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Pithy Points Picked Up and Patly Put By Our Peripatetic Pencil Pusher

Where's Elmer? Every Legionaire is on the lookout! President Roosevelt says: "The money is here—come and get it!" And to think that all we lack is the carfare to Washington.—Chesaning Argus.

Farmers residing near the shallow coal fields of Eaton and Ingham counties are not finding the fuel such hot stuff. The price is said to have been trebled lately, which, added to hauling expense and not so good burning qualities means rather costly fuel. Ten degrees above zero, read the thermometer in Lowell and vicinity Tuesday night, with snow covering the landscape. Extreme cold weather prevails over a goodly portion of the country. By contrast portions of the Pacific coast sweltered in heat and farmers sought relief at the beaches.

The new route from Grandville to Jenison on M-21 has been completed, including two bridges over Buck creek. The new thoroughfare is a series of graceful curves. The pavement is 80 feet wide, which means it is now in evidence all the way from Grand Rapids to Jenison. Some persons predict that this width of cement will be laid all the way to Chicago during the next half dozen years.

Kent county will be among the many Michigan counties that will be represented this year by exhibits at the International Live Stock Exposition, to be held at the Chicago Stock Yards December 2 to 9. According to the Exposition management, Robert MacFarland, of Grand Rapids, will send a show herd of twelve Polled Short-horn cattle to the competitors for this breed at the Chicago Exposition, reputed to be the largest agricultural show on the continent.

Many children of the village saw a cutter for the first time last Saturday and Sunday when a handsome two-wheeler with Portland body appeared on the streets to take advantage of the season's first snowfall. The cutter is owned by Benis Doyle and his sons, Thomas and Earl, who had a big time providing sleighrides for several who had never before enjoyed this healthful thrill. The maker of the automobile marked the end of the cutter as a means of transportation.

Mrs. Henry Lambert, 44, and her daughter, Rose Marie, were burned to death Saturday when fire hall. The fire followed explosion of a gasoline stove in the living quarters above the hall occupied by Lambert, the town's only full-time fireman, and his family. Three other children of the Lamberts escaped uninjured. Lambert made ineffectual efforts to reach his wife and baby, but was driven back by the flames. He was in the fire hall when the explosion occurred.

The winter stove league is having its big session right now trying to figure out just what significance attaches to the election of the Republican candidate for the legislature from Lansing last week. The Democratic candidate, it only means the Republican was elected. The Republicans assert that it is the beginning of the return of the party in power. However the fact remains that both parties used their state and county organizations to win and Allan A. MacDonald, the Republican candidate, polled 7,638 votes to 5,013 votes for the Democratic candidate, J. Gottlieb Reuter.

West Branch is the latest Michigan town to go oil-minded. A few weeks ago a producing oil well came in on the Wilcox farm on Section 34 of West Branch township. Last week another 400-barrel well was completed. Judging from the columns of Herald published in that town, the editor and the entire community are all "het up." A test oil well is also being drilled in one of the townships of Ionia county. Speaking of oil well, it is chanced to overhear R. VanDyke and D. G. Look express the opinion the other day that they would wager there was oil plenty in the vicinity of Lowell. Who knows?

It wasn't a burglar that disturbed the rest of the John VanderMolen family in their home at 2119 Edgewood ave., NE, in the dark hours of Saturday morning. Nor was it a pre-Armistice day celebrant who made the strange noises which routed out the family before its usual rising time. A wayward owl, exploring in the night-time, flew down the chimney of the VanderMolen house. Just before dawn the night bird apparently discovered the fix it was in, and the resultant flapping of wings caused strange tremors among the suddenly awakened humans. The owl was later placed in a temporary cage for the amusement of the neighborhood children and then released to resume its midnight wanderings. Some time ago the VanderMolens had a similar experience with a sparrow.

By Chet Howell, Poet By the bottle or the glass—that's the burning question; is it little or too much that gives us indignation? Never should we backward be—boldly our thoughts expressing; first upon the firing line, to aid a world pressing. Write to Comstock, air your views, don't appear the silly ass; tell Bill how you'd sell the stuff—by the bottle or the glass. Tell us one thing that has tended to the advancement and betterment of humanity that was not brought about by rebels. Can you?

FORTY-FIRST YEAR

LESTER DOERRIS ARMISTICE DAY L. H. S. SPEAKER

FORMER LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL DELIVERS SPLENDID ADDRESS—ATHLETIC TOPICS FEATURE PART OF PROGRAM.

The guest speaker of Lowell High School's Armistice day program was Mr. Lester Doerris of Grand Rapids. Dr. Stryker introduced Mr. Doerris, a former principal of Lowell High School, who is at present principal of the Grand Rapids Teachers' association and chaplain of the Grand Rapids council of American Legionnaires and the State Welfare Board of American Legion.

Mr. Doerris' theme was that once again the United States had successfully concluded a conflict in which the people saved the country. "Old glory has never been raised under a cause that was not just and has never been lowered until the cause was justly settled," he said. "We commemorate this Armistice day and pay tribute to those men and women who have made our country possible. We should not only look at the present and future but we should also look backward and see what has happened and to see what makes it possible for you and me to be here. He continued, "Many soldiers gave their lives that they might preserve for us what we enjoy today. We live here as heirs of those men who sacrificed that we might be. We have an obligation to assume, first of all it is our obligation to preserve and revere the memory and our debt to those patriots who served. It is also our sacred obligation to try to live in such a way that these institutions shall continue to exist. We are living in rather difficult days of change." In conclusion Mr. Doerris stated, "So live that you will be enabled to render unselfish service to your fellow men."

The athletic part of the program was in charge of Giles Sinclair with the assistance of Morse Schwacha, Bill Clark, Charles Houseman, Jack Bergin, and Harry Eickhoff.

Bill Clark gave a speech on the four types of plays; Jack Bergin, offense and defense; Morse Schwacha, scoring; Charles Houseman, penalties; and Harry Eickhoff explained that the success of the team was due to having such a fine coach as Mr. Finch.

Paul Kerekes sang and accompanied himself on the guitar in two selections: "I Would like to be in Texas for the Round-up in the Spring" and "Going Down the Road to Felicit' Bad."

