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Public Library Meets Fine Public Response in Call for Books

State Police Present Exhibit

Now Here's the Proposition

Matching the Menu I am a man who loves his food With such an eager, rude abandon That sundry morsels, boiled and stewed, On vest and lap are sure to land on.

Library Lacks Children's Books

Circulation Averaged 55 Daily for January and February Approximately 100 books by good authors in popular demand were added to the library as the result of the recent appeal printed in the Record, according to Miss Mayme Proseus of the WPA recreation staff, in charge of the library.

Tight-Wadding It Through Europe

CHAPTER XXVII By HAWES I wonder if the people who have been so kindly and patiently following these random and meandering jottings to date will bear with me while I get my bearings in this old world yet modern city of Stockholm.

Maroons Lose to Berrien Springs

Defeat Evens Claim of Two Schools to Silver Cup Up for 4 Victories By JOHN SCHULTZ Buchanan's hardwood machine dropped a 22 to 20 decision to the Berrien Springs Shamrocks Friday on the Berrien court. This rang down the curtain on the regularly scheduled games for both schools.

Lenten Devotions at St. Anthony's

Lenten devotions were begun last night at St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church, with Father John R. Day in charge. The services will continue through Lent, starting regularly at 7:30 p. m. and consisting of the ceremony, "The Way of the Cross," and a short sermon of instructions.

Hans H. Hansen Called by Death

Last Rites Held Yesterday for Former Merchant, Who Had Varied Life Over World Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. from the Swen Funeral home for Hans H. Hansen, 67, Rev. Thomas Rice officiating. Burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery, the pallbearers being Oscar Swartz, Elmer Starr, Dean Clark, Elmer Hall, Charles Pears, Amos Spaulding.

Safety and Crime Displays at Russell Show Rooms Until Friday

Buchanan people will be interested in the fine safety and crime exhibit being shown from Tuesday until Friday inclusive this week at the John F. Russell, Inc., display rooms under the auspices of the state police, Trooper George Horvath in charge.

News As It Should Be

Twenty-five friends and neighbors who called on old man Yount at his home on North Chicago street Tuesday evening to surprise him on his birthday sure got the surprise of their more or less young lives. It is a fact that Yount was taken completely unawares—or it might be more accurate to say, without his unawares, for he had just stepped out of 'em and was climbing in the bathtub when the merry company surged in singing, "Happy birthday to you."

Dr. C. Ailsworth Opens Office Here

Dr. C. E. Ailsworth is moving his family and personal goods and office equipment today into the Wallace residence West Front, vacant yesterday by Dr. E. C. Fish, who goes to Toledo, O., to enter special training.

Table Tennis

Second Night of Second Round The Odd r ellows moved into undisputed first place in the Buchanan Table Tennis League by a 6-0 win over the Business Men. When the Presbyterian Yellow team tied the Stooges, they dropped into second place, only a narrow margin ahead of the Presbyterian Greens, who tied the Clark Reds.

Troop 80 Wins 1st Aid Meet at Niles

The First Aid team representing Troop 80 of Buchanan, started on what may be another Victory March Tuesday evening by outclassing opposition in the district contest at Niles Tuesday evening, the locals scoring 95.75 percent, as compared with 85.7 percent for Troop 46 of Berrien Springs, and 74.5 for Troop 71 of Niles.

Reserves Attain 5th Straight Win

By JOHN SCHULTZ Coach "Doc" Miller's cagers won their fifth straight game Friday afternoon, February 25, when they smothered Berrien Springs 41 to 15. The game was played in the local gym.

Local Independents End Fine Season

Although the results of the two independent basketball games played at the high school last night were not known as the Record went to press, it can nevertheless be said that both local teams finished their season with very satisfactory results.

Spafford Trains Boy Scouts Archers

Dear Hawes: The enclosed picture is of an archery range 70 feet long which I was instrumental in establishing for the Boy Scouts. I teach four Boy Scout classes each week in archery, without charge. This was done in the name of the Lions club, and I suppose it may be considered extension work of the Lions Club.

Visiting Teams Will Confer I. O. O. F. Degrees

The first degree staff of the Dayton Odd Fellow lodge will confer that work on a class at the local lodge Tuesday, March 8. Ray Frame is captain of the team. On the evening of March 15 the Berrien Springs second degree team will confer the work here.

H. S. Pupils Give Legion Program

High school pupils presented the program for the monthly family night of the American Legion and Auxiliary at the hall Friday evening, the following numbers being presented: Violin Solo by Jerry Bowman, accompanied at the piano by Miss Marjorie Bowman, presenting Chopin's "Nocturne."

