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CITY HALL SITE STILL THE QUESTION

Commission Did Not Reach Decision
Tuesday Night

Where Watervliet should build its new city hall and fire station is a question over which citizens and members of the City Commission are still debating and since the meeting of the Commission a week ago another proposed site has been offered. This is the Frank Haynes property at the corner of First and Pleasant streets and includes lot 78 and the east 50 feet of lot 160, making 128 1/2 feet on Pleasant street and what Mr. Haynes believes is 42 feet on First street. The exact frontage on First street is being ascertained. The price is \$1800.

Mr. Haynes says he will quote the city a price on the entire property which is the east 113 feet of lot 160 and lot 78, making 101 1/2 feet on Pleasant street.

The other two sites which have been under consideration from the start are the Dr. Gunn site on Short street and the Watervliet Milling Company site at the corner of First and Pleasant streets.

The Gunn site, which is approximately 120 feet on Short street and a depth of 60 feet is priced to the city now at \$1500.

A change has been made in the dimensions of the site offered by the Milling Company, increasing the frontage on Pleasant street from 40 to 50 feet and shortening the depth from 70 feet to 60 feet. The price on this site is \$1600.

Representatives of four architect firms appeared before the Commission and each submitted his drawings of a proposed structure for the city hall. Those represented were A. A. Schwartz of Chicago, who owns a summer home at Paw Paw Lake, Messrs Leroy & Newlander Kalamazoo; Colton, Knecht, McFarley & Theband, Grand Rapids; Mr. Laker of the Watervliet Paper Co. and his firm were the architects for the Watervliet school building.

Watervliet Auto Dealer Files Bankruptcy Petition

Harry L. Robbins, Watervliet automobile dealer, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the federal district court at Grand Rapids, listing liabilities of \$6,000 and assets of \$200. Mr. Robbins operated a service station for Hudson and Essex cars at Watervliet the past few months.

Ralph Shumway, Allegan merchant, has filed a bankruptcy petition, listing liabilities of \$5,000.18 and assets of \$1,586.75.

POPULAR WATERVLIET COUPLE MARRIED AT SOUTH BEND

Preston Dodd and Miss Onalee Wood
Give Friends Surprise

The many friends of Preston Dodd and Miss Onalee Wood, well known and popular Watervliet young people, were surprised the first of the week at the announcement of their marriage.

The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock Saturday night, November 15, at the parsonage of the Presbyterian church in South Bend, Indiana. Rev. Lake officiating. They were attended at the ceremony by Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Spreen of Watervliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodd are at home in their cottage across the street from the Bay View Hotel, Paw Paw Lake. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Dodd and he is associated with his father in the management of the Bay View Hotel properties.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wood. She is a graduate of the Watervliet high school, Kalamazoo Business College and for the past two years has been employed as bookkeeper in the First National Bank of Watervliet.

Popular Bainbridge Young People Wed

John Dannaffel and Miss Frances Schube, well known and popular Bainbridge young people, were married at the court house in Paw Paw Wednesday, November 19, 1930. They were attended by Miss Rose Dannaffel and Alfred Dannaffel, sister and brother of the groom. Following the ceremony the wedding party motored to this city where a group photograph was taken at the Biondi Studio. Both the bride and her maid of honor were attired in pretty gowns of pale green.

White Cross Thanksgiving Funds.

At this Thanksgiving season when we remember our own many blessings, it is a fitting time at which to remember also those less fortunate than ourselves, and members and friends of Methodist churches throughout the Kalamazoo district are at this time making their annual gifts to the Methodist Bronson hospital at Kalamazoo.

The apportionment to the local church is \$45 and it is hoped that this amount may be raised next Sunday morning.

Funds obtained through the White Cross go toward free and part-pay service in Methodist institutions for those who must rely upon the church for loving and kindly aid in time of need, and your gift, be it ever so small, will help someone. Any gifts for this worthy cause will be thankfully received and greatly appreciated.

Record Business Ads bring results.

BERRIEN MARKETED \$6,000,000 OF FRUIT

\$4,225,891.50 Worth of Produce Sold
Over Benton Harbor Market—Remainder Shipped Direct by Growers
To Market or Sold at Roadside
Stands, to Truckers, Handled by
Associations or Put up by Canning
Companies

The volume of fruit that was sold over the new fruit market at Benton Harbor from June 1 to October 8, 1930, was reported by market officials to have sold for over \$4,000,000. While no figures are available for the amount of fruit sold and shipped from Benton Harbor in the year 1929, it is believed that the income to the farmers and growers for the year 1929 were still larger, in spite of the fact that the peach crop was a complete failure in Berrien county last year.

