 19c**  
Fouled's 2 pkgs. 15c  
Macaroni - Spaghetti  
COUNTRY CLUB LARGE Pears No. 2 1/2 can 19c Fancy Bartlett

Avondale Medium  
Red Salmon tall can 19c  
Wheaties 2 pkgs. 21c  
BISQUICK large size 28c

WESCO SCIENTIFICALLY BALANCED  
**Scratch Feed 100-lb. bag \$1.59**

Laying Mash 100-lb. bag \$1.89  
Chick Feed For Healthy Chicks 100-lb. bag \$1.85  
Growing Mash 100-lb. bag \$1.99  
Dairy Feed 18% Protein 100-lb. bag \$1.19  
Block Salt 50 lb. block 33c  
Medium Coarse Salt 100-lb. bag 79c

BALANCED FLOUR  
**Pillsbury's BEST 2 1/2-lb. sack \$1.09**

SINCERITY FLOUR 2 1/2-lb. sack 69c

**HOT DATED FRENCH COFFEE**  
Pound Bag 19c

**EASY TASK SOAP CHIPS**  
5 lb. box 29c

**Del Monte Coffee lb. can 25c**  
VACUUM PACKED

**RED ALASKA SALMON DEL MONTE tall can 25**  
DEL MONTE - SLICED DEL MONTE  
Pineapple No. 2 can 17c Peaches 2 Large No. 2 1/2 cans 33c

PLAIN or SUGARED  
**Doughnuts doz. 10c**

**Fresh Asparagus FULL POUND 15c**  
Choice Green Tender Spears

Celery stalk 5c New Carrots bunch 5c  
Well bleached, crisp, tender Large bunch, tender, tasty

**Grapefruit Large Size 4 for 19c**  
Full of Juice  
Michigan Onions 5 lbs. 10c  
Leaf Lettuce lb. 5c Mich. Yellow - U. S. No. 1  
Home Grown - Hot House

**Oranges California Seedless Large Size doz. 39c**  
Now at Their Best - Sweeter - Juicier

**New Beets bunch 5c** IDAHO Bakers 15-lb. bag 37c  
Fresh tops for greens

**Apples EXTRA FANCY 4 lbs. 25c**  
WINESAPS - ROME BEAUTIES - DELICIOUS  
MICHIGAN - U. S. No. 1 NEW  
Potatoes 15-lb. peck 23c Potatoes 4 lbs. 19c

## LEONA SAUSAGE

SWIFT'S - SLICED or PIECE

**lb. 15c**

**Bacon Squares lb. 19c**  
Sugar Cured

COUNTRY CLUB  
**Sliced Bacon 1/2-lb. pkg. 21c**  
**White Fish lb. 15c**  
Winter Caught

# Along McCoy's Crick

(By Harrison Merrill)

Ever since that day back in the early history of the Crick when Abner Whiffletree Niles, candidate for Justice of the Peace, ran a poor third in the village election and thereupon announced he had decided to move up the river and start his own town, there has always been considerable rivalry between Niles and Buchanan.

Abner as he trudged over the hills at that time had plenty to ponder over. He was the first Republican who had ever gone down to defeat and it nettled him sorely. His cry for vengeance could be heard above his labored breathing. Every pore, in fact, was crying out for revenge!

But Abner had only himself to blame! In the whirlwind campaign which he had conducted while in pursuit of office he had maintained that in the upbuilding of a village that population rather than culture should be the object sought. This theory apparently did not appeal to electorate. Buchanan's slogan then, as now, was "Quality Above Quantity" in English as well as Latin.

The little narrow gauge railroad which at one time extended along the river from Buchanan to Berrien Springs, then the county seat, as backed and built by Crick people, to keep Niles from becoming the head of the county government.

Niles people were anxious at the time to have the county seat moved from Berrien Springs to their own. The chief argument against the Springs was that there was no railroad leading thereto and also the poor quality of the food served in the Oronoco House.

Perry Fox, then Buchanan's leading orator and financier, at once set out to overcome the first objection. He was able to interest the Crick people in financing a St. Joseph River Valley railroad extending from Buchanan to Berrien Springs. The shares were the dollar each and went like hotcakes.

The mistake, as was later realized, came in giving the road too long a title. This necessitated using two coaches as the official title was much too long to be spread over one car. However, the double coach idea came in handy when husbands and wives who did not care to ride together traveled on their way to Berrien Springs to relate their domestic woes to the court.

The little railroad was billed as "The Picturesque Route" until it was found that citizens were having trouble experiencing the "scenery" and the title was then changed to "The River Route." There were two engines, "Uncle Tom" and "Topsy" which burned coal, trees, ties and even rails when necessity presented itself. Burns Helmeck was conductor, brakeman, train dispatcher and at times engineer and fireman. There were days when, through lack of funds, it became necessary for one person to fill all the positions mentioned. Mr. Helmeck was the kind who would do it.

Buchanan people used to ride up and down the road just to maintain the right of way and prevent the county seat from being moved. Otherwise traffic was not so brisk except among the stockholders who received an annual pass upon the purchase of one dollar's worth of stock.

Always on the first day of the year there was great excitement in the village for it was then that the President of the road was elected. All stockholders were eligible to that office and real campaigns were staged.

Reason for this was that the President received annual passes from all the other railroads in America and there was nothing to prevent him starting out the next day with his family on a year's night seeing trip over the rails of the U. S. A.

Later the tracks were widened to standard dimensions and the road extended out to Benton Harbor and this in time resulted in moving the court house from Berrien Springs, where the food and service at the Oronoco House had not improved, to St. Joseph. However, Niles never did become the county seat!

One of the main reasons why the John Holmes dam was built across the St. Joe river was to get ahead of Niles. Buchanan folks for the nonce put aside their cultural demands and decided that by giving free power to factories that population, figured on a quantity basis, would show an immediate pickup. Buchanan people were so sure of this that they voted to bond the village for \$50,000 of which \$15,000 was to be used for the construction of a waterworks system.

The waterworks was built but the idea did not work out so well. Some one made away with the dam!

The feeling against Niles has never been anything but trival. There was the time back in 1888 when young Walter Noble, then employed in the boot and shoe

store of his father, George W. Noble, expressed a desire to go out in the world and make a name for himself.

