

# PLAN TO PLAY WEEKLY FOR MILK FUND

## Buchanan H. S. Apple Judging Team Wins 4th in State Contest

### Play High Class Out-City Teams

#### Now Here's the Proposition

Outta Come Back Tuesday? Say listen here—I'll tell you what! The man that pays right on the spot.

He is the fellow that boosts his and helps the other chap pay his. He is a credit to his town. Who digs it up and slaps it down; who helps us all along and fills our hearts with grateful song.

Who pays his bills.

Big business leaders—who are they?

So many folks of common day; Perhaps they know a little y. Except for him where would they get?

Who pays his bills when they are due.

So other chaps can follow through, Who comes up with the old long green.

'Tis he who sparks the whole machine.

Who pays his bills.

What's that—a bill for me, you say?

And overdue since Saturday? Say mister, I don't see just how I'm ever gonna pay that now. But come back in a week or two And I might have two bits for you depending, as the case may be, On what another guy pays me.

—W. C. Hawes.

#### Scores High in A Field of 25

Team Comprised of Richard Walkden, James Hemminger, Burl Weaver; C. Langner Is Coach

The apple judging team of the agricultural department of the Buchanan high school scored fourth place in a field of 25 high school teams from over Michigan, in the contest held at The Grand Rapids apple show on Dec. 2, according to word received here the first of the week by Clarence Langer, Smith-Hughes instructor in the Buchanan school.

Olivet won first place with a total of 2451.6; Hart was second with 2397.5; Belding third with 2298.2; Buchanan fourth with 2293.6. Following in the order of their ratings were: Sparta, Bangor, Coopersville, Brooklyn, Lapeer, Harrisville, Grand Ledge, Cassopolis, Charlotte, Fennville, Bear Lake, Romeo, Benton Harbor, Bellevue, Owosso, Big Rapids, Caledonia, Almont, Covert, Okemos, Pottersville.

The scores of the team members were Richard Walkden, 781.8; James Hemminger, 703.3; Burl Weaver, 808.5. High individual man for the contest was Kenneth Brangwin of Olivet with a score of 853.2.

#### Tight-Wadding It Through Europe

CHAPTER XX

By HAWES

Now that the main breakfast is stowed away, and the boys have settled it with a little singing we might pick ourselves a couple of bicycles out of the seven that stand at the family bicycle rack and pedal our way to the Lobonas postoffice.

There are eight in the family menage at Lobonas and everyone has his or her bicycle except the 76-year-old grandmother. The bicycle is far more important as a means of getting about in Sweden than the automobile. There is about one car to every 37 people in Sweden, as compared with one to between four and five people in the United States, which means eight times as many cars per capita here. But there is a bicycle to about every two and one-half people in Sweden. That is in a way typical of all Europe, the only country that exceeded Sweden in the use of the wheel being Denmark.

I noticed in Sweden a tendency to contract words by cutting off the first part as contrasted with the practice in America of cutting off the second part. For instance both nations have the word *utof* (Continued on Page 5)

#### Former Buchanan School Head Is Elected Nat. President Woodmen

Older Residents Remember O. E. Aleshire, Here in Eighties

Many of the older Buchanan people will remember O. E. Aleshire, who served as superintendent of Buchanan schools for several years in the late eighties and early nineties and while here was elected to the Michigan legislature.

After leaving Buchanan he entered the insurance business in Chicago and from that went into fraternal work. His subsequent rise to the national presidency of the Modern Woodmen of America is told in the following article taken from "The Modern Woodman".

Oscar E. Aleshire, Chicago, Ill., Modern Woodmen of America's National Treasurer since 1917, is the Society's new National President, having been named to that position by the Board of Directors to succeed A. R. Talbot, Lincoln, Neb., who resigned effective January 1, 1938, following forty-seven years' official service with the Society.

Director Henry F. Turner, Paducah, Ky., was chosen to succeed Neighbor Aleshire as National Treasurer and R. H. Talbot, Superintendent of Agents, was elected to fill the vacancy on the Board. All positions were filled by vote of the Board of Directors in compliance with the provisions of the Society's by-laws, all changes becoming effective January 1.

National President Aleshire becomes the fourth chief executive of the Society in its fifty-five years' existence. He comes to the office with a background of almost forty years' experience in Modern Woodmen affairs, which began when he attended the 1901 Head Camp as a delegate. He was also a delegate to the Head Camps in 1903, 1908, 1911, 1912 and 1917, and at the latter was elected to the National Treasurership, to which position he has been reelected for each succeeding term. By action of the 1937 Head Camp, Mr. Aleshire's position as National Treasurer included ex officio membership on the Board of Directors.

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#### Sea Scout Unit, "Albatross," Is Now Organized

The first meeting of the new Sea Scout ship 45 was held Monday evening in the Latter Day Saints church and the first crew was organized.

Temporary officers appointed were: Coxswain, William Ednie, Jr.; Yeoman, John Fuiks. Other charter members are Robert Bennett, William Gregory, Rex Shreve, Richard Rose, and Paul Martin.

"Albatross" was selected as a name for Ship 45, and Monday night was selected as the weekly meeting night. Mr. Noll, Scout executive, gave a talk on the Sea Scout program, explaining the difference between Boy Scouting and Sea Scouting.

The ship committee, composed of V. L. Coonfare, Stephen Martin, Paul Gross and James Best, also attended the meeting.

#### Reamers Defeats Simplicity and Kawneers of Niles

The second of a series of milk fund benefits was played at the high school gymnasium last night by the Desenberg and Reamer independent basketball team, Reamer's team meeting the Round Oak furnace five and Desenberg's meeting the Rudy Furnace five of Dowagiac.

The managers stated that this series will be for the milk fund every Wednesday night until further notice, first class out-of-town teams being brought in for competition. Since the needs of the milk fund are likely to be large, all who can fit the games into their entertainment schedule are urged to attend. The admittance charge will be 10 cents.

Reamer's team defeated the Kawneer team of Niles 18 to 13 in the Tyler gymnasium in that city Tuesday evening. Previously they defeated the Simplicity Patern team of Niles here 32 to 8.

The best of the high school stars of recent years and additional talent are comprised in the roster of the two teams and good competition will be in store. Try to be there.

#### Scrapbook Scrap

As this week's scrap, we relay via the Campfires Vigilant this past from the pen of Chas. B. Osborn, former Michigan editor and former state governor:

"Of course you are going to keep on doing for others, because this is the real source of happiness. Bread cast on the waters does return. It may come back as a flyback, or in some other dry form, but it does come, and is wholesome. Anybody who does anything for another for the sake of appreciation or profit, except so far as actual sustenance is concerned, is selfish. I pay no attention to whether anybody likes me or not, except to appreciate wonderfully those who are kind to me. My attitude toward you and all others is my responsibility; theirs toward me is their concern. Quite often I like people who do not like me at all, and after a while they change their minds and their mood. Of course you must keep your own fire burning because that is the only way you can warm yourself or anybody else."

#### So, Bend Atty. to Speak On Russia

Attorney Louis Hammerschmidt of South Bend will give a free illustrated lecture on Soviet Russia in the auditorium of the Methodist church at 7:30 p. m. tonight.

Hammerschmidt spent two weeks in Russia while on a European trip last summer, visiting Leningrad, Moscow, Kiev and other cities and seeing much of the country. He took some very fine black and white and colored moving pictures while there, with which he will illustrate his talk tonight.

He states that he will have something to say about the crisis of the present ruling class in Russia and also something about the improvement of living conditions among the masses of the people.

Hammerschmidt gave this lecture fifteen times in South Bend and vicinity during December. The public are very cordially invited. There will be no admission charge.

Before the lecture Atty. Hammerschmidt will be a guest of the men's club at a chicken supper served at 6:30 p. m. in the church parlors.

#### The School World

Robert Strayer and Eddie Donley left together for the east Saturday, being passengers together as far as Harrisburg, Pa., on their return to their schools. Strayer had been at the home of his parents while on his vacation from Lebanon Valley college, Annville, Penn. Donley spent the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Donley and was returning to his second year at Annapolis Naval Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brewster received word yesterday that their son, Leslie, had undergone an emergency operation for appendicitis that morning at Cincinnati, where he is a student at the University of Cincinnati.

George Semple left Tuesday on his return to Princeton University, New Jersey, where he is a sophomore in the department of mechanical engineering. This is the school that was much in notice a few years back because of the abolition of fraternities and the substitution of eating clubs instead.

William Habicht left Saturday to resume his studies as a sophomore in the engineering department of Cornell University, after spending a vacation of two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Habicht.

Miss Betty Semple left Monday for Lake Forest, Ill., after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Semple. She is a senior in Ferry Hall, a school for girls there.

#### Chance Succeeds When Time Fails To Close Career of John Koenig

Glendora Centenarian Dies New Years Day at Age 110 Years

John Koenig, Glendora's 110-year-old man, passed out of life at 5 a. m. Saturday, shortly after the New Year came in, as the result of a fall on the night of Wednesday, Dec. 29, from which he incurred a broken hip.

Koenig was still in remarkable physical condition for a man of his advanced years, according to the physicians who attended him at the county hospital at Berrien Center, and it is likely that he would have yet survived years had not chance achieved what time had as yet failed to.

During the past few months his mind had wandered some and he had the idea that he would leave Glendora and go to Colorado. He would strike out any hour of the day or night, but his daughter, Mrs. Albert Schmalz, with whom he made his home, kept constant watch, and whenever he was missed some one would immediately take a car and drive along the road west from the home where he would be invariably found, trudging determinedly toward what he knew was the direction of Colorado. His farthest distance from home on these walks was a half mile.

On the night of Wednesday all had gone to bed. Mrs. Schmalz said that she was tired and had just fallen fast asleep, sleeping so heavily that she did not hear him get up and steal out. But a granddaughter, Rose Schmalz, who slept in the room above, heard him get up and go out and then heard him fall on the porch. She ran down and found him unable to get up. Other members of the family came and they carried him to the hospital at Berrien Center, where he died Saturday. Members of the family said that when he was picked up from the porch and carried to his bed, he announced that he would eat or drink nothing more for now he was going to die, as he had prayed to for years.

Koenig had failed in the past year, having been unable to read in his German Lutheran prayer book, as has been his constant wont previously. Since his wife died at the age of 90 in 1927 he had constantly prayed to be allowed to die. "I'm no good any more on this earth," he would say, "I want to go and be with mother."

Nevertheless he had been able to do a little work until the present year. For several years past the hundred mark he took care of the wood chopping and kept a large stock of neatly piled green wood stacked for the family use. He took great interest in the care

#### Girl Scouts

The Buchanan Girl Scout council held a meeting at the home of Mrs. E. C. Pascoe at 9 a. m. Wednesday with a good attendance.

The three troops have resumed regular meetings after vacation.

Troop One, Mrs. Andy Pierce leader, met Monday at 4 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

Troop Two, Maude Slate captain, will meet at the Presbyterian church at 10:30 a. m. Saturday. They report a very enjoyable Christmas party at which they filled a basket with food for a family of seven. The five children received gifts, some of which the girls made. They worked willingly on the project and hope to be able to do more next year.

Troop Three, Mrs. W. S. Hacking captain, is to meet at the Presbyterian church at 9 a. m. Saturday. This troop had a fine Christmas party with 19 girls present.

#### Former Secretary to China's War Lord to Speak Feb. 11th

A former secretary to the Chinese warlord, General Chiang Kai-Shek, will speak before the annual Berrien county teachers' institute at Buchanan on February 11, it was announced Wednesday by Mrs. Jennie Burton Mecham, county school commissioner.

The speaker is Colonel Thomas Tchou, lecturer and writer, and a member of the labor welfare committee of Greater Shanghai, who was educated in England, Germany and France. Colonel Tchou is to come to the United States from China this month, for a lecture tour.