Statistics given out by the market master reveal that there were the equivalent of 6,837 cars of fruit and produce sold over the new market during the past year, and the cash receipts for the same were disclosed as \$4,225,891.50. Market Master Glen Woodward has kept daily record of the number of loads of fruit received, the number of packages on each load, the number of buyers who operated on the market each day, and other items of interest to all who are interested in the development of the fruit industry in Berrien county and all Southwestern Michigan.

Tree Fruits Took Lead

Tree fruits are reported to have made up 40 per cent of the total number of packages of produce sold over the market; grapes were next with 35 per cent of the total; small fruits made up 10 per cent; vegetables, 10 per cent and melons, 5 per cent.

Following are the official figures as announced by the market master: Total number of growers' loads of fruit, 82,125; total number of packages, 4,247,781; total number of out of town buyers who operated on the market, 5,855; number of buyers who operated by the season, 106; there were an average of 47,341 packages of fruit and vegetables offered for sale daily, 763 farmers bringing in an average of 51.6 packages per load; the number of buyers averaged about 100 per day. The report further indicated that the sales of fruit approximated 6,837 cars for the season, or an average of 68 cars per day that the market was open.

The greater amount of the produce sold over the market was produced in Berrien county, although growers within a radius of fifty miles found that the market afforded them the best opportunity for disposing of their produce, and some varieties of fruit were brought in from other counties.

Total Reaches Higher Figure

The above figures fail to reveal the real value of Berrien county's fruit and vegetable crop for the year 1930, for a vast amount was never taken to the Benton Harbor market. Many thousands of packages of fruit were sold from the roadside stands; thousands more packages were sold to truckers direct from the farms; the various fruit associations and packing houses throughout the county sold and shipped a vast amount of fruit and vegetables, and the various canning factories that are operated in Berrien county have taken care of many thousands more packages of strawberries, raspberries, dewberries, blackberries, cherries, gooseberries, string beans, peas, tomatoes, pears and other produce, which would bring the value of Berrien county's fruit crop for the year far higher than the figures of the Benton Harbor market would indicate.

It is conservatively estimated that with the vast amount of produce that is picked up throughout the county by the truckers, and that handled through the other agencies cited above, that only about two-thirds of the county's fruit and vegetables are included in the valuation of more than \$4,225,891.50, as placed by the market master, and that the real value of the crops of all the figures could be obtained, would be nearer the \$6,000,000 mark for the year 1930.

First School Debate Here Monday Eve.

The first decisional debate of the season will be held Monday evening, Nov. 24, at 7:30, in the high school gym. Watervliet will uphold the affirmative and St. Joseph will take the negative. The question is one that ought to interest every citizen of Watervliet—Resolved: That the chain stores operating in the State of Michigan are a detriment to the people of the state. The home teams consist of: Affirmative, Elizabeth Osterander, Gordon Austin and Arthur Miller. Negative, Ralph Brink, Edward Balers, Bernard Hutchins and Kenneth Smith.

The debate is the first of a series put on by the Berrien County Debate League. Watervliet did not enter the State League this year because it gives only three people the practice of debating, while this year seven pupils are being trained and will have the practice of debating before an audience.

Come to Berrien County For Guernsey Cattle

That Berrien county is generally recognized as a place to come for registered cattle was demonstrated again this week when a truckload of Guernsey cattle left Watervliet Tuesday morning for Home, Macomb county. The cattle were purchased by the E. F. Fisher farm and were loaded at the Knapp & Woodworth dairy farm near Watervliet. Two of the animals were heifers raised by Knapp & Woodworth three heifers raised by Earl Hemingway of Sodus and one bull by Ballant & Son of Niles.

The day previously the Fisher Farm purchased nine head of registered Guernsey cattle near Jackson. Mr. W. W. Knapp says the lot that went from Watervliet Tuesday morning were all exceptionally fine ones and Mr. Knapp stated that the price paid was fair considering general conditions.

FIRST NATIONAL RECEIVES BANK CURRENCY ISSUE

Increase of \$15,000 Recently Arranged
For Now in Circulation

The First National Bank of Watervliet has been doing its part to make money more plentiful in the country, although it cannot guarantee that it will be any easier to get hold of. Some time ago the board of directors authorized an increase in the bank's national currency issue from \$15,000 to \$30,000 and during the past week the force at the bank have been passing these crisp new bills out in the course of business.

