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"YES WE'LL KEEP THE HOME FIRES BURNING"

SONG

POEM BY ROSA MITCHELL McLAURIN.
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MUSIC BY R A BROWNE.

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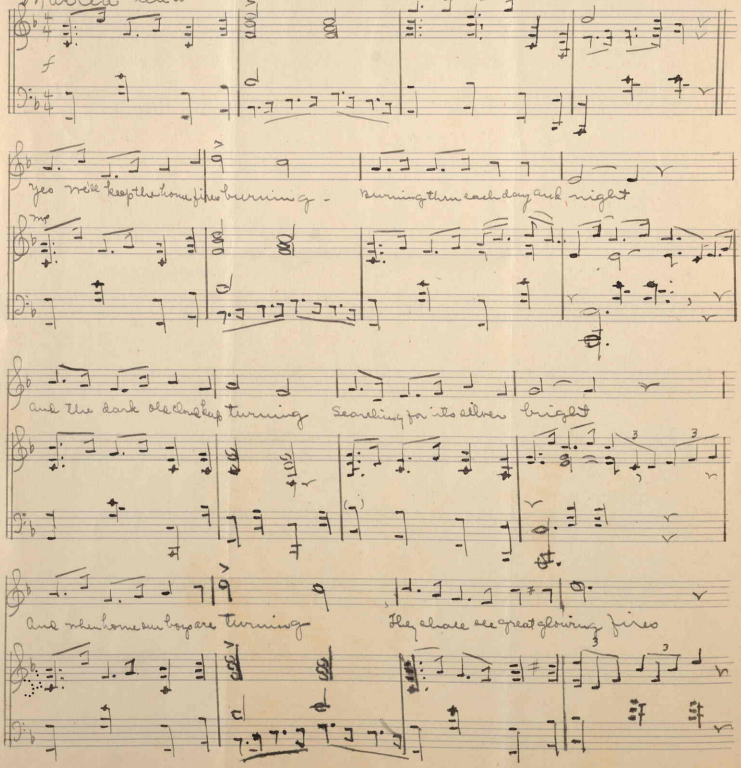
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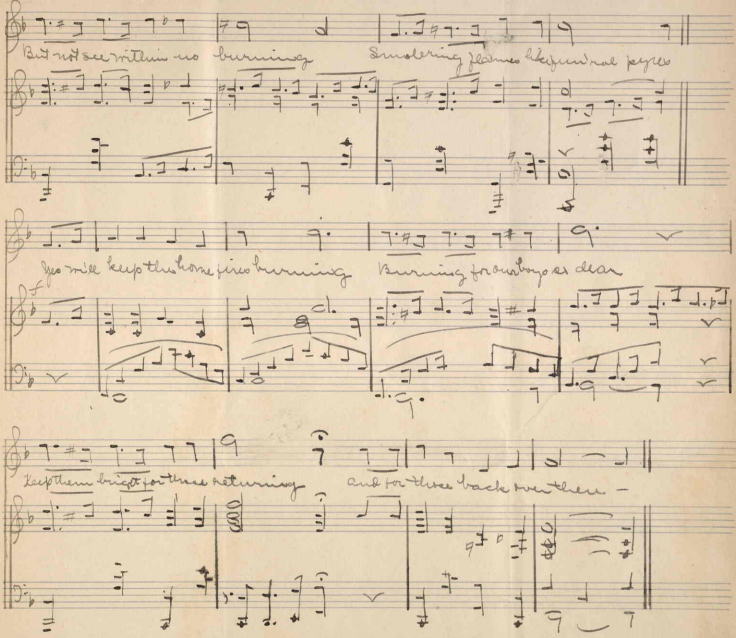
yes now keep the home fires burning -
burning them each day and night
and the dark clouds keep turning
Searching for its silver bright
And when lone mothers are turning
The skies are great glowing fires


But not see within no burning
Smoldering flames like funeral pyres
We will keep the home fires burning
Burning for our boys so dear
Keep them bright for those returning
and for those back over there –

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Yes;We'll Keep The Home-Fires Burning.

By Rosa Mitchell McLaurin.

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Yes;We'll keep the home fires burning,burning thro each day and night,
And the dark old cloud keep turning,searching for its silver bright;
And when home our boys are turning,they shall see great glowing fires;
But not see within us burning,smoulding flame like funeral pyres.

Chorus:

Yes,we'll keep the home fires burning,
Burning for our boys so dear,
Keep them bright for those returning
And for those back over there.

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Yes,we'll keep the home fires burning;sing their praises and shall smile
We'll be well our lessons learning,as they're coming back the while;
Nor shall they e're know our grieving-we'll not mark one vacant chair,
Nor lament the ones they're leaving,somewhere,somewhere over there!