

# SNOW, HIGH WINDS DELAY TRAFFIC

## City Commission to Open Sealed Bids For Sewer Bonds Thu., Feb. 9

Now Here's the Proposition



Nations, like folks, git along better when they git clear in their minds what is their business and what ain't.

Jim Aichenbottom sez he don't hev to go to Florida fer climate—he gits so burned up every time he thinks about Bill Miller fooling around the bathin' beaches down there that he don't even notice the cold.

Lines Written For a Certain Grammarian

I am no purist-minded like—I wear my language careless-like—For in my rearward without fail, The dangle participle trail, And I am not the one to give Three whoops for split infinitives. I hold no minor errors kill And as for musing "shall" and "will"— I'll tell you on the quiet, pal, I always will—or is it shall? But, if you hear a speech gram-matical Correct from first to last, high-natical It won't be I—or is it me? That said it, as the case may be.

Ed Is a Grandpaw

Buchananites who still incline to look sort of lenient-like on Ed Hess as just one of the young men about town will be surprised—not to say astounded—to learn that he is a proud grandfather, a son having been born to his daughter, Mrs. Carl Haas, at the St. Joseph hospital, South Bend, on Tuesday. The young man—we should say the younger man—has been named Edward Charles.

Weather Note

Well friends and neighbors, the weather man smoked Bill Miller out—he got tired shovellin' yesterday and set out for Florida. Mrs. Miller driving and Bill going ahead with a shovel. He expects to give the Florida warm spots the once over and wind up at the New Orleans Mardi Gras somewhere along about March 1. Then he is going to come back and publish a "Tightwad" series that will be worth reading after the second chapter.

It May Have Been a Snark

Residents of the northwest part of town were greatly frightened during and following the blizzard Monday by reports of a large mysterious looking animal seen skulking in the yard of the Phil Hanlin home on Lake street, various reports giving it that the beast was all the way from 4 to 8 feet high with other dimensions corresponding. Their fears were allayed when phone calls to the Hanlin home assured them that it was merely a snow cat which Mr. Hanlin had tossed off. After they had heard it was a cat the neighbors became more and more convinced that it really look like a cat, several calling the Record office and avowing that it looked more like a cat than a cat does. It is reported that Mr. Hanlin's only difficulty was a consequent domestic discussion about the whereabouts of a broom that he pulled to pieces for the whiskers.

Postpone Benefit Basketball Game

The basketball game scheduled for Tuesday evening between the Reamer five and the Normal Park Presbyterian five of Chicago as Child Study club benefit was postponed on account of storm until the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 14.

## Storm Delays PWA Sewer Work

Start Excavation on Main Line from Outlet to Sewage Disposal Plant

The PWA force which began work last week on the new sewer project was forced to lay off Monday on account of storm, after starting excavations on the main line from the present outlet to the sewage disposal plant.

A force of 92 men under the direction of WPA Supervisor Fred Schwartz started work Tuesday this being the beginning of work on the new \$102,712 WPA project for completion of sanitary coverage of the city. It will require about 400 feet of 12 inch tile to extend the main outlet from its present opening just above the old Bainton mill site to the disposal plant. Supervisor Schwartz said that work had been suspended on the cemetery project and all workers transferred to the sewer project. Charles W. Cole, City engineer, is in charge of the installation, and is represented directly on the job by Engineer Fred Rogers. The city commission will meet at 5 p. m. Thursday, February 9, to open sealed bids for the purchase of the following: \$15,300 in special assessment sanitary sewer bonds, dated February 1, 1939 and due serially without option of prior payment at the rate of \$3,000 Feb. 1 of each year, 1940 to 1943, and \$3,300 Feb. 1, 1944; \$5,000 in general obligation sanitary sewer bonds, dated Feb. 1, 1939 and due serially without option of prior payment at the rate of \$3,000 on Feb. 1 of each year 1940 to 1944 inclusive.

## Mrs. Benjamin Burns Is Called by Death

Mrs. Benjamin Burns died at 4:50 p. m. Sunday at her home on Portage Prairie, and funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday from the Swem Funeral home, with Rev. C. A. Sanders in charge.

Burial was made in Oak Ridge cemetery, with the following acting as pallbearers: Lloyd Wallace, Irvin Eagle, William Kell, O. B. York, Martin Luther, William Seyfried.

Annie May Burns was born Feb. 16, 1874, in LaPorte county, Ind., the daughter of Robert and Sarah Young. She married Benjamin Burns at LaPorte, Ind., Nov. 12, 1898. She is survived by her husband; by the following children, Mrs. Esther Gogley of Cassopolis, Wilbur Burns of Buchanan, William Burns of Galien, DeEtta Hathaway of Galien, Geo. Burns of South Bend, Orlia Zimmerman of Buchanan, Martha Fay of Berrien Springs. Emmett Burns of Buchanan; by one brother, William Young of Chesterton, Ind.; by 12 grandchildren.

## Vivian Carlisle H. S. News Writer

Readers of the Microphone will note that the names of a staff are no longer carried. The entire page is now gathered and written by Vivian Carlisle. Miss Carlisle is planning to prepare herself for journalism and her concise and well-selected news stories of the high school week are appreciated.

## New H. S. Teacher in Art and Music

Miss R. Eleanor Groh of Hagers-town, Maryland, took over the art and music instruction in the Buchanan schools this week, taking the place of Mrs. Claude Imhoff, who had previously resigned because of marriage. Miss Groh comes to her work here with considerable teaching experience and a fine background of special advanced preparation for her work, including study in the Peabody Institute at Baltimore, Md., Johns Hopkins University, Pennsylvania State College and in a number of normal schools.

## Sound Film Projector Is Installed at Buchanan High School

## Niles Concert League to Meet

Chairman, Workers From 11 Towns to Meet at Niles Feb. 6

The Niles Community Concert League, which has been in the process of organization the past few weeks, under the direction of W. S. "Bill" Wright of Niles, director of organization and publicity, swings into action next Monday night, Feb. 6th.

The opening guns will be fired at the first annual get-together workers dinner meeting to be held at 6:30 o'clock at the New Powell Hotel. Approximately 100 will attend, comprising the officers, directors, divisional chairmen, captains and lieutenants from Niles, Buchanan, Bertrand, Berrien Springs, Berrien Center, Cassopolis, Dowagiac, Edwardsburg, Eau Claire, Galien, and Thresh Oaks.

The meeting will be in charge of George H. Mayhew, president, who will outline the purpose of this newly organized community music project. Mr. Wright, who was for 15 years with the Civic Music Association, helping launch that plan all over the United States, became associated with the National Concert League of Chicago, as Director of Organization and Publicity in 1938. He will discuss the artists to be presented on the three concerts, also outline the membership plan of organization.

A publicity campaign is being put forth this week in all ten communities, with talks in high school assemblies, clubs and group meetings by Mr. Wright, to assist the local director in enrolling members next week.

Every man, woman and student is invited to join this concert league, and secure their membership card, which is the only admittance to these concerts, as no single admittance is ever sold in any league city.

The first concert will be given Feb. 28, by William Miller, American Tenor, nationally known concert, opera, and radio artist, in joint recital with the sensational South American Cellist, Ennio Bolognini, formerly first cellist of Chicago Symphony Orchestra and now featured soloist on N. B. C. staff and networks.

The second concert will be April 11th by the internationally known English blind pianist, Alec Templeton, whom the critics acclaim as one of the musical miracles of our generation.

The last concert will come the last of April or forepart of May, and cannot be named until the close of membership week, which the budget will decide, but it is hoped the enrollment of members will warrant the Saldenberg Symphonietta of 18 soloist artists of Chicago Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Daniel Saldenberg, formerly first cellist of the orchestra.

## L. C. Clevenger Called by Death

Pioneer Woodworker of Buchanan to be Laid at Rest This Afternoon

Isaac C. Clevenger, 79, a pioneer Buchanan woodworker, died at 4:30 p. m. Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Marble, at 401 Main street.

He was born Nov. 25, 1859, near Anderson, Ind. He married Charlotte Hayes at Dalesville, Ind., Aug. 5, 1882. She died July 8, 1928. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Clyde Marble of Buchanan and Mrs. Richard Olmstead of Galien; by three grandchildren, and five great grandchildren. He had lived in Buchanan 47 years, and was by profession a skilled woodworker in the local furniture factories of other years.

Funeral services will be held at the Clyde Marble home at 401 Main street at 2 p. m. today (Thursday) with Rev. R. O. Moon of the Olive Branch United Brethren church in charge. Burial will be made in Oak Ridge cemetery.



ALEC TEMPLETON, PIANIST

Alec Templeton, famous blind pianist, will be the second internationally-known artist to appear on the program of the Niles Concert League at Niles April 11. Templeton appeared in a concert at Orchestra Hall, Detroit, Saturday

evening January 21 and his reception was so great that a second appearance was required on the following Sunday evening. He plays every two weeks over WLS at 9 p. m. Saturday.

## Send Old Address in Asking Change on Social Hygiene

Subscribers to the Berrien County Record who wish to secure a change of address will very materially assist if they will always send the address from which they are changing.

## Velmarian Lit To Present Three Original Plays

The Velmarian Literary Society will present three one-act plays at the Friday afternoon assembly, all three being written by members of the club. Plays, authors and casts are:

"The Latin Lesson," by Constance Kelley, played by Bob Haight, Hubert Paul, Ruth Jean Haslett, Connie Kelley, and a "pet mouse."

"Ain't Ain't the Word For It," by Bill Strayer, played by Bill Strayer, Mary Garouette, Louis Pascoe, Mary Cripe.

"He Should Be Daid," by Phil Pierce, played by Dale Simpson, Ramona Dalenberg, Leland George, Phil Pierce, Rex Hungerford.

Velma Dunbar is the director. Business managers are Dorothy Arnold, Barbara Schram, Martha Trapp, Mary Ewing. Dale Leiter is stage manager. Music will be furnished by the high school orchestra directed by R. R. Robinson.

## Will Show Special Children's Matinee

The Hollywood theatre will present a special Children's matinee Saturday February 4th. A real honest-to-goodness all star children's program is to be presented. "Heart of The North" in glorious technicolor will be the first feature shown. The second feature "Under Western Stars" presents the new western star, Roy Rogers who has an excellent voice and sings several songs. This picture has a new locale, "The Dust Bowl," and presents some fine riding and action scenes. And of course as usual a serial picture and cartoon will be shown. This Western feature will be shown at the Saturday matinee only.

## Owner of Edgeview Fruit Farm Dies

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dale have been in Chicago for several days because of the death on Monday of Mr. Harry G. Webster, who died of an embolism. Mr. Webster was quite well known in Buchanan as the owner of Edgeview Orchard, south of town. Mrs. Dale and Mrs. Webster are sisters.