National bank currency carries the name of the bank issuing it and states that the bank will pay to bearer the sum of money indicated on the bill. However, that does not mean that the currency has no other backing than that of the institution in whose name it is issued. By act of Congress National banks are authorized to issue paper currency up to the amount of their capital stock, but in order to do so the bank must first purchase a certain issue of United States bonds, bearing a rate of interest of only two per cent, in a sum equal to the amount of paper currency to be issued. These bonds always sell at a considerable premium because of this currency privilege. The bonds are deposited by the bank with the United States treasury and the currency is printed by the government and forwarded to the bank issuing it. The bank is also required to pay the government a tax of one-half of one per cent on this currency issue.

In reality national bank currency is accepted anywhere in the country as good because the United States government guarantees its payment and not solely because the bank is a sound financial institution.

REV. G. R. PARKER RESIGNS
HIS WATERVLIET PASTORATE

Accepts Call to Congregational Church
At Charlevoix

The resignation of Rev. G. Russell Parker as pastor of the Congregational church of this city came as a distinct surprise to the members of the church and friends who were present at the business meeting following the fall get-together supper held last Tuesday evening in the social rooms of the church. It was with much regret that the members of the church accepted the resignation of Mr. Parker as his work in the church and community has been one of outstanding character. Especially has this been so with his work among the young people and the adults as well as the younger crowd will feel his loss in this respect very greatly. Mr. Parker has accepted a call to the Charlevoix Congregational church and expects to terminate his pastorate here January first.

YOUTH, 15, IS DEAD AFTER
CRASH AT HARTFORD

Two Students Injured Monday in
Wreck Near Buchanan

Lloyd D. Dickinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Dickinson of Benton Harbor, died at the Taber sanitarium in that city, Monday night, from injuries sustained in an automobile crash at Hartford on Sunday, when he sustained a fractured skull. He had accompanied Victor Carlson, also of Benton Harbor, to Hartford and there is said to have crashed into a trailer behind a truck that bore no lights to warn approaching drivers. The accident happened near the Pere Marquette tracks about 7:00 p. m.

The victim was 15 years old and was an athlete, being a member of the second string high school team at Benton Harbor high and had participated in the Y. M. C. A. boxing bouts. He was also a member of the Boy Scouts drum and bugle corps. Besides his parents, he is survived by a sister and two younger brothers. Funeral services were held on Thursday.

Two Injured at Buchanan

Two Buchanan girls, each seven years old, were seriously injured, Monday afternoon when an automobile driven by Mrs. Lyle Smith of Buchanan is said to have left the highway when she lost control of it and ran into the yard of the Deary avenue school where a group of children were playing. Barbara Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace, is said to have sustained injuries to her chest, internal injuries and possibly a fractured skull. Leone Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Campbell, sustained a fracture of the right wrist.

Old newspapers for sale at Record
Record Office.—Adv.

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Classified advertisements in The
Record bring results.—Adv.

PAPER COMPANY TO INSTALL BIG COATER

Investment of \$50,000—Will Furnish
Employment to Fifteen Additional
Workers

The Watervliet Paper Company is making preparations for the installation of another coating machine. The order for this machine has been placed with the John Waldron Co. of New Brunswick, New Jersey, and it is expected that the new machine will be in operation before March 1st, 1931. President George K. Ferguson of the paper company stated this week when interviewed regarding the additional equipment that is to be installed in the coating department of the Watervliet plant.

This additional machine has been under consideration by the board of directors for some time and when in operation it will greatly increase the output of fine coated papers for which the Watervliet paper mill has an enviable reputation in the paper trade of the country.

The new machine is to be the arch type coating machine and will coat a roll of paper 94 inches wide. It will be the only paper coating machine of its type operating in this paper making territory and will have several new and improved features over the type of paper coating machines now generally in use in the paper mills of the Kalamazoo district. The largest coating machine of the battery now in operation at the Watervliet plant handles a sheet of paper 72 inches wide.

Announcement of this enlargement is only one of many extensive changes and improvements made at the Watervliet mill since it was taken over and rehabilitated by the present company twenty years ago.

This new machine will be placed in the basement of the present coating mill structure and the preliminary work of getting ready for the installation is now under way.

The addition of this machine entails a new capital investment in plant of approximately \$50,000 and an increase in operatives of fifteen people.

FIRE IN HAYS WOODS BROUGHT UNDER SUBJECTION

Beautiful Grove of Trees Saved By
Work of Fire Fighters and Water
From City Mains.

Water from the city mains furnished the weapon that made the successful fight against the fire in the Hays woods near Paw Paw Lake last week. The fire had been smoldering for over a week in the underground peat and finally became alarming and attracted the attention of residents of that district.