The father was quite upset when he learned that the son was anxious to remove his feet from beneath the family table. "Where would you like to go, my son?" he asked. "To Niles," replied the son. This sent the father into a howling rage. "Of all places, Niles!" he shouted. "Why go there?" "I wish to make it just as tough for myself as I can" was the apt reply.

Young Noble was the first to desert the Buchanan home fires and move to Niles. Doubtless he is still located at that place although, no doubt, under an alias. Others who followed suit and who doubtless have since paid the penalty are Rudolph Kompass, Walter Stone, George Guyberson, Arthur Stone, Henry "Red" Spoor, Bert Harding and young Doc Henderson.

Buchanan candidates for county office always had Niles to contend with. There was that time, for instance, when Scott Whitman, after working for years to secure the nomination for treasurer on the Republican ticket, fell apart. During his campaign he visited the race track at Niles and it was while there in search of votes that some low down scoundrel photographed him just as he was in the act of picking up the shell under which he was certain the little bill was located at the time. This photo when published at the time was enough to cause Mr. Whitman to retire from the official lineup.

Mr. Whitman was a stock and lumber buyer. He was always willing to back his judgment for "a million dollars." He resided on Front street and when it came to a beautiful spread of whiskers he was in a class by himself. A very fine gentleman and always the good citizen.

Mr. George W. Noble, who for years was Buchanan's leading Republican, was postmaster under Theodore Roosevelt. He came to the village from Paw Paw and for years conducted the leading boot, shoe and clothing store of the village. He was a progressive merchant and for years, it is recalled, was the only subscriber to Century, the leading magazine, to be found along the Crick.

Also there was that 100 yard dash held in Niles at one time which did not serve to promote the friendly relation between the two places. The imported Buchanan "champeen" in his race with the Niles "champeen" had the race all but won until he stumbled over a small pebble when 20 yards from the finish and fell down and lost. He was not the only one who lost, however. Buchanan citizens, who were present lost their shirts, their furniture and their dignity in the battle that followed. Later, Frank Lough, one of the heaviest losers, had the small pebble which did the damage, set in a ring which he

wore for many years thereafter. Then there was the time that "Button" Evans, Buchanan's best battler, after weeks and weeks of negotiation, carried on by Parsons Churchill finally was able to secure a scrap in the wide open spaces east of town with King Wurtz, the Niles representative. "Button" trained faithfully for months and appeared to have a cinch victory in sight until the battle got under way.

Buchanan's pest was so badly battered that he had to be led home and it was weeks before he was able to visit his old haunts. He always claimed there was something besides rye in the flask which the Parson handed him just before the battle got under way. The two men, "Button" and the Parson, old time friends, never spoke to each other again.

There was a time when young men of Buchanan on returning from Niles, where they had made social calls on the young women of that place could always depend on having a brick tossed through the top of their buggies just as they were about to cross the viaduct leading over the M. C. tracks on the way home.

It is not surprising that after all the experiences related in which Buchanan as a rule seemed to get the worst of it that Crick people became more and more determined to go in for culture rather than population in the upbuilding of the community.

It may be well to relate here as an evidence of what queer pranks Fate will sometimes play on a fellow that Perry Fox spent his declining days in Niles and died at that place.

Had a letter from "Hub" Koontz at South Bend in which he, too, claims that Henry "Red" Spoor gave him his first chew of tobacco.

Those certainly were great days back there when Buchanan and Niles were rated as rival towns.

## Late Transfers Delay Car Owners

While many motor vehicle owners of Michigan wait until the last possible day before purchasing new license plates each year, still other thousands do not apply for their plates until immediately after the deadline has passed. The majority of the latter class are those who purchased used cars during the preceding license year, but who delayed, obviously by de-

sign, to record assigned titles with the Secretary of State.

The motor vehicle laws of Michigan provides that the purchaser of a used car shall, within 10 days following such transaction, file the assigned title with the Department of State, and shall transfer the license plates to himself as well. A fee of \$1.00 is charged for each of these two transfers. Large numbers of people postpone filing their assigned titles until after the passage of the deadline for the use of the plates which accompanied the car, in the mistaken belief that there will be no collection of the \$1.00 fee for transfer of plates no longer void. The fee is collected before application for new license plates is accepted, however. The result is that much time is lost to all concerned, and the purchase of license plates which might be completed in three minutes, sometimes requires 20 minutes or more. Out of the approximately 442,000 title transfers recorded in 1935 about 50,000 were not filed within the 10 day limit, but recently, out of 300 assigned titles chosen at random at Lansing, about 60 per cent of them were delinquent in this respect.

Re-Employment Service Moved To Benton Harbor

The Berrien-Cass county headquarters of the national re-employment service, a division of the U. S. department of labor, was moved Monday to the first floor of the Fidelity building in Benton Harbor from 615 Broad St., St. Joseph.

The removal was made because Benton Harbor's larger population assures the office will be more easily accessible to a greater number of people, according to G. W. Cross, manager of the office.

The office has been located in St. Joseph since the fall of 1933, when it was established under the direction of M. H. Willis. Mr. Willis retired from the office in January and Mr. Cross came from Three Rivers to take charge.

Both Berrien and Cass counties are served by the Benton Harbor office. It gives a free service to both employers and employees and provides an employment agency for all types of labor, including government projects, private industry and domestic help. Applicants for employment are classified under their capabilities and the files are available to all employers.

Peaches Suffer 50 Pct. Loss of Buds

Peaches suffered a 50 per cent loss in buds and both sour and sweet cherries even heavier as the result of the severe freeze of the

last week in February, according to Glenn Kinney of the Mt. Tabor district. The loss varies according to location, some orchardists reporting that none of their peach buds show any signs of life. A loss of 50 per cent in peach buds may not mean any loss in crop, rather a saving of labor at thinning time.

Cambridge University Little-Go

The little-go at Cambridge university is a preliminary examination of a general nature taken by all Cambridge undergraduates (unless excused because certain other examinations have been taken) before proceeding to take any examination for a degree. It is taken in or before the first term.