Mr. Zwemer gave a talk on the jinx of Mr. Finch during the Holland Game. It turned out to be a suit of heavy underwear for a small child.

Suplt. W. W. Gunser sang "Stars and Stripes" accompanied by the 8th grade and accompanied at the piano by Miss Krueger.

MAXINE JONES

Charles Huebner, 41 Railroad Man, Dies

Charles Huebner passed away Sunday afternoon at St. Mary's hospital where he was taken a week previous, when he met with a serious accident at his home in Vergennes township.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Huebner and was born in Bloomington, Ill., November 8, 1892, and passed away November 12, 1933, at the age of 41 years.

He was united in marriage to Belle Beckwith of Vergennes, Michigan, September 19, 1918. They made their home in Grand Rapids until a year ago when they moved to the home formerly occupied by her parents. He was working for the Pennsylvania Division railroad and had been one of their employes for 14 years.

His genial way and smiling countenance always won him many friends.

Besides the widow he is survived by one brother, William Huebner, Jr.; four sisters, Mrs. M. Lanigan, Mrs. Charles Lanigan, and Mrs. E. Garvey, all of Bloomington, Ill., and Mrs. Marion Hayes of Clinton, Ill., and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held at the A. B. O'Brien funeral home in Grand Rapids Tuesday, November 14, at 2 p. m. The Rev. R. W. Merrill of Lowell, officiating. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery, Lowell.

Oil-Burning Trains Draw Attention Here

Another step in the forward march of transportation has been witnessed during the past few days by the people of Lowell, an electrically driven train which has been making trial trips on the Grand Trunk railroad has been passing through Lowell at 9:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Lowell times.

In appearance the train is much like the ordinary electric street car. The power is furnished by a Diesel engine that burns crude oil and generates electricity. There is but one operator in the cab room and a speed of 100 miles per hour is possible, it is said.

Your choice of either the Michigan Farmer or the Ohio Farmer in combination with the Ledger for \$2.25 per year.

Former Vergennes Man, Aged 81, Dies

Dewitt R. Parish, 81, a resident of Vergennes Township for a great many years, passed away at his residence in Grand Rapids Wednesday, November 8, following an illness of about two months. Mr. Parish moved to Grand Rapids shortly after his marriage to Miss Belle Boyd of that city. She died about 15 years ago. About ten years ago Mr. Parish was married to Florence Fuller of Lowell. During his residence in Grand Rapids he was a manufacturer of water tanks and towers. He was also engaged in the cider and vinegar business.

Besides the widow, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Pearl Collins of Detroit; a brother, Charles Parish of Oakland, Calif.; and a cousin, Mrs. Hattie Rouse of Lowell.

Ten Weeks' Series In Y Basketball

This year the Y. M. C. A. League will be known as the Kent-Ottawa League, because of the outside teams of Jamestown and Forest Grove. Jake Teigelar, the president, and his staff from Jamestown. At the first meeting the prospects for the 1933-34 season were reviewed. Plans were made for a ten week series for games beginning the first week in December. The last meeting of the League for the purpose of scheduling games will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on Monday, November 20. This year new teams are being organized at Comstock Park, and United States Leather Company, making two teams from that locality. Other new teams expected to enter are Cedar Springs and Southwestern Athletic Club of Grand Rapids. The old standbys, from Jamestown, Rockford, Lowell and Casnovia, will again furnish good competition, and of course endeavor to hold their standards at the top of the percentage column.

Fathers & Sons Banquet Together

Inspiring Address by Dr. B. H. Masselink—Enjoyable Program.

The Father and Son banquet, which was sponsored by churches of the community, was held at the Congregational Church Parish House Tuesday evening with more than a hundred in attendance.

Rev. S. B. Wenger introduced the toastmaster, Mr. Ray Avery, Mr. Adrian Zwemer asked a blessing before the banquet. The toast to the fathers was given by William Warren, and Rev. A. J. Hoolema responded with a toast to the sons.

A very enjoyable musical program was presented. Paul Kerekes sang several songs, accompanying himself on the guitar. Thomas Doyle sang a solo, accompanied by Mr. Royden Warner at the piano. Community singing was led by Suplt. W. W. Gunser.

The splendid address given by Dr. B. H. Masselink of Grand Rapids was greatly enjoyed by all the guests. The theme of his address was the composition of atoms, molecules and electrons. He told how, by scientific methods, we have learned that everything in the world is made up of electrical charges. Therefore, he is in everything. He also emphasized the necessity of good health habits and clean living.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church was in charge of the banquet and the serving was done by the High School girls.

George W. Potter Dies At Age 70

George W. Potter, a life-long resident of Keene and Saranac, passed away Sunday night, after several weeks illness.

He was born in Keene township and spent his earlier days there. In 1887 he was married to Miss Esther Ellison, who survives him together with three children—A. E. Potter of Greenville, Charles Potter of Ionia, and Mrs. Courtland McKay of Saranac; two brothers, Wilbur Potter of Boston township and Edwin Potter of Keene township; and two sisters, Mrs. Stella Kenney of Chicago, and Mrs. Homer Cutler of Grand Rapids.

He for a time conducted a drug store and later a hardware store here and for a time was manager of the Farmers Co-operative Creamery. For the past few years he was a clerk in the M. A. Wilkinson hardware store at Saranac.

He was a Mason and a member of the Saranac chapter O. E. S., and was highly respected by all.

The funeral was held from the home Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. E. H. Humphrey, and was under Masonic auspices. The burial was in Saranac cemetery.

SAYS STORAGE BUTTER WARMS NO CHILDREN

AMERICANS FAIL TO CREDIT DAIRY PRODUCTS WITH PROPER FOOD VALUES AT MARKETING—HOW TO REDUCE SURPLUS STOCKS TO BE DISCUSSED

Butter in cold storage adds no heat to the youngster's body, according to the dairy industry of Michigan, which has called a meeting at East Lansing, Nov. 21, to discuss ways of reducing the stocks now awaiting consumption. Michigan's stake in the meeting is represented by an annual production of 76,000,000 pounds of butter and by the purchase of an additional 18,000,000 pounds. Piling up storage butter affects the price of all dairy products, milk, ice cream and cheese. Drops in prices travel back to the dairy farms of the State, and also cut this amount in the pay envelopes of thousands of people who manufacture or handle dairy products. Consumption of butter has dropped during the past few years. This is in many cases a mistaken economy because this food product has fuel, energy and health values which should be included on the daily menu for every family.

