

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and General Interest

NOTHING NEW UNDER THE SUN

THE WORLD has been going through a serious economic crisis for several years now, and to the uninformed it seems as if nothing of the sort could ever have happened before.

"Honesty is no longer to be found in the market-place, nor justice in the law courts, nor good craftsmanship in art, nor discipline in morals."

Common complaints, those, are they not? Well, the man who wrote that has been dead for nearly seventeen hundred years.

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

Cedar Springs officials have received word that the Main street through that village is to be paved by the Federal government.

Sales of new automobiles in Michigan were nearly 5,000 more during August 1934 than during August 1933, according to records of the department of state.

The rural Teachers' association of Kent county will hold late afternoon meetings during the Autumn to conduct an institute in methods of better recreation for the children.

Slightly more than 500,000 Michigan automobile drivers must secure new motor vehicle operators' licenses before January 1, 1935.

Walter Barris of Amherst, Ohio put a tile roof on an Elyria house six years ago. When he reached home his wallet was missing. Recently he was called to repair the same roof. Under a broken tile he found the purse and money.

Conservation Officer Mark Crow of Grand Traverse county took a tally of fisherman found in one day on Silver Lake. He found representatives from eight states including Kansas, Ohio, Minnesota, Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois, Tennessee and Michigan.

The State Highway Department has advertised for bids which will be opened on Sept. 28 for the construction of 2 1/2 miles of concrete and brick pavement on US-16, East Grand Rapids to blacksmith shop corner, and from Rexford road to east city limits of East Grand Rapids, \$188,900.

That the oil industry is to be a permanent part of Michigan's business life, is shown by the fact that several new crude oil refineries have been granted licenses by the gasoline tax division of the department of state in recent months.

News dispatches from Washington indicate strongly that a big upheaval is taking place in the NRA and it is expected that announcement of a radical change in policy will come from President Roosevelt in the very near future.

Workers in the textile industries began to return to work Monday following the greatest industrial strike in the country's history. Differences between employers and employees as to the terms of an arbitration board settlement. The strike has caused workmen millions of dollars in lost wages and tremendous expense to the Federal government in quelling riots.

The Lake Odessa Canning Company is busy engaged in canning beef for the government. The Lake Odessa concern is being furnished with beef slaughtered in the drought-stricken areas of the Middle Western States and the finished product is being shipped to welfare headquarters throughout the country at the order of the Federal Emergency Relief administration.

The Republican State convention is being held today (Thursday) in Flint. The Democratic State convention will be held in Grand Rapids this week Friday. Each party will select candidates for the offices of secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general, and auditor general. The party candidates for governor and lieutenant governor were chosen at the primary held September 11.

Editor Murl H. DeFoe, of Charlotte, is telling the story of what while on an early Sunday evening jaunt about the village he came across a fellow citizen, Good N. Drunk, clinging to a lighted lampost demanding to be allowed to go inside. Editor DeFoe tried to convince the fellow that nobody lived there, but the drunk was insistent. He said: "Don't lie. There's a light up stairs."—Fred D. Keister, Single Top Trail.

A survey to determine the commercial credit status of Grand Rapids is being conducted for the United States Treasury Department. Prof. C. S. Dunford, head of the business administration department of Michigan State College, is making the survey. The conclusions, which probably will be reached about October 1, will be the basis for determining the Government's policies looking toward a loosening of credit, particularly through small commercial loans.

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FORTY-SECOND YEAR

WOMAN KILLED BY MOTOR CAR NEAR HER HOME

MRS. CHARLES BURNETT, 61, STEPS OUT OF THE PATHWAY OF ONE CAR INTO THE PATHWAY OF ANOTHER—NO BLAME ATTACHED

Mrs. Elizabeth Burnett, 61, was killed instantly Sunday evening shortly after seven o'clock while she was walking down the pavement from a neighbor's house to her home about a half-mile west of the intersection of the Saranac road and M-21.

Mrs. Burnett was walking down the middle of the road and it is thought that she jumped aside to get out of the way of a car which was approaching from the west and stepped into the path of the car which was driven by Miss Zela Thomas, who was going from her home in Flint to Middleville, where she teaches school.

Mrs. Burnett (who was formerly Mrs. Sinclair) came from Osego about seven years ago and married Charles Burnett, a colored man. She is survived by her husband, seven children by her first marriage, George, Perry, Murray, Irving, Roxie, Mabel and Edna; and six step-children, Charles, Jr., Vivian, Rosetta, Wilbert, Floyd and Mabel.

The body was taken to Densmore's funeral home in Saranac, where Coroner Orrin Stone called an inquest Tuesday morning. The jury, which was composed of W. E. Densmore, Bruce Lowrey, Harold Frey, Fred Robert, Stanley Brooks and Richard Reed, after a half hour's deliberation, reached the decision that death was caused by an unavoidable accident.

Ram Barter Day Saturday, Oct. 6

Kent County sheep owners will have an opportunity on October 6th, Saturday, to trade or sell their purebred rams at a sheep meeting to be held at the sheep barn at the West Michigan Fair grounds.

Any sheep owner who has a purebred buck for sale or exchange may bring it to this meeting and barter it away. There will be no charge for any sales or exchanges. Last year a dozen men made trades and purchases.

At this meeting will be the ram truck sponsored by the Michigan Pure Bred Sheep Breeders Association. This truck carries a selected bunch of animals that are for sale. Last year some rams were exchanged with farmers. Orders for rams may be made any time. Four farmers have already placed orders for the buck they will use in their flock the coming year. Seventeen Kent County farmers have purchased rams from the truck in past years with satisfaction.

Government reports indicate that there will be a sharp curtailment in sheep numbers because of the severe drought with rising prices for wool and mutton.