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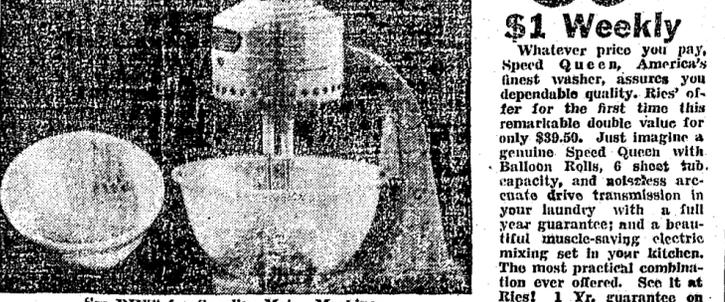
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**To Replace 700 Miles Gravel by Oil Roads**

Seven hundred miles of gravel trunklines will be permanently removed this year from the list of gravel roads under an \$8,000,000 construction program of the state highway department and the works progress administration.

The program provides for the surfacing of this mileage with dust proof oil aggregate. Half of this program appropriation will be spent on the Federal Aid system in the state and the other half on state trunklines off the Federal Aid system.

Grading and drainage work on the state trunkline phase of this program has been under way this winter and the roads are to be surfaced next summer. Projects on the Federal Aid system scheduled for this improvement were resubmitted to Washington this week for final approval by State Highway Commissioner Murray D. Van Wagoner.

The improvements are to be made in the tourist and agricultural belts, the commissioner revealed. The program on the Federal Aid trunklines provides for the expenditure of \$2,500,000 on Upper Peninsula roads and \$1,500,000 on trunklines north of the Saginaw-Muskegon line in the lower peninsula. Projects on trunklines off the Federal Aid system will be scattered throughout the state.

These roads are to be constructed under the engineering supervision of the state highway department and under department specifications. The WPA will handle all other details.

**Cats of the World**

Cats the world over are chiefly distinguished by variations in size, color and quality of hair, though the Isle of Man has a tallness and China a hairless variety.

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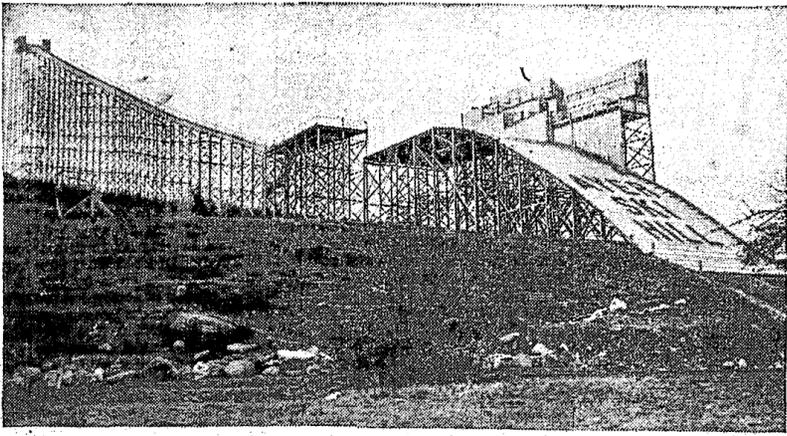
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**Bay State Has Largest Ski Jump in the World**



This photograph shows the new towering trestle ski jump, with a slide of 350 feet and a tower 80 feet above, considered the largest of its kind in the world, which was completed at Littleton, Mass., by the Eastern Professional Ski association.

**AT THE THEATRE**

**Hollywood Books Many Big Hits For Coming Week**

The fascination of picture making and the lives of Hollywood's picture making folk constitute a great part of the entertainment value offered in "Another Face," in which Wallace Ford, Phyllis Brooks and Brian Donlevy are featured, will play here Friday and Saturday.

Stories of rural life, motion pictures whose sentiment, reality and down to earth feeling have caught the imaginations of the film public, seem to have been the exclusive domain of Winfield Sheehan, noted film producer, during the past year. The latest of these, the pietization of that favorite of American melodramas, "Way Down East," with Henry Fonda and Rochelle Hudson starred, will be here Friday-Saturday.

Chapter one of "Tailspin Tommy" starts this week and the first 300 children at the Saturday matinee will receive a free helmet.

New and unrivaled thrills in song, dance, laughter and drama are brought to the screen by

"King of Burlesque," the Fox picture coming Sunday-Monday Tuesday, which turns the spotlight on a fascinating new world of entertainment. Featuring Warner Baxter, Alice Faye, Jack Oakie and Arline Judge, at the head of an all-star cast, the picture tells an absorbing love story of the people who make the nation's entertainment.

"Magnificent Obsession," Universal's production, described in advance news releases from Hollywood as one of the screen's outstanding film plays, has been booked for showing at the Hollywood theatre on Wed.-Thurs. Irene Dunne and Robert Taylor play the starring roles.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**  
Notice is hereby given that the Annual City Election will be held on Monday, April 6th, 1936, at the following places in said City:

First Precinct, 114 South Oak St. Second Precinct, 113 North Oak St., Back Room City Hall.

For the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers:  
ONE—CITY COMMISSIONERS, Three Year Term.

TWO — SUPERVISORS, One Year Term.

TWO—CONSTABLES, One Year Term.

The polls of said election will be open at 7:00 o'clock A. M. and will remain open until 6:00 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

SIGNED,  
Harry A. Post, City Clerk.  
March 26-April 2

**Limit Truck Loads Acc't Frost Action**

The state highway department has ordered truck-loading restrictions to be clamped down on all the trunkline highways of the lower peninsula beginning at 6 a. m. tomorrow, March 12.

At the same time the department ordered the restrictions in effect on Upper Peninsula trunklines beginning at 6 a. m. Friday, Mar. 13th.

The order was, in effect, an extension of the restricted area. Restrictions first went into effect on March 2 on lower peninsula roads as far north as M-21 extending east and west across the state. A later extension made the order apply as far north as M-20.

In general the restrictions call for a reduction in loads of 25 per cent on concrete base pavements and 35 per cent on gravel base roads. They are made imperative by frost action in the ground.

**Fall of Jericho Walls**  
Archaeologists claim that an earthquake caused the walls of Jericho to fall down, not the loud blast of a ram's horn.