Chief E. P. Young of the Watervliet fire department was called on for help after Mr. Hays' men had fought the fire unsuccessfully for several days. Chief Young got on the ground himself with apparatus and two of the firemen. Supervisor John Warman and Highway Commissioner Henry Hutchins also rendered assistance. Mr. Hays sent men and fire hose here from Kalamazoo and the state conservation department sent a couple of wardens to give assistance. A line of hose was laid from the fire hydrant at Pokagon Heights and the water from the city mains proved to be the effective agency in putting out the fire.

Fifteen large trees in the grove toppled over after the burning peat had severed the roots of the trees, and for a time destruction of the beautiful grove was threatened.

Prominent Bainbridge Resident Dies

Julius D. Balers, one of the oldest and most prominent residents of Bainbridge, passed away at his home at 4:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, at the age of 63 years, death following an extended illness.

In 1904, Mr. Balers, his wife and two children, journeyed across the seas, coming to America from Volinia, Russia, making their first settlement in Bainbridge, south of Watervliet, where they have resided since. He began farming on a small basis, and through his hard labor and good management soon rose to higher prominence.

Complaining of ill health, Mr. Balers submitted to a serious operation on January 24, 1929, from which he never fully recovered, but was able to be about most of the time, when three weeks ago he was suddenly stricken, compelling him to remain in bed until his death Sunday.

He was well known in this community and had a large circle of friends, who deeply grieve his sudden departure.

In 1892 Mr. Balers was united in marriage to Alvina Bergwardt and to this union were born eight children, of whom five are living. His oldest son passed away just one year ago the thirteenth. Had Mr. Balers lived until Monday he and Mrs. Balers would have celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary, but a stronger voice claimed him.

Surviving, besides his widow, are three sons, Henry, Arnold and Elmer, and two daughters, Hulda and Olga; also his aged father, Daniel Balers, who has reached the age of 92 years, and is in excellent health, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. at the home and 2:00 p. m. at the St. Paul's Evangelical church. Rev. Hans Zarnstein officiating. Burial was on the family lot in the Watervliet cemetery.

Emptied School Building of Pupils in
Fifty Seconds

A fire drill was conducted at the Watervliet public school building Tuesday morning and the structure was emptied of 525 pupils and the teachers in fifty seconds. Supt. Shelters announced that he was well pleased with the effective discipline that made the feat possible and he believes that the performance could be repeated in the event of a real emergency.

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Record bring results.—Adv.

HERE AND THERE

It looks bad for "scofflaws" who may be brought before the bar of justice at the November term of the Cass county circuit court, convening November 24. Out of a jury panel of 30 members, ten are women.

George B. Dolliver, Grand Master of the Michigan Masons, laid the cornerstone of Benton Harbor's new post office building, and saw to it that the stone was set squarely, square and level. Benton Harbor people have waited for thirty years for this new federal building, and as a great deal depends on the proper laying of the cornerstone of a structure, they had it put in place by the head of the craft in Michigan.

Our good friend, Editor D. F. Cochran of the Hartford Day Spring, by the way appears to have gotten the voters of his county into a state of mind whereby they will not vote anything but the Republican ticket, regardless of the provocation, does not begrudge us a little satisfaction over what happened in the recent election. Editor Cochran says: "The meagre comfort afforded a political loser has for years been the portion of Leon D. Case, mayor of Watervliet and editor of the Record of that city. Mayor Case is a natural born and consistent Democrat, who rode into the state senate for a term when the Republicans of Cass and Berrien counties were in a party row. He is finding delight in the Democratic zephyrs that blew a number of its party candidates into office on November 4. Mayor Case was a caller at the Day Spring office the last of the week, and keenly relished bantering the editor of this newspaper over the election results. We accept his chiding. Politics has been a subject of friendly banter between Mayor Case and the Day Spring for years. By all that is fair he ought to have his inning once—and he is making the most of it."

On another page of this paper will be found an advertisement of the First National Bank of this city inviting subscriptions to a part of its proposed increase in capital stock. Watervliet is going steadily forward in business and industrial growth and the action that is being taken by its financial institution is only keeping step with the town's advancement.

A. A. Howard, of The Record staff, has a souvenir poster of the political campaign of 1884, that he has saved all of these years. It is a Republican campaign leaflet with colored illustrations depicting the artist's conception of the effect of "Protection" on one side and "Free Trade" on the other. The dress of the persons shown in the illustrations, the furnishings of two homes, and other detail of the drawings, no doubt were accurate portrayals of the time, if not of the political issue. The Republican candidates that year were Blaine and Logan and the Democratic candidates Cleveland and Hendricks. The Democrats were elected. In Michigan Blaine received 192,669 votes and Cleveland 189,361.