At two o'clock an educational meeting will be held at which time a judging demonstration of rams will be given and a discussion of breed types. Letters have gone to many Kent sheepmen in regard to details of this ram barter day. Anyone desiring further information will receive it by getting in touch with County Agent K. K. Vining, Room 201, Y. M. C. A. Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Hear Opening Games At Ledger Office

The opening baseball games in the World Series, which will be played in Detroit next Wednesday and Thursday, between the Detroit Tigers, American League champions, and the winner in the National League will be broadcast in front of the office of the Lowell Ledger. The Russell Smith Radio Shop will cooperate in the broadcast by furnishing the radio for the purpose. Baseball fans are cordially invited to come and listen in.

REUNION OF CLASS OF '33 The first annual reunion of the Class of 1933, L. H. S., was held at Fallsburg Park Sunday afternoon. The members present enjoyed a delicious potluck dinner at one o'clock. The reunion next year will be held in the middle of August.

NOTICE All persons indebted to the late Clinton D. Hodges are kindly requested to call at my office in the City State Bank block, Lowell, Mich., and make satisfactory settlement in order that the affairs of the estate might be closed.

F. H. Swarthout, Administrator.

Big Dance Friday Night

Dance Autumn dance this Friday night at Lowell City hall. Good band. Admission 25¢ per person.

B. of T. Hears Fine Address by Wenger

The regular September meeting of the Lowell Board of Trade was held in the dining room of the Alto M. E. church last Thursday evening. The Ladies Aid society of that church served a nice dinner, after which members present listened to an inspiring address upon "Character and Good Citizenship," by the Rev. S. B. Wenger of the Lowell Congregational church.

Others making brief remarks were Atty. Gerald E. White of Grand Rapids, J. M. Townsend of Hastings and Cashier Earl V. Colby of Alto. Mr. Townsend also favored with a reading, "The Cremation of Sam McGee."

Violin selections by Mr. Bruce Walters, teacher of music in the Lowell high school, were appreciated by the audience. He was accompanied at the piano by Miss Haha. Mr. Walters also led in community singing with Royden Warner at the piano.

N. E. Borgerson presided as toastmaster and president W. V. Burrows introduced visiting guests from the vicinity.

In speaking of the fine address delivered by the Rev. Mr. Wenger, one board member, in discussing the events of the evening on the return home said: "Mr. Wenger's address this evening reminds us of the fact that we do not need to go out of town for good speakers."

Huge Grain Tank Nears Completion

The work of pouring concrete for the large grain storage tank at the King Flour Mill was completed on Tuesday of this week. About two weeks more time will be required for the construction of the housing to be placed on the top of the tall concrete cylinder.

The work of pouring the concrete was begun the first of the month and has proceeded continuously night and day until the last of the concrete was poured on Tuesday night of this week.

This concrete tower, which will have a storage capacity of close to 40,000 bushels of grain, is proving an interesting spectacle for all observers, reaching up into the air as it does above the height of our tallest buildings.

The King Milling Company is to be commended for its enterprise in constructing this tremendous tank for the storage of grain. It is another one of the things that help to keep the old town on the map.

Famous Artists Will Appear In Concert Course

Prominent among the important musical and theatrical events in Grand Rapids for the coming season will be the Monte Carlo Ball Russe, which was the artistic sensation of the New York and Chicago seasons last year.

The concert course opens October 22 with Ruchmannoff in a piano recital. Fritz Kreisler, one of the greatest violin artists of the present generation, plays a recital program November 26. A popular concert will be given on January 14 by the Revellers of concert and radio fame. A song recital will be given February 11 by Dusolina Giannini and the final entertainment by the Ball Russe. All the concerts will take place in the Civic auditorium.

Group Will Study Home Furnishings

The Michigan State College Home Economics Extension Service will give a class in the "Making and Recognizing Attractive Furnishings." There will be five lessons, beginning in October.

Lesson 1—"Recognizing Suitable Furniture." Lesson 2—"Block Printing Fabrics." Lesson 3—"Using Decorative Accessories." Lesson 4—"Reseating Chairs." Lesson 5—"Arranging Flowers."

Anyone desiring to enroll in the class call Mrs. E. H. Roth, Chairman of Lowell Group, before October 5.

No School Oct. 25, 26

Supt. W. W. Gumsier announces that schools will be closed on October 25 and 26 because of a meeting of the Michigan State Teachers' Association in Grand Rapids. It is hoped that parents who wish to take their boys hunting during the pheasant and partridge season would do so on these days.

NOTICE

Dr. Gertrude Trednick, Chiropractor, will take over Dr. Frank Trednick's practice in Lowell beginning this Saturday. She will be at the office in the King block on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.

ASK FARMERS THEIR IDEA OF CROP CUT PLAN

FEDERAL MEN TO ASK SIGNERS TO INDICATE THEIR WISHES ON CORN-HOG REDUCTION FOR 1935 AT LOCAL MEETINGS TO BE HELD SOON

Michigan signers of corn-hog contracts will be asked soon to cast a vote at local meetings to indicate whether or not they approve of the government plan offering contracts in 1935, according to Henry A. Wallace, secretary of agriculture.

This request for an expression of opinion is made because the agricultural situation has changed since corn-hog contracts were offered in 1934. The AAA plan for assisting farmers was inaugurated at a time when huge surpluses of feeds and of livestock were paralyzing the markets for these farm products. Now, the surplus of feeds and of livestock has been reduced.

It now becomes important for the administrators of the AAA to find out if farmers believe that, through their unaided efforts, they can maintain the gains they have made in orderly production. Past records show that periods of reduced feeds and livestock have spurred farmers back into cycles of overproduction with a consequent piling up of huge surpluses.

The federal plan of benefit payments to signers of corn-hog contracts has been entirely voluntary. If the farmer believed it would be to his financial advantage to sign a contract, he became a cooperator. Others did not sign the contracts.

Local meetings will be held in Michigan at which county agricultural agents and corn-hog committee men will outline the present livestock and feed situation. After hearing this information, farmers will be asked whether they want to continue the contract plan.

Annual Color Tour Nature's Own Call

Newaygo county's annual Autumn Colors Tour, sponsored this year by the Chambers of Commerce of Newaygo, Grant and White Cloud, will begin Friday, Sept. 28, and continue during the color season in October.