People in the United States eat only 17 pounds of butter, while Canadians eat 25 pounds and while many Europeans consume even greater amounts. Foreign conditions in foreign countries are not enough better than here to account for the difference in food habits. Citizens of other nations have a better knowledge of the special food values of dairy products.

Speakers at the East Lansing meeting will be N. P. Hull, Lansing and M. G. Van Buskirk, Chicago. Mr. Hull is president of the Canadian Milk Producers Association and the Chicago speaker is assisting in a national campaign to increase butter consumption.

Wheat Contracts Ready to Sign

Word comes from Covina, Calif., where Elmer Layer is attending the Covina Preparatory School, that in the first football game of the season between Covina and the Southwest Military school, Covina defeated their opponent, 38-0. Elmer made two touchdowns. He has now made 7 touchdowns in 5 games and 4 points after touchdowns.

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Governor Calls Special Session

LIQUOR, BANKING AND BUILDING PROGRAM ON DOCKET

Gov. Wm. A. Comstock called the State Legislature in special session on Wednesday of this week. The three principal matters offered for consideration by the Governor are:

Liquor control; certain changes in the banking and insurance acts to permit the reorganization of banks and to permit them to qualify under the federal insured deposit laws and to permit insurance companies to take advantage of certain federal laws in relation to their frozen assets; and the matter of authorizing the state to borrow money of the federal government to construct certain buildings at state institutions.

The liquor bill presented includes a provision permitting sale of liquor by the drink in Detroit, Grand Rapids and Flint.

The plan set up provides that whiskey in cities of more than 100,000 population without a referendum. The three cities in this class could bar public drinking by a vote of the people. In all other municipalities, liquor sales would be limited to bottle quantities dispensed in Government stores.

Smaller Cities Have Option The smaller communities which are limited to sales through government stores could change to the metropolitan system by referendum under the terms of the contemplated measure.

Administration leaders are demanding a law which will make liquor easily accessible. They claim the object is to make bootlegging unprofitable.

DANCE AT FREEPORT Saturday evening, November 18.—Good music. Adv. c26

Earl Curtiss Learns from An Old Colored Man's Philosophy That it's Wiser to Be a Mule

Richmond, Va., Oct. 30, '33. To my many friends and neighbors:

Well, I did not expect to write so many letters, but so many things have happened this last week which you might enjoy that I am going to tell them. Last Friday we started running a line across a farm and one fine man and seven dogs. "Now what you 'uns doing on my farm?" I said in a joking laugh. "Going to build a road from Grand Rapids to Richmond." "Whar all is Grand Rapids?" she asked. "Over on the Pacific Ocean," I told her. "Now, where you all ocean?" "Just over that line of hills to the west," I answered. She looked me up and down, then said, "You 'uns pick up you 'uns traps and move off, or I set these dogs on you 'uns." I laughed and told her her dogs would not bite me. "They won't, hey?" and she tried to set them on us but could not. Then she told me I was a devil or her dogs would eat me up. Then the boss arrived and I thought the dogs would eat him. I had to use the rod on them to keep them off him. Now that was fun for me. Then on Saturday I came up through a piece of oak grubs which were very thick. I was following a path when all at once I heard some one say, "Whoo, Bill." An oldish man was plowing with one mule. They stopped and the man walked up and patted the mule and said, "Bill, you dog gon' homely old ass, you knows more 'n I do caus' as you have to do to get an' work a little, which I has to work hard all the time to get something for you and I to eat and clothes for me to wear, and all the time try to be good, and do good to others. While, you, old fool mule, don't care whether you is good or bad, it's all the same to you. Say, Bill, if you go over in that neighbor's corn to nite an' eat two bushels of corn, he won't say one word, only he say, 'well, you old crowd mule, you had one good feed this year' and that all he say. But, if I go over and husk two bushels of corn and take it to the mill and have it ground and feed it to you, that neighbor arrest me for stealing corn, and iffen I swear to the judge I never did, and the judge say 'go in peace; your neighbor made a mistake,' then, I read in the Good Book, 'thou must not steal and you must not bear false witness, 'cas' iffen you do you's goin' to Hell.' Now, Bill, you see where you out-smarts me and you's a poor old mule. Now I has to work hard to live, and practice so many golden rules in order to stay on that narrow path, while youse just wags your old ear and goes along with not one worry. Bill, iffen you lives to be an old mule you won't have to work one half as long as I have. Then when you die it's all over. But, when I die it's Heaven for ever and ever or Hell through eternity, so, Bill, your wiser being a mule than I am being a man." The old man laid his face up against the mule and Bill turned his head around and put his nose on the old man's face as much as to say, "I feel for you but can't reach you." I wish you all could have stood with me. Good Bye.

Lowell Boys Click In Big Football

Good reports come from former members of L. H. S. football team—boys who did their share in bringing gridiron glory to the old home town, giving us a team with an undefeated four year record.

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Bruce McVahan has been elected captain and quarterback of the freshman football team at M. S. C. and has played in all of the games according to reports he looks very promising.

Jim Green, also on the M. S. C. freshman team, has been doing excellent work.

Willie Wepman at C. S. T. C. is a member of the Freshman team and Richard Houseman and Lester Ross, also of C. S. T. C., have starred in a number of games.

Watch Out for Sharp Slickers

A trio comprising a man and two young women entered one of our local stores early Saturday evening and after one of the party had made a trivial purchase the other two proceeded to engage the proprietor's attention in a most part of the store, meanwhile the one who had made the small purchase pilfered the till of a ten dollar bill. All three left the store so hurriedly that the proprietor's suspicions were aroused and upon investigation the theft was discovered. Officers were notified at once but the trio had evidently made hasty departure for other fields.

Pilfering and short change tricks are being attempted together too common. Merchants are warned to be constantly on their guard.

Printshop Troubles

The Ledger has been produced this week under a heap of mechanical troubles. Heating elements in the electrical system used in connection with the linotype burned out last Thursday, and four days and nights of work under expert mechanics were necessary to repair the damage and install new elements. The publisher of The Ledger wishes to thank all who cooperated during our difficulties.

