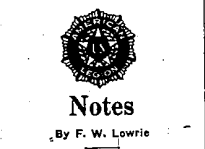


### American Legion

and every home in some manner about the trial blockouts. In the area south of 11 mile, to Eight Mile and Haggerty on the West, to Farmington Road on the East, Frank W. Lowrie is the area air raid warden, assisted by Ervil Richardson and Guy Durgan. In the absence of the area warden, these two assistants have full authority to carry out the necessary details. It is expected of the community at large to co-operate in every way possible. No one receives pay for services rendered and the least each good citizen can do is to carry out orders issued or requests made, in a harmonious manner. We know the public will respond to these trial blockouts as they do in all emergencies.

The 40-8 held a meeting in Pontiac Sunday, May 10. Four P-G's were introduced into the Order. Close cooperation of the Legion members in an all-out drive for the sale of Bonds and Stamps is on. Let's do our part. Buy more bonds and stamps. Sign up for the duration on a basis of pledging to buy so many each month.

Buy in Farmington !!



**Notes**  
By F. W. Lowrie

The Redford-Detroit Post of the American Legion have accepted the invitation of the Groves-Walker Post to parade with us on Memorial Day. Maxie Giberson, Jr. is commander of the Redford-Detroit Post.

It is hoped that more flags will be displayed for the duration.

May 24 has been set for another trial blockout. Chief Air Raid Warden Carl Goers states that this trial will be a test of a complete blockout, and the ordinance covering this trial will be in force. Very little trouble has been encountered in the township, with a few exceptions where rumblings have been heard as to misunderstanding.

It is the duty of each area air raid warden to see that his assistants and sector men notify each

### FOUR-GENERATION FAMILIES ATTEND BAPTIST BANQUET

The four-generation families were in attendance at the annual Mother and Daughter Banquet of the First Baptist Church on Friday evening, May 8. The Schingoes, were represented by Mrs. Rose Lardin, daughter Irene Schingoe, granddaughter Doris Carmack, and great-granddaughter Marilyn Carmack. Mrs. Schingoe and Mrs. Carmack are members of the church.

The Taggart family was represented by Mrs. Martha Field, daughter Ruby Taggart, and great-granddaughter Janice Farmer. Mrs. Taggart and Mrs. Farmer are members of the church.

A total of 125 persons were served a delicious banquet of roast ham, prepared and served by the men of the church. An interesting program featured by music, a concert to mothers and daughters, and several floral presentations to oldest and youngest mothers and daughters present, was climaxed by a message delivered by Mrs. J. B. Warriner of the First Baptist Church in Wyandotte.

### Sons of Mrs. Orville Taggart Send Greeting From Ireland

Mrs. Orville Taggart received a letter on Saturday of this week from her sons, Leroy and Floyd, both of whom are in the service, and are located in northern Ireland. Included in the letter was the following poem which they dedicated to their mother.

On Sunday morning when Mrs. Taggart arrived at the Farmington Baptist Church, on the altar was a lovely bouquet from her sons. As yet it has not been determined just how the flowers were sent, but they presumably came through the USO or perhaps the Red Cross. It was a most pleasant surprise, however, and added much to Mother's Day for Mrs. Taggart.

The poem, which was composed by Floyd Taggart, follows.

**"ON MOTHER'S DAY"**  
To you dear mother, the best of them all  
From reveille in the morn, to the very last call  
My thoughts are of you, thru all the day

You feel so close, though so far away;  
Though worldly events have caused me to roam  
I like to feel as though I am home  
Because of the happy days I've spent with you  
To guide me thru times when I am in blue,  
Your prayers have reached me, every last one,  
And I worship them all when the day is done.  
Though the waters between us should cause us fear,  
Regardless of distance, to me you are near,  
And to close I'll say that I am a lucky lad,  
To have you for a mother, I'm not doing bad,  
So may God bless you, thru all of your time  
I'm grateful to say, you're this Mother of Mine.