The tour, 42 miles in length, will begin at Grant and continue through Newaygo to White Cloud, covering the Muskegon river valley and taking visitors to many lakes and other points of interest, including Croton and Hardy Dams, the High Rollway, Big Prairie Desert, etc. The route is plainly marked throughout and logs and maps will be furnished to persons making the trip.

Indications are that the trees in the Newaygo area will take on especially beautiful colors this year, because of prevailing weather conditions, and thousands of visitors from all sections of the state are expected to make the tour at some time during the color season.

Along Main St.

The Strand Theatre front has been embellished with a new coat of gold bronze paint. Work on the east end of the new Main-st. bridge is moving steadily along. It is estimated that about six weeks more time will be required for the completion of the job.

Pictures of the World Series Games played in Detroit next Wednesday afternoon will be shown on the screen of the Strand Theatre that same night.

When the schoolboy looks at the big grain tank stretching up into the air at the King Milling Company he begins to think that he knows what the famous Tower of Pisa looks like.

The pulling power of enthusiasm has been fully demonstrated by the encouraging support given the Detroit Tigers, winners of the American League pennant, by the Lowell fans who gathered in the assembly hall and in the gymnasium. It is hoped that additional dynamic speakers will be connected in most of the rooms. The control of the system will be located in the office. If the plan works out as anticipated the total cost for a complete radio set throughout the school will be less than a \$100. A few years ago such a system would have cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000. The graduating classes have presented the radio and extension to the two rooms and one large loud speaker to the school without one cent of cost to the district.

263 in High School The Lowell high school enrollment has now reached 263. This does not include post graduates or those who enter later. It exceeds the former peak enrollment by over thirty.

ATTENDS BUSINESS COLLEGE The name of Estella Anderson of Vergennes Center, a Lowell graduate of Class '34, should have been in the list of those attending college which was published in last week's Ledger. She is attending business college in Grand Rapids.

Read the Ledger ads.

Freshman College at Lowell Seems Certain; 40 Enrolled

All the necessary preliminary steps have been taken relative to the opening of the Freshman College in Lowell. Over 40 applicants filled out the eligibility blanks and more plan to enroll later. The Board of Education has received splendid cooperation from James G. Bryant, the County Administrator, and all of the necessary blanks have been properly filled out and filed with State Director, Orrin Kaye, and with John C. Hoekje, Registrar of Western State Teachers College. The officials from the sponsoring colleges and from the state are to have a joint meeting in Lansing this week to discuss and decide on definite plans for opening the Freshman Colleges throughout the state. Supt. W. W. Gumsier received a wire from Lansing Wednesday night summoning him to this meeting. It is expected that he will be able to make an announcement relative to courses, teachers, date of opening and other details immediately following the conference at Lansing, and hopes to have the complete program ready for publication in the next issue of the Ledger. It is possible, but not likely, that the local College will open Monday. Any other students who wish to enroll in the college may do so by securing blanks at the high school but such enrollments should be made before the college actually opens.

Did Not Get Far With Stolen Gas

Two young men were brought before Justice R. E. Springett on Saturday, charged by Deputy A. H. Stormzand with stealing gasoline from a car owned by Miss Ella B. Burt.

The theft occurred last Thursday evening about ten o'clock when the Ross car was parked in front of their home on North St. Miss Ross and her brother Gordon were walking up the street toward home when they met two men who were carrying a large gasoline can. The gas had splashed out of the can and formed a regular path to the Ross car. They immediately gave chase and obtained the license number of the car driven by the thieves. Officers were notified and Deputy Stormzand and Marshall Fred Gordon captured the men in Ionia county.

The men, who gave the names of Herbert Haken, 25, Alpena and Denman Morris, 21, Clayton, were held in the village jail until Saturday when they pleaded guilty before Justice Springett and were sentenced to twenty days in jail or fine and costs amounting to \$18. Morris chose the jail term and Haken paid the fine and costs.

Officers report that both of the young men mentioned above have been in trouble on other occasions.

Stars and Buicks Break Even Here

The Dixie Gas Stars and Buick Majors divided a twin bill at Recreation Park, Lowell Sunday. The first game went to the Buicks, 10 to 2. Bysko and Kozak, Giles and Love were the batterers. The Buicks' pitcher performing an iron stunt. Considerable wrangling marked the second game.

The Buicks challenged the Dixies to a winner-takeall game at Lowell on September 30th. The Stars accepted and the series was arranged. Two games will be played next Sunday.

Auction Postponed To Saturday, Oct. 27

C. H. Runciman, chairman of the Free Community Auction Sale, which was scheduled to be held in Lowell on Saturday, Oct. 13, has been postponed to Saturday, Oct. 27.

The postponement has been made because of the fact that farmers are still very busy taking care of fall crops and other work. It is felt that the later date will be of more advantage to all parties concerned. However, it is sincerely hoped, that those having articles to sell will list them just as soon as possible in order to help out the work of the committee.

School is Presented With Radio, Speaker

The graduating classes of the past three years have furnished the Lowell high school with a splendid radio and a dynamic speaker which can be used in the assembly hall and in the gymnasium. It is hoped that additional dynamic speakers will be connected in most of the rooms. The control of the system will be located in the office. If the plan works out as anticipated the total cost for a complete radio set throughout the school will be less than a \$100. A few years ago such a system would have cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000. The graduating classes have presented the radio and extension to the two rooms and one large loud speaker to the school without one cent of cost to the district.

All School Officers Invited to Meeting

The Lowell Board of Education is extending an invitation to all other school board officials in this vicinity to meet at the Lowell high school on Friday, Oct. 5, at 8 p. m. The purpose of the gathering is to discuss some interesting facts concerning new and proposed legislation as they affect or may affect school children. This is a worthwhile effort and all school board officials will doubtless want to improve this opportunity to meet together.

School Fire Drill Shows Proficiency

A fire drill was held at school Wednesday and approximately 600 pupils left the building in less than 1 1/2 minutes.