B. & P. W. Will Banquet at Niles

The Buchanan Business and Professional Women's club will combine with the Niles unit for the annual Public Relations banquet to be held at the Four Flags hotel in Niles on the evening of March 21. The speaker will be Edna Means of Chicago, who is well known through the Middle West as a speaker and entertainer of ability.

They Fly to New Joisey and Retoin

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson were scheduled to arrive home last night from a "flying visit" to Highland, New Jersey, where they visited their son, C. J. Wilson, II, and wife and their grandson, C. J. Wilson III. They made the trip both ways by plane from South Bend and return. Word received here Monday said that they had flown eastward above the clouds in clear sunlight.

Reading H. S. Wins Class C Title

The Reading high school basketball team won the Class C title of its district during the past week-end. The team is coached by Harold Pierce. Max Smith is the high school principal.

Loans During 1937

Despite a slackened pace recorded for the closing months of 1937, volume of mortgage loans granted last year by the Michigan building, savings, and loan associations indicated a 19.5 per cent gain over those approved for the previous year, it was made known today by Walter J. L. Ray, president of the Michigan Building and Loan League, Detroit. Total loans granted during 1937 were 5,796 representing an investment of \$12,452,923.55 as compared to 5,099 loans representing \$10,387,355 made during 1936.

B. H. S. Plays Sat. For Class B Title

The Buchanan high school team will play the winner of the St. Joseph-Niles game in the finals of the District Tournament at the Niles high school at 9 p. m. Saturday for the district Class B title.

Bowling

The preliminary schedule will be: Thursday 7:15 p. m. Edwardsburg vs. Vandandia. 8:30 p. m. St. Joseph vs. Niles. Friday 7:15 p. m. Berrien Springs vs. New Troy. 8:30 p. m. Cassopolis vs. Three Oaks. Saturday 6:30 p. m. Gallien vs. winner of Edwardsburg-Vandandia game. 7:45 p. m. Winner Berrien Springs-New Troy vs. winner Cassopolis-Three Oaks.

Change Name of Bethlehem Temple

The local church formerly known as the Bethlehem Temple has been renamed Bethel Temple, according to Rev. Gladys Dick, pastor, who states that the change was made when it was found that another unit of the church at Detroit had been named Bethlehem Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Barnhart and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Marble were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weiss, Remmslaer, Ind.

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## Editorial

### "FRESHIES"

By Romona Dalenberg

After Labor Day each year the freshmen want to get off to a good start in high school. Entirely new subjects absorb their interest and steal their time, but they enjoy the fact that they are at last attending high school instead of just school. Upper classmen disregard this fact and place the title of "freshie" upon them.

This year's freshmen do not go unnoticed. With the memory of the boys' freshman-sophomore basketball game, members of the class attending social hour, and the sponsoring of a high school party, we are ever reminded that they form a very active part in Buchanan High School.

Shall we give them fifteen raps? Yes, and our congratulations are extended to them for their physical, social, and artistic abilities.

## Who's Who

By Fred Banke

### Freshman

His name is William Hubert Thompson, you know, one of the twins. Bill was born March 7, 1924, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and he came to Buchanan three years ago. His favorite song is "Mamma That Man is Here Again," and he just loves roast chicken. Bill's favorite sport is fishing and swimming, and his hobby is stamp collecting. His favorite movie is "Thin Ice" and actress is Sonja Henie.

### Sophomore

She is a cute little blue-eyed blond and her name is Miss Geraldine Reamer. She was born in Buchanan, Michigan, October 20, 1922. Her favorites are: song, "Sweet Someone"; dish, is chop suey; sport is basketball. Her hobbies are dancing and swimming. Her favorite movie is "Saratoga" and star is "Sonja Henie." Geraldine is a member of the Booster Club.

### Junior

Charles E. Hess is the small fellow about six feet tall who we call "Grandpa." He was born in Buchanan in 1922. Grandpa's favorite song is "Mamma, I Want to Make Rhythm." He could eat barrels of marshmallow pudding. He likes to sit in study hall and kill flies; says it's his hobby. Charles belongs to the F. F. A. His favorite movie is "Rosalie" and actress is Mae West.

### Senior

Her name is Miss Bessie Jane Crothers. She was born in Gallien, Michigan, August 31, 1920. Her favorites are: dish, Macaroni and cheese; sport is basketball; song is "Dessy Doodle." Her favorite movie is "Tovarich" and her favorite actor is Tyrone Power. Her hobby is dancing. Bessie is a member of the Usher Club, Booster Club, and the G. A. A.

## THROUGH THE KEYHOLE

By Bill Gregory

Blushing and singing happily Barbara Palmatier came into biology class one recent morning. When asked what had happened to make her feel so, she caroled, "Today I am an Aunt."