**Pheasant Similar to Quail**  
The pheasant is not a native to the United States, but its habits are very similar to quail. The males have elaborate plumage, while the females have shorter tails and are somber colored.

**State News**

**Stabilize State Relief Load**  
Dr. William Haber, state emergency relief director, estimates that the state's direct relief burden has been "stabilized" at between 74,000 and 78,000 cases.

Telegraphic reports from the 83 counties showed that 76,279 cases received direct aid during the week ending March 6. In the previous week 78,823 cases were aided.

Dr. Haber attributed the drop to increased PWA activity. He said warmer weather has not affected relief rolls. To support his contention that relief cases have reached a permanent basis, he cited figures to show that the lead has remained within the limits he named for five weeks.

**Methodists in Hubbub Over Nye Cancellation**  
Methodist churchmen faced the need of choosing a city other than Calumet for the June conference because of the hubbub over the cancellation of U. S. Senator Gerald P. Nye's address.

Officials of the Calumet church complaining of the "already too-publicized discussion" over the cancellation, withdrew their invitation for the Detroit conference to meet at Calumet.

"This action is taken," said a resolution adopted by the Calumet board of stewards, "with a view toward settling a slight misunderstanding which, through the efforts of the uninformed, has increased in size and importance."

**Michigan Gets River and Harbor Appropriations**  
The annual war department supply bill approved by the senate appropriations committee provides for various river and harbor projects in Michigan.

These projects included: Keweenaw waterway, Mich., \$1,300,000; Presque Isle harbor, Mich., \$575,000; Sturgeon Bay and Lake Michigan ship canal, Wis., \$675,000; Kewaunee harbor, Wis., \$60,200; Two Rivers harbor, Wis., \$60,000; Gray reef passage, Mich., \$132,400; Michigan City harbor, Ind., \$80,000; St. Mary's river, Mich., \$175,500; Straits of Mackinac, Mich., \$50,000; channels at St. Clair, Mich., \$160,000; Alpena harbor, Mich., \$190,000.

Mich. May Get \$21,000,000 from U. S. for Roads

A possibility that Michigan may obtain \$21,340,000 in highway benefits in 1938 and 1939 through Federal legislation was seen today by State Highway Commissioner Murray D. VanWagoner.

That sum is Michigan's stake in the Hayden-Cartwright bill now pending before Congress. The measure appropriates \$236,500,000 to the states for roads and grade separations for 1938 and 1939.

Of the total amount of benefits which would come to this state, \$18,240,000 would be in matched funds with \$3,100,000 in direct grants.

The bill appropriates: The present amount of Federal Aid allocations of \$125,000,000 a year to the states. Michigan would obtain \$3,800,000 a year providing it could match this sum. The benefits to this state on a matched basis for the two-year period would be \$15,200,000.

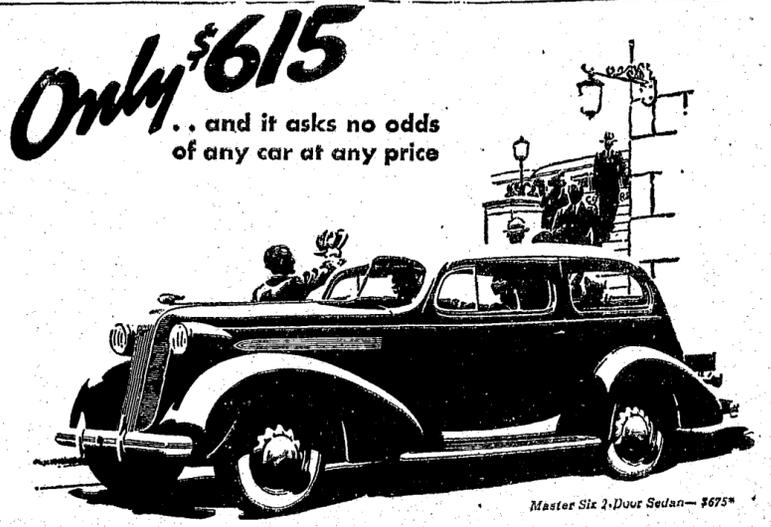
\$25,000,000 a year to the states for secondary routes. Michigan would obtain approximately \$760,000 a year on this program providing it could match this grant. The total benefits to Michigan, if the funds were matched, would be \$3,040,000 for 1938 and 1939.

\$50,000,000 for the elimination of grade crossing hazards. This money would be appropriated as a direct grant with Michigan entitled to about \$3,000,000 for the two-year period. \$15,000,000 a year as a direct grant for forest highways, roads, and trails. Michigan would receive about \$50,000 a year.

The bill also provides for direct grants of \$2,500,000 a year for roads through Federal reservations, \$7,500,000 a year for roads in national parks, and \$7,500,000 a year for roads over connecting lands between national parks—items which do not concern Michigan.

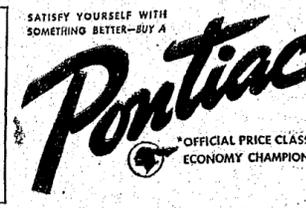
**Wettest Spot in North America**  
Henderson lake, situated on the west coast of Vancouver Island, 90 miles northwest of Victoria, is famed as the wettest spot in North America.

**Earth Around the Sun**  
Copernicus, born in a German section of Poland and partly of German stock, wrote a book to tell why he believed the earth moved around the sun. He said that the earth was really a planet, and that all the planets traveled around the sun. That was a shocking thing to say in those days. Copernicus appears to have been afraid to publish his book, but at last it went to the printer. We are told that the first printed copy was placed in his hands when he lay dying. His death took place 25 years after Magellan's ship, the "Victoria," finished the famous voyage around the world.