EARL CURTISS STILL FAVORS GD. RIVER DAM

SAYS UNCLE SAM IS WILLING TO BUILD ONE IF LOWELL FOLKS ARE—TELLS HOW THEY PAY PREACHER IN MARYLAND

Silver Springs, Md., Sept. 12. Good Morning, Mr. Editor and all my friends of the Ledger (the best local paper in the country):

The rain has driven me in from my work in the garden and I am sitting here just day-dreaming. Everytime that happens I have an urge to talk it over with you folks.

You know there was a time when I thought I was the smartest man in the United States, with perhaps the exception of Charles Foote or Grover Cleveland, but now I take my hat off to Lewis Douglas for knowing when to quit, and without pomp but plenty of circumstance just resigning from his post as Director of the Budget. I'm inclined to figure that with Douglas removing his 180 pounds, or thereabouts, from the lid of the money coffers that F. D. will now give us a real lesson in how to spend money. Oh well, for better or for worse I'm still on the cheering line. Funny isn't it how we elect a man because he's the right man for the place, and then if all the "is-are'n't" dotted and the "it's" crossed in the orthodox way we immediately start kicking because he's the wrong man and someone else could have done so much better. I just wonder.

Anyway, speaking of money, I learned the other day of a new way to pay the preacher so that he can keep his body and soul together. The little church around the corner from me gave a horse show. They used a ten acre field which gave plenty of room for the racing rigs. They advertised extensively and entries came from all over this part of the country, Virginia, Maryland, West Virginia and the District of Columbia. There were all kinds of classes from the wee ponies to the farm mule. It turned out to be quite an affair. The attendance reached around 2,000. The admittance was fifty cents for adults and fifteen cents for children, but most important of all they cleared \$800.00. They had, for a side attraction, a man sixty years old with his horse. He had ridden his horse over nine countries, visiting every state in the Union, going right along it had taken him two years and three days.

Say, Mr. Editor, I've been and my brass we should introduce a bill in Congress that any person receiving an income over \$10,000 per year must turn over the excess to the State or to the Federal Government to be put into the Primary School fund. Not a bad bill do you think? You draft the bill and I'll take up the gentle art of padding around the halls of the Capitol whispering to the Senators and Congressmen. Something might happen, if nothing else we might get elected to Congress.

How is the dam on Grand river coming? Uncle Sam is willing if you folks are.

And now goodbye, and may the Democratic God of peace and joy be with you all.

Editor's Note:—Ledger readers may recall that in January Mr. Curtiss suggested in a letter that advantage should be taken of the opportunity afforded by the federal government by putting a dam in Grand River between Lowell and Saranac or Saranac and Ionia for the purpose of furnishing light, heat and power for 25 miles in all directions. We don't know whether Earl was joking or not but personally we don't like the idea of the government's engaging in business. That's our opinion and we grant that you have a right to yours.

Speaking of methods of raising money for running churches, we say to Earl that he should tell the folks down in Maryland about the profits they make at church fairs in Parnell and over at Fowler in Clinton county. In the latter town the other day St. Mary's church made a clean \$2,000 with the annual church fair and supper.—R. G. J.

Strand Calendar

Thursday only, Sept. 27—Sally Blane and Joel McCrea in "Half a Sinner" also Bank Night. Don't miss winning the \$25.00.

Friday and Saturday, Sept. 28-29, "Hollywood Party," an all star musical; also "Jimmy the Gent" with James Cagney and Betty Davis.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 30, Oct. 1-2, "Operator 13" with Marion Davies and Gary Cooper; also comedy, novelty and news.

Wednesday only, Oct. 3, "Private Scandal" with Mary Brian and Phillips Holmes. Special Attraction, World Series Games played in Detroit in afternoon will be shown on our screen the same night.

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Additional Items of 25, 30 and 35 Years Ago

September 30, 1899—25 Years Ago: Lafayette W. Wyman died at the age of nearly 85 years.

September 29, 1904—30 Years Ago: The Lowell Specialty Co. installed a large equipment of up-to-date metal working machinery at their factory for the manufacturers.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

ZION M. E. CHURCH: German preaching Sunday at 10 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH: R. S. Miller, Pastor. Worship and sermon at 10:30 a. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY: Preaching service at 9:30 a. m.

WORTH WHITE AMBLY: Morning service every Sunday, 10:30 a. m.

WHITNEYVILLE CHURCH: Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

ALTO BAPTIST CHURCH: W. B. Gardner, Pastor. Bible school at 10 a. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH: S. B. Wenger, Minister. Next Sunday is the last Sunday of the old year.

ALTO CHARGE: Public worship—10:30 a. m.

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Remember When

People went courting horseback? John would catch the old gray into the saddle climb.

The bed was so high pined up with straw ticks and feather beds, that we had to use a ladder or chair to get in bed?

There were no pianos or organs? To charm the listener. But the patter of little feet was music that would cheer?

The Ledger wants more reminiscences of this sort. Every day we are reminded of things that were so common to us.

Little economies when counted up will make a large showing on the annual household budget.

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The Fact Finders—and Their Discoveries

CONTRARY TO POPULAR BELIEF DISCOVERIES IN THE WHEELS OF A BUSY DAY AT DATE OF SPEED—OCCASIONALLY REACHING 100 M.P.H.

HERE WE ARE, BACK HOME BEFORE DARK AND IN TIME FOR DINNER—HOW WE FEEL YOU ALL ON THE NEXT TRIP.

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Another Shipment of those Michaels-Stern Strongheart Twist Suits \$29.75

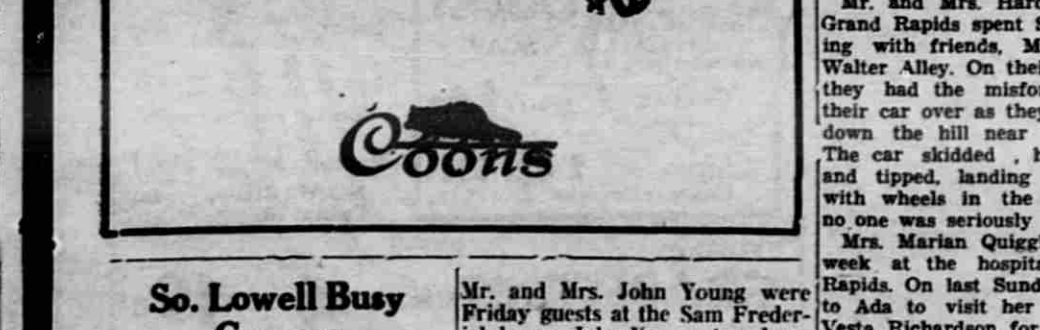
Strongheart Twists are undoubtedly the country's outstanding suit value for Fall 1934. Here is a fabric that will stand up under the hardest wear and keep shape.