There is note passing between John Schultz and "Dutchie" VanderVen.

I. C. Emead is getting notes from eighth grade girls whom he says he "don't know."

John Moyer can be heard any day prancing from the study hall to the library with one heel plate on his shoes.

Arnold Herman has been biting his nails ever since this alleged exchange of notes between Marion Hansen and Lester Hanover started out a week ago.

Before you pass a note or smile at a girl, you'd better be sure Ralph Rosenberg isn't around, because Ralph is just around every corner with his little book looking for material for his assembly program. You may be the next victim.

### F. B. A.

By Fred Manning

The Future Bachelors of America held a pancake supper Tuesday evening at 6 p. m. The cooks were Jack Banke, Ben Harvel, Bob Taylor, Harold Hittle, and Fred Manning. Under Miss Krebs' supervision the boys got along just fine.

After the boys had filled themselves up to their ears they went on a scavenger hunt. Ralph Rosenberg was chairman of the articles that were supposed to be found. The boys really had a good time getting their things. They were divided into fours. You should have seen Bob Taylor and Rex Reed after a wine glass, Bill Gregory after a glass egg and Harold Hittle and Lee Topash after an unsmoked corn cob pipe.

## ART DEPARTMENT

Art, a new and very worthwhile subject, was introduced in the Buchanan High School a year ago. It is taught by Miss Eunice Miller in both the junior and senior high schools. As art was never taught before, excepting for what the grade teachers taught, the students came unprepared into their new classes.

The general aim of the course is to give a good idea of what art is and a working knowledge of its main principles. It attempts to prepare the pupils with a working knowledge of what is good and what is bad in ready-made articles, and a discrimination in choosing fine things.

The principles of art taken up in the high school classes are: color, composition, design, line, and value. The phases of art are: types of pencil sketching, architecture, interior, and poster work which is commercial work, mostly printing. This year the class has done more poster work than any other type of work as they make the posters for different school and local parties, and for the different plays and programs which are given.

The seventh and eighth grades make drawings of different articles and objects which practice forms an excellent basis for high school art.

The classes are all large and very good talent is found in them. There are from 24 in the high school class, 18 in the eighth grade class, and 27 in the seventh grade.

Art Trapp, one of the most outstanding pupils last year, came back to do more good work this year, although he graduated last year.

The art classes have helped the general run of posters and note book made in other classes, and the students seem to have more appreciation for the artistic work.

## THE ANNUAL

If you have been wondering whether you lost fifty cents or a dollar when you gave a senior your money and signed your name on a piece of paper—stop wondering. You didn't. The 1937-38 "B. H. S. Pines" is going to press about April 1. At the present all of the seniors are busy getting the dummy set up and the pictures ready for the engraver.

This year's cover is going to be a wov-sand colored suede with deep brown design and a plastic binding.

The theme has a good backing. It is based on our champion football team and with the team as an example the annual is going to be colossal.

The staff is as follows:  
Editor-in-chief, John Fulks.  
Literary editor, Mildred Hartline.  
Business manager, Earl Stevens.  
Assistant Business Manager, Dale Lyons.  
Society, Shirley Trapp.  
Sports, Kiehl Dalrymple.  
Humor, Sidney Deming and Richard Austin.

Art, Carol Kober.  
Typist, Dorothy Haroff.  
Advisor, Mrs. Dunbar.

After hearing this and seeing the annual we will probably be swamped by tears. But the smart ones will have the laugh, memory, and enjoyment of that exceptional "Pines" of 1937-38.

## WHY ARE THE DANCES SO DEAD?

Many people stand around the sidelines at social hours and school parties and don't dance. Why do they do this, and how can it be remedied? Here are the responses from some students in answer to this question:

"They are afraid to get out on the middle of the floor and dance. They think that all eyes are upon them. I think they should have a class every week with a good instructor to show them the new steps and help them get over their fear."—Wanda Wood.

"I think that all of the people want to dance, but they just stand around because they are afraid of being laughed at. They should get out on the floor and try because that is the only way they can learn."—Clifford Keller.

"I believe that a small class with a good instructor would work out just fine and get many to overcome self-consciousness."—Barbara Swartz.

"At the party last Saturday night we learned that at least 95% of the students that attended knew how to dance. The big reason that nearly everybody danced was because nearly all the lights were out. If you, who danced then, will dance at social hours, nearly everybody will be dancing and nobody will be embarrassed."—Bill Beardley.

## Grade News

Miss Connell's first grade has started figure drawing. They made the postman and are writing a story about our friend, "The Postman".

The class is learning the poem "The Gingham Dog and Calico Cat," by Eugene Field. They have had perfect attendance every day this week.