## 2 Buchananites Honored at M.S.C.

J. C. Hollenbeck and Ralph Sebasty Given Short Course Honors

Eleven active Michigan farmers are among those cited especially during the current Farmers' Week program on the campus of Michigan State College.

Three of them are veteran dairy-men honored at the annual Monday evening dairymen's banquet.

J. C. Hollenbeck, Berrien Springs Guernsey breeder, received one of the plaques awarded for his lifelong work in dairy farming.

W. W. Sprague, Battle Creek, also received a plaque, his recognition was for the many years of service to dairymen in the state through his work with Holstein cattle.

Third of the trio is Dr. W. A. Dawson, Ludington. For many years he practiced as a dentist in Battle Creek and then in Ludington before he became prominent in Jersey cattle development.

Others honored for their outstanding records in agriculture include eight men who are graduates of the short course in agriculture at the college. They were named Tuesday in the annual Short Course association banquet.

In horticulture the honor graduates who have made enviable records are Seward Green, Hillsdale, and William W. Teichman, Eau Claire.

Animal husbandry graduated Ward B. Lindsey in 1919. Now this Delton lamb feeder finds himself among the honored group. Farm management records are reasons for honors for Henry Prillwitz, Berrien Springs and Arthur Richardson, Hastings.

Dairy short course honors go to Ralph Sebasty, Buchanan, and to Ernest Pettie, Cressy, a herdsman. In dairy manufacturing the award is to Walter Graebner, Saginaw.

## Morton O. Geyer Dies in California

Mr. Morton O. Geyer, 75, formerly of Buchanan, Mich., died at his home in San Francisco, California Jan. 18, 1939. The surviving relatives are: A son, Oliver Geyer; three grandchildren of San Francisco; two brothers, J. P. Geyer of Springer, New Mexico, Rev. A. C. Geyer of Sebring, Florida, and sister, Mrs. Nora Reamer, 1426 Mishawaka Ave., South Bend, Ind. Burial was made at San Francisco.

## Camera Club to Hold Meet Tonight

The Buchanan Camera club will meet this evening at the City hall, convening at 8:15 p. m. Paul G. Moore, principal of the Buchanan high school, will talk on "The Lens."

## Take Charge Dayton Filling Station

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dalrymple will move Sunday to Dayton where they are taking charge of the filling station and cabins on M-60 south of Dayton lake. The place is owned by Val Schmidt of Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Kean returned to her home Sunday after spending three days in the Pawating hospital. She is improving.

## Board, Teachers Club Purchasers

Victor Sound-On-Film Machine Uses Sound or Silent Films

Tuesday was probably a red letter day in the history of education in Buchanan, being the date of the arrival of the Victor Sound-On-Film Ammaphone purchased jointly by the school board and the faculty club.

The particular "visual education" which is made possible by the purchase of this new sound film projector is probably the outstanding development in current education and the insalutment of the equipment renders it possible for the Buchanan schools to make use of the new educational sound films which are now available in variety.

The school will have the use of three free sound films weekly from the victor company for the remainder of the present school year. In addition many fine free films are available from the General Electric and other industrial and manufacturing concerns, from the National Y. M. C. A. from state conservation departments and other sources. It is possible that next year the school will purchase a \$50 membership entitling the institution to the use of the fine library which is being assembled by the University of Michigan.

The larger 1000-foot films (require about an hour to run, smaller films taking about a half hour. The projector purchased uses the 16mm size film. The films have the sound reproduction at the side of the pictures. It is possible to project 16mm silent films also.

It is possible to rent an astonishing variety of films on a wide variety of educational themes at a cost of from \$5 to \$15 per day.

Claude Carter, science instructor, is in charge of the apparatus and is training several boys to assist in picture projection.

The projector is portable, so that it may be carried from one room to another for classroom use and may also be used in the high school auditorium where a 60-foot projected picture completely fills the 9x12 screen there.

## Preston Bradley Lecture Postponed

The many people who had made plans to hear Dr. Preston Bradley of Chicago speak here last Thursday evening under the auspices of the Buchanan College Club were disappointed to learn that day that his illness had made it necessary to postpone the engagement until April 27. The lecture management report that sufficient tickets had been sold to cover expenses with a small margin. These tickets will be honored on the later date.

## Attends Religious Education Council

Rev. W. H. Brunelle will attend the International Council of Religious Education which will be held in the Stevens Hotel, Chicago, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Rev. Brunelle is a member of the Adult Council of the organization.

## Adjust Schedule Recreation Groups

The Presbyterian recreation groups have been rearranged in schedule as follows: Wednesday, 7 p. m. Men's Night. Thursday, 4 p. m., 7th and 8th grades. Friday, 4 p. m., 4th, 5th, 6th grades. Saturday, 2 p. m., high school boys.

Mrs. Phoebe Esalhorst had as guests Sunday afternoon her daughter, Miss Kathryn Esalhorst, and her son, Harry Esalhorst, Benton Harbor.

## Drifting Snows Fill Rural Roads

Report Only Half Inch Water Precipitation at I. & M.

The Buchanan district was visited by the heaviest storm of the winter Monday, in extent of drifting and hindrance of traffic at least.

Although the snowfall is not believed to have exceeded from 6 to 8 inches, high winds piled it in roads, where for two days it partially blocked rural mail deliveries and country schools. The rural carriers from the Buchanan office were able to cover nearly all of their routes Tuesday and completely Wednesday. A number of rural schools were closed Monday.

The force at the Indiana & Michigan plant reported a water precipitation of .51 inches during the storm, and a precipitation of 1.64 inches during January.

## Edward Riffer Buys Farm, Sells Acreage

Edward Riffer completed the purchase yesterday of the 140-acre farm located 2½ miles southeast of Buchanan known as the George Simon farm or, by older residents, the E. S. Arney farm. The place was sold by the Federal Land Bank.

Riffer sold 12 acres of St. Joseph River frontage located ½ mile east of the River street bridge to Dr. M. J. Converse. The acreage joins the Paul DeWitt farm on the east.

## To Attend Golden Anniv. Fraternity

Dr. M. J. Converse will attend the golden anniversary of his fraternity at Ann Arbor on Feb. 8, 9, 10. Mrs. Converse will accompany him and visit with her sister of Fenton, Mich.

## Lions Initiate Five New Members

The Lions club held initiation last night at the Quin Water farm with Atty. Walter Schirmer and Harold Boyce in charge. Members initiated were Arthur Allen, Dr. Brown, M. F. Surls, Bill Sullivan and Paul Craig.

## Portage Prairie Infant Expires

Betty Lou Morgan, infant daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Morgan of Rural Route 2, South Bend, died at her home on Portage Prairie at 7 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 31. Funeral services will be held from the Swem Funeral home at 2:30 p. m. Friday with Rev. C. J. Coverstone of the Living Avenue Evangelical church of South Bend in charge. Burial will be made in Oak Ridge cemetery. The little girl was born May 31, 1938. She is survived by her grandparents, her parents, and by two sisters, Mary Jane and Elizabeth Irene, both at home. She was a member of the cradle roll of the Ewing Avenue Evangelical church at South Bend.

## Townsend Club Elects Officers

The Buchanan Townsend club met Monday evening at the home of H. S. Bristol, electing officers for the year as follows: president, Lewis Howard; vice president, Fred Wright; secretary, Mrs. Henry Smith; treasurer, H. S. Bristol; Ladies Auxiliary committee, Mrs. Mildred Watson, Mrs. Lella Herman, Mrs. Fred Wright. Bunco was played, prizes being won by Ralph Hamilton, Mrs. Lella Herman, Lyman Watson. The next meeting will be held at 6:30 p. m. Monday, Feb. 6, at the home of Mrs. Mildred Watson, Central Court. It will be a farewell for Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dalrymple, who are moving to Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilcox and family and Mrs. Effie Wilson spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cudney, Niles.



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## GALIEN NEWS

**Maccabees Elect**  
 The Lady Maccabees held a meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clark Glover and installed their new officers as follows: Past Commander, Mrs. Clara Partridge; Commander, Mrs. G. A. Jannasch; Lieutenant Com., Mrs. Gregory Burger; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Clark Glover; Mistress of Arms, Mrs. John Welsh; Sergeant, Mrs. Fred Thorson; Chaplain, Mrs. Orrin Stearns; Sentinel, Mrs. Edward Gillaspay; Picket, Mrs. N. Klamper; First and Second Ladies of the Guard, Mrs. Albert Jannasch and Mrs. Frank Heckathorne.  
 Mrs. George Mecklenburg was the installing officer.

**Lead in Studies**  
 Marilyn Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Roberts and a junior in the Galien high school had an all "A" report card for the first semester of the school year. Miss Roberts not only has a high scholastic rating but is active in extra curricular activities. She is a librarian, cheer leader and takes an active part in the Girl Scout activities of the local troop of which she is a charter member.

**Culture Club Holds Art Day**  
 Culture Club held Art Day Friday afternoon when they met with Mrs. Clark Glover.  
 "Roll call, Prominent American Artists," "Dresden Art Gallery," was the topic given by Mrs. G. A. Jannasch.  
 "Holbein," was given by Mrs. John Hoinville; "German Cathedral," was the subject prepared by Mrs. J. W. McKnight and given by Mrs. Clyde Swank.  
 The hostess served a luncheon assisted by Mrs. C. C. Glover. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Clyde Swank, and will be election of officers.

**Improves After Gunshot Wound**  
 Marvin Shank, who was accidentally shot in the head last Tuesday remained in a very critical condition until Sunday. His condition Monday was much improved and if no complications set in he will soon be himself. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Shank called on him Sunday and were able to talk to him for the first time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley and daughter spent Saturday in Michigan City.  
 Mrs. Con Allen is confined to her home by illness. Her mother, Mrs. C. Wain, Kalamazoo, is caring for her and Mrs. Lawrence Jannasch is substituting for her at school.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kenney and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. Fisk and family, attended a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. R. E. Cealika, and Mrs. Catheryn Goering, South Bend. The latter returned to her home after enjoying a two weeks visit at the Cealika home.  
 The Maple Grove Ladies Aid Society held an all day meeting Thursday with Mrs. Wilbur Sheeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shockey and family, Berrien Springs, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ada Sheeley.  
 The Maccabees Ladies will hold a mid-winter picnic Wednesday, Feb. 8th at the home of Mrs. Frank Heckathorne. Pot luck dinner will be served at noon. Games of all kinds and contests will be the afternoon's diversion.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Payne entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. William Hanover, New Troy, Mrs. Edith Foster and son, Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Most.