Dean E. O. Melby, of the school of education at Northwestern University, will be the educational speaker.

The institute will include 14 sectional meetings, addressed by educators who have achieved special distinction in their fields. The sections include mathematics, science, English, social science, music, art, languages, commercial subjects, home economics, early elementary subjects, later elementary subjects and rural teaching.

All teachers in the county's public schools are required to attend the institute.

#### Texas, Here We Come

Mrs. Mattie Dempsey, Mrs. Walter Thanning and the latter's daughter, Sally, left at 6:15 a. m. yesterday by bus for Texas, where they plan to visit relatives, returning about Feb. 1. Mrs. Dempsey will visit with an aunt at Normandy, Texas. Mrs. Thanning and daughter will visit with cousins, Mrs. Edith Baker and Mrs. H. L. Murphy, at Pharr, Texas.

#### 1 Word For the Lady And 2 For Spafford

The Record is in receipt of the following welcome and sprightly bulletin from L. B. Spafford:

"Dear Editor: The most prolific vegetation here is pear cactus. Like our militarized European countries, they are bristling with bayonets. But the ranchers use big blow torches to burn off the spines so the cattle and goats can eat them. When they hear the blow torch they come a-running. Why not use this idea with Michigan bull thistles, which will grow where nothing else will. All you need for a cattle ranch is a lot of waste land which you could plant to thistles, and a blow torch."

"I just returned from Mexico and can talk Spanish like a native (of Siam). I said mostly 'La Senora desea almuerzo' (the lady wants breakfast.)"

#### Lydia Weaver, A Lifelong Resident of Buchanan, Dies

Last rites were held at 2:30 p. m. Friday, Dec. 31, from the Swem Funeral Home for Mrs. Lydia Weaver, 84, lifelong resident of Buchanan township.

Dr. Charles A. Bame of the First Presbyterian Church of South Bend was the minister in charge and burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery. Pallbearers were Chas. Orris, Artie Weaver, Ed Pascoe, Melvin Boyle, William Weaver, Vere Beckwith of Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Weaver had died at 5:15 p. m. Wednesday. She was born in Buchanan township on Nov. 5, 1853, the daughter of Gottlieb and Mary Kool Boyle. She married Abram Weaver April 18, 1873. He died on Feb. 26, 1921. She is survived by two sons, Clarence of Glendora and Ray, R. R. Buchanan; by two grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She was a member of the Church of the Brethren of New Troy.

#### George Burrus Is Killed in New York

George Burrus, native and former resident of Buchanan, was instantly killed by a hit and run driver on New Years Eve at Tully, N. Y., where he had lived for a little over a year.

Members of the family here had received only a brief wire informing them of the tragedy. He was born in Buchanan township Feb. 25, 1888. He went with his wife to Tully, N. Y., a year ago last November. He was the son of the late Lincoln Burrus. He is survived by his mother, Margaret Burrus of Buchanan; by two sisters, Mrs. Simon Hempel of Buchanan and Mrs. Morton Hampton of Galien; by a brother, Robert Burrus of Buchanan; by his wife, Ellabelle Burrus of Tully, N. Y.

Mrs. William Butler incurred a fracture of the left wrist at her home on the Clear Lake Road New Years Eve.

#### Richard Hain With Union State Bank

Richard Hain, former manager of the Local Finance Company of South Bend, took over his new duties as manager of the Industrial Loan Department of the Union State Bank Monday morning. He has had a wide experience in automobile and personal loans. He was formerly with the City National Bank and Trustee Company of Niles. He has been a resident of Niles most of his life and still maintains his home there.

#### Mother of Mrs. Tracy Neal Dies

Mrs. Tracy Neal has returned from Mishawaka, Ind., where she was called by the death of her mother, Mrs. Lillie E. Brown, who died at 51, on Wednesday, Dec. 29. Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Friday, Dec. 31, at Willow Creek Methodist Episcopal church, where she had been an active member. She was well known here, having visited Buchanan on several occasions.

#### Guy Tomlinson Dies in Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Pangborn went to New Carlisle yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of the latter's nephew, Guy Tomlinson, who died in Chicago Saturday night. The funeral was held in the Christian church at New Carlisle.

#### Holiday Greetings Via Record and Wire

Here's a new idea in making the rounds of your friends with holiday greetings:

The Record received a telegram on New Years Day from Mrs. Jayne Motobkies and Mrs. Ethel Biraganian, sent from Monrovia, Calif., and extending greetings and a Happy New Year to all their Buchanan friends.

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#### Lois Boyce Begins Library Story Hour

The Story-Telling Hour will be started at the Buchanan Public Library next Saturday morning by Miss Lois Boyce of the PWA recreation staff, with the following schedule:

9:30-10:30 a. m. for kindergarten, first and second grade children.

10:45-11:45 a. m. for third, fourth and fifth grade children.

#### Incurs Broken Ankle During Tobogganing

Miss Shirley Trapp incurred a broken ankle during the holidays, while she was tobogganing with a party of young people on the Orchard Hills course on New Years day. The party were leaning out to avoid a tree and the sled tipped and her ankle went under one runner.

#### Union Bank Shows 15 1/2 Pct. Increase Individual Deposit

An increase of individual time and demand deposits of \$104,821.22, or about 15 1/2 per cent in the last six months of 1937, is indicated by the report of the Union State Bank on another page of the Record.

The total of the individual time and demand deposits of the bank as indicated in the report of July 1, 1937, was \$679,298.37. In the report published in this issue and dated Dec. 31, the total individual time and demand deposits were \$784,079.59.

Total footings for the midyear report of July 1 were \$937,620.94, as compared with total footings of \$1,000,480.94 in the current report of Dec. 31.



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### WHERE LINES ARE DRAWN

Seems like it doesn't matter so much these days what you do as where you do it.

Take the recent furore over the broadcast by Mae West and Charlie McCarthy. We heard it and while it was in a way rather broad, it was mild in comparison with the one Mae West film we ever saw. It was mild in comparison with much that we read in the magazines and absolutely sanitary in comparison with the offerings of some of the best sellers between book covers. (We might add in this respect that Mae is barred from the local Hollywood theatre by manager Hoffman.)

We understand, but we don't know why, that the line is drawn much closer and finer in radio than it is in the movie. You can't get away with anything in radio but while there is supposed to be a national film censorship, you can get away, perhaps not with murder but certainly with something approaching manslaughter. Why insist on a clean radio and permit shady films?

Another area of publication which is said to be quarantined from filth is the funny. There can be nothing dirty in the funnies—not even a cussword. We suppose it is on account of the "kiddies," but in that case why not a ban on filth in the moving picture?

It's all very mysterious.

### 1938 COLLEGIATE

You see much in print to the effect that the current generation of college youth has, on the average, a more practical and sensible attitude than the crops of the twenties.

During the recent midyear vacation we talked with a young man from Buchanan registered in a state school. He gave us a few ideas along that line. He said:

"I'm working my way in part and I'm getting by on \$3 a week for board and room. I haven't had a breakfast for weeks at school but it doesn't bother me. I don't do a thing but study, work and sleep. Never look at a girl. It's the same way with most of the fellows I know. They're working their way too and we're there for what we can get."

"I'll have to say that I have learned more in my half year at school than I did in much longer time at high school. Boy, what you can learn if you put your mind to it. There's sure a lot of knowledge to be grabbed off around that school and I figure I'm going to get all of it I can while I am there. And that is not going to leave me much time for anything else."

### RATING BUCHANAN'S GRID TEAM

A 1937 sports resume for Berrien county in the New Year edition of the St. Joseph Herald-Press credits the Buchanan high school football team with the best record among county teams, on the basis of its six victories, one tie and no defeats.

Outstanding among its performances, according to the Herald-Press, was the 6-0 victory over Western State high of Kalamazoo, the first defeat for that team in 20 games. The evidence might have been carried further than the Twin City paper took it. This same Western State high school defeated St. Joe high school 20 to 6, following which the St. Joe team went on to win the Big Five title, also defeating Benton Harbor, a Class A team. The Buchanan team is entitled to the claim of being the best under Class A rating in southwest Michigan.

accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George Dula to Roseland Saturday afternoon. They called on a friend, Mr. Redback, who has been quite ill for some time.

Lester Cudley, Buchanan, was a caller in the Gilbert home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Proud and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Phillips Sunday at Mishawaka.

The many friends of Arthur Woodman were sorry to hear of his death which occurred at his home in Chicago Christmas day, after a heart attack. Mr. Woodman spent his week-ends and vacations at his summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bromley returned from Chicago Tuesday, where they spent the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson attended the cooperative dinner at the Dayton hall New Years day.

Those who spent Sunday in the Fred Bromley home were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howard and baby, of Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Max Erwin, Niles, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Baenziger, Chicago.

There are a number of people sick in Bakertown, among them being Miss Margaret Haas, Miss Mona Dalenberg, Patricia Delinger, Mrs. Mable Bromley and the children of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Freeland, at the Dalenberg home.

Mrs. Florence Freeland came from Dayton, O. Tuesday night to care for her three children who are ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edna Dalenberg.

The community was shocked to hear of the death of George Burrus of Tully, N. Y. His mother, Mrs. Lincoln Burrus, and family, have our sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sebasty and children attended the cooperative dinner at the Dayton hall New Year's day. They report a very good time was had by all.

Miss Doradee Leiter, Buchanan, spent the week-end with Margaret Sebasty.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Hamilton, Harry Hartline and daughter, Leatha, spent New Year's afternoon with Mr. Hamilton's mother, Mrs. Howard Wilson. Mr. Hamilton returned to the Legion hospital at Battle Creek Sunday.

### Olive Branch

Miss Erma Bennett of Detroit, spent New Year's afternoon with Mrs. John Clark.

Oliver Ludwig spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. F. A. Nye. Duane Ingles and Patricia Olmsted have been on the sick list this week.

Eugene Shepherd and family of Buchanan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shepherd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Goodenough and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dell Smith.

Floyd Williams and family of Niles spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Brown of Sodus were Sunday dinner guests in the Lysle Nye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnhart, Mrs. Laura Beatty, Mr. Bensbach and Elisha Dickey of Chicago, Mrs. Nora Hart and son, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hibbard of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dickey and family of Glendora, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nudell, Lewis Richards of Flint were relatives called here by the death of Mrs. John Dickey.

Sylvester Ingles returned from Upland Wednesday. Gerald East-burg came home with him for a visit.

Mrs. Ruth Ramsby and daughter returned to their home in Niles after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chapman.

Mrs. Ed Olmstead, Mrs. Edith

Straub were in South Bend Friday.

Miss Gladys James entertained her 500 Club at a New Years Eve party. Refreshments were served. The prize winners were Mrs. Thelma Roberts, Arthur DuBois, Mrs. Ann DuBois and Russell McLaren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Latter Day Saints church in Gallien for the late Mrs. John Dickey, Elder J. W. McKnight was the minister in charge. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marsh were the singers accompanied at the piano by their daughter, Lucy Marsh. Casket bearers were Henry Goodenough, Morton Hampton, Lysle Nye, Charles Smith, Ira Lee and Anthony Warnke. Burial in the Gallien Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Olmsted and baby Douglas Olmsted of Toledo and Donald Olmsted spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Olmsted.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Sherman and children spent Tuesday with relatives in Tekonsha.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant of South Bend were Sunday visitors in the Currie McLaren home. Callers in the Russell McLaren home Saturday and Sunday evenings were Mr. and Mrs. Odean Roberts and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hathaway of South Bend were Sunday afternoon callers in the John Dickey

### DO YOU LACK PEP?



Madison, Wis. — Charles A. Smith, 1331 Williamson St., says: "I have used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for myself and for the children, with excellent results. It stimulates the appetite and tends to increase the flow of gastric juice, thus aiding digestion of food and so helps to build you up so that you feel fit." Ask your druggist for it today in liquid or tablets.