Delightful Indian summer weather has continued the past week with temperatures usually experienced in late September or early October. Yesterday and today it has been so mild that any artificial heat at all made it uncomfortably warm in homes and business places. Business places have their front doors open during mid-day. Grass on the lawns and meadows is as green as in spring and dandelions are seen sticking their yellow faces up here and there. Our citizens who have hastened South should have remained for Michigan's most delightful month of the year—so far.

Governor Green has extended merited recognition to Editor Donald F. Cochran of the Hartford Day Spring by appointing him a delegate to the National Rivers and Harbor Congress at Washington in December. It is unfortunate that Editor Cochran finds himself unable to accept the appointment because of previous engagements.

The Chicago hog market has reached the lowest price in six years.

City Treasurer Returns \$847.15 In
Delinquent Taxes.

City Treasurer C. Guy Curtis has made his annual report to the City Commission of collections from the city taxes. Out of a total on the roll of \$19,995.00, he collected \$19,148.45, leaving delinquents \$847.15. The delinquent taxes were ordered re-assessed on the winter roll.

Compared with other towns this is a very good showing in tax payments.

LIBRARY NOTICE

The librarians of the Ladies' Library Association wishes to announce that the library will close at 4:30 p. m. that being the time that the school house is locked.



Where You Can Find It
When Needed

Keep your first aid kit in the medicine cabinet where it will be handy when needed, and be sure all the essential articles are in it. It may be the means of saving a life; it is always a measure of safety insurance well worth its insignificant cost.

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UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICES SUNDAY

Rev. Babbitt Will Deliver Address at
Congregational Church.

Sunday evening, Nov. 23, there will be a Union Thanksgiving service at the Congregational church. This is a service that goes back many years of cooperation between the Methodist and Congregational churches of this city. Years ago the service was held the morning of Thanksgiving Day. Later it was shifted to the evening before and next Sunday will begin another shift, to Sunday evening preceding. The pastors have alternated in delivering the address and this year it falls upon Rev. Babbitt to fill this office. Rev. Mr. Babbitt is a new minister in our midst. He has already commanded the respect of all who have met and heard him. He will have a message of vital interest and will deliver it in a most pleasing manner.

To say that "the public is invited" may sound old and worn out but there are no other English words that carries the message so well. Every man, woman and child should come. Watervliet has real reason to be thankful. Farmers report splendid results, our mill has kept its wheels turning, we have few unearned families. Join with us.

TUBERCULOSIS CHRISTMAS

SEAL SALE STARTS NOV. 27
THANKSGIVING DAY

Berrien County People Purchased
\$2,994.20 Worth in 1929

Wholehearted support of the 1930 sale of tuberculosis Christmas seals is requested by Dr. Alexander G. Ruthven, president of the University of Michigan and chairman of the State Christmas Seal Honorary Committee, in a statement officially designating Thanksgiving Day as the opening date of the sale.

The traditional Thanksgiving Day start of the sale according to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, will be signaled in Berrien county by the sending of 1,047,000 seals to residents of the county. In 1929 Berrien county residents purchased \$2,994.20 worth of the seals. This figure represents an average per person sale of 3.60 cents, compared to 4.81 cents for the state at large.

"Thanksgiving Day," Dr. Ruthven's statement reads, "marks the beginning of the sale of Christmas seals, by which the campaign against tuberculosis is financed. Tuberculosis becomes increasingly a problem when many are forced to do without proper food and are subjected to other privations. Present conditions of unemployment and restricted diet prophesy a pronounced increase in the number of tuberculosis deaths such as occurred in European countries, for example, at the time of the World War."

"The Christmas seal sale furnishes the opportunity to guard against this threat of added tuberculosis, with all that it implies in costly sickness, premature death, and bereaved families. All who can do so should purchase the seals. Not only will such purchases help save lives now, but, equally important, they will allow institution of measures to prevent future deaths having their origin in present circumstances."

Riverside Church Gives Reception For
Pastor and Family

A reception is to be held this Thursday evening at the town hall in Riverside for Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Babbitt and family of this city, and in connection with the affair the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cutler of Riverside will be observed. The couple will re-light their vows before a large crowd of relatives and friends and Rev. Babbitt will be the officiating clergyman.

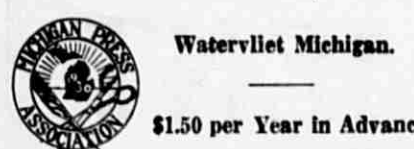
Mr. Cutler is a cousin of Sheriff-elect Fred J. Cutler of Benton Harbor and Deputy Sheriff Phil Cutler of this city, and the couple are well known pioneer residents of Riverside.

A turkey dinner, sponsored by the Ladies' Aid Society of Riverside, will be served at 6:30 o'clock, and the whole affair promises to be the biggest and most unique event of the season.