Today (Thursday) static electricity, the bane of all printing plants during cold weather, is adding to our difficulties. Guess we'll start wearing tight shoes so we can forget our troubles.

REPORT SHOWS YIELDS ABOVE EXPECTATIONS

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The favorable weather conditions during September and early October were unusually beneficial to the Michigan bean crop as a large proportion of the acreage this season was planted late. The preliminary figures for the 1933 production in this State show a crop of 3,208,000 bushels. Last year's near-record crop amounted to 4,254,000 bushels while the average for the five years 1928-30 is 2,866,000 bushels. The United States bean crop is estimated at 11,639,000 bushels which compares with 10,164,000 bushels harvested in 1932 and a five-year average production of 11,107,000 bushels.

Corn was the only grain which gave Michigan farmers better than an average return per acre this year. The 1933 yield is estimated at 31.0 bushels as against 33.0 bushels per acre for 1932 and a ten year average of 29.6 bushels. Although the total production of 42,315,000 bushels is less than that harvested last year, it is 20 per cent larger than the average for the five years preceding 1931. The United States corn crop is estimated at about 9 per cent below the five year average crop. These figures refer to the grain only. Estimates as to the utilization of the 1933 crop will be published in December.

The 1933 apple crop was, next to the 1931 production, the largest crop harvested in this State in the past nine years. Out of the total production of 8,651,000 bushels, 1,728,000 barrels are estimated as commercial. Coddling moth caused serious injury in many orchards this year and commercial growers rate the quality at 11 points below the 10-year average. The commercial apple crop for the entire country amounts to 26,279,000 barrels according to the November 1 report of the Department at Washington. This is 6,326,000 barrels or 19 per cent less than the five year average production.

The yield for late years exceeded that of the earlier varieties in many orchards. Michigan's production of this fruit for 1933 is estimated at 532,000 bushels which is approximately 22 per cent below average. Preliminary figures on orange production in Michigan place this year's crop at 68,565 tons, or about 3,300 tons below average. Leaf hoppers and the berry moth caused considerable damage in Michigan vineyards this year.

Where's Elmer? You'll Find Out!

At the recent national convention of the American Legion in Chicago, the hundreds of thousands of legionnaires and their friends took up the cry of "Where's Elmer." No one seemed to know "Elmer," if anybody, but the appealing cry became popular with the crowd's until it has now spread throughout the United States. The metropolitan newspapers have been diligently trying to run down Elmer's original home. Many say he started in the Portland convention of the Legion. Others tell plausible stories of it beginning in Boston. It has now reached the peak of popularity.

The local Legion post Commander, William J. Delaney declares he has definite assurance that "Elmer" is coming here; that he is going to look over the post's membership efforts and that he already has agreed if the post attains its 1934 quota by December 31st he will become a member.

Commander Delaney has issued a call for all members to meet at Legion room in City Hall on Monday, December 4, at 7:30 p. m. and complete arrangements for a membership campaign that will bring "Elmer" to the post. According to national headquarters, "Elmer" is headed this way now, and is expected to arrive in time for the get-together meeting.

Red Cross Roll Call

The Red Cross has gone into the homes of nearly one-fifth of all the families in the United States, bearing practical relief for those who are in need. It has carried on through stress and storm, the greatest relief program of its fifty-two years of service.

Answer the invitation at roll call starting Armistice Day and ending Thanksgiving. Join through the Red Cross Representatives who will call at your home or leave your contribution at either of the two banks.

HAD NO INSURANCE

Mrs. W. H. Green, who had a narrow escape when the home she occupied was burned to the ground at an early hour last Tuesday morning, reports that she had no insurance on her household goods. The insurance on both the house and contents had expired on November 3rd of this year and had not been renewed.

Scarcely a day passes without the announcement from some business houses of national magnitude that is turning again to newspaper advertising to reach the public.

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Lusty Nimrods To North Woods

Almost in solid phalanx, Lowell hunters have moved forward this week to the north woods. Each lusty nimrod, clad in gaily-colored mackinaw, heavy woolen undies, shiny boots, armed with ancient or modern firearms, to say nothing of the necessary hunting license, hopes to bag his buck.

To give a complete list of the local hunters would be like reading a telephone directory. However, we have heard of the following: Bill Peckham, Jim Ricker, Charles Gunn, Otis Potter, Claude Staal, Irving Alexander, Carl Wood, Merle Dawson, A. H. Stormand, Ed. Adrance, Paul Kellogg, Walter Skarpinski, Art Schneider, Ben Kerekes, Vink Hunter, C. O. Condon, Sterling Moore, Wm. Anderson, Roger Springlett—and many others. We shall endeavor to publish a complete list in next week's issue.

Ionia County Has 4,039 Dependents

Ionia county's new welfare director, Philip R. Schafer, for the first time in the history of the county has completed a census, showing with reasonable accuracy the number of families and individuals dependent upon welfare relief for their subsistence. There are 1,083 families and 4,039 individuals.

Of the county units the city of Belding leads with 327 families and 1,197 individuals. Ionia city, with quite three times the population, is second with 269 families and 858 individuals.

Read the Ledger ads.

FOR THE COMMUNITY

MILES CALLAHAN, state representative, in a recent speech voiced his opinion that the weekly newspapers that should be subsidized. Prof. Thomas Barnard of the University of Minnesota recently said: "Editors of the smaller communities have learned that to save their newspapers they first must save their communities, and to this task they have set themselves wholeheartedly everywhere." Newspaper loyalty averted a complete collapse when the banks, the industrialists, and private individuals gave up in despair. The newspaper uncensored, ever alert, carried on to stabilize the lopsided land, acting as balance wheels in the interests of the community. Not one newspaper in a thousand during these times has gone into bankruptcy.—Grandville Star.

GOLD—NEW VALUATIONS

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Additional Entries (Continued from First Page) LAND-A GREAT TEACHER HERE'S another good one from Frank Parker Good-byes!

History of the Ch. of the Nazarene (Continued from last week.) For thirty-five years the Church of the Nazarene has carried forward an ever-growing foreign mission program.