This was heard in Miss Carnagan's first grade room during a written language lesson on "The sun has a path." Carol Covert, I know a better word to use than "has." "Follows" I would say, "The sun follows a path."

The fourth grade is concentrating on letter writing, and are planning to write to some school children in South America. The fourth grade have nearly a perfect record of attendance for one week. It is marred only by one half day when Billy York was ill. This isn't bad for 42 children.

Miss Quickek's third grade are finishing a unit on Indians. Now that the subject matter is mastered the children are writing a play. They plan to make their own costumes. Donald Metzger's cover drawing was chosen for The Little Newspaper.

Miss Spear's fifth grade are starting fractions. The penmanship class have their drills ready to send to the Palmer Co. in Chicago. The art class is drawing animals found in the circus. So far the elephant and zebra have been painted.

Walter Casto bought the first Pussycat Willows to school. The children in Mrs. Heim's second grade learned from their Indian story that the Indian children called them Flowers of fur.

The large bulletin board in Miss Ekstrom's room is divided into different sections of the Newspaper: namely, the literary, art, comic and sports. The grade is divided into committees for study of the newspaper. Editorials suitable to the fifth grade are most difficult of all the features to find. The committee working on the art section which includes printing has a varied and interesting display. The March issue of the Junior Red Cross Magazine has arrived. This magazine seems to be the most widely read of the several publications. Denny Lyon has been writing to the fifth grade while on his southern trip.

Max McKahn, a pupil in Miss Ream's room wrote an outstanding editorial for the grade paper: Citizenship (Max McKahn).

Probably the highest intention of the school officials today, is to impress citizenship upon the pupils. They preach and orate, and orate and preach, but they seem to be getting nowhere fast. Now all I have to say is—try and be a good citizen. You don't have to be so brimming with the will to be one that you've got the swell head. Just try to be yourself while you regard the rights of others.

The committee responsible for

the February grade assembly were Miss Abel, Miss Reams, and Miss Spear. The following program was given Friday p.m., February 25.

Song—America the Beautiful Playlet—February—Miss Reams grade. Patriotic Selections—Miss Peihank's second grade. Play of the months—Mrs. Heim's second grade. Song America.

The songs were directed by Miss Eunice Miller, music supervisor.

### DEWEY AVENUE

The Opportunity room is making a scrap book from the clippings found on the Baby Pandas.

Fourth Dewey—In our imaginative travels we have been transported to strange Polder Lands of the Netherlands. Our new "Book of Marvels" helps us greatly in understanding the principles of the dams and how they function.

The first graders have played the story of Ned and Grandmother, for the Kindergarten, second and third grades, and for the Opportunity room. The actors felt repaid by the appreciative applause they received and want to try another story soon.

Kindergarten have been very much interested in collecting wood and making useful objects. They have made many toys and several book racks for their reading table.

The third graders gave a health and citizenship play to the second grade. Later they plan to give it to the other grades.

The girls and boys are enjoying their first modeling in clay.

The second grade is studying Holland. The children are working on wind mill construction and Dutch posters. They are reading Dutch stories and singing Dutch songs.

RESULTS OF GIRLS' TOURNAMENT

By Alta Ferris

The high school girls have been holding their interclass basketball tournament Tuesday and Thursday nights after school for the last few weeks. The results of the tournament are:

Freshman won 0, lost 4. Highest point—Marjorie Meulman, Eva Dagget.

Sophomore B won 2, lost 1, tied 1. Highest point—Norma Bromley, Marion Hansen.

Sophomore A won 4, lost 0. Highest point—Donna Smith, Mary Corners.

Juniors won 1, lost 2, tied 1. Highest point—Alta Ferris, Eleanore Schneider.

Seniors won 2, lost 1, tied 1. Highest point—Maxine Shaffer, Caroline Webb.

The two losing teams, freshman and Juniors, will give a party sometime in the near future for the winning teams.

BOOSTER CLUB TO HOLD WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY PARTY

By Alta Ferris

The Booster Club held a party February 24, 1938, in honor of George Washington. It was held in the high school gymnasium 7:30 o'clock until 10:00.

Miss Helen Krebs is advisor and Donna Smith the chairman. Entertainment and refreshments committee members were: Maryette Richards, Mary Louise Zupke, Eleanore Schneider, and Donna Yorke.

## SUCCESSFUL EXPERIMENT

Over 175 students attended the dance in the high school gym after the Buchanan-Bridgman basketball game. All Buchanan and Bridgman High School students and alumni of Buchanan were invited.

The gym was dark except for one green light in the south-east corner that gave a moon-light effect. Was it the darkness that tempted the couples to crowd onto the floor during the entire evening, or has Buchanan gotten the dancing fever?

