

Bean Price Is Pegged at \$6

Government Takes Over Control of Marketing the 1943 Crop

Uncle Sam will be the principal outlet for Michigan's bean crop this year. That in substance is the effect of the "Country Shipper Purchase Agreement" which is being offered to growers and bean buyers, and which pegs the price to be paid to the grower as well as the price at which the beans are to be resold.

C. H. Runciman of Lowell informs the Ledger that this arrangement has been worked out through the Commodity Corporation. It applies to the 1943 bean crop. The grower is to receive pay on the basis of \$6.00 per cwt. for choice hand-picked beans and the buyer is to sell these beans, bagged, cleaned and f. o. b. carrier at \$6.50.

Provision is made in the agreement for sale for civilian purposes but in no case shall the price be in excess of \$6.50 per cwt. for the top quality beans.

In addition to other restrictions and definitions of how beans are to be handled, the agreement sets up a table of deductions which may be made for the various percentages of "pick". The table follows:

Per Cent Pick	Deduction \$6.00 Base Price	Country Shippers Paying Price to Farmers
1	..... .14	\$5.86
2	..... .28	5.72
3	..... .42	5.58
4	..... .56	5.44
5	..... .70	5.30
6	..... .84	5.16
7	..... .98	5.02
8	..... 1.12	4.88
9	..... 1.26	4.74
10	..... 1.40	4.60
11	..... 1.54	4.46
12	..... 1.68	4.32
13	..... 1.82	4.18
14	..... 1.96	4.04
15	..... 2.10	3.90
16	..... 2.24	3.76
17	..... 2.38	3.62
18	..... 2.52	3.48
19	..... 2.66	3.34
20	..... 2.80	3.20

Beans picking in excess of this schedule will be purchased on the basis of Sample Grade Values.

Country Shippers shall buy from Commodity any beans delivered by Commodity to country shipper on the same basis and buying schedule as though beans were bought direct from grower.

Maximum charges to be made for drying arc: Beans containing moisture in excess of 18 per cent and not in excess of 20 per cent, 10c per cwt, plus charges of 1c for each 2% of moisture for beans containing in excess of 20 per cent. Moisture in excess of standard to (continued on back page)

A Sunday School For All Boys and Girls Is Aim of Churches

Through the courtesy of this paper space is being allowed for the announcing of a simultaneous effort on the part of local churches to call attention of parents and children alike to the various Sunday schools in the community, urging that where there has been any neglect of these facilities for Christian instruction and inspiration, that the neglect be remedied. It is urged that parents and children cooperate in the fullest possible way so that boys and girls will all be in some Sunday School each Sunday.

It is the aim and hope of every good American that this country remain in the good place to live in that it has ever been. It needs to be remembered that no history of America or of its culture is complete without the story of its religion and its churches. America is a Christian country, and its peace and security are measured largely in terms of its adherence to Christian principles and the Christian way of life. But how can the Christian way of life be expected to continue in America if children, and adults too, are not regularly instructed in the principles and practice of Christianity?

Next Sunday, Oct. 3, is World Wide Communion Sunday. In many Sunday Schools it is also Rally Day and Promotion Day. It can be all of these things. The Communion Service is for most Christians the most impressive and most inspiring of the church's services. It adds even to this impressiveness to know that across the world, in thousands of cities and hamlets, in great churches and small ones, thousands and thousands of people are sharing in this blessed sacrament. It is an opportunity which Christians ought not to miss. Christianity is about the only bond that tends to hold the world together in brotherhood and good will. Christianity challenges us to take an heroic stand, and promises us the power to live heroically. The Christian church is the visible instrument of God, abundantly used and abundantly blessed of Him, for the advancement of his invisible Kingdom on the earth. Be loyal to the church.

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FIFTY-FIRST YEAR

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Donna Stormzand Given Scholarship

The fund for the Student Nurses Scholarship, which is being sponsored by the Federation of Women's Clubs, is gradually reaching its goal. The goal for this locality is \$250, and the contributions to date are \$186, with \$64 to go.

The representatives from the various organizations contributing, met and chose Miss Donna Stormzand, a student nurse, who met all requirements.



Donna Stormzand

The fund must be completed by Jan. 1, 1944 and any club, or any person not affiliated with a club, wishing to give may do so. Their contribution may be handed to the local committee which consists of Mrs. W. W. Gumsier and Mrs. R. D. Hahn, or to the treasurer of the Lowell Women's Club, Mrs. E. C. Foreman.

The Lowell Women's Club of which Mrs. George Johnson is president, has contributed up to date \$51, given by 25 members, leaving 33 members yet to contribute. Other organizations have given as follows: American Legion Auxiliary, \$26; Cyclaman Chapter, No. 94, O. E. S., \$25; Rebekah Lodge No. 282, \$30; Past Noble Grand's Club of Island City Rebekah Lodge, No. 282, \$5; Garden Lore Club, \$10; Vergennes Co-operative Club, \$21; Fortnightly Club, \$13.

OPA Rules On Farm Auctions

Ceilings Put on Three More Implements; Bill Must Be Filed With District OPA

A new OPA ruling regarding farm auctions went into effect September 6. Ceilings have been put on three more farm implements, and the auctioneers are charged with the responsibility of notifying the District OPA office of any auction six days before it is held.