Why Wait for George to Spend It Legend tells of a Chinese ruler who decreed that at a given moment each and every one of his subjects should shut his eyes so that the man in the moon might see him.

Why Wait for George to Spend It (Continued) The best way to insure capital is to spend a part of it when prices are low.

Why Wait for George to Spend It (Continued) The man who spends one dollar out of ten in making business better will find the nine worth more than the ten as values rise.

Why Wait for George to Spend It (Continued) Each one who must spend—millions and millions can spend if but while we are waiting for the release of frozen funds to start a buying wave, nineteen out of every twenty dollars in 16,655 banks are frozen to spend.

Why Wait for George to Spend It (Continued) Let's take a look at the Blue Islands. They are a group of islands in the West Indies which we have across the sea.

Why Wait for George to Spend It (Continued) Our is the richest country in all the world. It is rich in money. It is rich in markets. It is rich in a necessity of living the world has ever known.

Outstanding Values for November Selling at Coons

Men's Rocklyn Twist Suits \$15.75 Men's Suede-Tex Work Shirts 98c

Oxford Melton Overcoats \$13.75 Men's Wool Work Socks 29c

Men's Ribbed Union Suits \$11.19 Navy Cloth Zipper Jackets \$2.99

Blanket-lined Work Jackets \$1.79 Outing Pajamas and Niterobes \$1.29

4-Buckle All Rubber Arctics \$2.98 Wolverine Horsehide Work Gloves 49c

Prices cannot go lower and the wise and sensible thing is to buy now before prices advance again.

Lowell Items of 25, 30 and 35 Years Ago

Movie Director—Ever see a cow? Well, I have. I've seen around 'em all my life.

Typewriter paper, 8 1/2 x 11 size, the pound at the Ledger office.

to work for the Michigan Outer & Inland Waterways Commission.

S. W. BOWNE By Mrs. L. T. Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. George Howard and son, Jimmy and Billy, opened Sunday with her father, William Kelley, and son of Oradale road.

Nov. 19, 1908-35 Years Ago Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller of Freewater, Ore., to spend the winter with their daughter.

U. B. Williams received a beautiful centerpiece of daisies, wick and white, from Yokohama, Japan, from Lorenzo and Will Kent.

Nov. 17, 1898-35 Years Ago Sunday guests of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Flynn.

Homemaker's Corner

A package of dye and some odds and ends of material may help solve the question of individual Christmas gifts.

Who was Who? By LOUISE M. COMSTOCK

UNCLE TOM A LONG-FORGOTTEN tobacconist, cleared of accumulated rubbish and vegetation recently by a government weed inspector working near Dresden, Ontario, Canada.

Lowell Public Library GRAHAM BLDG.—WEST SIDE Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday from 2 to 8 p. m.

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Beef Steak, all kinds, 1 lb., 12 1/2c Choice Beef Roast, 1 lb., 10c-12c

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Apple Sauce Quaker Malt Jar 10c Coconut Corn Crisp Pkg. 23c

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Soap Specials P&G or Kirk's Flake Soap 6 bars 17c

WEED STORES SUNDAY DINNER SUGGESTIONS

Lowell Center Helen Lampkin of Keene spent the week-end with Pauline Christoff.

Whites Bridge By Mrs. C. E. Bowen

Hickory Hollow (Continued) Mr. and Mrs. Orve Vanderlip and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pinner

Lowell Center (Continued) Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hoyt and Miss Elva Myers

W. J. Gibson's Cash Market (Continued) Beef Steak, all kinds, 1 lb., 12 1/2c

Play Keno TOLL OF THE EARTHQUAKE

Play Keno (Continued) AUSPICES LOWELL POST PARADE

This and That From Around the Old Town

Ever-Ready heavy duty B. B. Baller of Stoughton, Wis., is in Lowell for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Runco of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gladys Hartley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Vetter called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartley of Morse Lake, Sunday.

Dr. La Rue and son of Frankfort, Mich., were callers at the Pat Bowen home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sider and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaw of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Velzy and daughter, Miss Elsie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wiegeler of Shioh Sunday.

Miss Anna Lavelle visited her cousin, Mrs. Lena Hooker of Lansing, Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Peterson of Grand Rapids were callers Sunday evening at the O. J. Vetter home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Velzy and daughter, Miss Elsie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wiegeler of Shioh Sunday.

Miss Lucille Boonagard of W. S. T. C. Kalamazoo, was a Sunday guest of her uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sprague and little daughter of Battle Creek, were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Springett.

Mr. R. D. Hahn had as her guest from Thursday until Saturday last week Mrs. Gerald Schenkberger of Grand Rapids.

Miss Eulah Layer of Pennock Memorial hospital, Hastings, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. John Layer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Howes were business visitors in Grand Rapids last Tuesday and were in charge of games and program.

LaBarge Ripples

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haged and son, Mrs. Phil Haged and daughter, were six o'clock dinner guests at the Vern Loring home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rathbun, Mrs. Irving Lutz of Colorado, and Velma Lancke of Grand Rapids were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mott on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. LaMaire and baby of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warren on Monday.

John Aust of Indiana visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Vern Loring and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lancke and Mrs. Elita Lancke and daughter, Mrs. Cora, entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mott on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Vern Loring and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Campbell of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartley of Morse Lake, and Mrs. Elva Myers of Grand Rapids were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mott on Monday.

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ALTON BAPTIST CHURCH (Continued) Sunday school at 10 a. m.

ALTON BAPTIST CHURCH (Continued) Sunday school at 11 a. m.

ALTON BAPTIST CHURCH (Continued) Sunday school at 11:15 a. m.

ALTON BAPTIST CHURCH (Continued) Sunday school at 11:30 a. m.

ALTON BAPTIST CHURCH (Continued) Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

ALTON BAPTIST CHURCH (Continued) Sunday school at 12:00 p. m.

ALTON BAPTIST CHURCH (Continued) Sunday school at 12:15 p. m.