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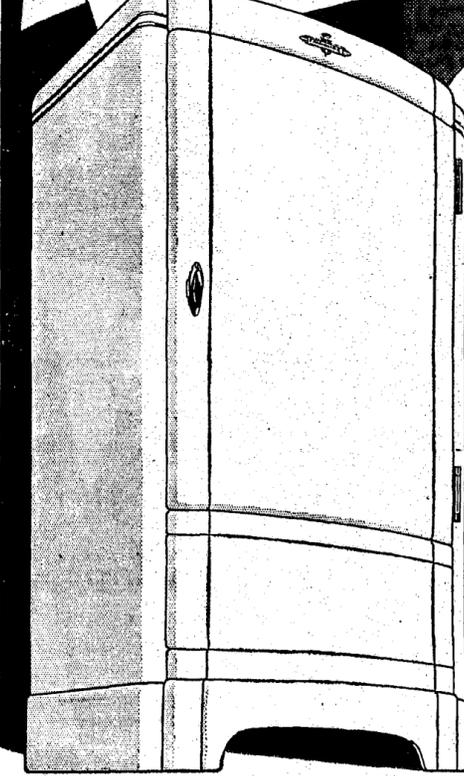
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# ... THE MICROPHONE ...

News of Buchanan Schools  
Collected and Edited By Members of the Student Body

## EDITORIAL

Some students are still cutting... not classes but lawns. Maybe you are one of the individuals who cuts across the lawn of a neighbor because it is shorter; then again you may be the neighbor whose lawn is abused. Nevertheless, it does not improve the appearance of any lawn to have bare patches of grass because some one didn't use forethought or consideration of the other's feelings.

The yards around our "city" can be made beautiful, for that natural blanket of green will soon spring up and if it is left to enjoy life peacefully—well, you can see for yourself how nice it looks.

Now freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors, the younger children will follow in your footsteps soon and continue to do what you have done. You being the older, should set up high the ideals of Buchanan high students.

## Grade News

**Dewey Avenue School**  
Some of the fourth grade pupils have made health rhymes for their health alphabet:

A is for air  
Both fresh and stale.  
Don't breath the last.  
Or you'll be sure to all.

—Janice Pierce  
B is for bath  
A good health habit we say.  
To keep very fit,  
We should take one each day.

—Betty Donley  
A is for air so fresh and sweet  
Keep windows open when you sleep,  
It makes your eyes bright  
And makes rosy cheeks.

—Keith Ednie  
Norine Fuller's name has been added to the first grade honor roll. Charles Vergon and DeVon Ochandler have a perfect attendance record this year.

The second grade pupils are making Dutch posters in connection with the study of the Dutch people.

The Dewey Avenue third grade pupils are making a set of health posters. They are making one poster for each of seven rules of good health.

The opportunity room is studying fish, their habits and the countries from which they come.

**Kindergarten Reading Roll**  
Juanita Swaim, Lucille Bouws, Dorothy Jean LaMont, Gay Vandenberg, Ruby Mikesell, Dwight Heim, Bob Waldo, Nedra Jean Smith, Richard Hushower, Connie Rott, Kathryn Grime, Norma Jean Korp, Dorothy Mae Six, Walter Casto, Raymond Jahnke, Robert Simpson, Esther Reamer, Jean Myers, Dolores Sherwood, James Ott, Junior Giver, Phillip Small, George Haltenbach, George Johnson, Roland Brown, Barbara Walters, Lela Snodgrass, Phyllis Ravish, Jimmie Murdock, Harold Heilmann, Charles Stroud, Paul Montgomery, Donna Mae Hollwig, Harold Young.

## A NEW STUDENT

We are having many new students come to Buchanan high school. One day last week Maxine Palmatier from Battle Creek high school entered here. She is sixteen years old and is in the 11th grade. Her hobbies are dancing, swimming and horseback riding. Her favorite dish is tuna fish salad.

"I like Buchanan high school very much. The students are so easy to get acquainted with," she stated.

## Office News

Mr. Moore attended a meeting of the Class C League, Wednesday evening, March 11, at Three Oaks. The purpose of the meeting was to determine a basketball schedule for next year and a baseball schedule for this season.

Skills from the junior class play which was presented Friday evening, composed the general assembly Friday.

Class C and D track meet will be held in Buchanan May 9.

A meeting of the senior class was held Tuesday afternoon, March 10. The class voted to wear caps and gowns for graduation and the dedication of the Annual was also decided. Senior statistics were voted on by the class.

## NURSE'S NEWS

Mrs. Laub gave a talk, "What the School Does for Children's Health," to the grade mothers on Thursday afternoon, March 12.

There has been several cases of impetigo, mumps, and conjunctivitis (pink eye). None of these cases were severe enough to cause an epidemic in the school.

After testing the ears of students with the Audiometer, the nurse has been examining teeth to see whether they have been fixed since they were examined last fall by the school dentist. There are other physical examinations which include the examining of eye, nose, throat, etc.

## POP GOES YOUR HEART

Rushing the season from the sounds of things. And how! How any one can celebrate the Fourth of July when it is still March—well, we'll tell you. Mr. Moore is demonstrating to his chemistry class how an explosion can be brought about by merely hitting with a hammer a mixture of red phosphorus and phosphorous chloride (quite foreign to you, but it is simply the material used in fireworks). He raises the hammer and down it goes; pop goes the hammer, bang goes the mixture, and pop goes your heart!

## Library News

Two new books were sent to the grades this week. They were "Young Americans" and "Wheels, Ships, Trains and Aircraft."

For the high school grades there were also two new books, "Far Town Road" by Emma Gelders Sterne, and "Carcajou" by Rutherford G. Montgomery.

In "Far Town Road" are three plays to be acted and read. The book is all conversation and has pictures. It is illustrated by Reginald Birch. The book was chosen by the editors of the Junior Literary Guild.

"Carcajou" is a story about a giant weasel or wolverine, fearless and with a strength many times his size. Feared and hated by man and beast, he is a relentless killer.

Other books by Montgomery are "Troopers Three," "Broken Fang," and "Call of the West."

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## WHY BOYS, WHY?

Some of the high school boys taken a decided interest in Mr. Moore's office during the past week. The most surprising thing is that the boys go to the office and actually study. And some people talk about women being hard to understand.

## FRENCH CLUB

The French club held a meeting Friday, March 13, during the class period. Roman architecture, which influenced the French sculptors was discussed. A short story, "The Pope's Mule," by Alphonse Daudet, was read. The meeting was in charge of Eleanor Miller, Elaine Donley, Una Kelley and Barbara Hamilton.