Mrs. John Doyle and daughter, Beverly Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Foster and son, LaPorte, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ruth Nelson and sons.

The M. E. Missionary Society held a very interesting meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clarence Glover. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Edward Howard.

Charles Lyons, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Will Lyons, Dowagiac, expect to leave this week for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lockwood were given a house warming Wednesday evening by their "500" club and was presented a gift for their new home.

Mrs. Charles Smith, Kalamazoo, spent the week-end in Galien and is moving from the Miss Haines apartment to the apartment of Mrs. Ruth Nelson.

The Gleaners of the Olive Branch Arbor will meet Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark.  
 Mrs. Virgil Reese is listed among the sick this week.

The M. E. Ladies Aid Society will serve a chicken supper in the basement, Saturday evening.  
 The Galien Livestock 4-H Club held a meeting Tuesday evening in the school. Plans were made for a beef tour in Berrien County, Monday. A talk on "Feeding Pigs" was given by John Hoinville. Clara Olmstead and Clark Sherman had charge of the entertainment.  
 The Galien school was closed Monday on account of the snow storm.  
 The Women's Department of the L. D. S. church held a meeting Thursday afternoon with Viola Green.

Mrs. Richard Weptland spent Friday evening with Mrs. Elizabeth Renbarger.  
 Mrs. Con Allen was taken to the Epworth Hospital, South Bend for operation. She is suffering with infected ears.

### Bakertown News

Mr. and Mrs. Frank King called on Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gilbert Friday afternoon.  
 Mrs. Ola Krieger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fletcher, Monday at Glendora during the dreadful blizzard.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Louis Racine spent the weekend with the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Ella Coleman.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell were in Berrien Springs, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell were supper guests of Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartline, Monday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clements were in Niles, Monday afternoon on business.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Post were in Plymouth Sunday where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hanover and Mr. Walter Phillips were in Benton Harbor Tuesday forenoon on business.  
 Mr. Eldon Reed was in St. Joseph on business, Thursday.  
 Mrs. James Hanover and Mrs. Svede called on Mrs. Roland Bay at Yellow Lake, Friday.

Mrs. Edward Ginnell of Chicago spent the week-end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Best.  
 Mr. Chas. Kruger is spending this week in Grand Junction with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Phillips and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Proud.  
 A number of friends and relatives surprised Herbert Haas on his birthday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kepton Saturday night. A good time was reported by all.

Mrs. John Redden entertained the Portage Prairie Home Economics club Wednesday of last week with a cooperative dinner and a social afternoon, there being no lesson. The next meeting is to be held at Mrs. Edward Riffer with Mrs. Trella Rhoads and Mrs. Iva Swartz as assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Howard Wilson, Mrs. Alanson Hamilton, Mrs. Grace Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Weaver went to Battle Creek where they visited Alanson Hamilton, who is a patient in the Veteran Hospital to help him celebrate his birthday.

### Olive Branch

The Olive Branch Gleaners will meet Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bowker and family spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLaren and children were Sunday dinner guests in the Frank McLaren home in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and Charles Smith were in LaPorte Friday afternoon.

Miss Marjorie Sprague of Niles spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olmstead were in Benton Harbor Saturday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. R. O. Moon and daughter, Grace were guests Sunday in the V. G. Ingles home.  
 Miss Carmen Longfellow spent Thursday night with Miss Nancy McLaren.

The Christian Conrade Class will meet Wednesday evening with Miss Grace Moqn.

Will Chapman, Mrs. Ralph Ferguson and family of Niles, were Sunday afternoon callers in the Arthur Chapman home.

Beryl Hinnman has been on the sick list for the past week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dickey, Mrs. Pearl Huber were in Three

### Oaks, Saturday.

Mr. Charles Smith and son, Paul called Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clinton VanDusen. New Carlisle, Mr. VanDusen passed away at his home Saturday forenoon from a heart ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Kanous were Sunday afternoon callers in the F. A. Nye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Finney of South Bend spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Goetinger attended an anniversary dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ramsey in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dickey Mrs. Pearl Huber spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. August Singbell.

Mrs. Will Laker left Sunday evening for Chicago to attend a five day instruction course for school officers at the Chicago University. Mrs. Laker was one of sixty officers chosen from Calhoun county.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bertmus spent Sunday with Mrs. Hazel Storm and family.

Mrs. Maria Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Vern May visited friends at Rolling Prairie, Sunday.

Chris Goodenough of Hudson was a Sunday dinner guest in the Ralph Goodenough home.

Mr. and Mrs. Doan Straub will leave Monday to attend Farmers Week at East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murdoch of Three Oaks attended the birthday surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Kliene. Mrs. Kliene was the honored guest.

The Beaver Dam birthday club met with Mrs. C. D. Rhoads in Galien to honor the 81st birthday of Mrs. Cassie France. A cooperative dinner was served and Mrs. France was presented with a money gift.

When Mrs. Wilbur Sheeley returned home from church Sunday she was surprised to find several relatives and friends had come to help her celebrate her sixtieth birthday and had dinner ready to serve. Mrs. H. McAllister of South Bend will spend this week with her sister, Mrs. W. Sheeley.

Mrs. Catherine Goering returned home after two weeks visit with relatives in South Bend.

### Wagner News

Marlin Weaver went to Fredrick Sunday to accompany home his brother, John Weaver, who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Weaver.

Mrs. N. J. Weaver and mother, Mrs. Howard Wilson, and Mrs. Alanson Hamilton went to Battle Creek Saturday to visit Alanson at the sanitarium.

Tony Horner had the misfortune to lose a horse last week, the animal having suffered internal injuries in a fall on the ice which proved fatal.

Mrs. Stella Strauss and daughters, Bernice and Ruth, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Bert Mitchell.

Ed Wright has moved from the Maggie Stevens farm to the Clarence Boyle farm.

Ralph Whittaker has moved from the Will Whittaker farm to the Maggie Stevens farm.

The School Community Night program held at the Wagner Grange Friday evening was attended by about 65. The singing by the pupils of the Wagner school was much enjoyed. The evening was spent in a social way, followed by refreshments.

### Dayton News

Mr. and Mrs. Les Conrad and son, Mrs. Dwight Babcock and two daughters of Buchanan spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brandly of South Bend spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Dering.

Mrs. A. Ernsperger spent Sunday afternoon with her brother, Mr. Gus Bohn.

Mr. John Hollett and Mrs. Francis Crooker of South Bend spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Heckathorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Richter spent Sunday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin and daughter of South Bend spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin.

Mrs. Mae Van Lew is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Black at Chicago, this week.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Frank Straub, Thursday afternoon, with 15 present. Thursday, Feb. 2 the Aid will meet with Mrs. Evelepa Richter for an all day meeting. Pot luck dinner at noon. The time will be spent quilting.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamilton and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamilton attended the wedding of Miss Margaret Hamilton and Mr. Floyd Leiter Saturday afternoon at South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dering spent Tuesday at South Bend and visited his sister who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamilton entertained at their home Sunday twenty guests in honor of their daughter, Margaret, who was married in South Bend, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jannasch spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gleissner.

### North Buchanan

#### Rev. Flagg Resigns at Hills Corners

Rev. Frank Flagg of Dowagiac has resigned as pastor of the Hills Corners Christian church, on account of pressure of other duties. Mrs. Elmer Ward Cole will preach at the church next Sunday at 11 a. m.

**Wounded by Axe**  
 Roy Narragan, a young farmer living near the Coveny school, suffered a severe gash when he fell on a double-edged axe last week. He was taken to University hospital, Ann Arbor, where he is being treated for the wound and ensuing infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Riley of Plymouth, Ind., visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Postlewait.

Richard Schwartz, rural mail carrier, covered his route the first of the week with the assistance of Howard Fuller.

Friends of Bruce Meffert, old time lumberman and pioneer farmer of the North Buchanan district, will be glad to hear that he is improved in health this winter.

Because of bad roads and storm there was no school at the Coveny school, Monday.

The Coveny school is closed indefinitely on account of the illness of the teacher, Miss Betty Davis, who is ill with flu at her home in Eau Claire.

Mr. and Mrs. James Postlewait and daughter of Buchanan were guests over the week-end of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Postlewait of Knolly Knolls farm.

A large attendance packed the Hills Corners Christian church Sunday evening to hear the fine address by Mrs. Elmer Ward Cole of South Bend. About 100 ate at the supper following the Christian Endeavor meeting.

Sixty were in attendance at the supper given Saturday evening by the Good Samaritan class, losers, to the Joy class, winners, in a contest at the Hills Corners Christian Church. A shower was given honoring Miss Edna Edinger and Mrs. Gardner, who are soon to be married.

Vera Hartline will be hostess to the members of the Joy Class at a potluck supper and meeting at her home this evening.

Mrs. Christie and son, Henry, arrived last week from New York City for an indefinite visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merfield.

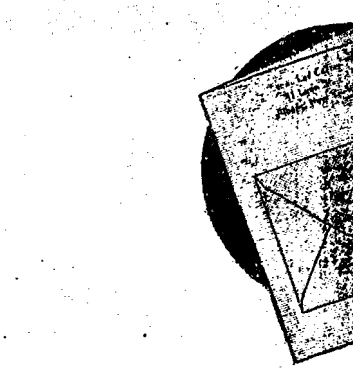
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Mrs. Elson Rough.  
 Mrs. E. O. Sult arrived home Monday from a stay of three weeks in Waterloo, Iowa, where she had been caring for her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Detgen, who has been ill. She was accompanied home by her grandson, Corbin Detgen, who is visiting here.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Dean Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spaulding left Saturday for Florida, to visit at Yanketown and other points there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stoner and family were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Stoner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wire, Three Oaks.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olds honored them with a shower at their home Saturday night on the occasion of their first anniversary of their wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schram of Buchanan were dinner guests at dinner Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weaver.

C. E. Postlewait is improved after illness.

### HOLLYWOOD

**FRIDAY — SATURDAY**  
 Technicolor Film

High adventure along one of the world's last frontiers is thrillingly depicted in "Heart of the North," the Warner Bros. picturization in Technicolor of a tale of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Authentic in every detail, the picture "debunks" many a widespread misconception of the operations and daily existence of the Canadian "Mounties," but the actuality, as vividly portrayed in "Heart of the North," turns out to be even more thrilling and certainly more interesting than the popular delusions.

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two boys, brought up together in the slums, whose lives become widely divergent when one is sent to reform school for a prank in which both took part. He becomes a big-time gangster, his friend enters the priesthood. Their paths cross again when the gangster, part of the mob that runs the city, bucks the priest, who is heading a "clean-up" campaign, his object being to save the thousands of slum boys in his parish from lives of crime. The strong bond between the two men makes their conflict doubly exciting, and leads to the unique and thrilling climax which lifts the picture high above the rank and file of gangster stories.