By Floyd J. Taggart

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## CIVIC theatre

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WED. THURS. MAY 17-18—Claudette Colbert & John Payne in "REMEMBER THE DAY" & Blossie & Darwood in "BLONDIE GOES TO COLLEGE"

WED. THURS. MAY 20-21—FREE DISH NIGHTS A FREE OVEN-TEST DISH TO EACH & BYVA LADY "George Raft in "HOUSE ACROSS THE BAY" & "OBILING YOUNG LADY"

**NEIGHBORS URGED TO COOPERATE IN WASTE SALVAGE**

"Approximately 75 per cent of all the paper used in Michigan is burned or discarded and never returned to production," Edwin J. Anderson, Chairman of the Salvage for Victory Committee of the Wayne County Council of Defense, declared today, as he urged everyone to salvage corrugated paper and brown kraft papers which can be produced if we are to meet the tremendous increase in demand for paper materials in our war industries and also supply all civilian demands. Such things as cardboard boxes and paper bags, for instance, should all be saved along with old newspapers and magazines.

"It is a good idea to flatten out boxes and cartons, and everything should be tied in secure bundles. Two stacks of paper about 2 1/2 feet high generally weigh approximately 150 pounds, and will then be worth selling to a collector. Many neighbors often pool their waste material of this kind and then call the collector."

The Committee recommends that waste collected in homes, offices and shops be sold to local dealers, or given to charitable agencies cooperating with this program. In addition to corrugated paper, scrap metals are urgently needed, particularly copper. When any individual or group has material ready for collection, this can be easily arranged by calling Randolph 8252.

**County O. E. S. Meeting Held**

The Oakland County Association, Order of the Eastern Star, held their meeting Friday, May 8, in the Masonic Temple at Pontiac, as guests of Pontiac Chapter No. 228.

The morning session was opened by Mrs. Pearl Gordon as Mistress of Ceremonies. The Oakland County Association officers were invited to enter the room by Mrs. Luella Kler, marshal. As the officers entered, the Worthy Matrons of Oakland County appeared from an open book in the East, dressed in white, and each wearing carnations of varied colors. They marched to the West and escorted each officer to his respective place.

The meeting was then called to order by the president, Mrs. Helen Beckman, with a gracious greeting and a hope that each one present would enjoy the day.

After the invocation was given by Mrs. Daisy Dowling, chaplain, everyone joined in singing "America" led by Mrs. Nabel Auten, organist.

The flags were then presented by Mrs. Ethel Grant, Marshal, assisted by the officers of Berkeley Chapter.

An address of welcome was given by Mrs. Martha Reeves, Worthy Matron of the Pontiac Chapter, and the response was given by Lowell Ramsey, second vice-president, after which the president introduced the guests.

Mrs. Thelma Leroy, Past Grand Soloist, sang several solos, and the business meeting was held.

The officers of the Pontiac Chapter gave a memorial in loving memory of all who had passed away. The Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Margaret W. Jones, was escorted to the East, and extended her greetings to the West.

After dinner, a program prepared by Mrs. Martha Reeves was greatly enjoyed.

The committees made their reports, and initiation was held by selected officers of Oakland County.

The meeting adjourned, and will meet next in October with the Clawson Chapter.

**Freshmen Enjoy Picnic**

About 65 freshmen, including 3 guests, met on the school athletic field Friday, May 8, for a picnic supper and party. It was planned by Elmer Paschke, chairman of the Service committee, and Bud Locker, Refreshment committee chairman.

Lynn Searle

**Stars in Flag**

The United States flag has had 48 stars only since July 4, 1912, the Independence Day following the admission of the last two states, New Mexico and Arizona.

### Miss Knight To Conduct Institution Study

Miss Frances Knight, director of the Methodist Children's Home Society, has been loaned by that organization to the Child's Welfare League of America, to conduct a study of three children's institutions in Washington, D. C. and Baltimore, Maryland. Miss Knight left for Washington on Tuesday, May 12.

On June 8, Albion College will confer upon Miss Knight, the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, in recognition of her outstanding work in the field of child care.