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New free-swing sleeves, belt backs, yokes, plaits. Entirely new fabrics—oxford blues, browns—single and double breasted.



So. Lowell Busy Corners

Mr. and Mrs. John Young were Friday guests at the Sam Friderick home. John Young stayed until Sunday.

This and That From Around the Old Town

Peter Finies made a business trip to Chicago last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver spent Sunday in Big Rapids.

Harold King of Benton Harbor was a week-end guest at the R.E. Springfield home after spending the week-end after spending the week-end after spending the week-end.

Miss Shirley Lee spent the week-end in Grand Rapids with her sister, Mrs. Clifford Cook and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Andrews of St. Joseph spent the week-end with her brother, W. J. Gibson and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Holdridge and son of Battle Creek were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Armstrong and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hall, here from Cleveland, O., where she will do special nursing work for the next four months at the Western Reserve Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kerekes and children and Mrs. W. J. Rivett.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Steed and daughter Katherine spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Lester Ross and his friend, Kirke Martin, of St. Ignace spent the week-end in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Willette of Clarksville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willette, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis returned from their trip to Northern Michigan last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Briggs and children and Mrs. N. W. Blair were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis and sons were Thursday evening callers at Jack Acherson's.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Lowell held in the Council rooms Tuesday evening, Sept. 4, 1934.

On motion by Trustee Shepard, supported by Trustee Holt, that application be made that sewers be constructed on Elm Street, to be known as Project No. 4, and on Washington Street, north from Avery Street, to be known as Project No. 5.

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Big Boy, Take A Bow! — by A. B. Chapin



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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE MORTGAGE SALE



ALTO DEPARTMENT (Mrs. Fred Pattison)

School Notes Kenneth Lalonde visited the Alto high school Wednesday afternoon. Alto high school is planning to have a farewell party on Tuesday evening for Franklin and Blouaine students.

Superior Drills Barn Harvesters

Most complete line of Plow Shares in Lowell! Bring your Cream in here Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Take advantage of the Top Prices.

ADA DEPARTMENT (By Mrs. Bettie R. Fitch)

GERMANY'S POSTAL SYSTEM VERY OLD The first postage stamps for what is now the republic of Germany were those of the house of Hohenzollern.

Cascade By Mrs. Clarence Mulder

All the people attending the Cascade Church of Christ held a picnic at the lake in the basement Friday evening.

America's Youngest Mother is 11 Years Old

JEPPESSON CITY, TENN. - Mildred Morgan, 11, with her 7 1/2 pound baby, Charles Franklin, was the youngest mother in America.

BASE HITS He who laughs last laughs loudest.

He who begins many things in haste ends in haste. All men are born equal and they die equal.

WANT COLUMN

25¢ FOR ANY WANT AD UP TO 20 WORDS. NONE TAKEN OFF LENGTH FOR FEES, EXCEPT FOR SHORT CASH OR STAMPS WITH ORDER.

Good Short Story

protruded two gleaming fangs. Albert tucked it under his arm and heaved it into the water.

Elmdale By Mrs. Ira Sargeant

Mrs. Addison attended the Century of Progress several days last week. Evelyn Schwab is attending to the house work for Mrs. Arthur Kloppenstein of Lake Orion.

LaBarge Ripples Mrs. Vera Loring

Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell motored to Collierville Tuesday afternoon and returned Monday evening.

West Keene By Mrs. F. A. Daniels

Ernest Pinkney and family were week-end guests of his brothers near Lake City. Roy Parker had a very sick day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Carriss entertained Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Zeltch and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Crawford over the week-end.

North Bell District By Mrs. Elmer Marshall

Ware school P. T. A. held their first meeting of the year at the school house Tuesday evening.

W. E. HALL Phone 324. Lowell, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Alexander were supper guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander.

BRAZIL'S JAPANESE COLONY INCREASING

Japanese colonists in Brazil now number about 140,000 according to an investigation made recently with the assistance of the bureau of immigration.

Murder and Riots Lead to Gain in Cattle Stock

One of the many "differer" features of the present five-year period which distinguishes the present period, says Food Industries Magazine, is found in the coincidence of the peak of the cow production cycle with the other best of the world to make up what we call hard times.

DAVIS LAKE By Mrs. Wm. Schrader

Mrs. Ward Stewart was at the Grand Rapids Tennis and Country Club on Saturday afternoon.

Religious Liberty in Old Maryland Colony

It is not surprising that the colonists who founded Maryland sought religious freedom.

West Vergennes By D. D. Kram

Alice DeVries in convalescing at the home of her mother, Mrs. Hester, in West Vergennes.

WHERE YOU SAVE ON FOOD BUYING C. THOMAS'S ORELS

Thomas Special COFFEE Lb. 21c Seedless Raisins 4-lb. Package 32c

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lusk of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Dale Carriss Sunday afternoon.

