

NEW COMMANDER OF COUNTY LEGION SERVED IN FRANCE

Carrier Was In Field Artillery; Has Had Active Career in Legion Work

Myron Carrier, of Farmington, newly-elected commander of Oakland County Council, American Legion, served six months in France. He was a private in the 331st Field Artillery.

Carrier first became a member of the American Legion at Waukegan, Wis., by assisting to organize the Dan E. Getchel Post of that city, where he was an active Legion worker. Mr. Carrier joined the Groves-Walker Post, April 12, 1924, and has been an active member of the Post serving on various committees, was delegate to Sixth District convention at Rochester and also delegate to the State convention at Petoskey. He was elected a delegate to Oakland County Council and on October 10, 1924, was elected commander of Oakland County Council.

On Wednesday night about 10:45 p. m. Mr. Carrier was initiated as County Commander. John Cadden and A. L. Speaker of Pontiac were the principals at the initiation.

DAY-OLD INFANT DIES

A baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar of Farmington Sunday morning died Monday. Burial took place Tuesday at Oakwood.

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MOTHER AND THREE-DAY OLD BABE SAVED FROM FIRE ON DOWNEY FARM

A fire destroyed most of the outbuildings and for a time threatened the house on the farm of William Downey, formerly known as the "Sanford Farm," three miles southwest of Walled Lake about 4:00 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon. The Walled Lake fire department was called out but the buildings were all ablaze before the Department was summoned and all they could do was stand by to prevent destruction of the dwelling although they did put out the fire in the chicken house and prevented it from spreading to machinery in the yard. The department also extinguished two fires which started in an abandoned school building, the Sanford school, nearly a quarter-mile distant, the fires being started by embers carried by the strong wind.

The origin of the fire is unknown. Hiram Sims, oil representative and E. Tuckey, caretaker at the farm, were standing near the barn talking, when they noticed flames coming out of the building. Mr. Tuckey rushed into the stable and released two cows fastened there and Mr. Sims moved his truck, full of gasoline, out of the danger-zone. In that brief period the entire large barn, filled with hay, became a blazing inferno. The men attempted to remove a truck and tractor but they could not endure the terrific heat. They then tried to get another truck in the adjoining barn started but the strong wind blew the flames over this structure, setting it ablaze and driving them away.

Mrs. Tuckey was seriously ill in the house with her three-day-old baby, and the men rushed her to a neighbor's house. By that time the Walled Lake fire department had arrived.

The heat blistered the side of the house but the wind blowing from the south saved the home, although several times it seemed about to shift toward the house.

The fire started at the south end of the large barn and destroyed all the buildings except two near the house and the house.

Mr. Downey, owner of the farm was in Detroit. The barns are near the railroad and it is believed tramps may have been sleeping in the barn. A former employee was discharged four days ago because of drinking and careless handling of cigarettes and matches, while under the influence of liquor, because of the fire risk.

The two trucks, the tractor, a new milking machine, several wagons and many other pieces of machinery were destroyed. Both barns were filled with hay and grain. The silo had been refilled only a few days ago and everything was burned. The fifteen cattle on the farm kept attempting to return to the burning building, as the time for milking arrived.

No insurance was carried.

Death called two well-known residents of this section during the past few days. Mrs. Alice Chambers of Wixom and John D. German of Commerce Township passing away. Funeral services will be held for both Saturday.

Mrs. Chambers, one of the best-known residents of this part of the County, was 77 years old. She died Tuesday. Surviving are her husband, William, a son John, of Detroit, a daughter, Mrs. Mary Decker, of Pontiac, two granddaughters, Mrs. Frances Morris of Detroit and Mrs. Lucetta Ruggles.

Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Ruggles, and two children of the latter made their home together. Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday, with Rev. J. W. Tolly in charge. Burial will be in Wixom Cemetery.

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PASADENA PARK ASKS CHANGE OF DISTRICT

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giving favorable consideration to this matter and trust that it may receive very early action.

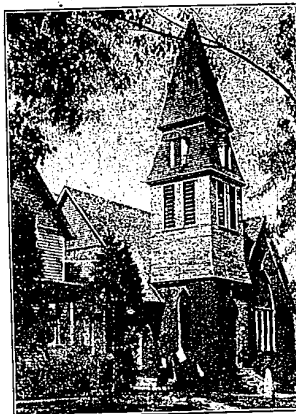
"M. G. Fife, Mrs. M. G. Fife, George G. Hall, Jessie Bell Hall, Amadori Loesch, Helen Holmes, J. R. Lower, Lenore L. Wagner, Herbert Wagner, James F. Cain, Genevieve Cain, Lillian Holmes, H. W. Holmes, Isabella C. Lower."