### GOOD LUCK, SOLDIERS!

Good Luck to all you soldiers Who have gone to fight; the foe May you hold your freedom highest And your chin up as you go. May the enemies be sorry For the sorrows they have caused; And may our nation reign in glory. Because our soldiers never paused. Doris Colebank

### ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETED FOR BOY SCOUT CAMP

John W. Hunt, Boy Scout Council Commissioner for the Clinton-Valley Council, announces that arrangements have been completed for the regular Boy Scout Camp to be held at Camp Agawan, near Lapeer, from June 22 to August 1, inclusive.

Scouts in this area are urged to register for camp as early as possible this year as an extraordinary run for camp cabins is expected.

Camp Agawan, located on the banks of Trum Lake, on the Ontonagon Road is a picturesque spot ideally located for boys to have a good time and yet learn Scouting. There are 12 cabins that will accommodate eight boys per cabin, several row boats, diving boards, splendid swimming and a well-trained staff under the direction of Field Scout Executive Dan Schreiber, an expert camp director. Plans have been made to have Council fires, Indian lore, athletics, life-saving, woodcraft, scoutcraft and several other features that will be fun for the boys.

The camping periods have been divided into periods as follows: June 28 to July 4; July 6 to July 17; July 19 to July 25; and July 26 to August 1.

Scouts who plan to attend camp are urged to contact Scoutmaster Al Beale of Farmington, Troop 45, for reservations.

### Farmers To Aid In Scrap Drive

America's farmers are being asked to come to the rescue in the nation's critical need of scrap metal for weapons, and the farmers in Farmington will have full opportunity to do their part. May 21 has been set as Scrap Salvage Day, according to an announcement this week by Frank Steit, chairman of the Township committee.

To meet this challenge to the farmers of this community an important step has been taken by Clarence Everett, who has announced that his firm will operate a scrap collection depot to which farmers may bring all the scrap iron they can find on their farms. The metal brought to this depot will be sent as quickly as possible to foundries and factories turning out tanks, guns and other war supplies.

Mr. Everett says that scrap metal brought to this collection point will be sold through the established salvage channels, with remittance to each farmer for the full amount that his scrap brings. There will be no charge, no commission, or no profit in it for Everett Implement Company. Mr. Everett says he will give his services and that of his store as "a patriotic duty."

There is an enormous pile of scrap iron and steel on farms. The estimates run from 1 1/2 million tons—more than enough, combined with other materials, to build twice as many battleships as there are in all the navies of the world today. Unless this scrap starts to move at once, steel mills will reduce operations, the production of arms will slow down, and more lives, time, and money will be spent in fighting the war to a successful finish.

Red 15 Feet Long King Og of Bashan had an iron bed 15 feet long and 7 feet wide. King Abasurus had beds of gold and silver.

### JUDY OATES WINS FIRST PRIZE IN ESSAY CONTEST

The winners have been announced in the essay contest sponsored by the Grand Chapter of Michigan O.E.S. Essays on "The Challenge to Modern Youth" were submitted by forty-six contestants. The first prize of five dollars was won by Judy Oates and prizes of one dollar each went to five runners-up: Dorothy Goors, Lynn Searle, Margaret Haggard, Melvin Roland and Ruth Shaw. The local judges were Rev. Carl Schultz, Mrs. Harrison Johnson and Mrs. Norman Lee.

The winning essay will be judged by the Past Worthy Grand Matron and Patron of Michigan and first, second and third prizes of one hundred, fifty and thirty dollars will be awarded.

The committee reported that many fine essays were written by the local contestants.

"Poor Fish"

The "expression" "poor fish" may owe its origin to the habit one male fish has of following his mate around as she lays her eggs. The male collects the eggs and stores them in a leathery pouch under his body and here they remain until hatched. This fish is called the Hippocampus or seahorse.

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## Scrap Salvage Day

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Because there is not a local scrap dealer, this store has set up a scrap depot to serve as a collection point for farm scrap in this area. Bring all your scrap metal here. You will be handed a receipt for it and as soon as it is sold to a scrap dealer you will receive full credit in cash or Defense Stamps.

There will be no commission charged or profit made by this store for performing this service. It is our contribution to victory.

Uncle Sam asks you to collect your scrap metal now and bring it in. We will move it on to War Industry.

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