**WEDNESDAY — THURSDAY**  
 Joan Crawford Heads Big Cast in Film

Miss Crawford plays a role which parallels her own career as a Broadway dancer and is reminiscent of her first starring pictures in dancing roles in "The Shinning Hour."

The story, directed by Frank Borzage, centers around a world-famous dancer who, tiring of the glare of the spotlight, marries a

wealthy farmer. Complications ensue when her husband's sister resents the presence of the dancer in the family home. To make matters worse, her brother-in-law falls in love with her.

Faith Baldwin Story on Screen  
 Faith Baldwin's Cosmopolitan Magazine story "Comet Over Broadway," which was adapted for the screen by Mark Hellinger and Robert Buckner. Directed by Busby Berkeley, the picture stars Kay Francis, and Ian Hunter, John Littel, Minna Gombel, Sybil Jason, Donald Crisp, Ian Keith and many others are featured with her in the story of the meteoric career of a star.

### Boy Scouts

Boy Scout Troop 41 met Tuesday, Jan. 31, with an attendance of 20. A contest was held between the patrols to see who could pack a knapsack most quickly and efficiently. The Rattlesnake Patrol, it was discovered, is the best.

The troop plans to go to the High Court of Achievement at

St. Joseph Feb. 7. Bob Russell, assistant scoutmaster of the troop, was selected to attend the Lions club Wednesday, Feb. 8, to give a demonstration and lecture on packing a knapsack and planning a camp menu. More news next week—watch for it.

**Fox Terriers for Fox Hunting**  
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# LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. VanDeusen and family drove to Williamston Saturday, accompanying to her home there Mrs. VanDeusen's mother, Mrs. John Turner, who had been visiting here. They visited also with Mr. VanDeusen's sister, Mrs. H. F. Millman, at St. Johns, returning here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Abell have returned to Peru, Ind., to make their home after living a year in Buchanan.

Mrs. Genevieve Norman spent Sunday at Gallen.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Martin visited relatives over the week-end at Tyner, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dempsey of Mishawaka visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mitchell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roe spent the week-end in Chicago and were accompanied on their return by Mrs. Robert Roe who is visiting here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Juhl visited Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. James Juhl, Watervliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Remington had as their guests Sunday the latter's brother, William Matzenbach and wife of Mishawaka.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hess are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wright, helping them while Mr. Wright is ill.

Married Nine Times But had Only Two Husbands! Still fighting over pants for women! Two of the many interesting features in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with the Sunday Chicago Herald and Examiner.

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Miss Annabelle Lindquist is improved at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alleck Lindquist, but is not able to be up yet.

Mrs. Annie Morley had as guests at her home during the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodenough of Gallen, and Mrs. Sue Ray and Mrs. Annie Lowe of Three Oaks.

Floyd Shreve and a friend, Tom Martinac, both of Detroit, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Ida Shreve while returning from a trucking trip to Chicago.

Alleck Lindquist was a business visitor in White Cloud, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rastatter had as guests from Saturday until Monday their daughter, Mrs. Robert Elcher and husband, Muncie, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spurr returned to Ann Arbor Saturday after a visit of several weeks at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Claude Carter and family.

Mrs. Gertrude Robyns left for her home in Chicago Sunday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Ada Schwartz and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Proseus and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bradley attended the church rally at Hills Corners Christian Church Sunday evening to hear the address by Mrs. Elmer Ward Cole of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Forgue had as guests Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moyer and daughter, all of LaPorte, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keller and daughter, South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis New and family and Miss Blanche Sheldon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schber, of Walton Road, a son, Thursday at the Boyce Maternity home. The baby has been named Kenneth Ralph.

Miss Lois Boyce is the guest this week of friends in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Puffer and two children of Bangor were guests Sunday evening at the home of the former's brother, Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Puffer.

Mrs. E. M. Pierce, Benton Harbor, visited Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cooper.

Mrs. T. D. Childs had as her guests Sunday her son, Atty. T. D. Childs and wife of Three Oaks.

Miss Helen Graves spent the week-end in Chicago.

Paul Welbaum, South Bend, visited Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Emma Bunker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bohl drove to Benton Harbor Sunday evening and accompanied to their home here the latter's sister, Mrs. Chas. Meyers, who had been ill the past month.

Mrs. J. B. Currier arrived home Friday evening from a visit in St. Louis, Mo. She was accompanied here by Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Daw and daughter, Marjorie, who left for their home Saturday, stopping off in Chicago for a visit.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ditto, a son, at their home in Buchanan Tuesday.

Mrs. Lester Henson of Chipewa street was taken severely ill Tuesday evening.

A group of high school students attending the Presbyterian church enjoyed a sleighride Saturday, Clarence Huss furnishing the team and bobsled. A pancake supper was prepared for the group by Mrs. Clarence Huss.

Michigan Artists Display at Niles

Michigan rural scenes, colorful still life and a variety of water color landscapes will draw Niles art-lovers to the Four Flags hotel dining room at Niles within the next few days to view an exhibit of the work of Michigan artists.

Collected by the Detroit Artists' Market, the paintings constitute the first traveling loan art show brought to Niles by the American Association of University Women. Announcement of the exhibit made at the regional meeting of the college women in Chicago last spring formed the incentive for bringing the show to Niles.

Depicting nearly every type of oil and water color painting, the pictures form a varied and colorful exhibit in the hotel. Each is numbered and material on the artists' lives is available.

The Niles College club is sponsoring the exhibit. The Buchanan College club is collaborating by promoting attendance from this city.

PORTAGE PRAIRIE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rose were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Horstman of Dowagiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cuthbert visited Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cuthbert of Eau Claire.

Miss Mildred Rose was a guest at dinner Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Leland Conrad and family.

Terms for Shoe Widths

The alphabet of shoe measurement is explained in this manner by the United States department of commerce: Shoe widths are indicated by letters, alphabetically; for example, AAA, AA, A, B, C, D, E, the first letters standing for the narrower widths and indicating progressively wider widths to E. By width is meant the amount of "ball" room in the shoe, that is, the widest part of the forepart of the shoe. Combination lasts often are used, the A width being used for the heel and a B width for the ball. This gives a snug fit to persons having small-boned ankles.

Oldest European Dye  
The oldest known European dye was made from the herbaceous plant, Reseda luteola, commonly called "weld." The name weld probably came from the old German word Walda from which the French word gaudin was derived—the source of our own word "gaudy." To produce the popular gaudin green of that day, the material to be dyed was first dipped in indigo and then in weld.

## Tight-Wadding It Through Europe

CHAPTER 68  
By HAWES

It now behooves this scrivener to write final to a summer's Odyssey, concluded in fact in the summer of 1937, but rehearsed through these pages during the succeeding year and a half, with occasional lapses because of lack of space or editorial distractions.

It has come to my ears that the less respectful element of the community have been offering even odds that the Tighwad series would never end. I only regret that in some way I did not get a piece of their rashly-offered jack. It would perchance have eased the current financial strain and kept the current wadding from being as tight as it is.

As a matter of fact, only illness in the home has prevented the conclusion of these articles several weeks ago, as I had intended to immediately follow the series with another on an anecdotal and reminiscent history of the Clark Equipment company, as told by the "medal men" of the organization who have been on the company payrolls for 20 years or more. The organization of material for this series has been delayed, and consequently the writer has been stalling around like a high school basketball team protecting a 10 point lead while waiting the final whistle.

But to the conclusion of this matter. At the conclusion of the last letter I had only a day left in foreign lands. In the late afternoon in Montreal I took a sight-seeing bus at the public park in the center of the city and saw the town a la tourists. The bus wound its way through a beautiful city, as bustling, enterprising in appearance as an American city, yet different. The high point of the trip, in fact as well as in interest, was the climb up the precipitous Mount Royal, where there was a twenty-minute stop in a parking space while passengers feasted their eyes on the same tremendous expanse of plain and river that Jacques Cartier and his followers saw in 1605.

That over, I went to the Canadian Pacific depot and bought a ticket, settling myself there for the 11 p. m. train for Detroit, falling back on the old device of beating the hotels by sleeping on a car seat. The Canadian trains were crowded that summer and the sleeping was not so good. I managed to preempt one seat for a few hours, but while yet the dawn was dim more passengers filed in, and I had to give up half my seat to an elderly, rather striking-looking gentleman. Pulling a raincoat over my head and slouching against the window I made a night of it, waking up in a rather crusty mood to take stock of my seat mate who looked somewhat the same.

But a snort of coffee at some station I do not remember thawed our humors. He was an Englishman who had settled in Canada some years back, after service in Her Majesty's army in the Boer War. He had the rather imperious and overriding manners of a born "boss" but he was intelligent, congenial, surprisingly liberal, although inclined to lay down the law and monopolize the conversation.

A lot of adjustments were needed in Canada as well as in the rest of the world, he said, and the opposition might as well wake up to it in their own interest. A lot of this hullabaloo about communism,

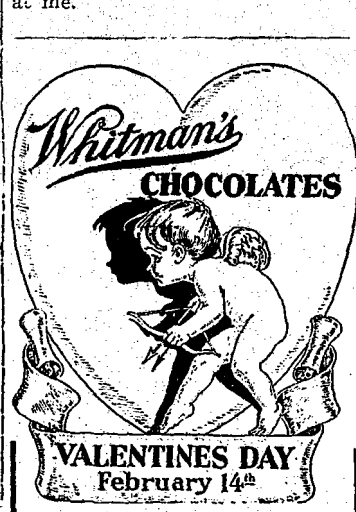
he said, was merely a self-interested attempt by those interested in the status quo to confuse the issue and discredit any change. Most of the things branded as communism were not at all communism. So he rambled on and I looked him over and wondered if Canadian businessmen were inclined to talk that way, since my surmise was from his solid, substantial appearance, that he was a business man.

War, or the threat of war, said my seat-mate, was acting to defer necessary social adjustments in England and in the empire.

Here I put in my nickel's worth. "I used to ramble around through those old cemeteries in London," I piped hopefully, "and I found so many headstones that read something like this: 'Sir Oliver Jones, Bart., Born March 12, 1843, died Sept. 10, 1904. He served his Majesty's government faithfully as a servant for 35 years in Ceylon.' It rather seemed to me that all this empire stuff is an upper-class racket to find a place to stake out all the propertyless relatives of the better classes in good jobs, where they can serve their majesty's government and get good salaries, while the natives pay the freight. I just surmise that perhaps Signor Mussolini and Herr Hitler and their gangs look at it the same way and that an anticipation of similar soft jobs for themselves and their gangs are at the bottom of a lot of this world war trouble."