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Choicest Tender cuts

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**SIRLOIN STEAK Lb. 15c**

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**LEG of LAMB Spring Lamb Lb. 17c**

Shoulder of LAMB Lb. 14c	SPECIAL LAMB STEW Lb. 5c	LAMB CHOPS Lb. 17c Choice Rib or Loin
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**Ring Bologna Weaver's Grade 1. 2 Lbs. 25c**

Beef Pot Roast Lean Lb. 9c	Spare Ribs Meaty Lb. 12c	Beef Ribs Lean Lb. 7 1/2c
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**PORK SHOULDER RST. Lean, Round bone Lb. 16c**

Beef Chuck Roast Pound..... 12c	Pork Chops Lean center cuts Pound..... 23c	Pork Sausage Grade 1. Lb. 17c
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**Rolled Beef Roast Rib or Rump. No waste Lb. 15c**

### A 12-Weeks' School To Train Leaders

Beginning Thursday evening, Oct. 4, and extending for a period of 12 weeks, a series of lectures and demonstrations covering the subject of recreation will be given at the Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. for men and women of Kent County. The leader will be Mr. George Kostoff, Physical Director of the Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. This course is enrolling men and women interested in becoming leaders of play activities in schools, churches, lodges, societies, clubs and social welfare organizations. The only expense is an enrollment fee of 50c to cover cost of mimeographed material to be furnished members of the school. On account of the limits of enrollment, applications must be made immediately to Carl S. Metzger, Town and Country Secretary, Y. M. C. A., Grand Rapids.

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### Edible Figs

There are two types of edible figs. One type will develop fruit without pollination and includes the White Adriatic, Black Mission and Kadota. The other type requires pollination and includes chiefly those called Calimyrna, Stanford and San Pedro. Figs are insect-pollinated plants, the pollen-bearing flowers and the edible fruit being borne on different trees. The male tree is known as the caprifig. The staminate flowers which bear the pollen are just inside the eye, and the galls flowers, which are modified female flowers, occupy the rest of the cavity of the fruit.

### First Theater in Capital

Aside from occasional performances given in Blodgett's hotel, which was at the southwest corner of Eighth and E streets, northwest, Washington had no playhouse in its first years. In 1803 a number of citizens met at Tunnick's tavern and planned the erection of the first theater in the city. It was built in 1804 on the northeast corner of Eleventh and C streets, and known as the Washington theater. Tunnick's was on the southeast corner of Ninth and Pennsylvania, southeast, and was founded in 1796—Washington Star.

### Lowell Market Report

Corrected Sept. 27, 1934

Wheat	8.95
Rye	.65
Buckwheat	1.50
Barley	.80
Flour, per bbl.	7.65
Oats, per bu.	.50
Corn	.85
Corn and Oat Feed, cwt.	1.95
Cracked Corn, cwt.	1.35
Bran, per cwt.	1.55
Middlings, per cwt.	1.65
Pea Beans	3.15
Light Red Beans	3.75
Cranberry Beans	4.00
Dark Red Beans	4.50
Eggs, per doz.	.22
Butterfat, lb.	.26
Butter, lb.	25.50
Hogs, dressed, cwt.	12.50
Hogs, live, cwt.	7.25
Calves, live, cwt.	7.58
Beef, live, lb.	04-07
Beef, dressed, lb.	05-11
Fowls, lb.	13-14
Wool	.20

### More Local News

The great Rexall sale is next Monday. Plan for it now. Hilderley Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Butts of Flint spent Monday at the Byron Frost home.

Mrs. Elmer Ellis and children visited relatives around Bowne Center Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Hilderley, who has been ill the past week with intestinal flu, is rapidly improving.

Harry Fuller and family of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. C. O. Lawrence.

The Cheerful Doers will meet Monday evening at the parish house. Members are requested to attend.

Mrs. W. R. Andrews, who has been quite ill for the past week, is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mrs. Julia Stone of Pontiac returned home Friday after a two weeks' visit at the home of Mrs. C. O. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ellis attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Silcox near Alto Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Christie Findlay and her daughter Ina of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Nash.

Mrs. Jennie Flynn, Mrs. Wayne Benton and Mrs. John Nash and daughter of South Bowne called on Mrs. Elmer Ellis Saturday.

Mrs. E. S. White called on her father, Rev. Hayward, of Saranac Monday and found him some better after his recent illness.

Mrs. A. R. Smith took part in the program at the Community Party in South Boston Saturday evening with several readings.

Mrs. W. J. Warren and daughter Grace and Roy Greenwood of Mt. Clemens are spending the week at the World's Fair in Chicago.

Harold Harter, who has been in charge of the meat department of the west side Kroger store, has been transferred to Charlevoix, where he will take his family's next week.

Mrs. C. W. East, who has been spending the summer at her cottage in Saugatuck, is spending a few days with Mrs. E. S. White before returning to her home in Springfield, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sherwood and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Sterzick and family of South Boston. Gordon Sherwood was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Anne Green of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Clara McCarty and daughter Frances and Mrs. Julia Stone spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson of Grand Rapids. Mrs. C. O. Lawrence visited at the Harry Fuller home in Grand Rapids at that time.

A. R. Smith spent the first of the week in St. Johns on business and visiting his brother. Upon his return Mrs. Smith left for Lansing, where she will spend the week-end and attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hicks. Mrs. Smith will give several readings as her contribution to the program.

### Baseball

The Fallburg Cubs will meet the Smyrna ball team Sunday afternoon at two o'clock at Fallburg Park.

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

### Social Events

The Fortnightly Club met with Miss Dora Bangs Tuesday evening. Mrs. Beatrice Krum was assistant hostess.

Grindle-Pinckney

The marriage of Mildred L. Grindle and Tilden T. Pinckney, both of Lowell, was solemnized Sunday afternoon at the Nazarene parsonage, Rev. Vernon G. Shirley officiating. The couple will reside in Lowell.

The Autumn picnic held at the Masonic temple last Tuesday evening by Masons and Eastern Stars was a very happy occasion. The evening was given up to fun and jollity after which light refreshments were served. There will be a dance and hard times party on October 30 in the City hall given for Masons and their friends. Keep this date open and come and enjoy a good time.

### Reception for Merrills

About 200 friends gathered at the Methodist church Friday evening to bid farewell to the Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Merrill and family who moved to Cadillac on Tuesday. The potluck supper, which in the words of one of the guests was "one of the best ever served in the parish house," was followed by an informal program of speeches and music, after which a purse of money was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Merrill as a mark of esteem from their many friends in Lowell, all of whom wish them success and happiness in their new home.