## STOCK REDUCTION VALUES

Buy Early Limited Supply on Some Items

<b>FLOUR</b>	PILLSBURY or GOLD MEDAL	24 1/2 lb. Bag	89c
<b>SUGAR</b>	Silver-Crystal Brand	10 lb. Cloth Bag	50c
	CANE SUGAR	10 lb. Bag	52c
<b>COFFEE</b>	OUR BREAKFAST	3 lb. Bag	43c
		1 lb. Bag	15c
<b>OLEOMARGARINE</b>	COME AGAIN BRAND	2 1 lb. Pkgs.	23c
<b>NAVY BEANS</b> and <b>BLUE ROSE RICE</b>		3 lbs.	13c
<b>SALMON</b>	PINK 16 oz. Can	2 For	25c
<b>NATIONAL MACARONI</b> and <b>SPAGHETTI</b>		3 lb. Box	25c
<b>BREAD</b> JUMBO TWIST 24 oz. Loaf			10c
<b>EGGS</b> COUNTRY FRESH Dozen			28c
<b>CORN - PEAS</b> and <b>TOMATOES</b>		1 lb. 1 oz. Cans	3 For 25c
<b>CAKE</b> — 2 Layer Orange Fudge			25c

## COFFEE

## OLEOMARGARINE

<b>NAVY BEANS</b> and <b>BLUE ROSE RICE</b>	<b>SALMON</b> PINK 16 oz. Can	<b>NATIONAL MACARONI</b> and <b>SPAGHETTI</b>
3 lbs. 13c	2 For 25c	3 lb. Box 25c

<b>BREAD</b> JUMBO TWIST 24 oz. Loaf	<b>EGGS</b> COUNTRY FRESH Dozen	<b>CORN - PEAS</b> and <b>TOMATOES</b>
10c	28c	1 lb. 1 oz. Cans
<b>CAKE</b> — 2 Layer Orange Fudge		3 For 25c

<b>Fresh Fruits and Vegetables</b>	<b>Canned Foods</b> 8 oz. Tins	<b>Soap and Soap Powders</b>
Bananas — 3 lbs. 19c	Peas — 5c	White They Last
Cabbage — New Texas lb. 5c	Tomatoes — 5c	Kirk's Castile — 5 for 25c
Head Lettuce — 5c	Lima Beans — 5c	Guest Ivory — 3 for 14c
Carrots — bunch 5c	Corn — 5c	Pine-O-Tar — 3 for 17c
	Carrots — 5c	Dreft — pkg. 23c
	Mixed Vegetables — 5c	<b>IVORY SOAP</b>
	Tomato Puree — 5c	1 Large Bar for only — 5c
	Beets — 5c	With purchase of
	Mandarin Oranges — 5c	3 medium Bars each 6c
	Tomato Juice — 5c	Camay Soap — 1 bars 23c
		Included
		1 Bottle Perfume — 1c

## NATIONAL NOODLES

<b>BREAKFAST FOODS</b> FORT DEARBORN	4 oz. Pkg. 5c
Wheat Flakes, 8 oz. pkg. 9c	16 oz. Package 15c
Corn Flakes, 1g. size 9 1/2c	
Wheat Puffs 8 oz. pkg. 9c	

## NATIONAL Food Stores

All Prices Are Subject to Michigan Sales Tax

## GALIEN NEWS

Miss Helen Koffel and Miss Mable Norris were Thursday afternoon callers on Mrs. Orville Roundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kieffer, Buchanan.

Lloyd Vinton spent Tuesday afternoon with William Unruh.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McNair and Mrs. Frances Armontrout, South Bend, were New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Koffel.

Miss Marilyn Jean Bowker returned to her home in South Bend after enjoying two weeks vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bowker and family, South Bend, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Myrtle Kieffer.

Mrs. Leon Beistle and daughter South Bend, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Kiley.

Charles Diedrick, E. B. Underly and Lloyd Vinton were business callers in Three Oaks, Monday.

William Wolford, Jr., Chicago, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Maude Wolford, and family.

Born, December 28, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Jachem, at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Catherine Morley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Grooms were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Toland, Gary.

Will Jannasch was a Friday business caller in Niles.

Mrs. Fred Moyer, Charles Vinton and Henry Swem, Buchanan, attended the funeral Tuesday of the late Mrs. John Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Babcock were New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Babcock, Valparaiso, who are moving this week to LaPorte, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Glover, Buchanan, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover.

Miss Margaret Hampton returned Sunday evening to Kalamazoo, where he is attending college.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmville and family entertained New Years day Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dale and son John, Buchanan.

The Child's Stacey Club will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Agnes McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schenley, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Schenley spent Sunday with relatives in Kalamazoo.

Miss Murnie Van Tilburg returned to her duties in South Bend after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Tilburg.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Olmstead and daughter and Douglas Olmstead, Toledo, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Olmstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Babcock and son, Ray, left Tuesday for several months stay in Florida. Henry Swem, Buchanan, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Con Allen spent several days with relatives at Kalamazoo.

Miss Bonita Wentland returned to her school duties at Ferndale, after enjoying the Christmas Holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wentland.

Miss Margaret Hampton returned Sunday evening to Kalamazoo where she is attending college after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Hampton.

### Bakertown News

Mrs. Edna Dalenberg and daughter, Annabelle, accompanied Mrs. Chas. Ellis and sons to Chicago Friday and returned Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Gilbert attended a New Year's party at the home of Mrs. Lillian Crull. Prize winners at bunco were Mrs. Bertha Squier, Mrs. Effie Hathaway and Mrs. Mollie Proud.

Mrs. Glenn Hushower attended the Jolly Bunco club in the home of Mrs. Mary Hushower Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Redden spent Tuesday in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benson, Gallien were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gilbert Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bauman accompanied

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MILLIONS OF THEM  
EVERY DAY....

A SAVAGE in the African jungle would look upon a shiny tin can as a priceless possession to be treasured for its beauty and utility. In this country, we "waste" millions of tin cans every day. The simple answer is that the cost of making a new tin can is less than the cost of recovering and reconditioning the old.

For hundreds of years water provided man with his principal source of mechanical power. Most people, when they see water rolling down a nearby stream, think of it as an economic waste of power in the same sense that tin cans are "wasted," but it has been said that the major water power sites east of the Mississippi could not be developed to produce power as cheaply as it can be produced by coal.

Today, because of improvements in the art, it requires only a fraction of the amount of coal used fifty years ago to make a kilowatt-hour, but in spite of this remarkable improvement a modern steam electric plant only recovers about one-third of the power in the coal. With coal a better source of power than water today, what will it be in future years when science learns to extract even more power from coal?

One pound of coal contains as much power as ten million pounds of water falling one foot.

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# LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hollenbaugh of Goshen were visitors Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stults.

Mrs. Mary Boswell of Kalamazoo spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reinke.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warner and Mr. and Mrs. Thurl Warner were guests from Friday until Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wagner, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bouws and family were guests Sunday at the home of the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bouws, and of the latter's mother, Mrs. Helman DeFouw.

Mrs. Frances Hamilton and son, Jack, of Decatur visited Thursday and Friday at the homes of Mrs. E. C. Pascoe and of Mrs. Philip Boone.

You should take advantage of Boardman's Clearance Sale, January 7 to 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roti and family of Kalamazoo were guests New Years day and Sunday at the home of the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Roti.

All Crepe and Silk Dresses priced at 1/4 off regular price during Boardman's Clearance Sale, January Seventh to Tenth.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gettig have moved from the Augusta Huebner home on Maple Court to the front street apartments in the former Ruth Roe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schultz have moved from the Knoblauch house on West Chicago to the Augusta Huebner home, Maple Court.

Rugs at a discount of 20 percent at Boardman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Andrews had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wegner, Fort Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlow Gould of Niles were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Emma Bunker and Mrs. Anna Lauver.

Jack and Bob Polly, freshman and sophomore students in engineering at Purdue University, left for their studies Sunday after having spent two weeks of vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Polly.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. Fenn had as guests over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. William Fenn and Jesse Fenn of Kokomo, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Northam of Kingsbury, Ind.

Any Hat or two piece Hat and Scarf Set for 69 cents at Boardman's.

Miss Frances Sutphen left Sunday for her home in Belding after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. George Exner.

Enter the American Weekly Reader Test and win an income for life. Complete details will be found on page 2 of the American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson motored to Grand Rapids Saturday afternoon, visiting over Sunday with Mrs. Wilson's father, F. W. Smedley, her sister, Mrs. Darl Kautenberg, and with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moody.

Miss Lena Leiter left Sunday for Hastings to resume her school work after spending the midyear vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Leiter.

"Rags make papers, Paper makes money, Money makes banks, Banks make loans, Loans make poverty, Poverty makes rags."

We sell all kinds of paper products. Binns Magnet Store. 111c. Max Cooper of Niles, well known here, was taken to Detroit this week for examination of a back injury which has incapacitated him for several weeks. His son, Richard, is also quite ill.

Mrs. Olive Brant came from Chicago to be a guest of Mrs. Lena Batten during the past week. Her son, Glenn Brant and wife, plan to return here soon from Chicago, where they spent the past year and they will resume residence here.

Blankets at a reduction of 20 percent at Boardman's Sale. 111c.

E. A. Orput drove Friday to Peru, Ind., where his wife and family had been spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Orput. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Morley Myers and the two families drove on that day to Indianapolis, where they visited Mrs. Orput's sister, Mrs. Charles Anderson, and family.

Mrs. Mary Boswell, Kalamazoo, was a visitor Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reinke.

Miss Bonita Wentland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wentland, Gallen and a teacher at Ferndale, near Detroit, was a visitor Friday at the home of Mrs. Floyd Fedore.

Articles for your every day requirements can be purchased at low prices during Boardman's Clearance Sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Smith of Benton Harbor were guests on New Years day at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Markham.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Glossinger and family of South Bend were visitors all last week at the homes of Mrs. J. J. Terry, Mrs. James Boone and with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Manning had as their guests Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Sebasty, Three Oaks.

6 yards 22 cent Percale for \$1.00 at Boardman's. 111c. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hall were visitors over New Years day at Greenville, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bowman had as their guests on New Years day Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butts, Three Oaks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taube, a seven pound daughter, at their home on Rural Route 2 near Glendora at 10:30 p. m. New Years Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fish arrived yesterday from Cleveland, O., for a visit of three days at the home of their son, Dr. E. C. Fish and wife.

Any Dollar Dress for 69 cents during Boardman's Clearance. 111c.

## Former School Head President Woodmen

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Native of Illinois

A native of Modern Woodmen of America's home state, Neighbor Aleshire was born at Burnside, Hancock county, Ill., and received his elementary schooling there. Following his graduation from Carthage College, Carthage, Ill., Mr. Aleshire went to Michigan where he taught school for a number of years. He had chosen the legal profession for a career, but before realizing this ambition, the insurance field beckoned and he entered the Royal insurance office in Chicago as a broker. Prior to moving to Chicago, he served a term in the Michigan house of representatives, having been elected from Buchanan, Berrien county.

Prominent in Insurance Circles

Neighbor Aleshire rose to prominence in insurance circles in Chicago, and in 1901 he formed the firm of Parker, Aleshire & Co., which is now managed by his two sons. Mr. Aleshire has been an active member of the Chicago Board of Underwriters for many years; he served on various important committees of the Board and was its president in 1917 and 1918.