## IT WON'T BE LONG NOW

It won't be long now before the Annual will be out. The Annual staff has been working hard, and the project will soon go to press.

Group pictures of classes and clubs were taken last week. Also the seniors filled out a paper containing the statistics of the class.

The book will be finished soon, and then everyone can see how "cute" he looks.

## USHER CLUB MEETING

Members of the Usher club met Thursday, March 10, with their sponsor, Miss Quade, to discuss a few phases of business. Included in this discussion were a few particulars regarding the Usher club picture which was to be taken on Thursday and ushering for the junior play, "Green Stockings" which was given on Friday night.

## B. H. S. TRIO GIVES FIRST PERFORMANCE

During the first few weeks of the new semester Miss Eunice Miller, grade music and art teacher, organized a high school trio.

The girls who compose the trio are Marie Montgomery, soprano; Carolyn Hattenbach, alto; Caroline Webb, contralto. The girls made their first appearance at the Methodist church last Sunday, March 15, where they substituted for the Glee club.

The trio sang "In My Garden" by Firestone and Riegger and "None but the Lonely Heart" by P. I. Tschalkowsky.

The trio was accompanied by Miss Miller, director.

## THEY GO ROUND AND ROUND

It isn't the music that goes round and round this time. It's the journalism class. When it comes to writing biographies, they have not the courage to ask an old pioneer when and where he was born and all about his life; but don't let a little thing like that bother you. They wouldn't hesitate asking you.

## Al Jolson Says

Drive safely and save a life — it may be yours.

## E. N. Schram

"The Insurance Man"

## CLASS ACTIVITIES

### Grade Projects

In Mrs. Fuller's 4th grade, the pupils have made a circus project which is mounted above the black board. The background of it is made of brown paper. All of the animals were made by the pupils.

The project is to represent the animals in the African jungle. It was made so as to bring a clearer vision of the African jungle, which they have been studying in their geography books.

This is not the only project that they will make as they have started one on Holland. It will show the wind-mills, the homes of the Dutch people, canals, rivers, etc. This also will be connected with their geography and English work.

### English

The senior English class has been studying "Epics of the World" and has given reports on various epics, "The Iliad," "The Odyssey," "The Shah Namah," and "The Nibelungenlied."

"The Romantic Revolt in Poetry" including the work of Wordsworth and Coleridge, was studied by the junior English classes.

"If," a poem written by Kipling, was read by the 8th grade English class. They also studied "A Message to Garcia," and "The Deacon's Masterpiece."

In the 9th grade English classes memory work on the "Time of the Ancient Mariner" has been completed. They are beginning the study of the "Lady of the Lake."

English 10 had a test over the unit of the Four Interpreters. Additional work will be the study of the unit "Poetry and Culture in New England."

"Special Stories" will be the subject on which the journalism class will concentrate this week. The Life of William Randolph Hearst will be studied also.

Composing original poems has been the work of the 7th grade English class during the past week. They also continued the work on King Arthur stories.

The students of this class have been working on individual projects which are to be completed soon.

### Biology, Horticulture and Farm Crops

Biology students have been securing knowledge about ancient plants and animals that lived on this globe before man. They have also been learning about fossils, costs and imprints.

The horticulture class has secured pruning equipment saws and shears. They are going to do some pruning for anyone that wants it done.

Plant breeding has been the work of the farm crops classes for the past week. They have also been running germination tests on different grains.

F. F. A. Joint Meeting  
The F. F. A. clubs of Three Oaks and Buchanan held a joint meeting in the Buchanan high school Tuesday evening, March 11. Three Oaks won one basketball game through triple overtime, 30 to 20, and lost one game 9-10.

**Geography and Government**  
In the 7th grade history class, the students have been studying the conditions in Europe and America during the 15th century.

Reasons for the growth of communities and the meaning of citizenship furnish the work of the 8th grade civil government class.

Economic geography class has been studying horticulture in the United States, giving special consideration to the production of apples and citrus fruits.

After completing the study of the department of state and the department of the treasury, special emphasis was given on the types of taxes and meaning of money by the 11th grade government class.

**Language**  
The Latin nine classes have spent the past week translating the stories of Romulus and Remus, Caesar's pursuit and attack upon the Helvetians, how the Helvetians surrendered and were forced

### Commercial Studies

Typing 11 classes are finishing the unit on business letters and addressing envelopes.

Twelfth grade typing class is preparing bills on proper billheads. Shortland class is writing words with disjoined prefixes.

Bookkeeping class is continuing practice sets and preparing

The construction of various kinds of figures and learning how to use the triangle and compass have occupied the time of the 7th grade students. They also tried drawing to a scale.

How to find tax rates and a study of various types of govern-

### Physical Education

The gym classes are preparing for the gym exhibition to be given Thursday and Friday, March 26 and 27.

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## How Many Friends Have You?

IT HAS been said that the number of friends you have depends almost wholly upon you; for friendship is like many other precious possessions in that it does not thrive on neglect.

Most expressions of friendship, in this modern age, involve the use of the telephone. Direct, personal, inexpensive, it has come to be the recognized means of arranging nearly all informal social gatherings.

It has greatly simplified the rôle of the hostess, relieving her of bothersome complications once inseparable from entertaining. By telephone the woman of today can obtain acceptances or regrets without delay; she can make a last-minute addition to her guests, can quickly summon a fourth for bridge.

Modern telephone service is a special boon to those who have been parted by distance. It gives them, despite their separation, the opportunity for "voice reunions"—for a kind of personal contact which only the telephone can provide. Over it they can send greetings of the season, condolences, congratulations—all the various remembrances that arise from genuine friendship—and prove that absence need not necessarily mean forgetfulness.

Quick, dependable, the telephone service provided by this Company has won a definite part in the social life of the people of Michigan, and daily fulfills an important function in the many occasions which both promote and preserve the treasure of friendship.



MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

## Public Sale

Having decided to quit the dairy business, we will sell at public auction Saturday, March 28th, at 11 o'clock sharp, 2 miles north and 1/4 miles west of Buchanan.

### Horses

15 head of horses ranging from yearlings to smooth mouthed weighing from 1300 to 1800 lbs. All horses will be hitched, pulled and winded at sale.