It seems I said the wrong thing. It must have been that my seat-mate was one of the servants of her majesty's government with a fairly good job in the service. Anyway, he sat up straight, his face took on a purplish hue and the veins stood out on his forehead as he glared at me a minute. Then the storm broke. Didn't I know, or did I, that the English were the only nation in the world that knew how to handle colonies decently? Were they not the great colonizers of the world with all of the natural rights that are due to fitness for the job? Hadn't the German, the Italian, and the French for that matter, proved sufficiently that they were not fit to handle colonies? So he reared and glared at me.

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I listened until I got rather apprehensive that he either might have a stroke or start out to colonize me, and finally, as the train stopped for a few minutes, I excused myself on the grounds that I wanted to get off and stretch myself. I left him slumped in the seat and still breathing rather heavily.

When I came back a few minutes later, I found his wife had joined him from another seat and they were preparing to get off at the next station. He offered to give me back my seat but there was another vacant and I told his wife to take mine. The Englishman by that time had recovered himself and his good nature. He glanced at me rather apologetically, laughed and bade me good luck. He concluded that he was a real fellow but that he was a staunch adherent of His or Her Majesty as the case might be, and of the Empire. And perhaps of his piece of the empire.

I took another seat and was soon joined in it by a youngish man who turned out to be a representative of an Irish bacon manufacturing interest, traveling for his company. He had recently been in Denmark, where the best bacon in the world is made, studying their methods.

"I just made one of your fellow Empireites pretty mad," I said. "How's that?" he asked. "I told him the conversation with the Englishman. The young traveling man was evidently a realist, a business man of the younger sort, who could appraise an argument from any angle."

"I think that something of that enters in it," he said. "I can understand how the Germans and the Italians look at us. We're just a bunch of world burglars, who broke in first and are sitting self-righteously on the swag, natural."

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ly desirous of holding on to it." The salesman got off at Wind-sor; the train rattled on across the Detroit River into the Land of the Free and the Home of The Brave.

I got off at the Detroit depot, and asked a baggage man how to get to the town. He went on with his work, rattling a casual but adequate answer at me without looking up or stopping his work.

It was evident I was back in careless, casual, go-to-hell America. In a minute I was in a bus in a swirling maelstrom of new, streamlined auto traffic such as I had not seen since I left New York.

It seemed kinda good, at that.

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## Revival Meetings at Temple Bethel

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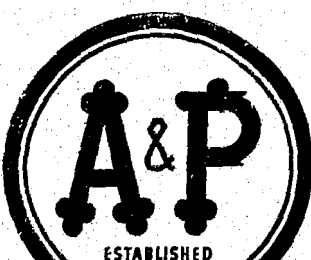
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**PRINCE ALBERT, VELVET, HALF** HALF OR KENTUCKY CLUB Tobacco tin 10c

**COOKIE VALUES**  
**CHOCOLATE GRAHAMS** Salerno Pure lb. 17c  
**VANILLA WAFERS** FORT DEARBORN lb. 19c

**JUMBO TWIST** National Sliced White Bread big 20-oz. loaf 8c  
**SNIDER CATSUP** 14-oz. BOT. 14c  
**LUX FLAKES** 2 large 12-oz. pkgs. 39c  
**CARROTS** 2 Bunches 11c  
**Head Lettuce** Large Head 2 for 11c  
**ORANGES** Juice Size 2 doz. 25c  
**Grapefruit** Seedless 80-96 7 for 25c  
**APPLES** Fancy Winesaps 5 lbs. 30c

**NATIONAL Food Stores**



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## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:**—Electric cream separator, in A-1 condition, large size \$35. Also 2-gal. lard press, good tank heater. John Andrews, 1 mile west of Buchanan. 313p.

**FOR SALE:**—Outdoor Toilet at 301 Main street. Inquire C. L. Simpson. 411f

**SCRATCH PADS**—Suitable for use in the home, office or at school. 10c lb. package. The Record Co. 39tf.

**FOR SALE:**—Upright piano, cheap. Call at 206 N. Portage, or phone 332. 413c.

This Association has for sale several homes of various sizes which can be purchased with a very moderate down payment and the balance monthly like rent. Some of them require repairs or modernization which can be done by a handy man in his spare time and are priced accordingly. If interested call and talk the matter over with us. Buchanan Federal Savings & Loan Association. 413c.

**FOR SALE:**—One large porcelain finished cast iron circulating heater. Fine condition. \$25. Also one No. 18 Round Oak heater, wood and coal grate, \$5. Arthur A. Wray, 113 Lake St. 511p.

**FOR SALE:**—2 good work horses, sound and right, weighing about 1500. Howard C. Smith, Phone 7108-F14. 511p.

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**FOR SALE:**—1 23 inch Kalamazoo Furnace; 1 24 inch Rudy Furnace; 1 No. 18 Section American Red Flash Hot Water or Steam boiler. All used, but in A-1 condition. Any reasonable offer. Campbell Sales Co., 943 Riverside Drive, South Bend. Phone 38156. 513p.

**WATCH** for the R. N. A. Rummage Sale. February 9, 10, 11. in the Hotel Rex Building. 512c.

**FOR SALE:**—No. 1 comb and extract honey. Bring container. Cane put in chairs, seat and back. John I. Rough, 108 Hobart St. Phone 214-J. 511p.

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT:**—2-room furnished apartment. 302 Main St. 511p.

**FOR RENT:**—All modern 5 room house. Call 215-R. 511c.

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**WANTED:**—Housework by day or hour. Call 281-W. 511c.

**WANTED TO BUY:**—Beef Cattle, Beef Hides and beef fat. Dan Merson's Market. 411c.

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**WANTED:**—Washings and also house work by the hour. Mrs. Henry Heyn, 311 N. Portage St. 511p.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**NOTICE:**—I have taken over the agency for Stark Brothers Nurseries. Ira Neiswender, Route 1, Buchanan. 313p.

**PLUMBING, FURNACES and Eve Spouting.** All work guaranteed. Fred W. Taylor, 312 McCaslin. Phone 173. 50112c.

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**GOOD VISION** is important! If you need glasses, see C. L. Stretch, the optometrist at Clark's News Depot every Thursday. 511p.

**Ambitious reliable man** to call on merchants in Buchanan for old established, well rated company. All or spare time. Experience unnecessary. Good pay. Steady work. Write Box 163, Bellefontaine, Ohio. 512p.

**DISTRIBUTOR:**—Spark Plugs, Ignition, Piston Rings, Brake Lining, Shop Lights, Tire Boots. Requires \$150 for assorted stock. FEDERAL FACTORY, 1414 S. Wabash, Chicago. 511p.

**BOARD** and room, modern home. 508 Days Avenue. 511p.

## Michigan Has 105 Community Forests

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Glover had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Glover of Galien and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson and family of South Bend.

Miss Frances Gramse is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gramse between semesters of college work. She plans to transfer for the second semester from the University of Indiana, Bloomington, Ind., to DePauw University at Greencastle, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Johnson and family visited Saturday and Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanover had as their guests from Saturday until Monday their daughter, Mrs. Curtis Thornburgh of Muncie, Ind.

Ray Orris was a visitor in Chicago from Saturday until Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kelley and Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Puffer attended a conference of superintendents of Methodist Sunday schools at the Peace Temple in Benton Harbor Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bland, nee Edith Griffin, of Sturgis visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vetterle and then drove to Baroda to visit Mrs. Bland's brother, Henry Hartman. They were accompanied to Baroda by Miss Kathryn Hartman and Donald Hartman.

## First Constitution of The State of Michigan

Buried among the archives and records of the Department of State and hidden in one of the huge vaults is the original first Constitution of the State of Michigan, dated June 24, 1835, and signed by the members of the First Constitutional Convention. It was adopted by the people of the state in October, 1835. This Constitution remained in force as the fundamental law of the state until the Constitution of 1850 went into effect. This Constitution, written before the extensive use of printing and lithography, is in longhand.

The writing at the present time is very clear and easily readable. The pen used in writing the first Constitution was placed in the cornerstone of the present state capitol in Lansing, when it was laid in 1873.

Originally the Constitution was stored in a round metal canister for safe keeping as well as all state documents of importance at that time.

# Church Services

**Dayton Methodist Church**  
Rev. Frank L. Considine, Pastor  
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Worship service 11:00 a. m.

**St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church**  
Rev. Father John R. Day, Pastor  
Until further notice mass will be held at 8 a. m. on the first, third and fifth Sundays of each month and at 10 a. m. on the second and fourth Sundays.

**Bethel Temple**  
Rev. Gladys Dick, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
7:30 p. m. Evangelistic Service.  
Mid-week Services Thursday evening, Bible Study.  
Saturday night, Young Peoples service.

**Church of the Brethren**  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School. Mr. Fred Hagley, Superintendent.

**Evangelical Church**  
C. A. Sanders, Minister  
Bible School at 10 a. m. Mr. William Schultz, superintendent.  
Dick Pierce Secretary. Mrs. T. E. VanEvery Primary, Superintendent. Teachers and classes for all.  
Morning Worship at 11 a. m. This will be day of prayer and self denial week. Sermon theme: "Prayer" will be the subject. Number by the choir.  
Evening service. Adult League and Bible study at 8:30.  
Prayer service Thursday evening. T. E. VanEvery class leader.

**Methodist Episcopal Church**  
R. C. Puffer, Pastor  
Church School at 10:00 a. m. Mr. Con Kelly, superintendent.  
Among the fourteen classes of our church school is one suited to your age and needs. Come and bring the whole family.  
Public Worship 11:00 a. m. Organ prelude and offertory. Mrs. Claude Jennings.

Antem by the robed choir under the direction of Mrs. Con Kelly.

Sermon theme: "What Makes a Church Great?"  
Evening service 7:00 p. m. Big Sing, led by Mr. Walton Beckey. The pastor will speak on the social poetry of Edwin Markham. This sermon will be first of a series of four on men whose messages have influenced human life.

**Christian Science Society**  
Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject: "Spirit."  
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**  
"Spirit" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Church throughout the world on Sunday, February 5.

The Golden Text (II Corinthians 3:17) is: "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty."  
Among the Bible citations is this passage (I Chron. 29:11) "Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all."

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. 228): "There is no power apart from God. Omnipotence has all-power, and to acknowledge any other power is to dishonor God."

**The Presbyterian Church**  
Walter H. Brunelle, Pastor  
9:45 Church School. A new class, under the leadership of Mr. Brunelle, has been added to the church school. It is for all young people who have finished high school and who wish to study and discuss the Christian Faith.