Hay loaders, slide delivery rakes and manure spreaders have been added to the five implements formerly governed by ceilings. The ruling on these three implements is that any implement which has been in use one year or less may be sold for 85 per cent of its base price (dealers have these prices). If more than one year old, it cannot be sold for more than 70 per cent of the base price.

The same ceilings apply, as before, to combines, corn binders, corn pickers, tractors and hay balers.

The above ceilings apply to private as well as public sale of any of these eight farm implements.

Another phase of the new OPA ruling is that they affect farm auctions is the responsibility of the auctioneer. He is required to send to the District OPA office a copy of the auction bill, or advertisement, announcing the date, place and hour of the sale and the property offered for sale.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY DAY OCT. 26 AT ALTON CHURCH

This next Sunday is Rally Day at the Alton Church. There will be special numbers by members of the Sunday School, and a speaker, whose message you will not want to miss. Dr. E. A. Marshall who has traveled on Bible Lands, makes the Bible plain as he explains life in Palestine by means of a sixteen-foot Palestine scene. Dr. Marshall will be the speaker for both morning and evening services. Make Rally Day, Family Sunday, this year. We welcome you.

—H. E. Gilmore, Pastor.

CUSTOM TAILORED CLOTHES

No matter what your build—short, tall, heavy or slender—you can find a style specially designed to fit you and a choice selection of worsted and twist suitings to choose from, at \$35 up.

Coons

Bonds of Victory. Buy em!



News of Our Boys

Leo L. Blocher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Blocher of Alto, R2, after preliminary training for the Maritime Service at Sheepshead Bay, N. Y., has been assigned to the Engine Training Department for advance instruction in becoming a merchant seaman.

Lieut. and Mrs. George C. Daly renew their Ledger from Fort Williams, Cape Cottage, Maine, and state that their son, Clifford C. Verburg, better known to his Lowell friends as "Buddy", is in the S. Pacific on an island, and is well, but writes them that it was not in more ways than one there at present, but at least they can have a swim in the ocean. Buddy was born in Lowell and his first school days were spent under Miss Bangs and Miss Bushnell. He joined the Marines a year ago in August and would like to hear from some of his school friends.

Wesley Fred Peckham, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Peckham, enlisted in the Navy and left for Detroit Sept. 20. They received a letter from St. Sgt. William G. Peckham, the first in three months, saying he is out of the hospital again and is fine. Another son, Sgt. Richard Peckham, hasn't been heard from for some time, and it is thought he has left the States.

Corp. Fred A. Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, has been transferred from the air base at Apalachicola, Fla., to Miami for a six weeks' instructive course.

George E. Metternick, 18 year old seaman, second class, a graduate of Lowell high school, has recently been transferred from "boot camp" at Great Lakes to the navy's Submarine Chaser Training Center at Miami, Fla. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Metternick, the youth will undergo a course of specialized anti-submarine warfare training and then, in all probability, will be sent out with one of the units designed solely for the purpose of keeping American shipping safe from undersea raiders.

Lester C. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rogers, has been promoted to a corporal and is stationed at the Ordnance Training Center at Camp Santa Anita, Arcadia, Calif.

Sgt. Louis J. Seeley has been transferred from Hammer Field, to Camp Pinedale, Fresno, Calif. He is in the signal corps.

Kenneth L. Ayres has been transferred from Keesler Field, Miss., where he was promoted to sergeant, and was sent to Salt Lake City to meet his combat crew.

Sgt. Ted MacTavish of Harvard, Neb., has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank MacTavish. His brother, Lt. Frank, Jr., called from San Marcos, Tex., Monday morning.

Pvt. Gerald Bieri is spending a two weeks' furlough home from Camp Phillip, Kan., visiting his sister, Mrs. Arthur Schneider, and other relatives.

Robert Warner, A. M. M. 2c, of the U. S. Naval Base at Groes Ile, came Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royden Warner. His wife, who had been here since Thursday, returned to Groes Ile with him on Monday.

Seaman Arthur (Bud) Norton is at Treasure Island, San Francisco, Calif., awaiting assignment to a ship.

Pvt. Edwin Y. Marshall, Fort Bragg, N. C., has been changed to another battery.

Robert J. Slater, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slater of Alto, has been promoted to a technical sergeant at San Diego, Calif., where he is stationed. Robert graduated from Lowell high school with the class of 1938 and has been in service two years next February.

Auction Sales

Nellie Fuller Estate, October 5

In order to close the estate of Nellie Fuller, deceased, the household goods will be sold at public auction at the premises at McCords, on Tuesday, Oct. 5, beginning at one o'clock sharp. Dan A. Wingeier, Adm. and Clerk; A. W. Hiltz, auctioneer. See complete adv. on another page of this issue.

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Sale of War Bonds Over \$130,000 Here

Enthusiastic Crowd Buys \$30,075 in Bonds at Tuesday Night's Auction Rally—Bonds May Still Be Bought At Bank or Postoffice Up To Closing Time Saturday

A small but enthusiastic crowd participated in the Bond Rally at the high school Tuesday evening. About two hundred fifty citizens, including a few children, bid with alacrity for the prizes donated by local business men. Some teachers, who acted as assistant clerks to Harry Day, took subscriptions totaling in excess of \$30,000. This meant that over \$130,000 in bonds have been sold in Lowell up to Tuesday night of this week. The Rally was supported by a parade, band concert and a movie. N. C. Thomas, auctioneer, donated his services, and did a splendid job.