Mr. Hall said that "Pasadena Park is one mile nearer the Bond school," and that bus transportation had been afforded them, on payment of tuition for their children attending the Bond school. The Farmington Board referred to the action which would provide children of Pasadena Park and other outlying sections with bus transportation to Farmington schools. Supt. Baker told Mr. Hall that the Bond school "has 143 pupils with only three teachers to take care of them, in the nine grades, whereas the Farmington Board had believed it advisable to engage an extra teacher for the first grade, which has 43 pupils, 'because it is too much for one teacher.'"

Mr. Hall said that besides the hazards of Grand River and lack of transportation, there was the circumstance that the Pasadena Park residents felt a closer tie to the Bond school section, and he believed this condition would continue until the territory along Orchard Lake between Farmington and Pasadena Park was built up more closely. He said he had considered safety and congeniality of pupils more carefully than the matter of instruction, in the first few years of school work.

Members of the Farmington Board responded that the first few years in school were by far the most important, and urged Mr. Hall to consider the matter carefully. Mr. Hall said that he and his neighbors had considered a change for the present, with a possible return to the Farmington district later on. Before leaving, he told the Board he would try to have his neighbors consider the matter in the new light of

25th Anniversary of Dedication Sunday



Members of Salem Evangelical Church of Farmington will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the dedication of the church building Sunday. Other churches will join in a union service Sunday evening to mark more notable the silver anniversary event.

statements made by the Farmington Board. Action on the petition was deferred.

The Board's decision to purchase a bus was unanimous, and Trustees Arthur Lamb and Frank Macomber were appointed a committee with power to purchase Buses of two makes, each costing about \$2,200, were discussed. Supt. Baker was authorized to engage an additional teacher for the first grade. Securing of a parking ground on the Schaepert property, opposite the school, was reported by Supt. Baker, who was empowered to rent the ground for the school year.

A request of the Novi school for the services of the Farmington school nurse on two afternoons a week was received and such an arrangement will probably be made.

WOMAN'S CLUB MUSICAL COMEDY PROVES SUCCESS

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of the play was due to the accompaniment and assistance of Miss Ernestine Pierce, who guided the chorus, throughout.

The chorus consisted of: Marguerite Moore, Mildred Prindle, Edna Vivier, Dwan Murphy, Florence Ross, Gladys Baker, Grace Gills, Esther Arthur, Roberta Russell, Lois Murphy, Johnson, Thelma Garlick, Mildred Stanley, Virginia Otis, Elaine Auten, Dorothy Talbot.

The Woman's Club committees in charge were: Cast of Characters: Mrs. Roy Brown, Mrs. Fred Pauline, Mrs. George Gildmeister.

Publicity: Mrs. Harrison John-

son, Mrs. Frank Steele, Miss Hard Posters: Mrs. Spencer Heeney, Mrs. Howard Oamus. Tickets: Miss Meriah Andrews, Mrs. Fred Cook, Mrs. Fred Warner.

The Club this week issued the following statement: "The Farmington Woman's Club wish to thank the residents of Farmington and vicinity for their generous support of the play recently given under the auspices of the club, the Enterprise for several courtesies extended, Mr. Fred Cook and Mr. George Gildmeister for valuable aid in managing accounts and finances, and the young people of the cast and of the chorus who gave freely of their time and talents.

"Our thanks are especially due to Miss Ernestine Pierce who, as accompanist, while never obtruding the piano, ably sustained both soloists and chorus.

—Helen L. Hard, Cor. Sec'y, F. W. C.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES IN SCHOOL TO BE SUBJECT AT P. T. A. ASSN. MEETING

A talk on "Social Activities in the High School," by Miss Miel, will be one of the features of the October meeting of the Farmington Parent-Teacher Association, to be held next Thursday afternoon, October 25. Music by school organizations will be on the program.

The meeting will start at 3:45 p. m. The complete program is as follows:

Supt. Baker, chairman. Music: Girls' Glee Club, Extra-Curricular Finances, Mr. Roby, The School Orchestra, Mr. Eaton, Music, School Orchestra, Social Activities in the High School, Miss Miel, Music, Quare.

MASQUERADE DANCE TO BE HELD AT W. POINT PARK

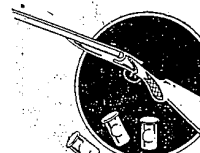
West Point Park community will give a masquerade dance in their hall on the Seven-Mile road next Friday evening, October 26. All who will attend are promised a jolly time.

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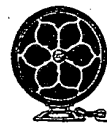
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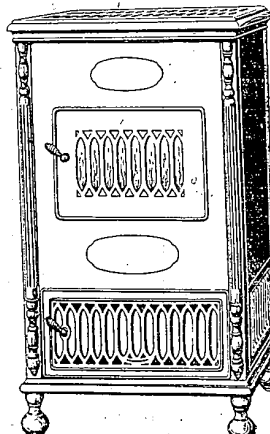
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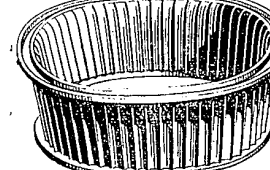
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