While a resident of Michigan in 1888, which state had not yet been admitted to the Society's jurisdiction, Mr. Aleshire took out membership in Camp 326, in his home city of Carthage, Ill. He now takes pride in being affiliated with the Society's largest unit, Camp 3052 Chicago, being a regular attendant at meetings and one of its most active members. A devout believer in the camp system, he is conversant with its problems and intensely interested in its work.

A Writer and Speaker

Neighbor Aleshire is an eminent scholar. With an excellent command of the English language, he is a speaker of note and a writer

of no mean ability. During the World war he was a "four-minute" man and delivered many inspirational addresses. His patriotism also evidences itself in his writings. Many of his essays have appeared in The Modern Woodman and readers will recall his "Borrowed Thoughts," "Personal Experiences," "Miscellany," "The Months of the Year," "A Century of Progress," "Stories and Myths" and various other fine articles which have appeared without his

by-line. To him goes the credit for establishing and selecting the material for the column, "Wit and Wisdom," which has appeared for the past four issues. He is frequently called upon to prepare memorials in his home city of Chicago.

While National Treasurer, Mr. Aleshire's office has been in Chicago, but as National President it will be maintained in the Head Office building and he and Mrs. Aleshire will reside in Rock Is-

each way of the material must have a good balance. A "square" sheet will have an equal number of yards in each dimension, as 69 warp threads and 69 filling threads. All sheets are not "square," but, unless there is reasonable balance, the fabric will not wear well. A coarse muslin sheet with a thread count of 66 by 76 will give reasonable wear, but percale sheets of over 90 count will have a finer texture. These better grades will sometimes run as high as 194 square. Government regulations require a warp of at least 74 and a filling of 66, but this is minimum requirement. It is the lowest thread count permissible on the market.

The tensile strength of the individual thread also counts. This means the number of pounds pull necessary to break a given piece of material and can only be measured by a machine in the hands of an expert. But you may have noticed in your own home that when you stretch a sheet tight it may break at some point. The amount of tensile strength of the threads of your sheet will determine its durability. Tests on 109 sheets show tensile strength varying from 27 to 80 pounds crosswise, and from 21 to 80 pounds lengthwise. The average was 53 pounds in the warp and 50 pounds in the filling. Federal specifications require a minimum of 70 pounds tensile strength each way.

The amount of sizing, as of starch or other materials, used in the manufacture of the cloth is important. This sizing serves a double purpose; it prevents the yarn from breaking in weaving and also gives a smooth finish. It may be carried to excess, and ex-

cess sizing is sometimes given to poorly woven products to present a deceptive appearance of weight and smooth finish. Laundering washes away the excess starch and the material is revealed as loosely woven and fuzzy. To detect excess sizing, place a piece of the sheet over a dark surface and rub it vigorously between your hands. If too much starch is present it will appear as a white powder on the dark material.

The weight of a sheet shows the cotton in its manufacture and in unsized sheeting varies from 3 1/4 to 5 1/4 ounces per square yard. It has considerable influence on the price. The minimum requirement is 4.6 ounces to the square yard of unsized sheeting varies from 3 1/4 to 5 1/4 ounces per square yard. If you buy, however, is a matter of personal preference. If you like a light sheet, see that it is light because it is made of fine yarn and not because it is loosely woven. Generally speaking a heavy sheet gives a better tailored bed and wears lighter materials, but sheets with much weight are awkward to handle and more expensive in laundering. It is sometimes ad-

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## Glasses Properly Fitted

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AMERICA'S LARGEST SELLING COFFEE! . . . a big value regularly . . . priced still lower this week. Eight O'Clock is a mild and mellow blend of the choicest coffees grown. And, like all three A&P Coffees, it is REALLY-FRESH, for every pound is ground before your eyes.

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1 lb. pkg. 17¢

RED CIRCLE RICH AND FULL-BODIED COFFEE . . . 1 lb. pkg. 21¢  
BOKAR VIGOROUS AND WINNY COFFEE . . . 1 lb. tin 23¢

<b>Sparkle</b> GELATIN DESSERT . . . 6 pkgs. 25c	<b>Butter</b> COUNTRY ROLL . . . lb. 00c
<b>Ketchup</b> ANN PAGE . . . 2 14-oz. bottles 19c	<b>Lima Beans</b> IONA 4 22-oz. cans 27c
<b>Salad Dressing</b> ANN PAGE qt. 29c	<b>Mello-Wheat</b> . . . 2 pkgs. 29c
<b>White House Milk</b> 3 tall cans 19c	<b>Red Kidney Beans</b> 4 22-oz. cans 27c
<b>Sweetheart Soap</b> . . bar 6c	<b>Prunes</b> SUNSWEET . . . 2 lb. pkg. 19c

<b>Round &amp; Sirloin STEAKS</b> lb. 23c	<b>Bacon Squares</b> . . . lb. 17c	<b>Beef Roast</b> CHOICE CHUCK CUTS lb. 16c
	<b>Boiling Beef</b> SHORT RIBS 2 lbs. 25c	
	<b>Pork Chops</b> ALL CENTER CUTS lb. 23c	
	<b>Ground Beef</b> . . . 2 lbs. 25c	
	<b>Fresh Side Pork</b> . . lb. 19c	
	<b>Pollock Fillets</b> . . . lb. 10c	
	<b>Pork Sausage</b> . . . 2 lbs. 29c	

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**Macaroni and Spaghetti** . . . 4 lbs. 25c

**Red Beans** . . . 4 22-oz. cans 27c

**Salad Dressing** qt. 25c

**Clapp's BABY FOOD** . . 3 cans 25c

**Roman Cleanser** qt. 10c

<b>Grapefruit</b> TEXAS SEEDLESS . . . 6 for 19c	<b>Tangerines</b> . . . 2 doz. 35c
<b>New Cabbage</b> . . . 2 lbs. 9c	<b>Sweet Potatoes</b> 3 lbs. 10c
<b>Head Lettuce</b> . . . 2 for 15c	<b>Maine Potatoes</b> peck 29c
<b>Idaho Potatoes</b> . . . peck 33c	<b>Navel Oranges</b> 2 doz. 29c

# A&P FOOD STORES

## Housewives Need to Know How To Judge Values of Linen Buys

### And a Few Other Seasonable Words on Current Markets

Prosperity may rise and recede like the come and go of the times, but shopping goes on forever, and the less money you have to spend, the more you need to know about spending it.

Among the matters which Mrs. 1938 Housekeeper will turn her attention to at an early date is that of the offerings of sheets and other bed linen which will be available during the first weeks of the year at white sales. Here are some tips on such purchases from an article by the head of a buying firm in New York City:

As opposed to the old days when bed linen was really made of linen threads spun from flax, modern sheeting is woven of cotton fibers made into yarn. These fibers vary in length from 1 1/2 to 1 1/2 inches, which dimension is called "staple." The best sheets are made of long

staple cotton, and no sheet is a good buy which has a staple of less than an inch. These fibers are twisted into the yarn of which the fabric is woven; they must be tightly twisted in order to give a cloth which is comfortable and durable.

The number of these yarns per inch, both as to the lengthwise or warp threads and as to the crosswise or "filling" threads, determines the fineness and closeness of the weave and so the durability of the sheet. This number is called the thread count. If the clerk at your store has a magnifying glass you can see for yourself how the thread count varies in different grades, the fuzzy coarse yarns of the cheap sheet with only a few to the inch and the many tight-twisted threads of the better percale. Because these are more tightly twisted in the finer grades the air spaces will show more clearly.

The proportion of these threads

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# STATEMENT OF CONDITION

## UNION STATE BANK

of Buchanan, in the State of Michigan  
At the close of business on December 31, 1937.

Published in accordance with a call made by the Commissioner of the Banking Department pursuant to the provisions of Section 82 of the Michigan Financial Institutions Act.

### ASSETS

1. Loans and discounts	\$ 494,934.71
3. United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	131,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	185,793.31
6. Banking house, \$11,000; Furniture and fixtures, \$5,000	16,000.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	3,362.34
9. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	166,323.66
13. Other assets	3,066.03
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,000,480.05</b>

### LIABILITIES

14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 342,924.78
15. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	441,154.81
16. State, county, and municipal deposits	100,529.26
17. United States Government and postal savings deposits	7,410.00
18. Deposits of other banks, certified and officers' checks outstanding, etc.	1,197.50
<b>Total of Items 14 to 18, inclusive:</b>	
Secured by the pledge of loans and/or investments	\$ 7,410.00
Not secured by the pledge of loans and/or investments	885,806.35
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>\$893,216.35</b>
31. Capital account:	
First preferred stock, 500 shares, par \$50 per share, redeemable at \$50 per share.	\$75,000.00
Common stock 500 shares, par \$100.00 per share.	19,000.00
Surplus	4,518.70
Undivided profits—net	2,870.00
Reserves for contingencies	5,875.00
Retirement fund for preferred stock or capital notes and debentures	
<b>Total Capital Account</b>	<b>107,263.70</b>
<b>Total, Including Capital Account</b>	<b>\$1,000,480.05</b>

### Memorandum: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities

32. United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	\$14,000.00
35. Total Pledged, excluding rediscounts	14,000.00
36. Pledged:	
Against United States Government and postal savings deposits	14,000.00
<b>Total Pledged</b>	<b>\$14,000.00</b>

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.

P. L. KARLING

Correct.—Attest: D. W. Ewing, Chas. A. Clark, O. A. Van Pelt, Directors.

State of Michigan, County of Berrien ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1938.  
(SEAL) My commission expires June 15, 1941.

H. L. CALBETZOR, Notary Public.



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**SCRATCH PADS** Suitable for use in the home, office or at school. 10c lb. package. "The Record Co." 391c.

**FOR SALE** Coal burning water heater and hot water tank, in good condition. See A. E. McClure, at the Record office. 501c.

**FOR SALE** A P. Stark piano, in good shape, and tone. Inquire Mrs. Geo. Sands, 308 N. Oak street. 5113p.

**SPECIAL** Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Shampoo, and Set, 35c; Thursday, Friday and Saturday 50c, at Iris Beauty Shop, 105 Days Avenue. 111c.

**FOR SALE** Potatoes, 4 miles west of Buchanan on old M-60. Martin Gilbert. 111p.

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**FOR SALE** Fresh cow, Ivan Price. Telephone Buchanan 7119-F12. 111c.

**FOR SALE** Piano and radio cheap. Telephone 384. 111c.

## WANTED

**WANTED TO BUY** Beef cattle, beef hides and beef fat. Dan Merson's Market. 481c.

**WANTED** Clean leg Bantam hens suitable for setting on Pheasant eggs. Some Black Cochins Bantams to trade for same. Phone 378, Heubner's Pheasantry, 111 Lake St. 113p.

**WANTED TO RENT**—Acreage with buildings, or small farm, near Buchanan. Must be reasonable. Inquire at Record Office. 113p.

**WANTED** Work, by lady, for evenings. Inquire Maxson's store, West Alexander street. 111c.

23, 30; Jan. 8, 15; at Dayton Dec. 21, 28; Jan. 4, 11, LaRue Gillette, Treasurer Bertrand township.

**WHEN YOUR EYES** need glasses, C. L. Stretch, the Optometrist, at Root's News Dept every Thursday. 11c.

**SPECIAL ON PERMANENTS**—All oil Croquignole wave \$2 and \$3. Machineless wave, \$5. Iris Beauty Shoppe, Phone 1P1. 111c.

**CALL 92F1 or 9165**—For expert service on Waxing, Polishing, Shelling and Sanding of floors, linoleums, etc. Have latest machinery. 5113p.

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**FOR RENT**—Furnished Apartment. 302 Main St. 5213p.

**FOR RENT** Five rooms, furnished or unfurnished, \$10 per mo. Phone 636. 111c.

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms. Telephone 384. 111c.