Important Notice—Third War Loan Bonds can still be purchased at your bank or postoffice up to closing time on Saturday of this week.

It was pointed out by W. W. Gumsier, bond chairman for the Lowell area, that all business men who had been approached for prizes had cooperated to the fullest extent. There was not a single refusal and if any name has been left out of the list of donors it was only because of an oversight on the part of the solicitor.

In addition to the list published last week the following donors and prizes are given:

Lowell Lumber & Supply Co.—Painting kit with paint.
Kiel's Greenhouse—\$3 in trade.
Newell Mfg. Co.—1 doz. 608 door closers (@ \$1.50)
Paul Kellogg Vinegar Co.—\$10 cash.
William Helm—25-lb. pall rust-proof grease.
McQueen's Garage—Willard battery for any passenger car.
Lowell Beer Store—Case of pop.
Highland Hill Dairy—45 quarts of milk.
Harry & V's Sweet Shop—Box of cigars.
Ellis Auto Electric—Grease job.
Gould's Garage—Grease and oil job.
Fairchild's Gas & Oil—Oil change and 3 gals. gas (stamp required).
Kelly's Station—Grease and oil change.
Blue Mill Station—Five quarts of oil.
Armstrong's Service Station—Oil change.
Murray's Restaurant—Carton of cigarettes.
Staal's Lunch—1,000 Chesterfield cigarettes.
Pete's Place—Three cartons of cigarettes.
Stephens' Garage—1 gal. Starboard anti-freeze.
Roth's Furniture Store—Occasional chair.
Fitzgerald's Restaurant—Box of cigars.

Rev. Ray W. Merrill Men's Club Speaker

Ladies night for the Men's Club, held at the Methodist Church, Monday evening turned out to be a very enjoyable affair with about 80 in attendance.

It started with a potluck supper after which J. M. Townsend, president of the club and chairman for the evening, presented Rev. R. W. Merrill of the Lakeside Methodist church at Muskegon, and former Lowell pastor, who gave the address of the evening. His subject, "Know Thyself" proved to be very instructive and interesting.

Moe: "Where did you get the black eye?"
Joe: "I went to a dance and was struck by the beauty of the place."

Three Kerekes Brothers in Same Camp Learn Mountaineering and Military Skiing



Cpl. Paul Kerekes Sgt. Carl Kerekes Pvt. Lloyd Kerekes

The Ledger is pleased to acknowledge receipt of an interesting letter from Paul, Lloyd and Carl Kerekes, who are receiving intensive training in the Rocky Mountains. The boys are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerekes and their letter was written from Camp Hale, Colo., and reads as follows:

"Each week our folks send us the Ledger; and each week we read it with the same degree of enthusiasm.

"We always like to hear from the fellows in the service and about the different parts of this old globe they are in. So we have decided to let the folks back home know a little about the type of country and work we are in.

"Here are some figures that are not regarded as military secrets. Camp Hale is located 9,320 feet above sea level, and this means that the air contains 40% less oxygen than at sea level. And this fact alone comprises a great handicap to physical exertion. It takes around two months to get your body and respiratory system acclimated. The camp is situated in a valley with the Rocky Mountains rising on all sides.

"The training here is of a very specialized nature; as the soldier must be taught not only individual soldiering but every phase of mountaineering and military skiing, (which differs greatly from civilian sport). You must be prepared, at all times, to meet and conquer the utmost extremes in weather conditions. One moment it will be a beautiful sun-filled day, and the next a swirling blizzard.

"This is a vividly beautiful country with unbelievable masses of rock towering thousands of feet into the air, and beautiful evergreen-covered slopes stretching for miles to dashing mountain streams that are a fisherman's paradise. And all this, watched over by gnarled peaks of weather-beaten rocks that smile with friendly sun and warmth, or conversely lash out with terrible mountain storms that shake and tear at the old peaks, but never change their expressions.

"All of this is a training area. And all of this is utilized to prepare us to be able to meet the enemy in whatever terrain he may choose. We are convinced that we will not only be able to meet him in the mountains, but will be able to beat him there as well.

—Paul, Lloyd and Carl Kerekes."

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Along Main Street

Lowell Moose Lodge has purchased a \$500 Third War Loan Bond.

The coal situation is frankly discussed in the C. H. Runciman Company advertisement on another page of this issue. The war is affecting every home in the land.

The village of Lowell now has \$100,000 invested in interest-bearing securities. Of this sum \$30,000 is in War Bonds, and \$70,000 from the estate of the late Dr. S. S. Lee.

The Lowell Granite Co. on East Main-st. puts up a fresher appearance now with a new coat of cream colored paint and two freshly painted signs, on either side of the building.

Ninety-six agents of the American Surety Company of New York throughout the country have been awarded certificates in recognition of twenty-five years of service with the company. The list of agents so honored includes Harry Day, of Lowell.

The Lowell Manufacturing Company is employing 75 or more hands on war work, and elsewhere in this issue is making an urgent appeal for more help from persons who can put in four hours daily from six to ten p. m. Here's your chance to help back the boys at the front.

The boys of the Junior and Senior classes of Lowell high school were given a pre-induction physical examination last week Thursday and Friday. The examination was also for athletics and the physical fitness class, and was given by Dr. B. H. Shepard, assisted by Mrs. VanFleet, Kent County nurse.