THREE

FRIDAY		-WEAVER'S-		SATURDAY	
BEEF					
Fresh Ground Beef					
				lb.	5c
Beef Ribs	Meaty	lb.	6c	T-Bone Steak	lb. 12½c
Beef Pot Roast	Lean	lb.	7c	Chuck Roast Choice	lb. 9c
STEAKS					
Round, Swiss or Sirloin Real Tender					
				lb.	10c
PORK					
Pork Roast					
	Center Cut of Shoulder			lb.	10c
Side Pork		lb.	10c	Pork Sausage	3 lbs. 25c
Spare Ribs		lb.	9c	Pork Steak	lb. 12c
Pork Chops					
	Center Cut. Lean, local pork			lb.	15c
VEAL					
Choice Veal Roast					
	Shoulder			lb.	12c
Veal Chops		lb.	15c	Veal Stew	lb. 8c
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FARM POULTRY

EASY TO DISCOVER
BABY CHICKS' SEX

Japanese System is Seen as Great Saving.

Keen eyesight and nimble fingers may be as important to the poultry man as his knowledge of fowls. In the future, should a system of sex determination now being introduced in Japan gain favor in America. Mr. Yogo, Japanese scientist, started poultry experts recently at the International Baby Chick association convention at Grand Rapids, Mich., by determining the sex of 100 one-day-old baby chicks in six and a half minutes, without an error. Skeptical poultry experts, after Yogo had completed his demonstration, opened the chicks and through post mortem examinations checked up on the accuracy of the determination.

Practical application of the Japanese system is seen in the savings that may be effected by destroying the male chicks, which eat quite as much as the female chicks, before their uselessness is exposed by development of mannish characteristics. In the case of Leghorns, which are of little value as broilers, this is said to be an important item.

With the heavier breeds, the male chicks may be disposed of to broiler producing plants. Saving on brooding equipment is a third possible benefit.

Early Winter Eggs Worth More Than Spring Supply

A dozen eggs laid in winter by the flock are worth as much as two dozen laid in the springtime. This is a general rule laid down by R. E. Cray, extension specialist in poultry husbandry for the Ohio State university. His conclusion is based on several hundred farm flock records kept for a period of years. Past records would indicate, Cray said, that in a short time eggs probably will be three or four times as valuable as they were last spring.

To induce hens to lay when eggs are worth the most, Cray offers the following suggestions: Make the birds eat more than they really want. This can be accomplished by feeding wet mash. Mix some of the regular dry mash with enough milk to make it crumbly wet. Feed this once a day in quantities the chickens will consume in half an hour.

Rid the birds of lice and mites. Lice may be eliminated by painting the roosts with a coating of nicotine sulphate just before the hens go to roost. Mites may be kept out of the poultry house by painting the roosts and roost supports once a year with carbolineum. Keep birds comfortable, is another of Cray's suggestions.

Weight of Eggs

The standard weight for a dozen of eggs is one and one-half pounds, and of this about a pound is water. In terms of what a hen eats there is more water than feed in a dozen eggs. This suggests the importance of fresh, clean water for hens to drink. A flock will quit laying sooner if kept without water than if kept without food. There must be no limitation of any ingredient necessary to the formation of complete eggs, because hens will lay either fully formed eggs of uniform chemical composition or none at all.

Delaying Fall Molt

It is evident that the longer the fall molt on all of the birds can be delayed, the higher will be the average egg production. It is just as important, however, not to go to the other extreme and delay molt so late in the fall that the birds do not have time to get their new coat of feathers started before cold weather sets in. The normal rest period appears to be from two to three months. The early molter usually takes a much longer time to grow new feathers.

Capacity of the Hen

Until 20 years ago plain poultry keepers and scientists alike held the view that every hen came into the world with the possible number of eggs she might lay in her lifetime definitely fixed. No one knows who first promulgated this idea, or what reason he gave for it. Some way it got into circulation and was everywhere accepted without question. The utmost capacity of a hen was believed to be not more than 700 to 800.

Cause of Limberneck

This disease is caused by poison coming from a germ which breeds in decayed animal and vegetable matter. Eating maggots from this material will cause the disease. Where the flock is infected, all birds should be put up until the source of infection is found and destroyed. While the flock is confined, the epsom salt treatment is recommended, using three-quarters of a pound of salts to two and one-half gallons of water.

Typewriter paper, 3½x11 size, 20c the pound at the Ledger office.

Chicken Dinner

Served by South Lowell M. E. Aid Society at the Charles Veiter Home South Lowell Thursday, Nov. 16 Start Serving at 6:00 p. m. Adults 25c Children under 12, 10c.

Gross Consignment EGG PRICES

Extra firsts.....	32
Firsts.....	27
Medium, 19 oz.....	25
Trade.....	18

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Coming Events

Committees of the Senior and Junior departments of Lowell Woman's club are busy making plans for a Colonial Tea to be given on Tuesday, November 28, at the home of Mrs. John Taylor. Please reserve the date and look for further announcement next week.

The Woman's Club will meet on Wednesday, Nov. 22, with Mrs. Neil Blakeslee, German day. Members please come prepared to give some item of interest on Germany.

Kent County association of the order of the Eastern Star will hold their fall meeting at the Masonic Temple in Grand Rapids on November 22. The meeting will open at 1:30 p. m. Will all members of Cyclops Chapter No. 94, wishing transportation please call Mrs. Merit Sinclair or Mrs. William C. Hartman before November 20.

Agnes Alexander's Division of Rebekah Lodge will give a public pedro party Friday evening, November 17th.

Attention T. N. T. Club Members!

The next meeting of the club will be at the Congregational church, Tuesday evening, November 28th, at 8 o'clock instead of the 21st as originally planned.

The Ladies' Aid of the Lowell and Vergennes M. E. churches will hold a pot luck supper Tuesday evening, November 21, at 7:00 o'clock at the M. E. Church House. After the supper, a novelty entertainment, called a cake walk will be given, in which all can take part.

The Legion Auxiliary will meet at Mrs. J. H. Rittenger's next Monday night.

Three Rivers Group to Conduct Special Services at the Baptist Church

Rev. Paul Arends and a group of young men from the Three Rivers Gospel Tabernacle will have charge of a special service at 3:00 p. m. at the local Baptist church. The young men come well recommended as musicians, and the local group are looking forward to having them and the Rev. Paul Arends, who will deliver the message, with them, Sunday, November 19th. Public is invited to attend both services. The local pastor will conduct the service at Three Rivers on that date.