## LOST

**LOST**—Blouse to Chinese costume. Finder please phone 229. 111p.

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**LOST**—Beagle hound, medium size. Answers to "Spot." Black spots on back, brown ears. Reward. Finder notify Bob Reamer. 111p.

**LOST**—Pearl bead necklace, December 28. Reward. Return to Record Office. 111c.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**TAX COLLECTING**, At Buchanan Co-Ops, Buchanan, Dec.

**CARD AND BUNCO Party** at the Wagner Grange Hall, Saturday evening, Jan. 8, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c, Refreshments. 111c.

## Duties of Lord Mayor

The city of London has a high conception of the dignity of its chief officer and has provided him with a noble residence, but he has to pay for his own window-cleaning and if, during his year of office, any of his windows are broken, he must repair them at his own expense. It is also the lord mayor's responsibility to clean the footway outside the mansion house, and in 1794 the lord mayor then in office fined himself five shillings for not doing so.

# Church Services

**Church of the Brethren**  
Charles A. Light, Minister  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School,  
Fred Hagley, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon by minister.

**St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church**  
Father John R. Day, Pastor  
Mass every second and fourth Sunday at 10 a. m.; every first third and fifth Sunday at 8 a. m.

**Dayton M. E. Church**  
C. J. Snell, Pastor  
2 o'clock in the afternoon, church services.  
2:45, Sunday School.

**L. D. S. Church**  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.  
7:30 p. m. Preaching service.  
Regular prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. each Wednesday evening.

**Church of Christ**  
Paul C. Carpenter, Minister  
Sunday School Superintendent,  
Claud Small, Primary Supt., Mrs. Leland Paul.  
10:00 a. m. Bible School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship and Communion service.  
11:00 a. m. Junior Church.  
6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.  
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.  
Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting.

**Evangelical Church**  
C. A. Sanders, Minister  
Bible School at 10 a. m. Harry Surch Superintendent, Miss Betty Miller Secretary. Teachers and classes for all.  
Morning Worship, Prelude, Mrs. John Fowler. Invocation by the pastor. Sermon theme: "Christ's Power Over Devils." Special number by the choir.  
Evening service. Adult and Young Peoples League at 8 o'clock.  
Sermon at 7 p. m. This service will be Evangelistic.  
Prayer service Thursday evening.

**Christian Science Society**  
Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject: "Sacrament."  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m.  
The reading room, in the church at Dewey Avenue and Oak street, is open each Wednesday afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock.

**Christian Science Churches**  
"Sacrament" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, January 9.  
The Golden Text, from 1 Corinthians 10:16, is: "The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not the communion of the blood of Christ? The bread which we break, is it not the communion of the body of Christ?"  
Among the Bible citations is this passage (John 14:21) "He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me; and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him."  
Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and health with key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 41): "To keep the commandments of our Master and following his example, is our proper debt to him and the only worthy evidence of our gratitude for all that he has done."

**Methodist Episcopal Church**  
Thomas Rice, Minister  
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Mrs. Glenn Haslett and Mr. Con Kelley superintendents.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. The special music will be an anthem by the choir with Mrs. Beulah Kelley directing. The offertory number will be a piano organ duet: Op 39 Brahms by Mrs. Rosalie Rice and Mrs. A. L. Hamblin. Sermon subject: "Working Towards a World Church."  
The High School group will meet at 6 p. m. Sunday. Mr. Harry Storrs a chalk artist and leader of young people will lead the meeting with Fred Manning president of this group presiding.  
The feature of the evening service will be special numbers by Mr. Harry Storrs singing evangelist who will give vocal solos, chalk talks and lead in community singing. Come and enjoy this opportunity of hearing and singing some of the old and new songs under the leadership of one who will do us all good. The service begins at 7 o'clock.  
A combined meeting of the Sunday School and Official Board meeting will be held Monday evening at 7 o'clock.  
The League will meet Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. There will be both a devotional and social period with Mrs. Thomas Rice leading.

**The Presbyterian Church**  
Walter H. Brunelle, Pastor  
10:00 Church school.  
11:00 a. m. Public Worship. Sermon by Mr. Brunelle. Subject, "Why Do We Suffer?"  
5:00 High school club meeting at the home of Rex Shreve. The leader will be Margaret Miller. Thursday at 4:00. 4-6 grade Boys and Girls in the recreation room.  
Thursday at 7:00. Choir rehearsal.  
Thursday at 8:00. Board of Trustees.  
Friday at 4:00. 7-8 grade Boys in recreation room.  
Friday at 6:30. High School Club Progressive supper beginning at the home of Margaret Miller.  
Saturday at 9:00. Troop No. 3 of the Girl Scouts.  
Saturday at 10:30 Troop No. 2 of the Girl Scouts.  
Saturday at 2:00 High School Boys in recreation room.  
Monday at 4:00. Troop No. 1 of the Girl Scouts.  
Monday at 7:00. Troop No. 80 of the Boy Scouts.  
Wednesday at 7:00. Men's Night in the recreation room. Regular league ping pong games.

**WEST BUCHANAN**  
Bert Conant is improved after several weeks of confinement with sciatic rheumatism.  
Clear Lake Woods residents report the best skating in years on the lake now. Skating parties from Buchanan, South Bend and other places have been coming regularly to skate. After the recent thaw the lake has refrozen perfectly clear and smooth and solid entirely across. The road around the west side, via Clear Lake Woods is open and quite good.  
A fine New Years party was enjoyed by members of the Clear Lake Woods colony. Those who came out from Chicago and staid over Sunday at the hotel were Mr. and Mrs. William Kelley, Mr. Frances Wagner, Mrs. McIntyre and James Nejd.  
Mrs. William Jenkins and children, Mary Ellen and Billy, Buchanan, spent Thursday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Best.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dohn Weaver spent the week-end at Frederic, Mich., with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hopkins. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Weaver's brother, who is visiting them.  
Mrs. Steven Wanchura is ill at her home on the Clear Lake Woods road.  
James Reep has returned from a holiday visit with his parents at Paxton, Ill.  
The Broceus school Parent-Teachers Association will meet next Tuesday evening, with a special speaker.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wanchura were Saturday afternoon callers at Baroda.  
The New Years day party held at their hall by the Dayton Odd Fellows was quite successful. Over a hundred sat down at dinner and about the same number at supper. The party was held all day and during the evening.  
The Dayton Odd Fellows are holding an oyster supper and dance next Saturday evening.  
Mrs. Estal Price had as guests from the Christmas week-end until New Years her two nieces, Miss Ruby Gunion, a teacher at Frankfort, Ind., and Miss Bernadine Gunion, who is a student nurse at Epworth hospital, South Bend.

**Lower Age Limit For Fish Permit**  
Major changes in Michigan 1938 fish laws include reduction of the age limit for having a license to fish, from 18 to 17 years, and designation of closed seasons for pike lakes which heretofore have been open the year around.  
The license section also provides that residents desiring to take all species of fish shall be required to pay one dollar for this license to be known as the "general resident fishing license."  
Resident persons desiring to take any species of fish not including brook, brown or rainbow trout shall be required to pay 50 cents for a license which will be known as the "special resident license."  
Pike lakes in the lower peninsula will be closed from March 2 to April 30, inclusive; those in the upper peninsula from March 16 to May 14, inclusive.  
The month of April also has been added to the closed season on the "all other lakes" classification and a closed season is provided in non-trout streams on great northern pike, pike-perch, muskellunge and perch.

**Left Foot Larger**  
With most people, the left foot is larger than the right.

# HOLLYWOOD

Each recent year has brought to the screen a finer type of musical picture and 1937 is no exception. "The Firefly," Metro-Goldwyn - Mayer's impressive adaptation of Rudolf Friml's memorable operetta, with Jeanette MacDonald in her seventeenth musical triumph, is Hollywood's new offering at the Hollywood Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Allan Jones and Warren William as the star's leading men delighted the audience.  
"The Firefly" presents a powerful story of dramatic romance, as well as a vehicle for remarkable music. M-G-M has gone the limit in its settings and in the artistry of presentation.  
Hunt Stromberg and Robert Z. Leonard produced and directed, respectively, and in the opinion of this reporter the combination surpassed its Academy Award winning collaboration a year ago with "The Great Ziegfeld."

Lavish scenes in the High Sierras and others made on thirty massive sets present the sweeping drama of old Spain in the period when Napoleon was defeated by Wellington at Vittoria.  
Seven thrilling musical numbers, five of them from the original Friml operetta, feature the picture. Two others were written by Friml especially for the film. Miss MacDonald dances beautifully and sings "Love Is Like a Firefly," "He Who Loves and Runs Away" and "When a Maid Comes Knocking at Your Heart" in perfect voice.  
Allan Jones sings "A Woman's Kiss" and "The Donkey Serenade," and they sing in duet, "Giannina Mia" and "Sympathy" with charming effect.

**Makes Screen Bow**  
Wyn Cahoon, prominent Broadway stage actress who recently appeared in the hit play, "Brother Rat" in New York, makes her screen debut in Columbia's "Murder in Greenwich Village" with Richard Arlen and Fay Wray, showing at the Hollywood theatre Wednesday and Thursday.  
Mary Russell, Raymond Waldburn, Gene Morgan and Marc Lawrence appear in supporting roles. Albert Rogell directed.  
**Plenty Illumination**  
To illuminate the "Adam and Eve Inn" set for one night scene in the Mervyn LeRoy production, "The Great Garrick," to be shown at the Hollywood Wednesday and Thursday, 280 overhead spotlights, 42 floor spotlights and floodlights were required, projecting over 84,000 watt candlepower of light.  
Eight wind machines created the effect of movement through the trees, while a coach and four was driven through the set, which covered every inch of space in one of the largest stages at Warner Bros. studio. The picture Xerox-O Bros. studio.

**Woman's Sacrifice**  
In Airman Drama  
A beautiful woman's valiant attempt to stand by her weakening husband in the face of his cowardice when two other men love her to the extent of trying to save him from disaster, is threaded into a powerful dramatic plot in "Flight from Glory," RKO Radio picture with Chester Morris, Whitney Bourne, Onslow Stevens and Van Heflin, playing at the Hollywood Friday and Saturday.  
The story transpires at a ramshackle air field in Peru where a group of reckless aviators are virtually exiled. These desperate men accept service with a commercial airline transporting mine equipment over the treacherous Andes in patched-up death-inviting planes.  
A newcomer brings his young bride who is forced into a crisis as her husband gradually goes to pieces from the dangerous flights and constant disasters.

**COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS**  
Regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Buchanan, Mich., held in the Commission Chamber on Monday evening, January 3rd, 1938.  
Meeting was called to order by mayor Merson. Roll call showed the following members present: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle.  
Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read.  
Wm. Nelson, Jr., appeared before the Commission, asking if the City would consider selling the City property on N. Portage street.  
The Commission explained that the Sanitary Sewer outlet crosses this property and therefore it would not be advisable to sell it.  
The finance committee next read the bills for the month of December which were as follows:  
General Fund ----- \$1,559.98  
Highway Fund ----- 647.62  
Water Wks. Fund ----- 773.57  
Poor Fund ----- 494.19  
Total ----- \$3,475.36  
Moved by Commr. Beistle and supported by Commr. Voorhees that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the proper funds for the several amount.  
Motion carried by the following vote on roll call: Yeas: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle. Nays: none.  
Moved by Commr. Beistle and supported by Commr. Voorhees that the bill of Ed. E. Arney in the amount of \$8.78 be allowed and ordered paid.  
Motion carried by the following vote on roll call: Yeas: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle. Nays: none.  
The treasurer's report for the month of December showing a balance on hand December 31st, 1937 of \$28,807.26.  
Moved by Commr. Beistle and supported by Commr. Voorhees that the treasurer report for the month of December be accepted and made a part of the minutes.