Jokes, jests, jibes and jabs just by Jeff. Many a Lowell homemaker is fooled by taking the screens out too soon. One Illinois grocer, after filling out Government blanks, walked out of his store and hasn't been seen since. This may give others the same idea!...Someone says that women will have a lot to say in the next election, and when haven't they?...That western judge that demanded women remove their hats in his court, probably isn't planning on running for re-election...Who in Lowell ever expected to live to see the day when a ceiling would be put on flooring?...You can't blame boys if there happens to be a soap shortage.

STRAND CALENDAR

Thursday, Sept. 30—Bill Boyd in "Leather Burners"; also "Man of Courage" with Barton MacLane and Charlotte Winters; plus News.

Friday and Saturday, Oct. 1-2—Paulette Goddard and Ray Millard in "The Crystal Ball"; also Wm. Boyd in "Undercover Man", plus News.

Sunday and Monday, Oct. 3-4—Barbara Stanwyck and Michael O'Shea in "Lady of Burlesque" also News and Short subjects.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 5-7—Rosaland Russell and Fred MacMurray in "Flight for Freedom" with Herbert Marshall, also added Shorts.

Victory Scrap Drive Planned To Build Up Reserves For Mills

Michigan Salvage Committees, faced with waning scrap inventories, are launching a state-wide Victory Scrap campaign between October 1 and November 15 to again comb all farms, homes and stores for steel and iron scrap. The drive is part of a national campaign requested by Donald M. Nelson, WPE Chairman, and Major General Brehon Somervell to assure capacity production of steel mills throughout the winter months.

Consuming steel mills and suppliers have on hand an inventory of only 7 1/2 million tons, sufficient to last just two months.

The need for steel in carrying on the war is greater than ever. This is an insurance drive. There are no steel mills down right now, but we must be sure that no mill will go down. We are skating on 'oo thin a margin for safety. We must build a scrap stockpile or reserve on which we can draw. Scrap gathered in the fall drive will go direct to the processing yards or be placed in Victory Scrap Bank piles, which can be drawn upon as needed.

REID C. TOWNE OF CASCADE ACCEPTS WELFARE POST

Appointment as assistant county welfare agent has been accepted by Reid C. Towne, necessitating his resignation as supervisor of Cascade township. This vacancy has been filled by appointment of the veteran township clerk, Gerrit Baker, the office of clerk being given to C. Harold Buttrick. Mr. Towne was appointed by Gov. Harry F. Kelly on recommendation of the Kent probate judges, John Dalton and Joseph R. Gillard.

NOTICE, VILLAGE TAX PAYERS

By action of the Village Council, the Tax Roll is extended to October 18th. This is the Last extension that can be made. Please give me your cooperation by paying up before that date. I want to collect 100% this year. Will you help me?

E. S. White, Treas.

Wins High Honor in Regional Contest

Stanley Ralys, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ralys, and a member of the Lowell Chapter of Future Farmers of America, was awarded second place in a regional F. F. A. public speaking contest held in Chicago, September 27.



Stanley Ralys

Stanley, who was vice president of the Lowell Chapter, won the Michigan contest in April, and as a result represented the Michigan Association of Future Farmers of America in the Chicago contest. All expenses of the trip were paid by the State Association for both Stanley and his advisor, Albert T. Hall, local instructor of vocational agriculture.

First place in the Chicago contest went to Joe Donald Botto of Kentucky. Botto's father is also his teacher of vocational agriculture, having taught in the same school for twenty years.

Ralys and the Lowell schools are to be congratulated for bringing this honor to Lowell.

Madeline Dehmel of the English department and Supt. Gumsier assisted in coaching Stanley, whose theme "The Farmer's Part in Winning the War" was published in the Ledger last April.

Prizes Awarded To Victory Gardeners

Lowell school pupils who took part in the community school garden have had a profitable year. Not only did they grow a lot of good vegetables and receive much healthy exercise, but they won cash prizes as well.

These prizes were awarded Wednesday evening at a program sponsored by the Lowell Garden Lore Club in the high school gymnasium. Prizes were awarded by Mr. C. H. Runciman, donor of the land on which the gardens were grown; Mr. Zwemer showed conservation films and a film taken of the school garden; Mrs. Doyle, accompanied by her daughter, Virginia, sang two patriotic songs, and there were other interesting numbers on the program conducted by Chairman Mrs. Harold Englehardt. Members of the Alto Garden Club were guests.

The Lowell community school gardens were the result of cooperative effort between the Lowell Garden Lore Club, C. H. Runciman, and Albert T. Hall, vocational agriculture instructor.

The Garden Club, headed by Mrs. Englehardt, president, sponsored and encouraged the project, and deserve a lot of credit for its success.

Mr. Runciman furnished the land, all ready to plant, and fertilizer to be used free of charge by the gardeners. He also bought the film used in making moving pictures of the project. Mr. Hall planned the garden and acted as advisor to the people taking part.

Pupils who received prizes for their gardens were Gloria Brown, Jerry Brown, Douglas Wingeier, Helen Summers, Marjorie McQueen, James Fonger, Jane Rittenger, Jean Freyermuth, Dorothy Alexander, Anita Doyle, Allen Hale and Ronald Story.