Rev. Babbitt is pastor of the Watervliet, Coloma and Riverside Methodist churches.

Epworthians Entertain Coloma League

The Epworth League of the local M. E. church will entertain the young people of the Coloma church at a breakfast, served in the dining room of the church at 7 o'clock Thanksgiving day morning. The breakfast is in charge of Miss Evelyn Kulebes, and the program which follows is under the supervision of Bobby Robbins. All members and friends of the Epworth League of both the Watervliet and Coloma churches are invited.



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WATERVLIET, MICH.

In the matter of the estate of

Jerusha Rogers, deceased.

Helen Babcock, having filed in said

court her final administration account

and her petition praying for the allow-

ance thereof and for the assignment

and distribution of the residue of said

estate.

It is ordered that the said day of

December, A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock

in the forenoon, at said probate office,

be and is hereby appointed for exam-

ining and allowing said account and

hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public

notice thereof be given by publication

of a copy of this order for three suc-

cessive weeks previous to said day of

hearing. By the Watervliet Record,

newspaper printed and circulated in

said county.

(Seal) WILLIAM H. ANDREWS,

Judge of Probate.

LILLIA O. SPRAGUE,

A True Copy. Judge of Probate.

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Bananas, nice, large fruit 6 lbs.	25c
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HOMINY, I. G. A., large cans, 3 for	29c
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Allen Woodruff spent a few days in the North Woods hunting last week.

George Hones was over from Chicago last Friday looking after his farming interests.

Miss Marian Waller of Kalamazoo has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edgar Donovan, this week.

Mrs. B. M. Randall of Niles visited here over the week end at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Alfing.

Cashier Uyleau Shimer of the First National Bank made a business trip to Chicago Wednesday, returning today.

E. L. St. Marie, Dick Curtis and Izzie Dunham attended the Michigan-Minnesota football game at Ann Arbor last Saturday.

Mrs. Florida Fuller and son Robert have taken the George Smith home for the winter, having moved in from Paw Paw Lake last week.

Mrs. Winifred Sterner is now able to be up and around the house after being confined to her bed for the past ten weeks with rheumatism.

Mrs. C. I. Monroe went to Cedar Springs Monday and is spending the week there visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Anna Beucus.

Lester Morlock and family have moved to a residence near the Benton Harbor Airport, where Mr. Morlock has been employed for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Orien Dade and little daughter Genevieve of Hartford spent Sunday here at the home of Mrs. Dade's mother, Mrs. John Peacock.

Miss Retha Chambers and Miss Gertrude Weinberg, both teachers in the Ionia public schools, spent the week end here at the home of former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers.

Constable and Mrs. John Hammel returned home Monday from a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chase at Ionia. They also visited Miss Retha Chambers of this city, a teacher in the Ionia schools.

Miss Hattie Sayles, art supervisor in the Grand Rapids schools, and Miss Gertrude Vanderbrook, art supervisor in the Battle Creek schools visited here over the week end with the former's sister, Miss Julia Sayles, English teacher in the Watervliet schools.

Mrs. George Peterson and little son Richard went to Kalamazoo Wednesday afternoon, accompanied by her father, Claude Knapp. Mrs. Peterson is spending the remainder of the week there at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Austin, former Watervliet people.

Wilfred Clark and Hugh Warren returned from Grayling Wednesday where they went to hunt deer with Mr. Clark's father. They brought home a deer which was killed by A. J. Clark. They report deer plentiful and lots of hunters in the woods.

Mrs. Nellie Holton, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Bradley, of Lacota, visited the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. Leonard Hathaway, here last Thursday and Friday. These ladies also called on Arno Hall, who is second cousin to one and third cousin to the other.

Some of the readers of The Record are under a misimpression concerning the status of the old school property in this city, in suggesting that the city should use some of this ground for its proposed municipal building. This property does not belong to the city, but to the Watervliet school district.

Directors of the First National Bank were treated to a generous block of the Watervliet Candy Kitchen's delicious home made fudge at their regular November meeting Monday night, the gift of the proprietor, J. P. Moran. The board members were further refreshed by some of Watervliet's celebrated sweet cider, furnished by Director Frank C. Smith.

One of the week's charming parties was given at the Coloma hotel on Monday afternoon, when Mrs. Charles Smith of Coloma and Mrs. Florida Fuller of Watervliet entertained 32 guests at a one o'clock bridge luncheon. The guests found their places for the luncheon by means of pretty place cards. Following the luncheon eight tables of bridge were played.