**Negus, a Drink**  
Negus is made of wine, water, sugar, nutmeg and lemon juice and was named after Colonel Francis Negus, its inventor, who lived in the time of Queen Anne.

1st Insertion Jan. 6; last Jan. 20  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 3rd day of January A. D. 1938.  
Present: Hon. Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ida M. Spreng, deceased, A. A. Worthington having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described,  
It is Ordered, That the 31st day of January A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;  
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

**MALCOLM HATFIELD**, Judge of Probate.  
(SEAL) A true copy, Elsie Krajci, Register of Probate.

1st Insertion Jan. 6; last Jan. 20  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 28th day of December A. D. 1937.  
Present: Hon. Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

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

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 16th day of May A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.  
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

**MALCOLM HATFIELD**, Judge of Probate.  
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Meeting was called to order by mayor Merson. Roll call showed the following members present: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle.  
Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read.  
Wm. Nelson, Jr., appeared before the Commission, asking if the City would consider selling the City property on N. Portage street.  
The Commission explained that the Sanitary Sewer outlet crosses this property and therefore it would not be advisable to sell it.  
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Highway Fund ----- 647.62  
Water Wks. Fund ----- 773.57  
Poor Fund ----- 494.19  
Total ----- \$3,475.36  
Moved by Commr. Beistle and supported by Commr. Voorhees that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the proper funds for the several amount.  
Motion carried by the following vote on roll call: Yeas: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle. Nays: none.  
Moved by Commr. Beistle and supported by Commr. Voorhees that the bill of Ed. E. Arney in the amount of \$8.78 be allowed and ordered paid.  
Motion carried by the following vote on roll call: Yeas: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle. Nays: none.  
The treasurer's report for the month of December showing a balance on hand December 31st, 1937 of \$28,807.26.  
Moved by Commr. Beistle and supported by Commr. Voorhees that the treasurer report for the month of December be accepted and made a part of the minutes.

**Motion carried.**  
Moved by Commr. Voorhees and supported by Commr. Graffort that the Water Works Supt., through the City Clerk order the necessary parts for repairing the 500 gal. pump at the water works.

Motion carried by the following vote on roll call: Yeas: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle. Nays: None.

The street committee next read the report of the street Supt., for the month of December.  
Moved by Commr. Graffort and supported by Commr. Smith that the report of the street Supt., be accepted and made a part of the minutes.

Motion carried.  
Moved by Commr. Smith and supported by Commr. Graffort that the street Supt. sign all gasoline purchases, and that he furnish the City clerk with a list of all small tools, and that an order be secured from the clerk for all purchases.

Motion carried.  
Moved by Commr. Voorhees and supported by Commr. Beistle that the bill of the Berrien County Electric Shop in the amount of \$64.40 for installing automatic switch at the water works be allowed and ordered paid.  
Motion carried by the following vote on roll call: Yeas: Merson, Voorhees, Smith, Graffort and Beistle. Nays: None.

Upon motion by Commr. Graffort and supported by Commr. Voorhees meeting adjourn until Monday evening, January 10th, 1938 at 7:30 p. m.  
Signed,  
**HARRY A. POST**, City Clerk.  
**FRANK C. MERSON**, Mayor. 111c.

1st Insertion Dec. 30; last Jan. 13  
**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING**  
To the members of The Mutual City & Village Fire Insurance Company for the Counties of Cass, Berrien and Van Buren.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Company will be held at the office of the Company in Dowagiac, Michigan, on Friday the 21st day of January, 1938, at 10 A. M., at which time a resolution will be presented in substantially the following form:

"Whereas, the Charter of this Company will expire on September 12th, 1938.  
Resolved that the Articles of Association be amended to provide for the continuance and extension of such Corporate Charter for a period of thirty years from and after September 12, 1938."

Notice is given that action will be taken at said meeting to provide for extension of corporate existence, and for such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting.  
**SIDNEY P. MOSHER**, Secretary.  
Dated: Dec. 27, 1937.

1st Insertion Dec. 23; last Jan. 6  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 16th day of December A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Herman E. Reinke, also known as Herman Edward Reinke, deceased.  
It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court;

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 2nd day of May, 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

**MALCOLM HATFIELD**, Judge of Probate.  
(Seal) A true copy, Elsie Krajci, Register of Probate.

1st Insertion Dec. 23; last Jan. 6  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 18th day of December A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna E. Luke, deceased.  
Wm. Van Meter having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution

of the residue of said estate,  
It is Ordered, That the 17th day of January A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

**MALCOLM HATFIELD**, Judge of Probate.  
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1st Insertion Dec. 23; last Jan. 6  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**, The Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1937.

Present, Hon. Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Luella May Mew, deceased.  
Thomas H. Mew, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Charles F. Boyle, or some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 17th day of January, A. D. 1938 at ten A. M. at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

**MALCOLM HATFIELD**, Judge of Probate.  
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1st Insertion Oct. 21; last Jan. 6  
**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE**  
Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated the twenty-ninth day of December, 1926, executed by Wyman N. Batchelor and Marjorie Batchelor, as his wife and in her own right, as mortgagors, to The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, a body corporate, of St. Paul, Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Berrien County, Michigan, on the fourth day of January, 1927, recorded in Liber 150 of Mortgages on Page 417 thereof,

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** That said mortgage will be foreclosed, pursuant to power of sale, and the premises therein described as

A part of the East Fractional Half, Section Twenty-three, Township Seven South, Range Eighteen West, described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the east quarter post of said Section Twenty-three, thence south Thirteen Hundred Twenty-five feet, thence south Seventy-one degrees Fifty-one minutes west Nine Hundred Ninety feet to the bank of the St. Joseph River, thence north Twenty-seven degrees Eleven minutes west along the bank of said river, thirty-five and 06/100 feet, thence north Five degrees Three minutes west along the bank of said river, Four Hundred Seventy-two and 25/100 feet thence north sixteen degrees Forty-one minutes west along the bank of said river, Five Hundred and 07/100 feet, thence north Four degrees Forty-five minutes west along the bank of said river, Three Hundred Ninety-one and 28/100 feet, thence north Twelve degrees Seven minutes east along the bank of said river, Three Hundred Thirty-six and 14/100 feet, thence north Twenty-three degrees, Thirty-four minutes east along the bank of said river, Three Hundred and 83/100 feet, thence north Fifteen degrees Thirty-one minutes east along the bank of said river, Three Hundred Fifty and 01/100 feet, thence east Four Hundred Fifty-nine feet, thence north Five Hundred Seventy-five feet, thence east Four Hundred Forty-seven and 84/100 feet, thence south Two degrees Fifteen minutes west One Hundred Seventy-four feet, thence south Thirteen Hundred Twenty feet to the place of beginning,

lying within said County and State, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Berrien County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Saint Joseph in said County and State, on Tuesday, January eighteenth, 1938, at two o'clock P. M. There is due and payable at the date of this notice upon the debt secured by said mortgage, the sum of \$3,402.78.

Dated October sixteenth, 1937.  
**THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF SAINT PAUL**, Mortgagee.

**GORDON BREWER**, Attorney for the Mortgagee, Bronson, Michigan.

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### TIGHTWADDING THROUGH EUROPE

(Continued from page 1)  
mobile, but the Swede calls them bikes and the American calls them autos. Both have the word bicycle but the Swede calls them a cycle and the American calls them bikes. As I said in a previous article, about 75% of the cars in Sweden were American-made, and of these about one third were General Motors and another third were Fords. My brother-in-law has a Dodge. In order to sort of "place" myself in that faraway land, it was my wont to tell the Swedes that the wheels and axle housings of the quite common Chevrolets were made in my town in America. Quite an exaggeration but at least with a slight basis of truth, and it sort of helped me to establish some little common bond, as well as to put in a good word for Buchanan.

Bicycles are not especially cheap in Sweden, running about the same price as in America. I quite often saw a Monarch and other American makes, but most of them were Swedish-made. Every bicycle carried its license plate, but it was only for registry purposes; there was no license fee.

Now let's be pedaling our way to the postoffice. My bicycling is not expert, a revival of a skill of many years ago and the Swedish forest roads are full of protruding pine roots and stones, so that I have a number of near-spills. The postoffice is at a bus station, and while we are there the bus comes in with the mail. On top there is a space given over to bicycles, for it is vacation time, and many thousands are making trips about their own country, using the buses and their bicycles.

Although I haven't been about enough to know anybody, by some legerdemain everyone has me spotted, for this is away in the back country in Norrland and tourists are not so common. Any-

way I'm the guy from America and I feel the curious stares following me. The post mistress knows who I am and brings me the mail for the two homes, relieving me of the necessity of struggling in my barbarous Swedish. So now we can go home and see what we can do with a Stockholm newspaper.

My study of Swedish tapered off somewhat after my arrival there, for there was so much to see and so many who knew English. My young 15-year-old niece, who spoke Swedish, English, French and German, was at first ambitious to teach me Swedish, but after she had diligently labored for a couple of days to teach me some of those gosh-awful tongue-twisters and had listened to the results from my lips, a pained look gradually crept over her face and eventually I saw it was not pleasant work for her. Also I made slighting remarks about her Cholly-boy English with its drawled a's that did not contribute to the general results. But I had to defend myself some way.

English is spoken in Sweden with the educated English accent, reminiscent of Oxford, as practically all English teachers there complete their education in England. It is common also for young people who intend to enter business to take several months in England to perfect their pronunciation. Consequently, to me at least, it sounded like a page out of Wodehouse, and I was free to remark that there 130,000,000 Americans talking English as I talked it whereas there was only a few million top-strata English that talked the language as they did. But eventually I saw that the business contacts of the young Swedes were mainly with those top-strata as the English are by far their best customers, so perhaps a Cholly Boy accent was a business asset to them.

My "study" finally resolved itself into trying to pick out the meaning of the news articles about America in the Stockholm papers. The search for Amelia Earhart was on and by the use of a dictionary I could get the meaning of the articles. Many things interested me, especially the resemblance between Swedish and Scotch dialect. The word "barn," in Swedish for "child" and is exactly the same in Scotch dialect. The "mickle" of Scotch is the "mycket" of Swedish. The Scotch say "ha" for have, and so do the Swedes. This has its roots in his-

tory, for many hundreds of years ago there was a great Scandinavian emigration into Scotland, and many of the Scotch families are of the Norrland blood.

Many American expressions which I had thought to be dialect or slang I found to be exactly like the Swedish. In America we speak of "writing up" something; in Swedish it is "skriva opp" (write up). We speak of "slapping down" some money; the Swedish expression is "schlapp ned" (slap down). And so on through many instances.

Sometimes a forest worker who had known my wife as a child would come in to visit. In spite of the modernity of life there it was interesting to me to pry into the hangovers of old ways of thinking. One old man believed firmly in the "trolles" or woodspirits, once a part of Swedish belief, and still generally handed down as the national folk lore.

His grandmother, he said, had been in charge of a "fabode," a mountain farm where stock are kept in the summer. The wood trolles were supposed to haunt especially these fabodes, because they liked cream and cheese. They were shadowy beings without morals, who helped or damaged people in accordance to the treatment they received. It was customary to place gifts of cream and cheese on tree stumps and stones for them to take in the night. They were always gone in the morning, say the old people. But his grandmother was very busy and neglected to feed a woman troll who haunted the fabode. One morning while she was in the shed milking her cows, she saw the troll's face watching her through a window. She gathered up some foam off the top of the milk and threw it in her face. The troll vanished but when the girl turned the cows out, the best cow stumbled over the door sill and fell, breaking her back.

A miller of the neighborhood, he said, was very busy one summer working day and night. While he was alone in the mill one night he saw a troll hanging about the mill wheel. He scooped up some water and threw at her. She vanished, but the wheel stopped at once and they could not start it again that season. An old lady believed in the trolles and claimed that on one occasion when she was walking through a forest path a troll in a pine tossed her a red slipper as a mark of favor.