Special mention should go to Douglas Wingeier, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wingeier, who won a \$25 bond for having the best garden in the Junior gardeners' youths of 17 or under.

A Short-Short Epitaph

The young reporter had been lectured about padding his stories, getting in too many uninteresting details. So when a fatal accident took place in the highest building in town, he reported it this way:

"Bill Walker, the janitor, looked up the elevator shaft in the Jones Building this morning to see if the elevator was running. It was. Age 32. Funeral Tuesday morning, 11:30."

ODT Restrictions Monday, October 11

Joseph B. Eastman, director of Defense Transportation, has ordered restrictions on all wholesale and retail motor truck deliveries in the Nation.

The restrictions are the same as those which have been in effect in the 12 Eastern States and the District of Columbia since last spring.

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UP and DOWN

By K. K. Vining

Pointers for Bean Stacking

Bean harvest is at hand again and in many fields the familiar stacks are appearing. However, the weather the past week has been such that many beans have been harvested from the field. Stacking beans is a good farm practice under adverse weather conditions but there are some things about the job that should be remembered. A strong smooth post about 2 1/2 inches in diameter should be used to build around and should be set firmly in ground. A steel fence post goes well. Build a good straw or chaff base at least six inches thick. Keep the stacks narrow, 4 to 4 1/2 feet in diameter with the sides straight up and down. Press bean vines down around top of post and build well over its top so post cannot stick out after beans settle. We have no doubt but that many beans are spoiled each year by improper stack building and some we have seen this year are headed that way. The college has a new pamphlet out on "Making Better Bean Stacks." It has to do with mechanical devices to build good stacks. Our office will be glad to send you a copy.

Beating the Garden Pests

Folks who have had a victory garden in 1943 and plan another one next year will do well to destroy all crop remnants and help get rid of pests. Here are some bugs that will live over in your garden plant refuse—squash bug, squash vine borer, cabbage worms, cabbage aphids, Mexican bean beetle, corn borer and many others. These pests wax fat on the remains of plants left in the garden. Plow your garden if possible in the fall or otherwise burn or destroy all garden rubbish.

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Nazarenes Begin Forward Campaign

In one of the greatest forward movements yet undertaken by the Church of the Nazarene, 200,000 members of the denomination are being called upon for volunteer service in a nation-wide Church Advance Month in October to make "A million contacts for Christ." These workers will include the Rev. R. C. Warland of the Lowell Church and members of his congregation.

"We are determined to make this campaign a success," said Rev. Warland, "that it may result in the salvation of souls, the entire sanctification of believers and in increasing the membership of our church."

Concentrating especially on those who are not regular in attendance at any church, it is planned to contact relatives, friends, neighbors, fellow workers and others through personal visitations, telephone calls and letters.

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NEWSPAPER WEEK The fourth annual Newspaper Week is observed from Oct. 1 to 8 and finds groups and organizations both inside and outside the Fourth Estate, celebrating the occasion.

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Master Mix

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Charles W. Clark Post, American Legion WILL SPONSOR A EUCRE PARTY Saturday, Oct. 2 8:30 p.m. at CITY HALL

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6th Wedding Anniversary

LOCALS

October 1, 1918—25 Years Ago

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LOWELL ITEMS OF 25, 30 AND 35 YEARS AGO

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Alto News
Mr. and Mrs. Julius Wester, Jr., and son Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Metterick, Jr., and daughter, Cecelia, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman and sons, Dale and Donald of Freeport, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and son Arthur Anderson S. 26, were all Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Eldridge and family in Mullett, the dinner being in honor of Arthur who is home on a week's furlough.

N. McCORDS—E. CASCADE Mrs. Effie Cox
Fred Wisner was a Sunday guest of his son, Carl and family in Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Cox were visitors at the Herman VanderStoep home in Grand Rapids Sunday.

LOGAN Mrs. D. W. Krasfman
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bismar.
Wilma Bismar was home for the week-end.

SEELYE CORNERS Mrs. S. F. Reynolds
Snow P. T. A. will meet at the schoolhouse on Friday evening of this week.
The Para Bureau met at the home of Mrs. and Mr. W. V. Buras last Friday evening. Ten families were present to hear Claude Nash, director of the Department lead a discussion on "Methods of Discussion".

WANT-ADS
Want Adv. Rates—35¢ for 25 words or less, if over 25 words, add 1¢ per word. If ordered by mail, please enclose coin or stamps.

WANT ADS—For Sale, For Rent, Help Wanted, Miscellaneous
FOR SALE—Apples for eating and cooking, Harold Davern, Phone 256-F13, Lowell. p20-21

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DAVE CLARK, Mgr.
SOUTH SIDE—SEAWUN Mrs. Charles Young
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winks spent a couple of days in Detroit last week with Mr. and Mrs. Myron (Oscar) Langer.

FARM FENCE
Regular Heavy 6 in. Stay 47 in. High
Regular Heavy 12 in. Stay 47 in. High
Hog Fence 6 in. Stay
BARB WIRE
Heavy 4 Point
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Another
"Sugar Pie," said the dark one to his sister. "Did that pie I gave you make you long for another?"

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Mr. and Mrs. George Saborn of Alaska were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pattison and family.

WHITNEYVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Connell were recent guests at the Stella Warner home.