11:00 Public Worship. Mr. Brunelle will preach on "Except We Take Our Cross." This Sunday will be the fourth anniversary of Mr. Brunelle's coming to minister to the Presbyterian Church here.

5:30 High School Club will meet at the home of Robert Russell. The leader will be George Fitch.

Thursday at 4:00. 7-8 Grade Children in the recreation room.

Thursday at 7:00. Choir rehearsal.

Thursday at 6:30. Young Married People's Cooperative Supper and party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Friday at 4:00. 4-6 Grade children in the recreation rooms of the church.

Saturday at 10:30. Junior Girl Scouts.

Saturday at 2:00. High School Boys in the recreation room.

Monday at 4:00. Troop No. 3 of the Girl Scouts.

Monday at 7:00. Troop No. 80 of the Boy Scouts.

Tuesday at 6:30. Church Family Night.

Wednesday at 4:00. Brownies.

Wednesday at 7:00. Men's night in the Recreation room. First matches of the second round of the Buchanan Table Tennis League.

**Oronoko M. E. Church**  
Morning Worship 9:00 a. m.  
Church School 10:00 a. m. Supt. Mr. Pearl Shriver.

Friday evening, February 10th, family night at the Burke school house. Moving pictures of the Canadian Wilderness will be shown. There will be an offering taken. Pot luck supper at 7:30 p. m.

**L. D. S. Church**  
Elder V. L. Coonfare, Pastor  
8:30 a. m. Young People's prayer service, sponsored by Zion's League, with Joseph Gross in charge.

10:00 a. m. Church school, George Seymour director. Theme, "Lives' Commission."

11:00 a. m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, Elder V. L. Coonfare and E. J. Hayden of St. Joseph in charge.

6:30 p. m. Teacher training class, led by Glenn Cease.

7:30 p. m. Elder J. W. McKnight of Galien continues his sermon series with "The Second Principle in the Foundation of the Christian Faith."

Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service with Elder V. L. Coonfare and George Seymour, assistant pastor, in charge.

**L. D. S. Women's Department**  
The Women's Department of the L. D. S. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Glenn Cease, 123 West Smith, at 7:30 p. m. this evening.

## Portage Prairie

**Turkey Dinner**  
A turkey dinner was served at the home of William Martell Jan. 19 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Evans of Washington, D. C. Guests from South Bend were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis. Mr. Evans had attended the business men's convention at the Sherman Hotel, Chicago, during the week of Jan. 15, representing the Wertz Novelty company of Muncie, Ind. Mrs. Evans spent four days in South Bend visiting friends and relatives. She is a daughter of Mrs. May Groshans, who has made her home with Mr. Martell for the past few years.

**Portage Mission Society**  
The Women's Missionary Society of the Portage Prairie Evangelical church met at the home of Mrs. L. B. Roux Wednesday. An all-day meeting was held with a cooperative dinner at noon. A large number of the members and also several guests were in attendance.

**All Star Class**  
The All Star class of the Portage Prairie Evangelical Church met Tuesday evening at the home of Otis Rhoades.

**Wedding Anniversary**  
Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Walker were host and hostess at a dinner Wednesday evening honoring the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker on the occasion of their 29th wedding anniversary.

**Christian Endeavor**  
The Christian Endeavor of the Portage Prairie Evangelical church will hold a business meeting Friday evening at the home of Trella Roush.

**Portage Prairie Grange**  
The Portage Prairie Grange met Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith. A pot luck supper was enjoyed, followed by a good program. Two new members were initiated, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gunyon, Mr. and Mrs. Morley (the former a brother of Perry Morley) and family and Mr. and Mrs. McMichael of Harbert were guests.

An interesting part of the program was a talk by Mrs. McMichael on her work as director of recreation in a Chicago children's home. The next meeting will be held on the evening of Feb. 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira House.

**Portage Prairie Evangelical Church**  
Rev. C. H. Trueschal, Pastor  
(All services on Central Standard Time).

9:30 a. m. Morning Worship. The Women's Missionary Society will hold its annual Self-Denial service at this time, with an offering for missions.

10:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
7:00 p. m. Epworth League.  
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**Currier School News**  
The members of Currier school were examined last month by Doctor Gamble. The pupils who were apparently O. K. are as follows: Dolores Bennett, Donald

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Ruby, Paul, Jerry and Richard Burks were absent from school, Wednesday, January 25th.

The Currier school has just recently had fire extinguishers put in.

The pupils of Currier school had their examinations the first part of January.

The seventh and eighth grades have started taking science and literature for the second semester.

**Currier 4-H Club**  
Dorothy Redding was elected as the president of the All Star 4-H Club of the Junior group at the home of Mrs. Oscar Olson. Vice-president and news reporter, Carol Hawkins; secretary, Betty Hall; and treasurer, Mildred Hall.

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Mrs. Gertrude Robyns of Chicago was a guest last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Chubb.

William Newsom left Friday by car for Darlington, Wis., to accompany home his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newsom, who had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Mervin Andrews and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Elise entertained at dinner Saturday evening their guests being Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Korn, and Dr. and Mrs. Rhinehart of South Bend.

**Vanilla Is Most Popular Of Ice Cream Flavors**  
CLEVELAND, OHIO.—"I'll take vanilla," still is the most popular demand when it comes to choosing ice cream flavors.

The Dairy Industries exposition's flavor salesman said that the next most popular ice cream flavor—after vanilla—varies in different sections of the country. The dairy industries displayed their products in Cleveland's public hall in connection with their annual convention.

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Present: Hon. Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nora A. Sparks, 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 29th day of May A. D. 1939, 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,**  
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1st insertion Jan. 26; last Feb. 9 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 23rd day of January A. D. 1939.

Present: Hon. Malcolm Hatfield, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank A. Conrad, deceased. Ira Conrad having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to L. O. Swen or to some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 20th day of February A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, 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.

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It is Ordered, That the 20th day of February A. D. 1939, 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



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## Parent-Teacher Conferences Work

Parents are genuinely interested in their schools. Sixty-five per cent of the parents spent ten minutes or longer in conference with teachers Friday, January 20. Isn't this a much higher percentage than we are privileged to see at P. T. A. or at our Mother's Clubs? Both parents and teachers felt it was time profitably spent. Already there have been reports of individual child improvement as a direct result of conferences.

## Book of the Week

"Madame Curie," by her daughter, Eve Curie, is the story of the life of the greatest woman scientist and her discovery of radium with her husband Pierre.

Marie Curie was born in Poland in 1867. In 1891 she went to Paris to study science, even though she had so little money that she had to live in a garret. She met Pierre Curie in the laboratory of the Municipal School of Physics and Chemistry of Paris. They were married in July 1895. After their wedding, they worked together in the laboratory.

Henri Becquerel discovered that pitchblende, an ore containing uranium, also contained an unidentified substance. He turned the problem over to the Curies, who finally separated the salt of radium.

After her husband's death, Marie Curie isolated the element of radium in 1910.

## Junior Literary Guild Books Come

The Junior Literary Guild books for February have been announced.

They are: "This Way to the Circus" by Hadel and Beck; "East of the Sun and West of the Moon" by Damsel; "The Golden Plover and Other Birds" by Allen; "The Romance of American Transportation" by Beck.

## Hygiene Lecturer Is Here This Week

Miss Melita Hutzel, social hygiene lecturer from the State Department of Health, will be at Buchanan High School from January 30 to February 8.

Miss Hutzel, who has been here several times in the past, will speak only to pupils and not parents as has been her custom in the past.

Mrs. Roba Lamb sent for her more than a month ago. Miss Hutzel is well known and liked.

## Preparing New Library Books

Because Fred Manning can write nice numbers, he has been selected to number the backs of books with the call and author numbers.

For books with dark covers, he uses white ink, and black ink is used for those with lighter colored covers.

Barbara Schram has been appointed to type the new cards and pockets for the books.

## N. Yoder Plays Vamp to The Life

Played by Norma Yoder, the role of Prudence in the Junior play "Growing Pains" really comes to life.

Norma, who already shows signs of pronounced acting ability, puts "umph" into the part. As a glamorous vamp, she is supposed to deprive all the neighborhood girls of their boy-friends in the play. The story is completely hilarious.

## Once It Was IQ—But Now It Is PQ

With the second semester's subscription to Scholastic magazine came booklets entitled "How's Your Personality Quotient?" designed to aid students to analyze their personalities, how they can improve, and what the chief causes of unpopularity are.

The booklet also contained hints about job-getting, getting rid of an inferiority complex, and short biographies of Madame Curie and Arturo Toscanini.

## 35 F. F. A. Members To Visit Lansing

Thirty-five members of the Buchanan F. F. A. Club will drive to Lansing early this morning in order to attend the F. F. A. rally there and attend the programs given. They expect to arrive home at midnight tonight.

## Grade News

**Second Grade—Miss Fritz**

Our new lieutenants for the next six weeks are Danny Mitchell and Carol Cocert.

Some of the children are working on large scenes illustrating "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

Now that we have learned how to handle tools, we are making things from wood.

During library period the children are reading winter stories. For language they are telling these stories to the group.

**Mrs. Fuller—Fourth Grade**

Mrs. Fuller's fourth grade is enjoying "Robin Hood." They are planning a movie, the group being divided in two's and thus working on the scenes.

Donald Dalenberg and Richard Brewer have been absent for several days and returned again.

The best spelling records for the first semester were made in order by the following people: Helen Ailsworth, Phillip Hawks, Dorothy Clemans, Billie Lou Lamb, Rosa Lee Hall, Jacquelyn Burks, Bobby Stark, Norene Fuller, Jacquelyn Vander Ven and Kenneth Mitchell.

**Miss Spear—Fifth Grade**

The following were neither absent nor tardy the first semester: Marjorie Bouws, George Hemple, Betty Herman, Billy Hess, Arthur Mayhew, and Beverly Wallace.

The new officers for the next period are: Captain, Myron Haines; Lieutenants, Mary Ravish and Nelson Hawkins.

We have 35 names on our Dental Honor Roll.

**Fifth Grade—Miss Ekstrom**

Max Polley is out of school. Beginning with the first day of the second semester there has been a reorganization of some of the classes. The room has been divided into two groups since Christmas vacation, one group doing more assigned work than the other.

There is going to be more remedial and individual instruction this term, thus the revision.

We do not want to stress the importance of perfect attendance too much because there are times when children should be isolated from others as a safeguard to health. Those people have been neither tardy nor absent this first semester: George Snodgrass, Wayne Watson, Morton Hempel, Betty Runyan.

**Sixth Grade—Miss Jeffery**

Phyllis Renbarger was elected captain for six weeks. Lieutenants chosen are Denny Lyon and Dorothy Young.