The dance was based on the same principles as the Youth Dances which Dowagiac has after each of its football and basketball home games. This was the first time for such an occasion at B. H. S. Let's hope that it has broken the ice and that there will be many more in the near future.

## JUST TOO—TOO DRAMATIC

The dramatics class begun work on pantomime and are having loads of fun watching each other act. Can you imagine sweet Dorothy Arnold as the little girl who didn't want to take her music lesson? Raymond DeWitt had to take castor oil and "Swede" Aronson was an Indian looking for his enemies. As a burglar in the middle of the night, John Dale had to step lightly.

## LATIN CLUB NEWS

The sixth meeting of the Latin club was called together by the Consul, Lester Hanover, February 21, 1938. George Lauer gave a most excellent report of the amusements of the Roman people, and of the places they maintained for their amusements. Edward Pascoe gave a report on the Roman baths. He told of the construction and use of the baths. Games were introduced for the rest of the hour by Jimmy King.

## CONVERSATION

Eunice Shaffer: "You leave my boy friend alone." (meaning Laurence Zupke).

Margaret Smith: "Oh that's O. K., you've got monopoly and perhaps think that nobody else wants him."

Daisy Reamer: "Gee! I wish 'Skip' would come." (There came a knocking at the door) Daisy, "Oh! gee! It's only another one of Geraldine's collections."

## BUCKS PLAY IN FINALS AT NILES

By JOHN SCHULTZ

Buchanan's "Fighting Bucks" will play in the Berrien County District Tournament to be held at Niles March 3, 4, and 5. Classes B, C, and D will be represented.

On Thursday night Vandalia meets Edwardsburg in Class D in the first game and Niles meets St. Joseph in Class B in the final tilt.

On Friday night Three Oaks meets Cassopolis in Class C and Berrien Springs meets New Troy also in Class C.

On Saturday night the finals in all classes will be played. Gallien meets the winner of Vandalia-Edwardsburg in Class D, the winners of the two Class C will meet for the District championship in that

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class. In the feature game of the evening Coach Johnny Miller's Maroons will meet the winner of the Niles-St. Joseph game.

The game Buchanan plays will start somewhere near 9:00 o'clock and the admission is 40c for adults and 25c for students.

Niles holds victories over St. Joseph and Buchanan twice during the past season. Coach Davidson has his best team in years and will be plenty tough to beat especially on their own floor.

The team needs your support especially at this game. Are you interested in your team's success?

## Outdoor Showmen Discuss Final Plans

The committee handling the Second Annual South Bend Greater Outdoor Show, met last week in the club rooms of Studebaker A. A. to put the finishing touches on what is expected to be the most elaborate show of its kind. The Outdoor Show will be held in the Studebaker A. A. Club rooms, Lafayette and Bronson streets, March 17 to 20.

Committee reports indicated that there will be a greater variety of new and interesting exhibits, a greater number of tournaments and many more things for people, old and young, to see and enjoy.

Bill Harris, president of the Studebaker Rod and Gun Club and committee chairman, presided at the meeting. Other committee members in attendance were: A. G. Sigsby, F. S. Bucher, A. G. Laas, E. L. McMillen, R. D. Wysock, G. H. DeWitt, I. R. Austin, F. W. Putman, H. D. Clement, E. L. Chevrax, A. E. Hunt, Walter Bartz, E. W. Fisher, F. P. Tighe.

Complete plans for the Outdoor Show, with which virtually every social and civic organization in the city and county will have an opportunity to cooperate, will be announced shortly.

Germ of Leprosy

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# SOCIETY

**Thirty Club**  
The Thirty club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. F. Suris for the annual election of officers, the following being named: president, Mrs. A. G. Haslett; vice president, Mrs. George Smith; recording secretary, Mrs. J. W. Elbers; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. E. Doak; treasurer, Mrs. E. T. Waldo. Mrs. Glenn Smith was appointed parliamentarian. Tea was served by the present acting officers, including Mrs. Haslett, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. J. W. Elbers, Mrs. T. D. Childs, Mrs. George Deming, and Mrs. Glenn Smith. The club will meet next Monday with Mrs. Sole Hayes for Dickens Day.