WANTED
Wanted—Waitress, dormitory maid, and second cook. Residence furnished. King's road, School Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. c11-21

LOCAL MARKET REPORT
Corrected Sept. 29, 1943
Wheat, bu. 1.00
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WANTED
Wanted—Used cars, light models preferred. McCall Chevrolet, Phone 295. c11-21

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OUR 84TH ANNIVERSARY
Banana Fruit Cake
SUGARED DONUTS 14c
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Why not use this time to augment your earnings from your regular source of employment and at the same time contribute a greater share to providing our boys on the fighting fronts with the food and equipment needed to win the victory over the most blood thirsty enemy this country has ever had to face.

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The Coal Situation!
Everyone is thinking about the supply of coal and whether there will be enough for everyone.
We have talked with Boston, New York, Chicago and Cleveland in the last couple of days and have decided that we will have enough coal but not enough Pocahontas, to go around.
We will receive some Pocahontas, perhaps 50 to 60% of last year.

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REYNOLDS' MEN'S WEAR

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BIRTHS

To Deputy and Mrs. Frank L. Stephens, on Wednesday, Sept. 22, a 9 1/4 lb. girl, who has been named Linda Ann.

In Ferndale, on September 28, a 7 lb. daughter, Jeannine, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Christensen (nee Gracia Haysmer).

Civilian Ammunition Rationed to Hunters

P. J. Hoffmaster, state conservation director, declared today that the war production board and the arms manufacturing firms had assured him that Michigan hunters would have new supplies of ammunition by the first of the week in October.

Rationing of civilian ammunition to hunters will be on the basis of the stocks the hunters now have on hand, the war production board informed P. J. Hoffmaster, state conservation director.

WPB officials explained that when buying ammunition, the hunter will be required to sign an affidavit stating that he does not now have in his possession more than 100 rounds of 22-caliber ammunition, 20 rounds of center fire rifle ammunition, and 50 shot gun shells. If his present supply is not more than these amounts, he will be permitted to buy 50 rounds of 22-caliber ammunition, 20 rounds of center fire ammunition, and 25 shot gun shells.

Farmers will be allowed to purchase 100 rounds of 22's, 40 rounds of rifle ammunition, and 25 shot gun shells. Sale of ammunition to hunters will begin October 1, and no ammunition will be sold after November 15, according to a ruling of the war production board.

Michigan was allotted 6,250,000 shot gun shells, and 850,000 center fire rifle cartridges for this fall's hunting seasons by the WPB, and rationing is necessary to insure equal distribution of this ammunition among the state's 850,000 hunters, WPB officials explained.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to friends, relatives and neighbors for their many kind expressions of sympathy at the time of the death of our father, John G. Livingston.

The Family

Would you buy him another War Bond to help HIM come home safer and quicker.

SOCIAL EVENTS

PHILLIP ALTHEN TO WED WAWUATOSA, WIS. GIRL

Miss Shirley Knowlton of Wawuatos, Wis., has chosen October 23 as the date of her marriage to Phillip Althen, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Foreman of Lowell. The bride-to-be is a daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Moss Knowlton of Wawuatos. She will go East October 17 to witness the commissioning of her fiancé as ensign in the naval reserve at Columbia University.

Tentative plans are for the wedding to be held in St. Nicholas Mission, with a wedding breakfast at the Milwaukee Athletic Club and a reception afterward at the home of the bride's mother. However, if the groom is not granted a leave they will be married in the East.

Both young people were graduated in June from Michigan State College.

Approaching Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. MacKellar of Decatur announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Doris, to William C. Clark, son of Mrs. W. F. Murphy of Lowell, the wedding to take place Friday evening, Oct. 1, at eight o'clock. Miss MacKellar is a teacher in the Lowell schools.

Entertain With Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lampkin entertained with a dinner Tuesday evening honoring their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Richard Lampkin of Ocala, Fla., who will spend some time with them, also her brother, Hubert Wolter of Grand Rapids, who left Tuesday night to enter the navy. Besides members of the family other guests were Mrs. J. W. Lafferty and Mrs. W. E. Soule of Grand Rapids.

Bride-to-be Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Avery and Mrs. Ed. Kiel entertained last Saturday evening at the Avery cottage at Murray's Lake, with a kitchen shower for Doris MacKellar and William Clark whose approaching marriage has been announced. Twenty-one guests were present, high score going to Mrs. Hulda Finels at bridge. Mrs. Mm. Murphy for euchre and to Miss MacKellar in cribbage.

Miss MacKellar was also honored with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Warner Roth, Miss Watson joining Mrs. Roth as hostess. Guests were the women teachers and wives of the faculty members.

Social Brevities

The Fortnightly Club met Tuesday evening at the farm home of Mrs. E. H. Roth with Mrs. Howard Krum as assistant hostess. Mrs. George Arehart and Mrs. Byrne McMahon presented the program on "Poetry."

The Book Forum met last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ed. Kiel. Mrs. Arnold Kreuger reviewed "Centennial Summer" by Albert Idele.

The Monday Book Club met this week with Mrs. Frank Newell as hostess, and Mrs. F. E. White reviewed "Mama's Bank Account" by Kathryn Forbes.

Rationing Facts At a Glance

Processed Foods
Blue Stamps U, V and W valid now and through Oct. 20.