The following were not absent nor tardy for the semester: Billy Chase, Doris Fuller, Leo Heubner, Gertrude Markham, Wendell Hall, Wilda Lee, Robert Mitchell, Dorothy Rouse.

Mrs. Lamb tested each child's hearing ability.

We are beginning the study of Australia.

We have written letters to Joy Holmquist.

Joy has been absent for two months.

Miss Graves is giving several pupils special help in arithmetic.

**Sixth Grade—Miss Reams**

In Miss Reams's sixth grade we have been having an interesting time reading out of our new readers. They are called "Highways and Byways" by Parker McKee. We have seventeen of these new readers.

**Dewey Avenue School**

**Miss Miller—First Grade**

First grade perfect attendance—Gladie Mollberg, Phyllis Postlewhite, Tony Roselli and Richard Ravish.

**Miss Anderson—Kindergarten**

Kindergarten has two new pupils, Harold Heyn and Richard Stonebreaker.

**Mrs. Fickner—Third Grade**

The third grade new lieutenants are Phyllis Ravish and Robert Miller.

Jim and Hubert Harvel, Ruby Mikosell and John Spatta are making large chalk drawings of sugar plantations.

**Miss Quikell—Fourth Grade**

The following students were elected as Citizenship Committee: Robert Surek, Capt.; James Hanger, Lieut.; and Lowell Polkey, Lieut.

Lloyd Dokey drew a beautiful winter scene for us and Georgine Chalm, Kathleen Blong, and Herbert Moyer are painting the scene.

We have had only one student tardy in seven weeks.

We are very sorry Dennis Smedley is ill. This is the first he has been absent this year.

**Miss E. Reams—Special Room**

The following people have had perfect attendance for this semester: Junior Gregory, Joan Samson, Ted Thurston, and Bannice Young.

Our new lieutenants are: Joan Samson and Ira Laith.

We received our prize for sell-

ing the most T. B. stamps. It is a box of Payons, which can be used either as crayons or paints.

We made a cut-paper border of animals.

## 7th Grade Bank Has Cash Register

A miniature cash register is now on Mr. Rizzor's desk for the seventh grade bank. It has a bell that rings and a lever to be pushed whenever any additions to the \$1.75 already collected is put in.

## HOBBYHORSEMEN

Insects interest Genevieve Norman so much that she makes a collection of them. She classifies them as moths, butterflies, tree insects, vegetable insects, fruit insects and ground insects. Her favorites are moths and butterflies.

She became interested in her hobby when she took biology a year ago. Using poison which Mr. Langer, biology teacher, made, she kills the insects and mounts them in an insect box with special pins. The box has a soft bottom to receive the pins, and a glass top.

**Boys Build With Eye to The Future**

Candidates for the original Doghouse Club are Bob Buchman and G. Fagras. In manual training classes they have built a doghouse roomy enough for a couple of Great Danes (with a little squeezing, of course).

This emblem of married life is quite big enough for an offending husband.

**Home Ec. Girls Remake Clothes**

With old dresses brought to school, Miss Krieb's home economics class began the study of making over clothing last week.

**ENGLISH CLASS LEARNS FUTURE**

The second semester Business English class learned Monday the principal topics they are to take up. The preview showed each pupil what he would especially have to concentrate on during the next eighteen weeks.

## 3 Match Games at Recreation Parlors

Five match games were played Sunday in the Recreation Parlors. The Buchanan Recreation team played the Cayo Manufacturing Company team of Benton Harbor Sunday, losing three games to the Twin City five. The totals were 2564 to 2546.

In a handicap match game Sunday the ladies' team of the Buchanan Recreation Parlors defeat-

ed the men's team 2399 to 2175. Sunday, Jan. 29, the Buchanan Recreation team defeated the Cooks market team of South Bend 2561 to 2394.

Sunday, Jan. 29, the Buchanan Recreation team defeated the Bickel Coal company team of South Bend 2597 to 2513.

In a handicap game the ladies of the Buchanan Recreation Parlor defeated the ladies representing the Jenny Dress company of South Bend 2130 to 2057.

The following are the standings of the local league.

**City "A" League**

	W	L	Pct.
Kamm's Beer	34	20	.630
Davis Garage	29	25	.537
Wilson's Dairy	27	27	.500
Lintner's Chevrolet	27	27	.500
Hoosier Beer	24	30	.444
Beck's Tire Shop	21	33	.389
High single, L. Batten, 246.			
High three games, Joe Heiermann, 641.			

**Ladies League**

	W	L	Pct.
Wilson's Dairy	33	18	.647
Gnodtke's Drug	31	20	.608
Nelson's Transfer	30	21	.588
Russell's Inc.	24	27	.471
Buchanan Recreation	22	29	.431
Reamer's Market	13	38	.255
High single, I. Malott, 181.			
High three games, A. Yurkovic, 458.			

**Business Men's League**

	W	L	Pct.
L. J. Wood's	33	18	.647
Drewry's Ale	28	23	.549
Fagras Shell	27	24	.529
City Market	22	29	.431
Red Bud Inn	22	29	.431
Union State Bank	21	30	.412
High single, B. Neidlinger, 255.			
High three games, B. Neidlinger, 637.			

**City "B" League**

	W	L	Pct.
St. Joe Valley	31	20	.608
Hoff-Brau	30	21	.588
Dry-Zero	28	23	.549
Clear Lake	23	23	.451
E & B Grill	22	29	.431

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## Children in Court

By Judge Malcolm Hatfield

**The Modern Home vs. The Old Fashioned Home**

While parents of a half century ago were undoubtedly strict, and frequently caused the development of neurotic symptoms and inhibitions in their children, stern disciplinary measures are to be preferred to the sentimental treatment which many modern parents use in attempting to condition their children. Parents of former generations could not be accused of negligence in disciplining and supervising their children's activities; nor would they allow a child entire freedom in the matter of conduct until it had reached maturity. Such parents were not mentally lazy, and never allowed their vigilance to relax.

There is some advantage in the fact that modern parents spend less time in the home than their forefathers did. To illustrate: formerly, when a family was snowed in during the winter, or

could not get away from the village or the farm because of bad roads, children were thrown into such intimate contact with their parents that they developed many undesirable traits possessed by their parents. The modern child has a far wider variety of social contacts than his grandparents had. If parents will participate in all modern forms of amusement with their children, even though there are many detrimental factors entering into the picture there is no reason why modern day parents and children cannot develop common interests and strong family ties.

However, parents should not attempt to assume the forceful domineering attitude of the mothers and fathers of a generation ago. It is doubtful if any parent can affectionately direct a child's energies without first developing a sympathetic understanding between himself and the child. Repression is not to be advocated until every other means of control has failed.

## School Library

One hundred and six books were loaned by the library Monday, Jan. 23, being the high mark for

the current year. In the annual renewal of magazines the question came up whether "The New Yorker" should be renewed. This magazine was constantly read by a rather limited number. Hardly enough to justify its renewal. It was decided however, that the public perhaps did not realize the nature of the magazine and it was decided to take it for another year. It is easily one of the finest publications coming into the library. It represents a thoroughly modern, yet thoroughly decent humor in refreshing contrast with much so-called "modern" humor. In addition it has many revealing and unforgettable views of life in New York City that almost class in the department of literature.

Its department, "The Talk of the Town" covers the events of the national scene in humorous, often penetrating comment. One of the best "columns" appearing in print. A fine collection of magazines, including the past year of "The American Magazine," "Saturday Evening Post," "Collier's" and "Life," and a number of copies of "Radio" and "Country Home" was donated to the library by A. E. McClure. The library is glad to receive contributions of this sort and

could use more, even when the donations are duplicates of files already possessed, since the spare copies can be used for clipping material to be filed on certain subjects.

Wells' "The Science of Life" was acquired by the library in a scarcely-used second-hand copy from a Chicago book store last week. It has been in demand and helps to build up the library's collection of popular science. The institution now has in mind the purchase of a "background collection" of popular science and has secured advice on books of this sort from the Michigan State Library.

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# SOCIETY

## Presbyterian Circle

The Young Women's Circle of the Presbyterian church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Smith this evening.

## Comrades Class

The Comrades class of the Evangelical church met Monday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Sanders.

## Birthday Dinner

Mrs. M. L. Mills and Mae Mills entertained Sunday at dinner, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Pangborn, Mrs. John Herman and Will Woods. The occasion honored the 84th birthday of Mrs. Mills, which occurred Wednesday, Feb. 1.

## Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Emma Bunker had as guest at dinner yesterday her niece, Mrs. Allene Gould of Niles, the occasion honoring the latter's birthday.

## Friendship Class

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Van Every were host and hostess last night to the members of the Friendship class of the Evangelical church. Assisting them on the committee were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ryan and Mrs. Anna Lauver.

## Winners Class

The Winners Class of the Evangelical church will hold a business and social meeting Friday evening, at the home of Miss Mae Mills.

## Circle No. 1

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist Ladies Aid will hold its annual birthday party at the church basement this evening with a potluck supper and social evening.

## Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Legion Hall next Monday evening, with Mrs. Ada Schwartz and Mrs. Anna Voorhes as the social committee.

## Hostess at Pinochle

Mrs. Warren Juhl entertained two tables of ladies at pinochle Tuesday evening.

## Sunday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. William Hess had as their guests at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Claude Myers of Gallen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hess and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hess.

## Ramblers Club

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Haslett entertained the Ramblers club at their home Tuesday evening.

## O. C. Mission Society

The Women's Missionary Society of the Church of Christ will meet at 2:30 p. m. Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Ewing, front street.

## Loyal Sons, Daughters

The Loyal Sons and Daughters Sunday school class of the Church of Christ held a party at the church Monday evening.

## Evangelical Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid of the Evangelical church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. D. Pangborn.

## Surprised on Birthday

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Barnhart came to their home with a potluck dinner Sunday to surprise Mrs. Barnhart on her birthday.

## Social Gathering

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Forgue had as their guests at a social gathering Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sarver, Mr. and Mrs. Schuman Sarver, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sheldon all of Dayton, and Miss Blanche Sheldon of Buchanan.

## Surprise Party

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis were surprised Sunday evening by a number of their friends who dropped in to visit them, bringing picnic suppers.

## C. C. Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid of the Church of Christ met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. N. Schram, with Mrs. John Koons as co-hostess.

## Honored by W. C. T. U.

Members of the Buchanan W. C. T. U. honored Mrs. M. L. Mills at her home yesterday on the occasion of her 84th birthday. Guests were also present from the W. C. T. U. chapters of Benton Harbor, Niles and Three Oaks.

## W. B. A. Officers Club

The Officers Club of the Women's Benefit Association met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Shipperley.