### Cattle

35 head consisting of 21 milk cows, some fresh, several to freshen by date of sale, 11 Guernsey heifers, 1 yearling Guernsey bull, 2 bull calves.

### HOGS

4 Hampshire sows  
Milk cans, leather halters, wagon, drag.

### TERMS: CASH

**Jim Reed, Sons**  
Clerk, Albert Housworth Harold Stiner, Auctioneer



This was a beautiful home, owned by Theodore O. and Pearl Curtis, section 8, Mundy township, Genesee county, and was badly wrecked by the cyclone of May 28, 1935. Other damage done to the barn, silo, garage, corn barn, windmill and personal property incurred a loss of \$5,112 which this company promptly paid.

Nearly \$400,000,000 Insurance In Force  
Over \$16,000,000 Gained In 1935  
There's a Representative Near You—See Him At Once—Before The Next Cyclone Hits

## Every Year Windstorms Bring Heavy Property Losses

Property losses during 1935, paid by this company alone, amounted to \$261,000, and 1935 was not a year of very severe windstorms. It costs so little to carry adequate windstorm protection in this big company that no property owner can afford to remain unprotected. Over 50 years of honest and satisfactory adjustment of claims and prompt payment of losses mark the enviable service record of this company.

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The biggest of its kind in Michigan. Home Office: Hastings, Mich.

# SOCIETY

**Sew-E-Z Club**  
The Sew-E-Z club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank King.

**Friendly Circle**  
The Friendly Circle will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lou Rydell.

**C. C. Prayer Meeting**  
The Church of Christ prayer meeting will be held at the church tonight, the topic being "The Mission of Moses."

**Girl Scout Party**  
Girl Scout Troop No. Three enjoyed a St. Patrick's party Monday evening at the home of Miss Dorothy Geary. Miss Maude Slate, captain, was in charge of the arrangements.

**Workers Conference**  
A conference of teachers and workers of the Church of Christ Sunday School was held Monday evening at the home of Miss Lily Abell.

**Upstreamers Class**  
The Upstreamers Bible class of the Evangelical church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Herman, West Chicago St.

**St. Pat's Party**  
The Methodist Sunday School class taught by Mrs. Thomas Rice will be guests from four to six o'clock today at a St. Patrick's party at the home of Bonnie June Chain.

**C. E. Rally**  
The members of the Senior Christian Endeavor of the Church of Christ will meet at 5 p. m. at the church Friday to motor to attend a Christian Endeavor rally at Bangor.

**Birthday Friday, 13th**  
W. H. Chubb was surprised at his home Thursday evening on the occasion of his 81st birthday when his children and grandchildren to the number of twenty-one "dropped in" for the evening and a pot luck supper. His birthday occurred Friday, March 13.

**Attend Shower at Gallen**  
A number from Buchanan attended a shower at Gallen Sunday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Dale English. The guests enjoyed a pot luck dinner at noon and the young couple received a number of gifts. Those from Buchanan present were: Mrs. J. J. Kearns, Mrs. Sam McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Proseus, Miss Mayme Proseus, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Morley, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Swem and family, Henry Swem, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rizer and DeLos Proseus.

**Bayleaf Rebekah Lodge**  
The Bayleaf Rebekah lodge will hold its regular meeting next Friday evening, at which time final arrangements for the memorial service which the local lodge will present at the district meeting to be held in Dowagiac next Wednesday evening will be made. Representatives from the local lodge at the district meeting will be Mrs. Frank King and Mrs. Louis Gray. The chairman for the entertainment committee for next Friday evening will be Mrs. Harley Squier.

**C. C. Choir**  
The Church of Christ choir met last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills.

**Rambler Club**  
The Rambler club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lydick.

**Pres. Guild**  
The Jeannette Stevenson Guild of the Presbyterian church met on Tuesday with Miss Belle Miller.

**C. C. Mission Society**  
The Women's Missionary Society of the Church of Christ met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hess Friday afternoon, with five guests from Niles present.

**St. Patrick's Party**  
The teachers of the Junior department of the Methodist Sunday School, comprising Mrs. Glenn Haslett (superintendent), Doris Reams, Elizabeth Longfellow, Marie Reese, Mrs. James Semple, Mrs. Bert Montgomery, Mrs. Dan Carlisle, and Mrs. James Everingham were hostesses Tuesday afternoon to the members of their classes at a St. Patrick's day party in the church basement.

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**Dinner Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Rishel and family of South Bend were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Metzger.

**Initiate in Sorority**  
Miss Helen Mogford, formerly of Buchanan, is an initiate in the Delta Delta Sorority of the University of Michigan.

**Entertain at Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Dempsey entertained at dinner Sunday the latter's brother, F. M. Boone of South Bend, and their daughter, Mrs. Carl Beaver and son, Niles.

**Fraternity Initiate**  
George Wynn, formerly physical director of the Buchanan high school and now a student in the department of medicine at the University of Michigan, is an initiate of the Phi Chi fraternity there.

**Announce Engagement**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe announce the engagement of their daughter, Maxine, to Joseph L. Hess, of Niles, the marriage date to be announced later. Mr. Hess is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hess of Niles. Formal announcement of the engagement was made at a birthday party for Miss Howe, given by girls employed at the time office of the Clark Equipment Co.

**Pot Luck Supper**  
The Young People's Bible class of the Evangelical church will have a pot luck supper at the church this evening. Following the supper the class will be examined on the study books.

**Unique Club**  
Mrs. Ralph Allen will be hostess this afternoon to the members of the Unique Bridge Club.

**P. N. G. Club**  
The Past Noble Grand club met last night in the home of Mrs. Myra Hess, the meeting having been moved ahead from Wednesday of next week.

**P. P. Home Ec Club**  
The Portage Prairie Home Economics club will have an all day meeting in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Rough, Wednesday, March 25. The lesson will be "The House With a Place For Everything" and will be given by the leaders Mrs. Nora Long and Mrs. Pearl Jordan.