Meats, Cheese, Butter, Fats and Canned Fish
Red Stamps X, Y and Z valid now and to Oct. 2. Brown Stamps A and B from Book 3 now good until Oct. 2. C good now to Oct. 30.

Sugar
Stamp 14 good for 5 pounds through Oct. 31. Stamps 15 and 16 are good for 5 pounds of canning sugar each; apply at board for additional canning sugar as need arises. Valid until Oct. 31.

Shoes
Stamp 18 good for 1 pair through October 31. Odd-lot shoes now ration-free.

Gasoline
No. 8 stamps in new 'A' book good to Nov. 21. 'B' and 'C' stamps which bear the words "mileage ration" good for three gallons until used. Old style 'B' and 'C' books no longer valid.

Tires
Next inspections due: 'A' Book vehicles by Sept. 30; 'B's' by October 31; 'C's' by November 31; commercial vehicles every 6 months or 5,000 miles whichever is first.

Fuel Oil
Coupon No. 5 good for 11 gallons in Zones A and B and for 10 in Zone C. It must last until Oct. for both heat and hot water. Coupon No. 1 for the new season good now until Jan. 3 for 10 gallons.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends for their sympathy shown me during my recent bereavement, the loss of my mother, Mrs. Effie Sheldon.

James Phelps

SPORTS

By Forrest Buck
Board of Trade Sports Chairman

Ionia 6-Lowell 0

Playing in a downpour of rain Lowell was forced to accept a 0 to 0 defeat at the hands of Ionia. For the second consecutive week a blocked punt lead to the downfall of the locals.

Lowell kicked off to Ionia and the two teams matched gain for gain and played most of the first quarter on a tie. Just as the first quarter ended, Lowell dropped back to punt, and the blocked kick allowed Ionia to recover on Lowell's 18-yard line, from which point Ionia carried it over by means of line plunges.

Lowell missed a golden opportunity when they recovered a fumble on their own three yard line and advanced to Ionia's 15-yard line by means of short passes. Here once again Lowell's offense bogged down, and Ionia intercepted on its own three yard line. Lowell outgained Ionia 7 first downs to 5.

Lowell played a much better game than they did against Wyoming Park, and will make trouble for some of their opponents before the season is over. Coach Burch is still experimenting in hopes of finding a scoring combination. This week Lowell travels to Greenville in a non-conference game.

WOMEN'S CLUB

The first fall meeting of the Lowell Women's Club was held in the Congregational church last week Wednesday afternoon. Forty-three members and guests were present to enjoy the musical tea. The organ recital by Mrs. Harry Stauffer was greatly appreciated, and to show its appreciation, the club presented Mrs. Stauffer with a beautiful bouquet.

Mrs. Gunser announced the dates of the District convention which is to be held in the Fountain Street Baptist church, Grand Rapids on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 12 and 13. All members are urged to keep these dates in mind and make reservations for meals with Mrs. Johnson, our club president. After the program, refreshments were served by the committee.

The next meeting will be held at 2:30 on Wednesday, Oct. 6, at the home of Mrs. D. A. Wingeler. The program is entitled "Emily and Emma."—Club Reporter.

News of Our Boys

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Pvt. Paul Gardner, who has been stationed in Arkansas, has been transferred to a camp in California.

Friends in Lowell have received word from Pfc. George W. McDonough of his safe arrival in England. George had been in Iceland for one and a half years.

Among the names of those who passed their physicals and have been accepted for the armed forces are Mac G. Fonger and Frederick Althaus of Lowell.

Sgt. Keith W. Avery returned to Boca Raton Field, Fla., on Friday after spending a twelve day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Louis Avery. Sgt. Avery was called home because of the death of his grandfather, T. C. Willette.

Pvt. Mary C. Byrne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Byrne of Cannonsburg, who took her basic WAC training at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., has been assigned to Camp White, Medford, Ore. A graduate of St. Patrick's high school, Parnell, she was employed at the Belding plant of Murray Corporation of America before enlisting.

WEDDINGS

Boyenga—Voss

On Thursday evening, Sept. 23, the marriage of George Boyenga of Lowell and Miss Ruth Voss of Howard City was solemnized in a quiet wedding at the Kercheval Avenue Evangelical Church in Detroit.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. C. Bauman, brother-in-law of the bride. It was read, after a period of organ music by Mrs. W. A. Hardy, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Bauman, in the presence of members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyenga spent a few days as guests in the Bauman home, and returned Sunday evening to their farm home in Lowell, where they will be happy to greet their friends.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and relatives for the many kindnesses shown me during my stay at University hospital, Ann Arbor, also the South Boston Grange for the beautiful flowers.

Sincerely, Roy Kyser.

A sure way to make money out of the stock market: KEEP OUT.



Ben R. Marsh, Jr.

The destroyer escort vessel, USS MARSH, was launched at the Defoe Shipbuilding Yards Saturday, September 25, in memory of the late Ensign Ben R. Marsh, Jr., of Detroit, son of the assistant vice president of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company, Ensign Marsh, 25 years old at the time, was stationed on the Battleship Arizona which was blown up in the Japanese sneak attack on Pearl Harbor two years ago.

MORE LOCAL NEWS

Miss Ardis Schneider spent Sunday in Muskegon with friends.

Miss Marjean Fonger spent last week in New York City with Mrs. Kenneth Wood, Jr.

Mrs. Flora Wetherby of Grand Rapids was a Sunday caller at the home of Mrs. Maude VanDusen.