## Attends Sigma Nu Dance

Miss Norma Yoder attended the Sigma Nu fraternity dance at the Olds Hotel, Lansing, Friday evening, as the guest of Earl Stevens. Miss Yoder was a guest for the week-end of Miss Jean Byrnes, Lansing.

## Represent B. & P. W.

Mrs. D. J. Rouse and Mrs. Jack Boone will represent the local chapter of the Business & Professional Women's Clubs at a district meeting at Lansing Sunday.

## Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Metzgar and family attended a birthday party Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Metzgar's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hartline, South Bend, honoring the birthday of Mrs. Hartline.

## Sewing Club

The ladies of the Stitch 'N' Chatter club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chalmers Luke. In connection with the meeting the club gave Mrs. Claude Penn a shower.

## Honored by Surprise

A group of members of the Buchanan school faculty surprised Mrs. Alma Fuller with a dinner last Saturday evening. They met to congratulate Mrs. Fuller on having that day received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from Western State Teachers College. Mrs. Fuller is one of the best known and most respected members of the faculty, having taught very successfully in the local schools for twenty years.

## Birthday Surprise

Herbert Haas was surprised Saturday by a party of friends, the event being sponsored by Miss Agnes Nelvasil and her sister, Mrs. Tom Kenton, at whose home the party was held. Luncheon was served at 12 o'clock. A feature of the entertainment was the dancing of the Big Apple by Herb and Lewis Nelvasil. Music was furnished by Joe Benak. Forty were present at the party, and all had an enjoyable time.

## Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Coonfere will entertain at dinner Sunday honoring the 11th birthday of their daughter, Wanda Lee. Guests will be Mr. Coonfere's mother, Mrs. E. J. Hayden and husband of St. Joseph, and his sister, Mrs. Irvin Elbrecht and husband of the Bend of the River.

## Thirty Club

The Thirty Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Strayer, the topic being "East West, Home's Best." Miss Florence Mackway read a paper on "The Story of Glassware."

George Smith read a paper on "The Romance of Quilts." Mrs. E. T. Waldo brought several quilt pieces which she got from her grandmother, who in turn had them from her grandmother. Mrs. A. Charles read a paper on "Historic Homes of Early America." Mrs. Fred Taylor read a paper on "New Ideas in Home Building." The meeting will be held next week at the home of Mrs. R. E. Doak, with a Drama Day program. The topic will be "All The World's A Stage and All The Men and Women Merely Players."

## W. B. A. Officers Meet

The officers of the Women's Benefit Association met in the home of Mrs. George Shipperley Tuesday afternoon to form a club. Officers elected were: president, Mrs. George Shipperley; vice president, Mrs. Howard Barbour; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Evelyn Smith. The club will meet on the last Tuesday of each month in the afternoon. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Evelyn Smith.

## John L. Leiter and Margaret Hamilton Wed

Miss Margaret Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamilton of Dayton, became the bride of John Lloyd Leiter of Buchanan, at 4 p. m. Saturday in the parsonage of Grace Methodist church. South Bend, where Rev. George S. Francis officiated in the presence of the immediate families. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harper of South Bend.

The bride wore a gown of duobonnet corded silk with blue accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Leiter was graduated from Buchanan high school in 1933, and from the South Bend college of Commerce in 1935. For the past three years she has been employed in the offices of the First Bank and Trust company of South Bend. Mr. Leiter is employed on the Roy Frame farm in Bertrand township. The couple will reside on the Frame farm five miles southwest of Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leiter were honored at a dinner given Sunday by the bride's parents.

## Royal Neighbor Club

The Royal Neighbor club met Tuesday evening at the Woodmen hall, with Mrs. Henry Smith and Mrs. Ada Schwartz as the committee in charge. Bunco was played, prizes being won by Florence Wooden, Lydia Myers, Nell Fuller, Hazel Welch, Belle Florey, Alice Flanagan, Sylvia Oehenryder, Etta Decker. The club will meet Feb. 14, with Mabel Miles and Gertrude Beck as the committee in charge.

## Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Florence Shook entertained at dinner Monday honoring the birthday of her brother, Nelson Sparks, who is spending the winter with her and Iraenus Sparks. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. August Usgam, South Bend.

## Double Four Club

The ladies of the Double Four Club met last night at the home of Mrs. Ed Cramer in Niles.

## M. E. Mission Society

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 7, at the home of Mrs. James Everingham with Mrs. Harold Mann assisting.

## Berrien P. T. A. Council to Meet

### Buchanan P. T. A. to Furnish Entertainment Skit

The Berrien County Council of the Parent-Teachers Association will meet this afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. building in St. Joseph for its annual business and educational session.

The program will be as follows: Meeting will open at 1:30 p. m. E. S. T.

### Invocation.

### Music, Rural Group.

### Short Business Session.

Forum on Parent Teacher "Projects and Objects" led by Mrs. A. C. Stark of Coloma.

Founders Day Skit "A Trunk In The Parlor" by Buchanan Parent Teacher Association.

Address, "Responsibility to Our Founders," Mrs. Wm. T. Sanders of Grand Rapids, State Parent Teacher President.

Pot luck supper will be featured at 6:00 o'clock p. m., E. S. T. Each one is asked to bring a prepared dish and own table service. Coffee and rolls will be furnished.

Evening session will open at 7:30 p. m., E. S. T.

Music by "Little German Band" of Eau Claire.

Piano solo, Walton Michael. Address, "What the P. T. A. may do to Help the Child with a Problem," by Mrs. Wm. T. Sanders, State P. T. A. President.

Round Table Discussion on the subject, "How the P. T. A. May Assist in School Betterment," led by Mrs. M. Pratt of Eau Claire.

Each association is urged to send as many delegates and members as possible.

And all Parent Teacher Groups in the County will be welcome.

## Hotel, Restaurant Owners to Meet Blossom Week

The 17th annual Blossom Week has been designated for May 7-13th. In past years the twin cities, Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, have carried the brunt of the arrangements of the festival, but because of the national recognition this week has gained, the rapidly increasing attendance each successive year, there is a feeling that the entire fruit belt, with its many smaller communities, its press, its agricultural, business and professional elements, all should take part in the arrangements and share in the benefits of this able work of publicizing our famous Blossom Week in the Fruit Belt.

A general committee is being formed with this idea in mind, and the various groups of farmers, merchants, professional and business men are asked to meet, confer, and appoint their representatives to enter into this general committee.

On February 1st, at 2:30 p. m. there will be a meeting at the Premier hotel at Benton Harbor of all hotel, resort and restaurant owners of Van Buren, Cass and Berrien county for this purpose of joining in the work of making Blossom Week much wider known and thus more beneficial to all who can and care to benefit from the increased influx of visitors for this event. Every resort, hotel and restaurant owner owes it to himself, his own enterprise and his community to take active interest and attend this meeting. With the cooperation of all, this work can be carried to a much

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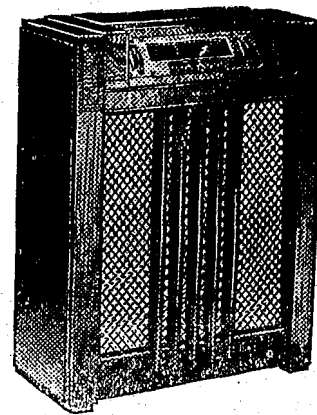
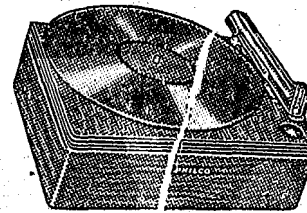
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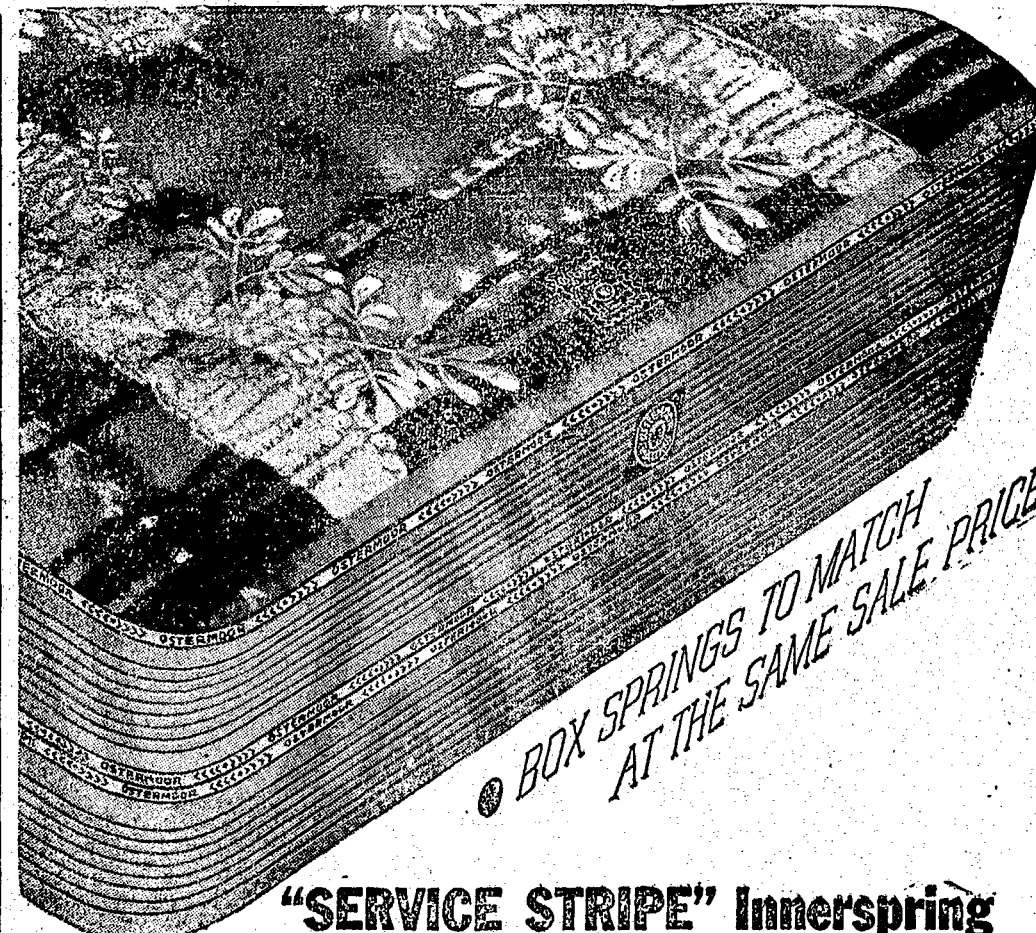
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