**Jolly Four Club**  
Mrs. N. S. Smith was hostess yesterday afternoon to the members of the Jolly Four Pinochle club.

**Sunflower Club**  
Mrs. Dell Rynearson was hostess Tuesday evening to the members of the Sunflower Club.

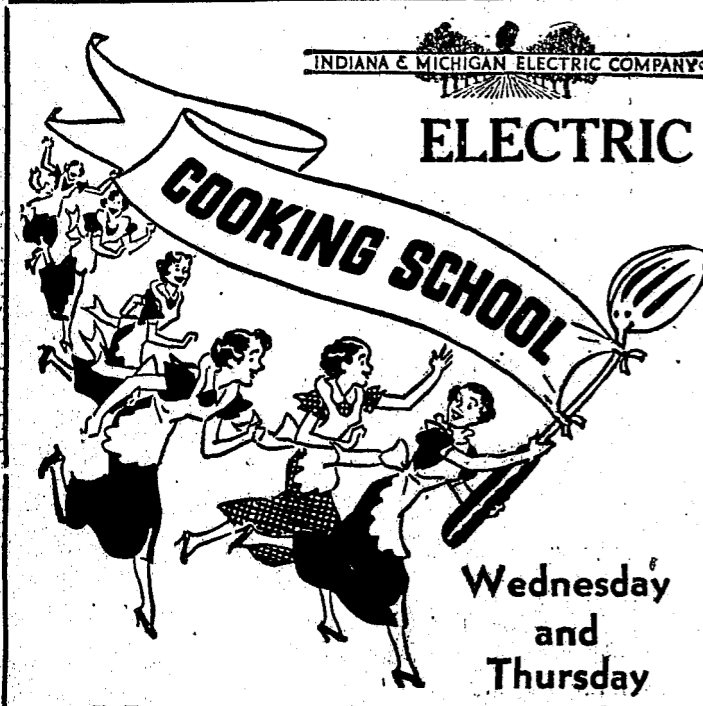
**Buchanan Book Club**  
Mrs. C. D. Arnold was hostess Monday afternoon to the members of the Buchanan Book Club. Mrs. Stevenson reviewing a current book.

**Helpers' Union**  
Mrs. Lou Hamblin and Mrs. A. L. Hamblin were hostesses yesterday to the members of the Helpers' Union of the Advent Christian Church.

**Child Study Club**  
Mrs. M. F. Suris will be hostess Monday evening, March 7, to the members of the Child Study club. Mrs. Dean Swank will be in charge of the program. Miss Eunice Miller of the school faculty will demonstrate instructing small children in singing.

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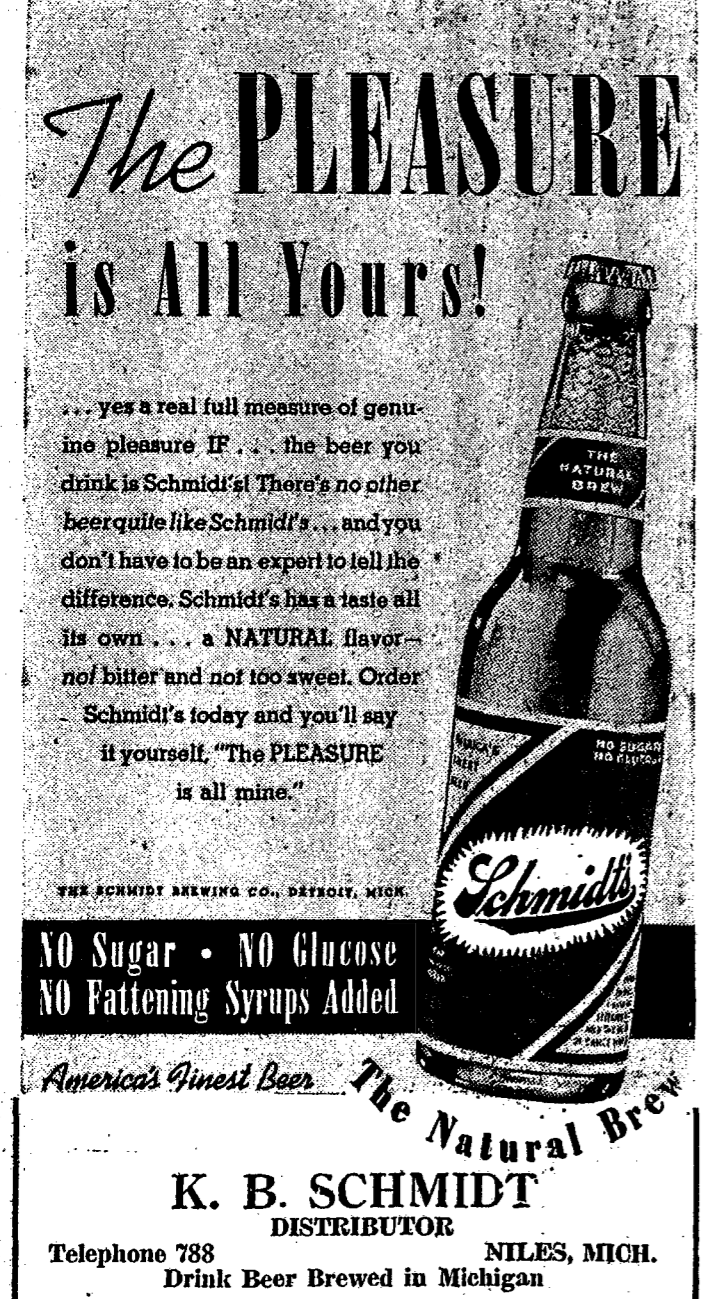
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**Evening Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Glover were host and hostess last night at a six o'clock dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dillman, of the Panama Canal Zone.