Sgt. Ted MacTavish, home on furlough, visited relatives in Holland Thursday and in Palo on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harr of Segwun have moved to Lowell for the winter and will occupy rooms over Hahn's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simpson and daughter Harriet of Escanaba spent Monday at the Mart Simpson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mulder and Flora Jean attended a shower on their niece, Mrs. Arlie Stevens, at Grandville last Thursday evening. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mulder.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simpson were Friday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Walsh in Grand Rapids and spent the week-end with their son, Althen and family.

Mrs. James Hillsburg and son Jimmy of Detroit and Mrs. Laura Basler of Chelsea were Saturday afternoon callers at the Harold Buck home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simpson were guests last Thursday of Mrs. Carrie Denamore at Morrison Lake Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collar called on Mrs. Wardell in Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon. She is looking fine, feeling well and wishes to be remembered to her Lowell friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rogers of Fort Custer were in Lowell Sunday, guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelsner. Mr. Rogers is employed at Fort Custer and they will make their home in Battle Creek for the duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pierce and two grandchildren, Gary and Vicky Stairs of Woodbury and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Helm and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Orva Gardner. It was Norma Helm's eighth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt L. Avery returned to Lansing last Saturday after spending a two weeks' vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Louis Avery. Miss Violet Funk of Star City, Ind., was also a recent visitor at the Avery home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wingeler, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wood and family, Mrs. Walter Kropf and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kropf and Mrs. Elise Kropf were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Neville Davarn in Pawama, the occasion being Mrs. Elise Kropf's birthday. Jack Davarn, a grandson, called from his camp in New Jersey to send best wishes for the day.

Bean Price Pegged

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be deducted from gross weight of beans delivered.

The C. H. Runciman Co., has signed the above agreement which is required of all dealers selling beans in Michigan this year. Dealers who do not sign this agreement must sell all of their beans to an elevator or trader who has signed it.

Mr. Runciman states that 60% of all the beans handled by the C. H. Runciman Company will be sold to the government, and 40% will go into the regular channels of trade.

CARD OF THANKS

To all who sent me cards, letters and gifts during my illness, I express my sincere appreciation.

Mrs. Earl Starbard.

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Up and Down Kent County Roads

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Cow Testing Handicapped

Folks who have been members of the Cow Testing Associations in Kent county were sorry to see Art Griffith, the tester, induced into the army. Art had been doing double duty by carrying the work in the two Kent County Associations. The future of this work is a problem. In many Michigan counties Cow Testing Association work has simply stopped. We are trying to work out a program with the Smith-Hughes teachers, and their students.

It's a Complicated Process

Every fall our office gets requests from folks wanting to know how to make sugar from sugar beets and generally the beets have been raised in the home garden for that purpose. Making sugar from beets is a complicated process in a factory and would be difficult for the home. We have looked for some home process to make sugar from beets but to no avail. Either let the sugar companies do the job.

Did You Grow Brome Grass?

Smooth brome grass seed has become quite a cash crop on many Michigan farms. The folks in the farm crops department at Michigan State College would like to know the names and addresses of Kent county folks who grew any of this seed this year. Also the acreage, pounds produced and a half pound sample for analysis as to purity and germination. Our office would appreciate it if any producers of this seed would drop us a card. We will be glad to pick up the seed sample at the farm. Thanks a lot.

More Scrap Badly Needed

A year ago this fall a most successful drive for scrap metal was carried out in this country. Didn't seem like we would ever need any more but the folks who know tell us the pile is getting low and it will be necessary to replenish it. War demands are the cause. The farm has been looked to for a large source of scrap in the past and we have a hunch it is going to contribute more in the future. Another drive is in the making. That there is still scrap in the country is no secret but getting it together ready for movement to the scrap pile and to the steel mill is the problem. Why not make another look around the farm and see if a few pieces of scrap couldn't be collected. No amount is too small. But scrap iron is really needed and before the coming winter is over the steel situation might be critical.

Be Prepared

Fire fighting equipment is only valuable as it is available where needed. During the past summer lightning struck the barn on a farm south of Grand Rapids. The barn was filled with hay and grain crops, even to the drive way. When the farmer went to get his ladders they were covered with hay. In contrast to this I know of a farmer who has his ladders hanging on the side of his barn accessible at all times.

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COMING EVENTS

The Good Will Club of Keene will meet with Mrs. Wilma Sparks on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 6, at 8 o'clock.

The Cheerful Doors of the Congregational Church will meet on Monday evening at the church at 8 o'clock.

The Kent County Council of PT will hold the October meeting at the Y. M. C. A., Grand Rapids, Tuesday, Oct. 5, at 1:00 p. m.

The Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet Thursday, Oct. 7, with Mrs. Ted Elhart. This will be the annual business meeting, with election of officers, and all members are urged to be present.

The annual meeting of the Garden Lore Club will be held Wednesday, Oct. 6, at the home of Mrs. Battle Peckham. There will be planned potluck luncheon, and Mrs. Peckham will be assisted by Mrs. John Coe, Mrs. Eugene Carr and Mrs. D. J. Yelster.

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Sunday, Oct. 3, 10:00 a. m.

Miss Elizabeth Marshall—Flannelgraph Object Lesson
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The children of the Sunday School will present a special program entitled "THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD."

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