**Pres. Home Service**  
The Presbyterian Home Service Department met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. S. Webb, the committee in charge being Mrs. A. H. Kiehn, Mrs. Ida Bishop, Mrs. Laura Montague, Mrs. T. D. Childs, Mrs. Henrietta Hubbard, Mrs. Arthur Young, Mrs. Addie Haas, Mrs. Charles Pears, Mrs. Joe Richards.

**Confer Third Degree**  
The Buchanan Odd Fellow lodge will confer the third degree next Tuesday evening on a class including a number of candidates from Berrien Center and Dowagiac.

**Modern Woodmen**  
The Modern Woodmen of America will hold a pot-luck get-together Saturday, March 21, at 7 p. m. for the members and their wives.

**Birthday Surprise**  
The members of the Lillian Club surprised Mrs. Nella Slater Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Lillian Crull, the occasion being Mrs. Slater's birthday. The club as a whole gave her a present. Mrs. Arthur Voornees presented her a birthday cake. Refreshments were served and luncheon was played, the following winning: Mrs. Nella Slater, Mrs. Effie Hathaway, Mrs. Will Rynearson, Mrs. Norman Smith, Mrs. Florence Woodson.

**Sunday Dinner Guests**  
Atty. and Mrs. T. D. Childs of Three Oaks were Sunday dinner guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Childs.

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**Mrs. George Tenney, Chicago Speaker Niles Musical Club**  
Mrs. George Tenney, wife of a prominent Chicago musician, and the mother of Mrs. Walter Boydston of Thorn Acres, will speak on "The Spiritual Side of Music" before the Niles Musical Club at the Four Flags hotel, Niles, next Tuesday afternoon. Her talk will be illustrated by a number of songs by Mrs. Beulah Cassler Edwards, Chicago, a charming singer and for many years the soloist at the Wilmett Congregational church. Mrs. Edwards will be accompanied by Josephine Kelley. Members will be permitted to bring guests, a payment of 25c being asked for non-members.

**Thirty Club**  
The Thirty Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Glenn Smith. A paper, "Plants Useful in Industry" was presented by Mrs. Glenn Haslett. Mrs. Susan Curtiss prepared a paper, "Trees Useful in Industry" which was read by Mrs. Glenn Smith. Mrs. Stark sang "Trees" by Joyce Kilmer, and gave a talk on the author. The club will meet March 23 at the home of Mrs. D. W. Ewing.

**Confer Third Degree**  
The Buchanan Odd Fellow lodge will confer the third degree next Tuesday evening on a class including a number of candidates from Berrien Center and Dowagiac.

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**Buchanan Elks Entertain**  
The Niles Elks will observe Buchanan night at the Elks temple tonight, the Buchanan members being in charge of the supper and entertainment. Harry Smith is chairman in charge of arrangements.

**R. N. Club**  
The Royal Neighbor Club met Tuesday evening at the Modern Woodman hall, Mrs. Eura Flory and Mrs. Edith Hoffman being in charge. Luncheon was played, prizes being won by Mesdames Lydia Myers, H. A. Hattenbach, Minnie Lentz, Effie Hathaway, and Dorothy Bunker.

**Oil Supply in Doubt**  
Geologists have learned many things about oil, but they cannot determine the exact extent of the world's natural oil supply. It is frequently predicted that this supply will last only a few years longer. But set deadlines are passed and the natural oil continues to flow.

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The figures of this statement will interest you because they show the activity of this bank in local affairs • Note the total loans and discounts; the growth in deposits; the amount of cash on hand and in sound investments • Study these figures. It will enable you to form your own opinion of our management policies—which is exactly what we want you to do • We are well equipped to serve you.

**STATEMENT OF CONDITION**

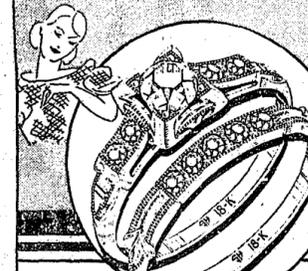
of the Gallen-Buchanan State Bank at Buchanan, Michigan, at the close of business March 4, 1936, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES	Commercial	Savings
Loans and Discounts, viz.:		
Secured by collateral	\$ 57,001.60	\$ 49,290.00
Unsecured	64,367.21	
Industrial Loans	70,225.67	
Items in transit	2,856.10	
Totals	194,450.58	49,290.00
Real Estate Mortgages:		243,740.58
Mortgages in Office	62,498.25	
Bonds and Securities, viz.:		
Municipal Bonds in office		138,755.44
U. S. Government Obligations Direct and Fully Guaranteed Pledged	10,000.00	29,017.50
Other Bonds and Securities in office	32,045.00	167,772.94
Totals	42,045.00	167,772.94
Reserves, viz.:		
Due from Banks in Reserve Cities and Cash on Hand	182,900.24	23,412.47
U. S. Government Obligations Direct and Fully Guaranteed legal reserve in Savings Dept.		85,789.30
Totals	182,900.24	109,201.77
Combined Accounts, viz.:		
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	NONE	
Banking House	9,400.00	
Furniture and Fixtures	3,600.00	
Other Real Estate	2,900.00	
Other assets Dep. in Closed Banks; FDIC dep.	892.34	
Total	824,951.12	
LIABILITIES		
Preferred Stock "A"	25,000.00	
Common Stock paid in	25,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus Fund		7,000.00
Undivided Profits, net		623.46
Reserve for Taxes, Interest, Depreciation, etc.		8,000.00
COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS		
Commercial Deposits Subject to Check	263,168.26	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	10,058.98	
Cashier's Checks	2,642.59	
Public Funds (Secured)	10,000.00	
U. S. Government Deposits		
Securities pledged — \$10,000.00		
Public Funds—No assets pledged	142,897.14	
Industrial Investment Certificates	14,549.39	
Total	443,316.36	443,316.36
SAVINGS DEPOSITS		
Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws	238,295.18	
Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws	77,698.02	
Total	315,993.20	315,993.20
Other liabilities		18.10
Total		824,951.12

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF BERRIEN ss.  
I, P. L. Karling, Assistant Cashier, of the above named bank do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

P. L. Karling, Assistant Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1936.  
Philip C. Landsman, Notary Public.  
My commission expires Sept. 17, 1937.  
Correct Attest  
Chas. A. Clark, Horace Morley, D. W. Ewing, Directors.

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