**Desert Bridge Club**  
Mrs. Susan Curtiss will be hostess today to the members of the Desert Bridge Club.

**Junior Book Club**  
Mrs. Harold Hanlin was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Junior Book Club, Mrs. G. H. Stevenson presenting a book review.

**Catholic Youth Club**  
Miss Rose Zachman will be hostess Monday evening to the members of the Catholic Young People's club.

**Speaks at New Carlisle**  
Miss Mary E. Reynolds will present two book reviews today before a meeting of a sorority at New Carlisle. Her selections are: "And So Victoria," by Vaughn Wilson, and "My Tahiti," by Robert Dean Pringle.

**Party at Gallien**  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rizer were guests Saturday evening at a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Renbarger, Gallien.

**Dinner at Gallien**  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rizer will be guests this evening at a dinner for the Gallien Child Study club, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Renbarger of that place.

**Evan Mission Society**  
The Women's Missionary Society of the Evangelical church will meet at the home of Mrs. Lydick Tuesday, March 8, at 2 p. m.

**C. C. Ladies Aid**  
The Ladies Aid of the Church of Christ met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. J. Bradley on Chicago street.

**Honored on Birthday**  
Mrs. Charles Bishop was hostess at a family dinner at her home on the occasion of her 80th birthday Sunday, guests from out of town being Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weaver of Glendora and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schram of South Bend.

**Home Ec Leaders**  
A number of leaders of Home Economics clubs of the Buchanan district attended the leaders meeting at Gallien high school Tuesday. In all 24 were present. Miss Helen Larmore of the state extension staff presented the lesson on "Foundation Garments and Posture." The girls of the high school economics department served a luncheon. It was decided to hold the annual County Achievement day at Gallien on April 28.

**Presbyterian Guild**  
The Jeannette Stevenson Guild of the Presbyterian church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Vena French with Miss Genevieve Carnagan as the program leader.

**B. G. U. Sorority**  
The B. G. U. Sorority met Tuesday evening at the home of Wuma Boone, with Mildred Russell assisting. Genevieve Schwartz won high honors at bridge. The sorority will meet next week at the home of Betty Forburger.

**Attend 40 & 8 Meet**  
Buchanan Legionnaires attending the meeting of the Forty and Eight at South Haven Thursday evening were A. P. Sprague, Arthur Johnson, Lloyd Shires, Tom Burks.

**Flora Morgan Class**  
The Flora Morgan Bible class met Wednesday with Mrs. Wilson Leiter for a farewell party honoring Mrs. Fred Salisbury who expects to move soon to a farm near Gallien. After the devotionals each of the members read an article supplied by Mrs. Rose Stevens. Mrs. W. F. Runner read two poems. The Bible quiz was given by Miss Eva Chamberlain.

**Winners Class**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Surch and Mr. and Mrs. Lester McGowan will entertain the Winners Class of the Evangelical church Friday evening, March 4, at Albright hall.

**Friendship Class**  
Mr. and Mrs. John Walker were host and hostess to the members of the Friendship class of the Evangelical church at their home on Portage Prairie last night.

**F. D. I. Club**  
The F. D. I. club will meet this evening at the I. O. O. F. hall, with Mrs. Joseph Forgue, Mrs. Leonard Dalenberg, Mrs. James Gray and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot as the committee.

**Beaconlight Class**  
The Beaconlight class of the Evangelical Sunday school met Monday evening with Miss Wanda Wood.

**Comrades Class**  
The Comrades class of the Evangelical church, Rev. Sanders leader, enjoyed a pancake supper at the Albright hall Monday evening, a business meeting following.

**S. S. Class Party**  
The Presbyterian Sunday school class taught by Hugh Pierce will hold a party at the church recreation rooms Friday evening.

**Legion Auxiliary**  
The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, a chief item of business being election of a delegate to attend the district meeting at Sturgis. The social hour will be in charge of Mrs. J. G. Melvin and Mrs. Warren Willard.