Mrs. Mae Bishop was hostess on Tuesday afternoon at her residence at the first of a series of two o'clock bridge luncheons. Four tables were arranged for cards following the delicious repast, with tables gay with bouquets of pink and white chrysanthemums. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. Mae Genoar. The second party was given Wednesday afternoon, when three tables were arranged for bridge.

The present term of the Berrien County circuit court, which came to a close with the trial of the St. Joseph arson case this week, has been the longest jury term since Circuit Judge Charles E. White has been on the Berrien county bench, he says. The jury has served with tables for nine weeks. The Watervliet members of the jury during this term of court were F. W. Emerson for this city and O. A. Dodd for the township. Mr. Dodd was a member of the arson case jury.

Elmer Rose returned home last Saturday from Ashton, Lee county, Illinois, where he had been working for a number of weeks husking corn. The man for whom he husked corn had 40 acres that yielded 1700 bushels and another field of 70 acres that went 50 bushels to the acre. In that section growers do not cut and shock the corn as is the custom here, but the ears are picked from the stalks and husked into wagons and later cattle are turned into the fields to eat the fodder.

FOR THE PUBLIC

An old time dancing party will be given at the Toquian Gleaner Hall, Saturday evening, November 22nd. Music furnished by the Lenthe's Orchestra. Admission 25c. 11-21p

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Willard Renne is reported very ill at his home in South Watervliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miltabarger of Marcellus spent Sunday at the R. D. Matrau home.

C. W. Lewis is driving a new Ford sedan, which he purchased of the Watervliet Motor Sales.

Mrs. Marguerite Cole is reported seriously ill at her home at Forest Beach, Paw Paw Lake.

Mrs. Bugbee has been seriously ill of heart trouble at her home on Paw Paw avenue the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Larsen of Burr Oak were callers last week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Babbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haid of Bainbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Truhn of St. Joe spent Sunday in Valparaiso, Indiana.

The P. J. Krehoff and J. C. Zientara families have closed their summer homes at Forest Beach and returned to Chicago.

Members of the Honor Bright Club enjoyed a six-dishy dinner and social evening at the home of Mrs. D. C. Wood Tuesday night.

The Royal Neighbor Camp of this city enjoyed a community dinner this Thursday at the hall, followed by the regular lodge session.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Shultz have closed their summer home at Edgewater for the season and went to Chicago this week for the winter.

Mrs. William Gillard, her daughter, Miss Maggie, and son, George, spent the week end in Chicago. Lawrence Fay accompanied them.

The Senior Bible class of the M. E. Sunday School are holding their November business and social meeting at the home of Miss Nellie Smith, on South Main street, today.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rosenberg of Benton Harbor, former Watervliet people, are the parents of a baby daughter, born November 19, 1930, at Mercy hospital. The little girl weighed eight and one-half pounds.

Mrs. Della Harris entertained twelve members of the Sunshine Club at a six-thirty dinner at her home on Congress street, Wednesday. A four-course dinner was served, followed by cards as the evening's entertainment.

Ray Hoadley, son of Mrs. Grace Hoadley, well known Paw Paw Lake summer resident, underwent a major operation at the Tarpon Springs, Fla. hospital, on Sunday, November 16th. He is doing as well as can be expected.

E. A. Pannier of Chicago, former resident of East Watervliet, has been visiting friends in Bainbridge and Watervliet a few days this week. Mr. Pannier says he came over to enjoy some of Michigan's delightful November weather.

Wm. A. Meech of Keppen, Montana, recently visited here at the home of his sister, Mrs. David Steele. Mr. Meech has a large ranch in Montana and came to Chicago with a shipment of cattle. Besides raising cattle he has large acreages of grain and harvests it with a combine.

Mrs. Grace Stewart returned to her home at Fairmount, Indiana, Monday, after spending the week end here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Leonard. Mrs. Stewart was called to Grand last week by the death of her step-daughter, Mrs. Earl Reynolds and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Leonard from there to Watervliet Friday.

Mrs. Edna Piersall of Millburg has been spending the past week or more here assisting in the care of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Wetmore, who was seriously injured when she slipped and fell while at work at the Coloma cannery factory about four weeks ago. Mrs. Wetmore is slowly recovering from her injuries and is now able to sit up a little.

The Monday Club of this city gave Mrs. Leonard Pierce a very enjoyable house warming party at her pretty new home in Hartford, Monday of this week. A one-o'clock luncheon was served at tables beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums. The afternoon was passed in playing bridge, honors being awarded to Mrs. F. M. Keasey and Mrs. Leonard Pierce.