While I was in the mountain farm at Harledalen, with the Black Swede and "Greta Garbo," I asked whether trolles ever haunted that mountain farm. They laughed and the Black Swede said: "No body believes in that now but a few old people. But there was a recent case, he said, where several men had been making fence on Sunday. A goat hung about all day, but towards night it disappeared in thin air almost, with no where to disappear to. They thought it had been a troll and that it had haunted them because they were making fence on Sunday.

The talk stopped and then the tubercular young man from Vancouver said: "Well, who knows, perhaps there's things between this earth and the heaven that we know nothing about."

Perhaps he read Hamlet.

According to the old folk tales the trolles have the power to change form at will or to disappear. Or they may make themselves substantial flesh. If they appear in human form it is usually as a beautiful young woman. These women trolles steal the young men's hearts—sometimes marry them and even bear them children, but if they are ever found out they will at once disappear and take with them the child.

Besides the trolles which lived in grottos in the rocks, there were the "tomtarnas" the brownies of Swedish folk lore, who lived closer to the houses and helped regularly in the household tasks if they were properly fed. Otherwise they hindered. These tomtarnas were fat little gnomes, on the Santa Claus order in appearance, with pudgy bodies and long pointed caps and beards, merry faces, fur-trimmed coats.

To the younger Scandinavians these are but folk tales and there are few of the older people and those back in the hill country who put any belief in them.

The Swedish and Norwegian young people were as modern as you could wish to see, although they were on the whole and to all appearances most wholesome. They went in the minimum of summer garb, but all appeared to be entirely oblivious, I heard little or none of the product which our washroom school of humor likes to refer to as "broadmindedness."

While I was seated one day on the porch at Lobonas talking with my young niece, a couple went by in the legal minimum. The man had a strange contraption on his bicycle which attracted me (believe it or not) more than the undress and I said: "Look at that."

"Yes" said the girl, "It is certainly wonderful to be able to go

There was no idea of there being about with so few clothes." I'm anything funny about it. It seems to be the simple direct attitude of the country—the blessing of getting away, for a few short weeks, from the curse of swaddling clothes that bundle them in winter.

I noticed a very pronounced affinity between the "gossar och flickor" (boys and girls), and they were wont to go everywhere in couples. Quite often I saw them walking hand in hand along a city street, quite oblivious. But I never saw anything of that more strenuous plying known in the modern American vernacular as "flirting." Public spooning is said to have been an importation to America from the continent after the World War, but however that may be we have since outdistanced our teachers. I did not see any of it across the water and until I had crossed the Detroit river into the United States, when I practically had to change my seat on a street car to keep a young couple from hugging in my lap. I knew nothing of the private lives over there except that they seemed to keep them private.

(Ed. Note: The following is taken from the lead editorial of the Chicago Tribune on Christmas day, entitled "Goodwill Towards Men," and devoted toward an assessment of the good traits of the nations of the world.)

"The Scandinavian countries invite your attention to a miracle. Denmark, Norway, and Sweden have found a way to peace and with it prosperity. Here are the most amiable, intelligent, and democratic of people. Their handsome faces smile upon the world out of neighborliness and good will. They have mastered a secret of living and its beauty glows in lands deeply indented for the tides of northern waters. Other peoples may still be in search of the mysterious good which the Scandinavians and their neighbors of Finland have found within themselves."

### North Buchanan

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Collings were "belled" by the neighbors at their home at the Sanford Carpenter farm Tuesday night.

A group of about 18 farmers who annually put up ice from the Clark Lake, started operations yesterday. The ice is about six and one-half inches thick and of fine clear quality.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Postlewaite were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spaulding of Buchanan.

Kenneth Ruger started Tuesday by car for his home at Portland, Ore., after a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruger.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hansen had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Eckelbarger, Miss Naomi Eckelbarger, and Miss Alice Wynn of South Bend.

Colbett Delgen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Delgen of Chicago, is a guest for several days at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sult.

Miss Eleanor Rough spent several days last week with Miss Joyce Morley in Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruger had a family reunion at their home Sunday, all of their children and their families being together for the first time in more than ten years. Their guests were their daughter, Mrs. C. A. Olsen and husband and son, Chester, Jr., of Chicago, and their sons, Kenneth Ruger, of Portland, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruger and daughter, June, Detroit. The party remained over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hansen attended a watch party New Years eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Eckelbarger.

Mrs. W. L. Hopkins, Mrs. Ed Sult and son, Roger, and daughter, Janet, were dinner guests on New Years day of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dool of Cassopolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Morley and family were New Years eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elson Rough and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall are improving from illness.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hartline and son, were guests Saturday afternoon at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Russell Bash and family, South Bend.

The Indiana & Michigan Electric company is extending a line along the Berrien stone road past the Boyce and Swartz property and the H. H. Hansen farm.

Born, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Duis, at their home north of Buchanan, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Wallace of Coldwater were guests over the New Years week-end at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wallace.

Invented Gasoline Engine  
In 1880, Lawson of England invented an engine driven by gasoline explosions.

## DO YOU REMEMBER?

Twenty Years Ago  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chubb have a new Edison phonograph.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hattenback announce the birth of a nine pound daughter, Saturday night.

The monthly meeting of the Friendship class of the Evangelical church will be held Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boone.

Miss Louise Black, who recently resigned a position with the Farmer's and Merchant's Bank of Benton Harbor, has accepted a position with the Clark Equipment company.

F. M. Moyer sold a baby grand piano to J. A. White.

The sixteenth annual dinner of the Clemens-Chubb families was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clemens in South Bend Christmas day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clemens and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. John Clemens and daughter, Mr. and

Mrs. Harvey Korn, Mr. and Mrs. William Clemens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fore, and family, Mrs. Marion Chubb and son, Henry Chubb, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierce and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frame and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sellers and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clemens and family, Joe Boyer. The next dinner will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Chubb of Clay Township on Christmas Day.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Koons on Christmas day at their home in Vicksburg: Mr. and Mrs. John Koons, Mrs. Anna Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Marrs, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Leggett and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Koons, and Carl Koons of Buchanan; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koons and daughter of Dayton.

Mrs. J. E. Arney entertained a number of guests Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Minnie Smith of Detroit.

### ACCIDENT TAKES LIFE OF JOHN KOENIG

(Continued from page 1.)

him out in the potato patch near the house pulling weeds, at the age of 102.

Before his wife's death ten years ago the two would go to their room every night immediately after supper and spend the evening singing through the German Lutheran hymnal. He read constantly in his prayer book, hymnal and bible, all in the German tongue, until about a year ago. After that he would get anyone who would read to him, but so versed was he that he would recite in unison with them as they read, sometimes getting ahead, for he knew the four Gospels, the Book of Psalms, and many other parts by heart. He never learned to speak or read English.

Koenig was born in Poland Nov. 25, 1827. His family was remarkable for longevity, his father being still alive at the age of almost a hundred years when Koenig came to America at the age of 72 in 1899. The Koenig family brought with them from Europe family records authenticating his age, but they were burned in a fire which consumed his home in Oklahoma shortly after he came here. They immediately wrote down the dates as far as possible. His oldest child, Mrs. Caroline Unruh, born of a first marriage in Poland, is living with a son in Texas at the age of 80. While a few years back the story of his great age aroused some doubt, and the doubt was increased by rather wild and unreliable press stories about his remarkable exploits, no one can talk to the Koenig family, noting their quiet, intelligent sincerity, and not fully believe in the reliability of their story.

The story of his escape from Russia while being transported as a convict to Siberia had no foundation in fact, but the story was approximately true of his brother.

He followed the trade of a hand sawyer in Poland, where much of the lumber is still sawed by hand. The logs are elevated on a scaffolding and one sawyer stands above and one beneath, working the saw up and down through the log and sawing out boards and planks by hand. When the work dwindled in Poland he went to Russia. After most of his children had come to America in the nineties, he followed them in 1899, going first to a son in Kansas. The first years he followed the harvest and threshing work while in his seventies. In a few years he went to Oklahoma and took a homestead. Discouraged by crop failure and a fire which wiped out all of his buildings he came to Michigan with his wife and they made their home for a time with their daughter, Mrs. Albert Schmaltz. Then they returned for a year to Oklahoma, but came back again about 1915 and remained until their deaths.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 1:00 at the home of Mrs. Schmaltz and at 2 o'clock at Glendora Trinity Lutheran church. Rev. E. K. Jeschko, pastor of the church speaking in German and the Rev. A. Krag of Montague, Mich., in English. Burial was in Weesaw township cemetery at Glendora. The body lay in state at the Schmaltz home, where it was taken from the Kinney funeral home at Allen Sunday.

Born in Poland in 1927  
John Koenig, was born Nov. 25, 1927, in Kallish, Poland, and at the age of 25 married Louise Walter. To them two daughters were born; one died in infancy. The other is Mrs. Caroline Unruh of Kansas. Mr. Koenig's first wife died six years after their marriage.

In 1859 Mr. Koenig married Gustine Fabar and in 1870 they moved to Russia. During that period eight children, five sons and three daughters, were born. Three of these survive: Mrs. Schmaltz,

### Wagner News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickow and son spent Saturday and Sunday in Chicago with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Pratt and daughter of Chicago were New Years day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Hamilton spent Friday with the former's sister, Mrs. N. J. Weaver. He returned Sunday to the Sanitarium in Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chevre and son, Charles, of Chicago, visited at the Will Harroff home Tuesday.

Bert Rumsey and Mrs. Gertrude Jochen of Sawyer were married Friday in South Bend. The announcement was made at a family dinner given at the home of the bride Sunday. They will live at the bride's home for the present.

### Probate Court News

Judge Malcolm Hatfield transacted the following matters: A will and a petition for the probate of the last will and testament was filed in the estate of Hattie Leach, deceased; petitions for the appointment of administrators were filed in the Grace F. Myers, Jacob C. Weber and Henry L. Schwenk, deceased, estates; letters were issued in the estates of Alexander C. Rinkenberger, Martin Scholes, John B. Peters and Frank B. Fox, deceased; inventories were filed in the deceased estates of Christian Hemming, Arthur M. Walker, Fred Charles Jewell and Moses Neadeau, also known as Moses Neddo; and final accounts were filed in the Christian Hemming, Louisa Felling, Benjamin Tullstrom, Fred Charles Jewell and Della W. Hanchett, deceased, estates.

Judge Hatfield also entered orders closing the hearing of claims in the Alice Susan White, Mary Hegeler Carus, Lydia Mae Vetter and Benjamin Tullstrom, deceased, estates and an order allowing claims for payment of debts was entered in the estate of Erwin

Lutz, deceased; and closed the estates of Laura Donley Rose, Vina Griffin, Grace W. Church and Louisa Larson, deceased.

### HOLLENBECK HERD GIVEN NATIONAL RECOGNITION

A cow in the herd of J. C. Hollenbeck of Berrien Springs, Michigan has completed an official record in the Herd Improvement Division qualifying her for admission to the Advanced Register of the American Guernsey Cattle Club, according to Karl B. Musser, secretary.

A two year old cow in the Hollenbeck herd Halo of Oronoko 444334 produced in 365 days 7552.1 pounds of milk and 392.4 pounds of butter fat in class GHI.

### Children In Court

By Judge Malcolm Hatfield  
Many judges are wondering how thousands of insane and feeble-minded individuals, now running the streets, will react to the type of material that is now being published by a certain magazine.

Judges and police cannot cope with the type of magazine now sold on news stands which actually carried shocking pictures and related in graphic detail all of the lurid facts concerning a woman who was ravaged and murdered.