BROTHER OF MRS. C. H. HORN DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Frank H. Meads, 72, died at his home in San Diego, Calif., after a short illness. He was a native of Michigan, the son of Dr. M. L. Meads, who was a practicing physician in Olivet, Mich., for a number of years. Frank Meads conducted a drug store at Traverse City previous to going to California, where he had resided the last 25 years. He is survived by one brother, P. L. Meads of Custer, and two sisters, Mrs. Hila Horn of Lowell and Mrs. James Walton of Los Angeles.

Succeeds Humphrey



Above is Mr. George C. Mathews of Madison, Wis., the new member of the Federal Trade Commission, succeeding Wm. E. Humphrey, who recently refused President Roosevelt's request to resign.

How Peggy Has Grown



Remember "Baby Peggy" of seven years ago? Well, Peggy has grown, a little girl always has done... and here is "Baby Peggy" today, whose last name is Montgomery and who is still in the entertainment field.

Odds and Ends

(Continued from First page)

Harry Gleason, Jr., sixteen years old, son of Mrs. Lillian M. Gleason, publisher of the Mt. Morris Times, who is making his home with an uncle in Shanghai, China, writes some very interesting letters to his mother. Harry went to the Orient about four months ago to learn the printing business as it is conducted at his uncle's plant in Shanghai, which incidentally is one of the most complete plants in China. He is finishing his high school education at an American school there and besides that is learning the Chinese language under a native tutor. He writes: "I have seen people of almost every nationality in the world, right here in the streets of Shanghai. We had our first typhoon since my arrival last week, and water rose chest high in the Shanghai streets. The machinery in Uncle Fred's plant was all under water and all but three motors were ruined. Since they are all of foreign make (mostly from U. S. A.) repairs will be very expensive in Chinese money." Harry went on to explain that in China one dollar or about is called mocs and all money less than a dollar is called cents, except the coppers and silver. The cents are all in paper and silver and the paper money is called "big money" and the silver is called "small money." The coppers are worth about one-ninth of a cent in American money and there are 100 coppers in a Chinese dollar. Bread is 20 cents a loaf; butter from \$1.20 to \$1.40 per pound; 40 eggs can be purchased for \$1.00; chicken is about the cheapest meat for sale.—W. N. U.

If you think you have signs of appendicitis, do not use cathartics, warns Dr. F. A. Collier, director of the department of surgery at the University of Michigan. Of the 20,000 who die annually in the United States from appendicitis, he says, the majority could be saved by prompt recognition of the disease, by leaving purgatives alone and by an operation in the early stages.

If you think you have appendicitis, lose not a minute in seeing your family doctor. Time is not money then but it may prove to be life.

Rebekah Benefit Food Sale

Starting at 12:30, noon Saturday, Nov. 18

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A full week's pay for half a week's work is just plain dishonesty.

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OBITUARY

LOVINA SMITH, daughter of Russell and Margaret Smith, was born in Cynthiana County, Ohio, on March 5, 1850, and departed from this earth October 31, 1933, being 83 years, 7 months and 26 days of age.

She came with her parents to Michigan in 1855. At that time Battel Creek was the nearest railroad station. The journey from there to the home of her father, Russell Smith, which is now known as the Elijah Stahl home, was made by ox team.

Miss Smith was married to Robert Johnson in 1870. Five children were born to this union: a little boy, who died in infancy; Lillian, who passed away at the age of 1 year; and three children, who survive. They are Clayton and Ray, who live on the farm, and Harry F. of Detroit. There are seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren, Nettie Morgan of Grand Rapids, is the only surviving sister.

The Robert Johnson family have lived on this farm since March 1882.

The funeral services were held at the late home on November 2, the Rev. Wynn of Woodland officiating. Burial was in Bowne Center cemetery.

During Mrs. Johnson's many years of residence in Kent County she had endeared herself to a large circle of friends by whom she will be greatly missed.

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More Local News

Some fine compasses to close out cheap at Stocking's.

Mrs. Pearl Houghton of Milliken is spending a few days with Mrs. F. A. Gould.

Dainty new aprons for Xmas gifts, special at 19c, 29c, 79c and 98c, at Warner & Scott's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Shivel were dinner guests at Ivan Hull's home in Grand Rapids Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. A. Balkwell has returned from a ten weeks' visit with relatives in Ridgetown and Tilbury, Kent county, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Lee of South Boston were guests Tuesday evening of Dr. and Mrs. Murray Dewar of Grand Rapids at a bridge dinner.

For Rent—Downstairs apartment in the Edwin Fallas residence. Every convenience. Phone 138. Mrs. Lawrence Rutherford.

Don "Babe" Wingeier now has charge of the Standard Oil Station at US-16 and M-66. Mrs. M. H. Dempsey and daughter, Ann Jane, who had been operating it, now have charge of the lunch room.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Miller of Jackson spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Runciman. Mrs. James Runciman, who has been visiting at the home of her son for the past few weeks, returned to her home in Chelsea with them.

I will put your watch in order cheap now. B. D. Stocking.

Amoebic dysentery, a tropical disease, was detected in Chicago and other cities last week. A number of deaths have been ascribed to the malady and a hundred or more cases have been recorded. Every precaution has been taken to combat the spread of the disease in Chicago and elsewhere. The epidemic is unique in American health annals, inasmuch as it is not confined to any one community but was carried from Chicago by World's Fair visitors who contracted it and left for their homes before symptoms appeared. Comparatively rare, the ailment may be mistakenly diagnosed as appendicitis, diarrhea, peritonitis or other internal abdominal disorders. The source of the outbreak was an Assyrian cook. Measures for combating the disease include personal cleanliness and isolation of persons who are carriers.

The Book Review club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. J. Smith. Mrs. V. A. Snell gave a review of Viva Larimore's "Jonathan's Daughter."

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weekes were pleasantly surprised last Wednesday evening by ten old friends in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Weekes. Those present besides Mr. and Mrs. Weekes were Mr. and Mrs. Gertman Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Walsh, and Mrs. Lenna Anderson, all of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thomas, Mrs. Elizabeth Lalley, Mrs. Clara McCarty and T. M. Doyle, all of Lowell.

Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Goffredsen entertained the P. D. club at their home last Thursday evening. Mrs. Whitehall and Dr. F. E. White carried off the honors.

Mrs. G. D. Cook entertained with two evening bridge parties at her home on Tuesday and Thursday of this week.

Another of the series of parties sponsored by the O. E. S. was held at the club rooms Monday night and was greatly enjoyed. There were twenty tables in play and honors were awarded as follows: Bridge, Miss Eleanor Jewell and Dr. S. S. Lee; Euchre, Don Phillips, lone hand; Mrs. Eugene Carr, Grant Warner for most games; hearts, Mrs. E. S. White and Carl Freyermuth.

1883-1933 Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Slater will be at home to their friends at their home in Cascade, Saturday, November 18, 1933 on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary. 2 1/2 and 7 to 9. Please omit gifts.

MARRIED

Mr. Thomas J. Read and Miss Verna Wright, both of Vergennes, were quietly married in South Bend, Ind., on Monday, November 13th, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Bowman. Mrs. Bowman was a friend of the bride. They will make their home on the groom's farm in Vergennes. Mr. and Mrs. Read have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

Marriage License

Royal VandenBroeck, Lowell, 24; Viona Ford, Lowell, 18.

West Bowne

By Beatrice Kelsey

Miss Anna Lalone called on Miss Beatrice Kelsey Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Beatrice Pitcher spent Friday evening at the Elton Peet home.

Mrs. Ed Lind and William Lind spent Saturday night in Lansing. Jim and Bill Hillsburg called at the Elton Peet and Ed Lind homes Friday evening.

Mrs. Ray Mahaffey, who has been with Mr. and Mrs. William Lind of Calcedonia the past three weeks, returned to her home in Lansing Saturday.

Miss Beatrice Lock of Alaska was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Jane London.

The Young people of the L. D. S. church held their meeting at the home of Miss Dorothy Nash Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Ellis and Miss Anna Lalone were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Macey Ellis.

Unblushing Confessions of a Versatile Fascist! Netley Lucas, a Born Criminal, Who Has Served Time in the Jails of Many Cities and Countries, Tells Many Astounding Secrets of the Underworld in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

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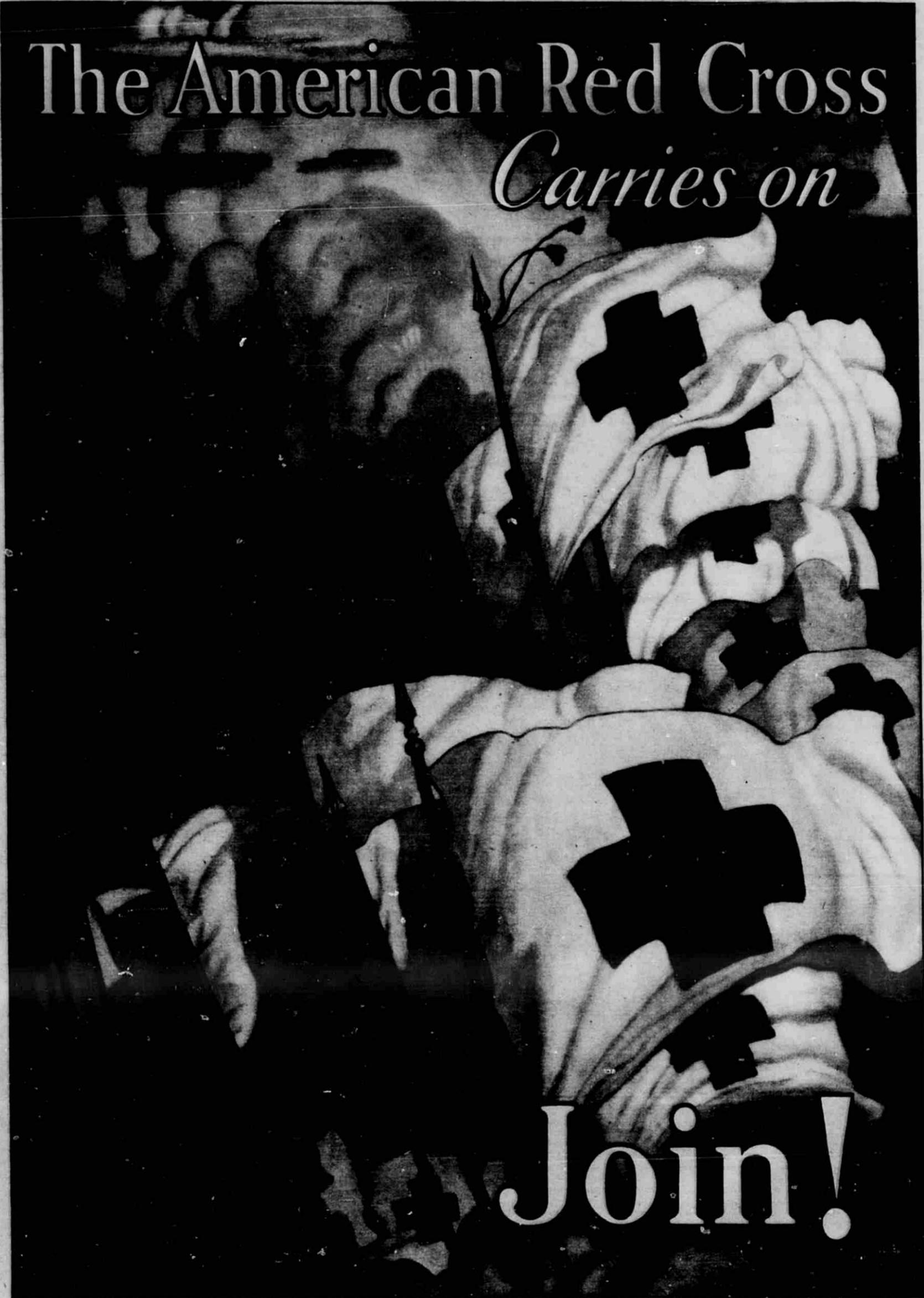
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Junior Red Cross members singing carols to shut-ins.



Red Cross volunteers carry food to homes inundated by Ohio river.



Red Cross aids homeless after destructive fires in Maine.



Red Cross first aid on the highway.