Mrs. Claud Rosenberg of Colfax ave., Benton Harbor entertained at a 1:00 o'clock bridge luncheon Tuesday afternoon in honor of the birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. Harry Whitney of this city. Those from Watervliet who attended were Mrs. Albert Stahl, Mrs. Ed Harbin, Mrs. Chris Krieger, Mrs. Albert Barnhart, Mrs. Henry Dill and Mrs. C. E. Shepard.

The Friday Club meeting on Friday afternoon of last week, with Mrs. P. H. Lewis as hostess, and eighteen members and one guest present, enjoyed a program dealing with the "Institutions of Michigan." Mrs. Lucy McGilivray gave a paper on "The State School for Blind." Mrs. Grace Sterner told about "The Industrial School for Boys at Lansing," and Mrs. Nettie Rice read a paper on "The Michigan State Hospital." For roll call members gave the names of a public institution. During the business session the name of Miss Ruth Sweeting was added to the membership list. Meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Grace Sterner November 28. The hostess served delicious apples, while the members lingered to visit with one another.

NEARBY NEWS NOTES

Harry Pratte, 28, who was injured a year ago while working at the Otsego paper mill, died last Thursday at a Kalamazoo hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grinage, both 42, were arraigned in justice court at Allegan last Thursday on an arson charge in connection with the burning of a barn on their farm near Martin.

The county Royal Neighbor lodges met last week in Stevensville, as guests of the Derby Camp. Fifteen Camps were represented at the convention. At the election officers Mrs. Zillard Goodman of Niles was elected president; Mrs. Arata of New Buffalo, vice president; Mrs. Carrie Rosenberry of Niles, secretary and treasurer. Niles was selected as the place for the 1931 convention.

Bainbridge Church Bazaar Postponed
The Bazaar of the Bethany Girls of St. Paul's Evangelical church has been postponed for two weeks.

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Men's Wool Mixed Socks
special, pair **15c**

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Men's Corduroy Coats,
sheepskin lined, special .. **\$6.95**

Men's Part Wool Union Suit,
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Children's Sleeping Garment
reg. \$1.35 value, special **89c**

Large Aluminum Kettle, reg-
ular \$1.50 value, special .. **98c**

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10 pounds Sweet Potatoes for	25c
Oranges, per dozen	35c
5 nice Grape Fruit	25c
2 lbs. Sawyer Ginger Snaps	25c
10 bars P & G Soap	39c
2 pounds Dates	25c

Cream of the Valley Flour	59c
Pure Cider Vinegar, per gallon	25c
10 pounds Granulated Sugar	49c
Select Santos Coffee, pound	25c
10 bars Flake White Soap	39c

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Bell System To Connect Its United States Network With Far Eastern Countries.

Sites for radio stations for telephone service across the Pacific ocean have been purchased by the Transpacific Communication Company, Ltd., a subsidiary of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, according to an announcement today by Burch Foraker, president of the Michigan Bell Telephone company. Erection of the stations will begin early next year and service between the United States and Hawaii is scheduled for January, 1932. This is the first step in the move of the Bell System to connect its United States network with far eastern countries in or bordering on the Pacific. The project contemplates eventual establishment of services to Japan, Australia, the Philippines and Alaska, as well as ships at sea.

The transmitting station will be located at Dixon, California, near Sacramento. The 20-kilowatt transmitter to be installed there, which will be similar to those used in the transatlantic telephone service, will operate on wave lengths between 14 and 44 meters. The antennas will have marked directional characteristics. Other transmitters will be installed as new channels are opened.

The receiving station will be located at Point Reyes, California, on the coast northwest of San Francisco. Its antennas also will have directional characteristics. The equipment for both stations is now being built by the Western Electric company and the Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc., the research organization of the American Telephone & Telegraph company.

The radio channels set up by these stations initially will connect with the telephone system of the Mutual Telephone company, of Hawaii. This consists of wire networks on several of the islands to be linked to each other by a low power, short wave radio telephone system that is being extended to cover practically the entire archipelago.

Found by Columbus
The island of Jamaica, whose Indian name "Xaymaca" means "islands of fountains" was discovered by Columbus on his second voyage, in 1494.

How It Carries On
It is said that wild life is vanishing in the wide open spaces. Maybe most of it has gone to the cities to carry on.—Wheeling Intelligencer.

Corpse Is Thrown Out as Truck Hits Hearse

Newark, N. J.—A gruesome accident occurred as a funeral cortege was proceeding with the body of Mrs. Mary Sullivan to the Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

The hearse, hit by a heavy truck coming down a hill towards it, was rolled over on its side, the casket opened and the body thrown out into the interior of the hearse. It remained for drivers of other funeral cars following to extricate body and coffin and await the arrival of another hearse.

Postcard Travels 20 Years
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