### Inspection for W. R. C.

The monthly dinner and inspection of the Women's Relief Corps will be the feature of the next Relief Corps day, October 4. Ella Gordon of Grand Rapids will be with us, and each member is urged to be in her place and to contribute something for the "Noon Entertainment" in the way of a grab bag.

After the afternoon session last Thursday the ladies held a birthday party for Mrs. Emma Austin and Mrs. Lydia Chubb. Other absent members of the Corps whose birthdays came in September missed their treat. There will be another party in October. "Better be there!"

### Farewell Dinner

Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Merrill and family were entertained with a farewell dinner by the Lowell Ministerial Association at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Hoolema Monday evening. The ministers' wives prepared a very delightful dinner and many beautiful baskets of flowers were sent in, for which the ministers wish to thank the donors.

Rev. Vernon Shirley and Rev. John Claus gave the invocation, Rev. S. B. Wenger acting as toastmaster. Remarks were made by all the pastors. Rev. Hoolema led in prayer, asking God to bless Rev. Merrill in his new field of endeavor, after which Rev. Merrill gave the benediction. Before disbanding the group sang "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

At the table were seated Rev. R. W. Merrill, Mrs. Merrill and children, Robert, Luella and Donald; Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Shirley and daughter Elizabeth, Rev. and Mrs. John Claus, Rev. and Mrs. S. B. Wenger and son Kenneth and Rev. and Mrs. Hoolema and children, Clifford, Madge and Eunice Mae, and Bessie Sweet, who at the present time is making her home with the Hoolemas.

### 55th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William James Anderson were very pleasantly surprised at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Phelps, Sunday, the occasion being the celebration of their 55th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are both enjoying very good health considering their advanced years.

Mr. Anderson was born in Ovid, Seneca Co., N. Y., and came with his parents to Kent County, Mich., when he was a small child. He has lived in Kent county ever since.

Mrs. Anderson was born in Oakland township and has lived in Kent County all her life. They have four daughters, one son and 19 grandchildren.

Guests present were Miss Clara Addis of Carson City, a sister of Mrs. Anderson. (She was also a guest at the wedding 55 years ago); Mr. and Mrs. James E. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Addis of Ovid, nephews of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Burch of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Casterline and children of Sand Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson and children of Cedar Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fonger and children of Lowell and Robert Bradford of Sand Lake.

Love is a wonderful thing, yet there are people who would rather marry for money.

### STRAND Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Sept. 30, Oct. 1-2

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### Makes Big Gains With Each Month

It's good news to write about any business when a newspaper is able to state that a particular company has succeeded in doing more business each succeeding month during the year over the corresponding months of the preceding year. This has been accomplished by the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of which W. V. Burras of Lowell is the president. During the month of August alone over \$900,000 in new business was added by this company.

Only a company imbued with the best of business principles and therefore built upon a solid foundation could possibly make such progress and accounts for the fact that the State Mutual stands today as the largest farm fire insurance company in Michigan. Through the adoption of wise safety measures in the prevention of fire losses and the careful selection of risks and the avoidance of over-insurance, State Mutual losses are at a minimum and as a consequence it has been possible for the State Mutual to make substantial reductions in the cost of farm fire insurance.

The head offices of this company are located at Flint, Mich., where the secretary, H. K. Fisk, will be more than pleased to forward information to anyone desiring to obtain adequate protection against loss by fire at a minimum cost. Representatives in this locality will also be glad to serve you with any desired information.

### Woman's Club

The Lowell Woman's Club held the first meeting of the year on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. G. M. Thordike of Alto with Mrs. A. Duell, Mrs. Chas. Foote, Mrs. Howard Bartlett and Mrs. Fred Pattison assisting.

At the fall meeting of the Kent County Federation of Women's Clubs will be held in Lowell on October 25, committees were appointed to take care of entertaining same.

Following the regular business meeting the program was presented by Mrs. Foote.

Community singing was led by Mrs. Duell, after which with Mrs. Geo. Skidmore at the piano, she gave a very enjoyable reading entitled "Autumn Boy Friend" by Lucy Stone Terrell taken from the Saturday Evening Post.

A delicious lunch was then served on the lawn. The meeting adjourned to meet October 10 at the home of the president, Mrs. A. S. Bennett.

Mrs. M. Houseman, Reporter.

### WITH THE WITS

Go to it  
He—I'd be willing to die a thousand deaths for you.  
She—Just one would suit me.

Knows His Snoring  
"What's the best position for sleeping?"  
"The position of night watchman."

And Other Things  
Junior—Daddy, what is dew?  
Daddy—The rent, the note at the bank, and the installment on the car.

Another Gabbler  
Louise—You know, I speak as I think.  
Milton—Yes, Louise—only oftener.

Willing Customer  
"What's that fellow's trouble? Does he owe you money?"  
"No; but he wants to."

Something Missing  
"How are you, Mrs. Browne?"  
"Oh, I've nothing to grumble at."  
"Mr. Browne away then?"

High Hopes  
Little Girl—Please, Miss Smith, Betty Brown can't come to school today, as she's expecting to become a sister.

Two of a Kind  
"I was a fool when I married you."  
"I suppose you were, but I was so infatuated at the time that I didn't notice it."

Clinging  
Lawyer—It will cost you \$50 to have me take hold of your case.  
Client—And how much for you to let go?

Painted Mustard Yellow  
Jim—What an appropriate looking hot-dog stand.  
Sam—Yes, it's made of dogwood and covered with bark.

U. S. Annexations  
Nearly a third of the territory of the continental United States was once a part of Mexico. It was acquired by the United States in three annexations. The first was when Texas, which had rebelled from Mexico and set up a separate government, was annexed to this country in 1845. The question of the Texas boundary led to the Mexican war, at the conclusion of which our northern neighbor ceded everything south of the Rio Grande and Gila rivers. In 1853 this country settled a number of questions of boundary, property and damages by purchasing an additional strip of southwestern land from Mexico—the Gadsden purchase. Included in these three occasions were all of the states of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, Nevada and California, more than half of Colorado and parts of Oklahoma, Kansas and Wyoming.