**Currier School News**  
We have a new radio at school donated by the Burks family. The Busy Bee Club will meet Friday at school for election of officers. Grade 1-5 will each tell one of Aesop's fables.

**TIGHT-WADDING IT THROUGH EUROPE**  
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throng. After about a half hour the traffic grew less and I caught a street car, back to my hotel where the smorgasbord and attendant meal which had been the Sunday evening dinner had been cleared away and I found it necessary to buy myself an extra meal for which I received no allowance on my bill.

I found a little restaurant about three blocks away where I could buy a cup of coffee, American style, for 15 ore (about 4 cents) and "warm kory," the Swedish equivalent for "hot dogs" for about the same price. The Swedish "Kory" is a sort of sausage, really much more delicious than our usual hot dogs.

This was on a little street which branched off, Birger Jarl's Gatan. My snack finished, I went back to the great avenue of Birger Jarl's Gatan and sauntered up it. This was in the second oldest part of the city, built between 1600 and 1700. Now I'm going to try and give you a sort of general sketch of what this town is like. For two solid weeks I rose early and retired late, devoting long bright midsummer days to exploring the ancient and modern parts of the city, pounding the hard granite blocks which form the pavement for long hours and more miles than I would have thought I could stand up to when I left Buchanan. Now in my mind I know Stockholm as a whole as I know no American city, not even South Bend, or Chicago. Before I left the tangle of antique streets had become comparatively simple.

After about two days of aimless exploring I took up the study of the new suburbs, where the municipalities government and the co-operatives are carrying out housing projects generally rated the most successful in the world. Evening after evening I went out to the new suburb, Angby, where the city is financing the building of 400 small houses a year for workmen, clerks, and other low-bracket income makers. It was a revelation of what can be done by an honest government sincerely devoted to the welfare of its people. As I rambled my path crossed that of parties of students and professors from American colleges, and from all points of the world, all with their eye on the same things. Shortly after I left a delegation of American governmental employes and newspaper men arrived to study this and allied movements for popular welfare. The question is: granted Sweden is doing and getting away with it—can other countries do the same?

All this I will tell about as I can, chapter by chapter for perhaps six or eight more issues. If I could only tell it as I saw it, it would be worth your reading.

But first for my two days of aimless exploration. I arrive on "Lodag" (Saturday). I guessed the same as you probably have—that the name signified "Lord's day." Later I found out that it referred to the old custom of the Saturday night bath. And I've told you before what I did until Sunday evening and I will go back to my saunter up Birger Jarl's Gatan. This is a great avenue leading from the lake up through the second oldest part of the city. It was named for Birger Jarl, who back in the 12th century or thereabouts founded the settlement of Stockholm where salt-water joined fresh water in Lake Malar.

The last part of the city's name, "holm," means island, and the first part or "stock" means log in Swedish, so the name really means "log island." Old Birger Jarl's settlement was first only a sort of fort on the island to stop the Danes and other enemies from laying waste the towns further up on Lake Malar.

The settlement spread first over the circular island of Stockholm proper, where the Royal Palace, is now located. There it still remains much as it was hundreds of years ago, an enchanting tangle of narrow winding streets, where I will take you in a future chapter. Along in the sixteen hundreds the city had a spurt of growth and spread over north and west of the island on the main shore. There the buildings are not so old, and

**Terre Coupe**

Miss Audrey Wilcox entertained her sewing club at her home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kohlman and Mr. and Mrs. George Eddy visited Sunday in Chicago.

Miss Dorothy Babcock of Oak Park, Ill., spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Iva Hemphill was a week-end guest of Miss Dorothy Swartz.

Miss Effie Mae Price and Lester Gudney spent the week-end as guests of the latter's parents, at Plymouth, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson and daughters of Porter, Ind., spent the week-end at the Charles Wilcox home.

Miss Fern Poulson of Niles was a dinner guest Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bowers.

It is characteristic of the orderly Swedish procedure that these two tall buildings do not jut up aimlessly without regard to the architecture of the city, as they would in America. All elements of the nation, labor and business as well, are controlled with a view to the general good of the nation. These sky scrapers would not harm the city fitted in aimlessly, but some way, located like twin towers above the roaring lides of Kungsgatan, they do fit. I heard that the Swedes no not consider them much as architecture but they do consider them emblematic of modern efficiency and economy in space. The Swede likes to think that he is combining modern efficiency with beauty. So the city permits these two tall buildings, but they must be built where they will fit.

Shortly afterward I was to ride the elevator to the top of the northerly of the twin towers to visit one of the offices of the American consular service. But this evening I merely looked at them admiringly and then limped on eastward down Kungsgatan. There was now a large blister on top of my right foot, where the shoe bent. On down the street and

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