Has the worship of the almighty dollar gone to such extremes in the United States that innocent girls are to be subjected at all times to the attacks of crazed morons whose imaginations are inflamed by the money mad editors of magazines who photograph such unwholesome incidents? Is this condition to go unchallenged in our New Year's resolutions?

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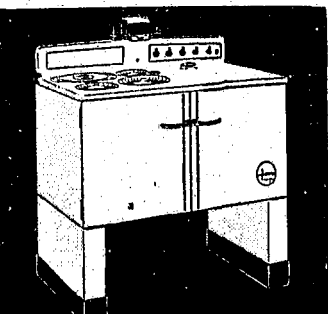
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# SOCIETY

## Dramatic Club

The Dramatic club of the L. D. S. church will meet this evening at the home of James Best to plan future programs.

## Niles-Buchanan Club

The Niles-Buchanan Home Economics club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Kelsey Bainton.

## Junior Book Club

The Junior Book club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vine Cook, Mrs. G. H. Stevenson reading a current book.

## Fortnightly Book Club

The Fortnightly Book Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Hacking on West Chicago street.

## Wedding Anniversary

Ray Frame entertained thirteen couples at the Dayton Odd Fellows hall Friday evening, the occasion honoring Mrs. Frame on their third wedding anniversary. Dances and pinocle were enjoyed, prize winners being Mr. and Mrs. Frank King and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reinke.

## New Years Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown had as their guests at dinner on New Years day Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wire of Lakeside and Mrs. Edna Kitchel of Michigan City.

## Presbyterian Guild

The Jeannette Stevenson Guild met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Elma Fuller, with Mrs. L. R. Bradley in charge of the lesson.

## Sons of Legion

The Sons of the Legion will meet Wednesday evening of next week at the Legion hall, the meeting calling at 7 p. m., with Verne Longworth, captain, in charge.

## Pres. H. S. Club

The High School club of the Presbyterian church will meet next Sunday evening at the home of Rex Shreve, with Margaret Miller in charge of the discussion.

## Evan. Mission Society

The Women's Missionary Society of the Evangelical Church will meet at the home of Mrs. I. N. Barnhart Tuesday, Jan. 11, at 2 p. m.

## Holiday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Berry were host and hostess at Christmas dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Mills of Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry of Valparaiso, Ind.

## Progressive Dinner

The Presbyterian high school club will hold a progressive dinner Friday evening, the courses being served successively at the homes of Margaret Miller, Winston Sands, Phyllis Lamb and of Edward and Louis Pascoe.

## Dinner For Sixteen

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Pangborn served dinner to sixteen guests Sunday, those from out of town being Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Pangborn and daughters, Edna and Marie of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. William Nutt of Dearborn and George Pangborn of Niles. All left for their homes Monday morning.

## Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion hall Monday evening. Mrs. Edith Willard was appointed delegate to the Fourth District meeting at Plainfield and Miss Erma Wright was named as alternate. Mrs. Henry Zupke was named chairman of the Piac committee. France is to be studied this year. Mrs. L. O. Swem was named chairman of the social hour.

## Edythe B. Refner

### Weds A Gary Man

The Record has received the following letter from Mrs. Belle Mead relative to the marriage of her daughter, Edythe B. Refner:

At a New Years wedding held at the First Presbyterian Church, Elkhart, Ind., Sunday, Jan. 2 at 3 P. M., Edythe B. Refner of Hillsdale, Mich., and Clarence E. Falconburg of Gary, Ind., were united in marriage by Rev. Anthony Meengs. The ceremony was witnessed by the bride's mother, Mrs. Belle Mead and a few relatives and intimate friends. The bride is well known in Hillsdale being owner of the Refner Monumental Works, an active member of the College Baptist Church, and many of the Women's Clubs of the city. The groom likewise is a member of many organizations in Gary, and is employed by the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp. in their Gary offices.

After a week spent with relatives and friends Mrs. Falconburg will return to Hillsdale to continue the monumental business until such time as it may be sold. Eventually they expect to make their home in Gary.

## Family New Years Dinner

Mrs. Minnie Lentz was hostess on New Years day at a family dinner, her guests being Mr. and Mrs. John Hess and daughter, Kathryn, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnston, Miss Dorothy Wessendorf, and Howard Lentz.

## Plays In Recital

Mrs. Charles Ellis took part in an evening recital in the studio of Mrs. Mabel Webster Osmer in Kimball Hall, Chicago, Saturday evening, playing the following numbers:

Rhapsody in C Major by Dohnanyi.  
Etude, by Arensky.  
Cherzo by Martucci.

## M. E. Mission Society

The Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening of next week at the home of Mrs. Con Kelley.

## I. O. O. F. To Glendora

The Buchanan Odd Fellow Lodge went to Glendora last night to exemplify the initiatory degree for a class there.

## New Years Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Arney had as their guests at dinner New Years Day, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briney, Mrs. Harry Fair of Coloma and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith of South Bend.

## Monday Literary Club

The Monday Literary Club will meet next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Kobe for election of officers.

## Thirty Club

The Thirty club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. R. Montague, Miss Mary E. Reynolds presenting a very interesting review of the recent book, "And So Victoria." The club will meet next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Deming.

## Joint Installation

The Rebekah and Odd Fellow lodges will hold a joint installation Friday evening, with Mrs. Mollie Proud and Joseph Melvin in charge. A potluck supper will be served following the installation.

## Happy-Go-Lucky Club

Mrs. Ralph Allen was hostess

to the members of the Happy-Go-Lucky Club Tuesday evening.

## George Burrus Killed in N. York

### Buchanan Native Killed Instantly by Hit and Run Driver

The Record received a letter today from Mrs. George Burrus, Tully, N. Y., stating that nothing was known of the identity of the driver who ran down her husband, or of the circumstances except that it occurred in a bad sleet storm. The following obituary was included in the letter:

George Arthur Burrus, oldest son of Margaret and the late Lincoln Burrus, was born February 25, 1888, in Buchanan, Mich. He spent his early days in that locality.

He was united in marriage to Ellabelle Cowles in Burlington, Vt., September 3, 1919. To this union a son was born, who died at birth.

A ratchetman by trade, he was employed in the local shop of Clark Equipment Company for some time. He was also employed by the Michigan Central railroad.

Mr. Burrus was a veteran of the World War. He was a former member of the local American Legion, Odd Fellows lodge and Modern Woodmen.

Surviving is his widow, Ellabelle Cowles Burrus; his mother, Mrs. Margaret Burrus; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Hempel and Mrs. Ruth Hampton of Gallen; a brother, Robert Burrus; five nieces and four nephews; an uncle, Frank Burrus, and many cousins.

Funeral services were conducted privately at the home of his father-in-law, Elmer Cowles, Tully, N. Y., at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday, January 4, 1938. Reverend Chester C. Beebe, pastor of the Tully Methodist church, officiated. Burial was made in Tully.

## Flower Wonder at Arlen Clark Home

A flower designated in the catalogs as one of the wonders of the plant world may be seen this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Clark, where a "Sacred Lily of India" is blooming.

The lily stands in a glass dish on the floor, with nothing about the bulb but paper. The bulb and stalk are 30 inches high and the bloom another 31 inches making the total height just over 5 feet. The smell is quite offensive.

The plant requires no earth or water about the bulb to produce its great bloom in winter, but in the summer it is planted in the ground and is a green palm-like plant. It is supposed not to bloom until five years old, but annually thereafter. Mrs. Clark received the bulb as a gift three years ago and this is its first bloom.

## Dumb Waiters English Idea

Dumb waiters were an English invention of the Eighteenth century which consisted of tiers of trays affixed to a central support on a tripod base. They were usually placed diagonally at the corners of the dining table so that diners might help themselves after the servants had departed.

## Exchange Plan To Save Game

### Cooperative Hunting Plan May Promote Good Will in Hunters, Farmers

A movement which holds promise of improving Michigan small game hunters' chances in the field and which is already promoting more friendly relations between farmers and townsmen received considerable impetus during 1937.

A year ago, according to the state department of conservation, the cooperative hunting exchange plan was just getting underway. One club had entered into a cooperative agreement with the department. The club controlled 13,000 acres. Now, a year later, 34 clubs controlling 341,271 acres in 15 counties are functioning.

The plan, adopted voluntarily by farmers, has as its purposes the increasing of farm-land game and the control of hunter vandalism.

Owners or lessees of farm lands, under the cooperative plan, form their own clubs and agree to permit licensed small game hunters access to the territories controlled by their organizations, under the club regulations.

The department aids in formulating game management plans for areas controlled by the clubs, cooperates in game law enforcement, furnishes signs for posting of boundaries and roads and tickets to be issued to hunters by farmer members.

Farmer-members of the cooperative clubs are also aided in their efforts to increase wildlife by department specialists who furnish them with information about practices that have proved effective on agricultural lands.

The department reports that a majority of the farmer-members interviewed during the recent hunting season expressed the opinion that trespass conditions were decidedly improved under the cooperative arrangement. The members of the cooperative clubs are supplied with tickets which they, in turn, issue to licensed hunters. Members do not charge for hunting privileges but require that hunters ask for permission to hunt, wear tickets so they can be seen, leave cars parked in farmers' yards, not to shoot near buildings or stock, close gates, climb fences at post, return tickets before removing cars from yards and obey rules of the farmer-organization.

The department requires that land controlled by the cooperative clubs shall contain at least 640 acres, solidly blocked.

Wildlife production is expected to be increased by farmer cooperation in observing game management practices, retaining from unnecessary burning of swales, brush and other suitable wildlife cover and from unnecessary trimming of fence rows and roadside cover; giving reasonable assistance to the department obtaining such information as number of game birds killed and number of hunters on club properties and in game law observance and enforcement.

## HOUSEWIVES NEED TO KNOW LINEN VALUES

(Continued from page 3) visible to buy a loose weave of heavy yarn rather than one which is very close, because it washes more easily and there is less danger of cracking under winter freezing.

The sheets should be well sewed with hems of at least one inch at one end and of from 2 to 3 inches at the other. These hems should be even and neat and sewed in small stitches. The stitches should be at least 14 to the inch. When buying sale sheets be sure to find out whether they are first or seconds. While second sheets are often good it is advisable to find out why they have been marked seconds. A few of a broken thread in the weaving might weaken the sheet and cause early splitting. But a spot of oil from the machine would disqualify the article as a "first" and yet be easily removed.

The size of the sheet is an item for attention. The first requirement is to know the exact dimension of the bed for which they are intended. Most sheets shrink from 6 to 8 inches in laundering. The undersheet should be long enough to tuck well under the mattress all around and turn back at least 18 inches over the bedding at the top. The following sizes are best for satisfactory wear and comfort: single bed, width 63 inches, length 108 inches; three-quarters bed, width 72, length 108; double bed, width 81 to 90 inches, length 108.

Unbleached sheeting shrinks more than bleached. Hemstitched hems may tear from the body of the sheet.

Care of Sheets  
Then comes care. Sheets thrive when laundered with plenty of soap but no bleaching agents. Irons should not be too hot. Sharp folds should never be pressed into the material as the yarn tends to break at the creases. Continued ironing in one direction increases the length one way and decreases it the other. An excellent way to lengthen the life of a sheet is to

frequently make up the bed with two raw edges at the seam, or a French seam. Better grade seams of the bottom as the point of hardest usage is where the shoulders rub.

The same tests apply in pillow cases as in sheets. Tubular woven cases are considered by some authorities preferable to those with seams. Cheaper grade pillow cases are made with yardwide muslin cut crosswise and when you turn them wrongside out they will show

place.

If you wish to be efficient in the buying of your sheets, keep a record of the brand, place of purchase and date. This last may be written on the material with indelible ink in an inconspicuous place.

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