### Save All the Beans By Careful Harvest

McNaughton System Prevents Weather Damage and Ripens Plants Not Fully Matured

Michigan farmers can make good use of the McNaughton system for harvesting late beans as this method will cure them well even in adverse weather, according to the farm crops department at Michigan State College.

Beans will be worth saving this year and attempts should be made to avoid weather damage as much as possible. Many of the fields contain lots of plants that are not fully ripened. These beans are usually damaged when cured in the ordinary way.

The McNaughton system makes use of small stacks in which the beans are arranged around a post in the center of the stack. A layer of clean straw is first placed on the ground to hold the beans on the ground to be the beans stack should be straight and the sides are built up two and one-half feet above the center post.

The stacks are built about four and one-half to five feet in diameter. Usually, several rows of beans can be carried to the stacks advantageously. The beans can be placed in these small stacks sooner than they can be stored in the barn or in the big stacks of used. Immature beans will ripen in the McNaughton stacks.

The small stacks can be left in the field for quite long periods without damage to the beans from rains. They can be threshed at a convenient time, and interruptions by showers are not as serious as when a large stack has been opened.

A bulletin describing the McNaughton system in detail will be sent to those who write to the College farm crops department.

### Coming Events

The regular meeting of the Rebekahs will be held Tuesday, Oct. 2, at the hall at 8:00 p. m.

Regular meeting of Hooker Chapter, No. 73, R. A. M. Wednesday night, Oct. 3. H. J. Rittenger, H. P.

The regular meeting of the Garden Lore club will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Wachterhauser Tuesday, Oct. 2.

Mark this date—Thursday evening, Sept. 27, chicken supper at Ladies Aid hall, Bowne Center. Begin serving at 5:30 o'clock.

A series of pedro parties will begin at L. O. O. F. hall Friday evening, Sept. 28, and will be held every two weeks thereafter.

Tige Hale announces that he will open his Lowell dances Friday night, October 5. Good bands are assured for his dances each Friday thereafter.

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held Tuesday, Oct. 2, at the city hall at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served. Installation of officers.

The South Boston Grange will hold an open meeting at the South Boston Grange hall on Saturday evening, Sept. 29, with a prominent State speaker. Mrs. Elmer Marshall is in charge of program. Everyone interested is cordially invited.

The fifth annual banquet of the Kent County Rural Teachers' Association will be held Saturday, Oct. 6, 1934, at 6:00 p. m., at the Y. M. C. A. in Grand Rapids. Following the banquet election of officers will occur, after which a fine program has been arranged by the banquet committee.

### 4-H CLUB NEWS

Excellence in demonstrating a simple test for soil acidity and how to make a home test for determining the amount of lime in marl won Martin Holmden and Norton Sowerby a trip to the National Club Congress in Chicago the first week in December. These boys are both members of the Oakland 4-H Potato Club and Bostwick Lake 4-H Dairy Call Club. In addition to these two projects they have been members of forestry and handicraft clubs.

The boys entered the district contest at Michigan State College winning that contest. At the finals in Detroit they were first among five teams from all over the state. Their trip to the Club Congress will be paid by the Michigan State Fair.

Two hundred and ten handicraft club members in 33 clubs finished their work in this project last year and from all advance requests for enrollment blanks and information on this work it looks like a record enrollment for the coming winter's work.

Boys, 10 to 20 years, in rural schools are eligible to join these clubs, 5 members constitute a standard club. An older boy or person, preferably one mechanically inclined, is selected for a leader. The place for the boys to work should be warm and well lighted. An elaborate set of tools is not required. The past two years some Grand Rapids furniture manufacturers have assisted with material and it is hoped they will continue this year. A well illustrated bulletin is furnished as an outline for the work. It is surprising the ingenuity and cleverness these boys show in this work.

The work should be organized and started in early November and will be finished in the middle of April.

Schools or parents interested in this work should send a request for information at once to County Farm Agent K. K. Vining, 201 Y. M. C. A. Bldg., Grand Rapids, Michigan.

### 63 GOOD YEAR ALL-WEATHER

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### Again Enrolling For C.C.C. Camps

More than 3,000 boys and young men of Michigan will have an opportunity during October to enroll in the Civilian Conservation Corps for service in the 59 camps scattered through the northern part of the state. The actual quota allowed Michigan by the United States Department of Labor for the six months' period ending March 31, as announced by Wm. Haber, state relief administrator, is 3,050.

Allocation of county quotas is now under way and applicants may enroll at the office of their county relief administrator from October 1 to 20. The age range for eligibles is from 18 to 26 years. So far possible, the boys will be taken from families on the relief rolls or in danger of becoming dependent, and they must be in good physical condition as determined by a thorough medical examination.

Recruits are paid at the rate of \$30 per month in addition to their maintenance. Of this amount \$25 is sent directly to the family or other designated dependents and \$5 is retained by the camp worker for personal expenses.

The 3,050 who will go to camp in October will take the place of those whose terms of service are expiring at the end of September. They will constitute about a third of the number in state conservation camps, which means that a large number of the 9,750 young men now in service are re-enrolling for a second term. One year is the maximum period any recruit may remain.

In addition to the recruits there is a force of 1,200 local experienced men, who work with the boys in the woods and assist in camp maintenance.

### BusLine Schedule

Grand Rapids—Tois—Lansing  
A. A. Schaubel, Pres.

(Lowell Time)		
EAST	DAILY	WEST
7:35 a. m.		8:55 a. m.
10:35 a. m.		12:25 p. m.
2:35 p. m.		3:55 p. m.
5:25 p. m.		8:35 p. m.
EAST SUNDAY WEST		
7:35 a. m.		10:55 a. m.
5:25 p. m.		8:35 p. m.

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### "Cork Legs"

Although cork has some 150 important uses, the familiar "cork leg" used in amputation cases is not manufactured of the material for which the limb is named. Artificial limbs, both legs and arms, are made of willow wood, with leather and steel and rubber parts added. There are many fables about how the name "cork leg" originated, one of which was that artificial limbs were first manufactured in Cork, Ireland. Another is that they were given the name by limb manufacturers on Cork street, in London.