

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF DEFENSE COUNCIL

DATING FROM JUNE 1917

Fourth of July Celebration, Parade and Entertainment for First and Second Drafts of Men, Air Col. Fund

November 27, 1917.
Mr. George Allan Mason, President, Highland Park Defense Council, Highland Park, Illinois.

I have the honor to submit herewith the report of the Finance Committee:

The Finance Committee desires to acknowledge the prompt and generous response of the residents of Highland Park, Ravinia and Highwood to the call of the Committee.

The first request for funds to provide for the local war activities undertaken by the Council was made in June, 1917—the organization of the Council being in pursuance to instructions from Washington, D. C., through Mayor Hastings. The money collected under this call, was used largely to cover the expense of the July Fourth celebration and the urgent work undertaken by the eight separate committees of the Council.

The second call of the Finance Committee was in September—when an effort was made to correlate all local war activities into one financial system and avoid multiplicity of solicitations. The amounts contributed have been itemized in order to appear in the records, and can be found under dates received—the names of contributors appearing two or more times according to payments made.

Many letters have been received expressing hearty approval of the work of the Council. It is the intention of the Council to set aside in a separate fund from 10% to 20% of the amounts received to provide for the care of the needy families of those who have gone to the war.

The Council has gladly joined with Lake Forest in the Colonel's Fund at Fort Sheridan and our help in this direction has been greatly appreciated. The Council has also joined with Lake Forest in placing a woman to look after the moral conditions at Highwood.

The Army and Navy Center has been well patronized and proved a worthy undertaking. The Defense Council has agreed to provide for the rent if found necessary.

The Food Production and Conservation Committee has done good work at little expense.

Several public meetings have been held and large audiences were present, and the expense for same reduced to a nominal amount.

The Committee in charge of the Liberty Loan presented the matter to our citizens in a thorough and efficient manner, and the distribution of the literature secured at slight expense.

The cost of Comfort Kits and our share in the entertainment of the boys going to Rockford amounted to only a nominal sum. The Defense Council has authorized an expenditure not to exceed \$400.00 to assist in the purchase of uniforms for our local company of the State Militia. The amount guaranteed to the High School Cadet Corps to assist in the purchase of uniforms and band instruments will amount to about \$230.00.

The services of the officers and committees of the Council are rendered freely, and much earnest work and considerable personal expense has been incurred in order to carry on the work undertaken by the Defense Council.

Respectfully submitted,

H. S. Vail, Chairman.

Expenses

Disbursed by Geo. F. Bock:—
Patriotic Parade July 4th \$307.86
Patriotic Parade—Boys to
Rockford—First \$6.31
Printing, postage, etc. 66.14

\$460.31

Disbursed by A. W. Vercoe, Treas:—

Mass Meetings 65.73
Bulletin Board 27.10
Contributed to the Colonel's
Fund at Fort Sheridan. 403.00
Comfort Kits—Second Parade
boys to Rockford 117.25
Printing, postage, distribution
Liberty Loan circulars
etc. 287.96

\$901.04

Total Disbursements to date \$1361.35

On Hand \$3499.84

WORD FROM 149th FIELD ARTILLERY

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good athletic physical condition will be needed. Not just men who are well and who can stay in the trenches. That is why they try to interest the men in athletics.

With much love and many thoughts of you all.

George N. Goodnow.

'Kerchiefs 3 for 85c

Women's pure linen handkerchiefs, especially adapted for Christmas giving. Corners neatly embroidered and initialed; box of 3 for 85c.

Fancy Lawn Handkerchiefs 3 for 39c



Envelope Purses \$1.25

A very practical novelty in leather purses. New shapes in tan, blue, green and black; back strap handle and steel lock, coin purse; special \$1.25. Other Purses at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.50



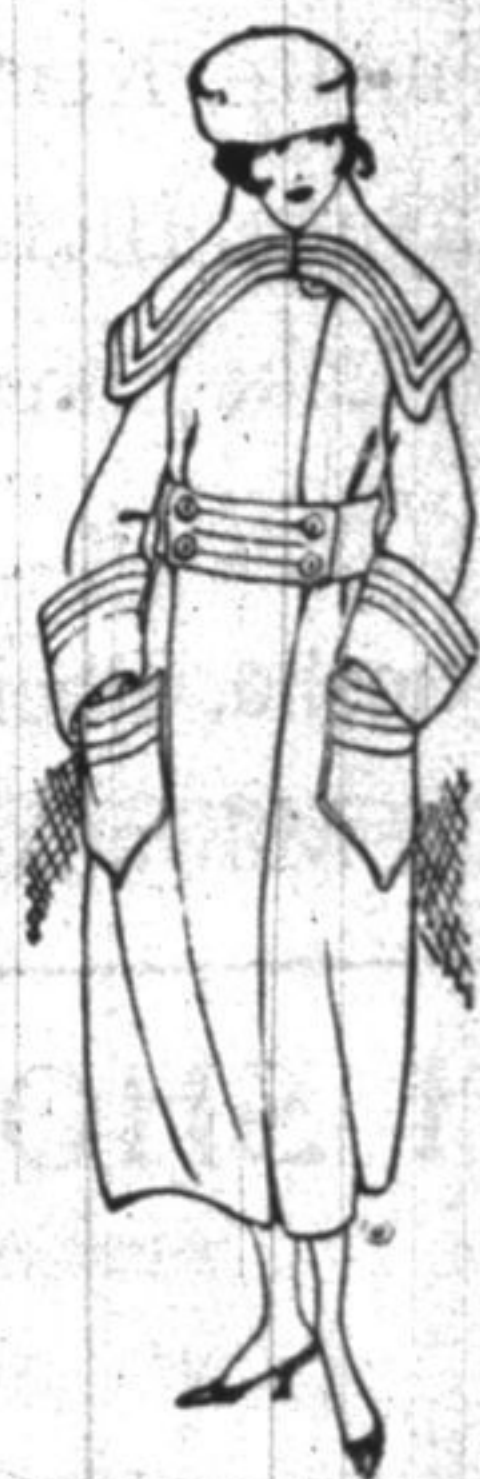
The Store of Useful Christmas Gifts

Shop Now while Assortments are Large and Service Best

The practical gift will be more in demand this Christmas than ever, because of the general tendency to conserve and eliminate luxuries. In view of the practical character of our merchandise, this store will come more prominently into the foreground than it ever has before, as a store for Christmas shopping. Better begin your shopping at once, and make this store your headquarters.

Women's and Misses' Fine Apparel at Reductions

This is the very sale that hundreds of women along the North Shore have been waiting for. It is the December Reduction Sale of Apparel, supremely important for its severe price reductions, and held at a time when savings like these are to be most appreciated.



Coats in Four Lots

Every one of these Coats in a high-class model of the most recent design. Superbly tailored of the best materials, including broadcloths, pom poms, velours, kerseys, and burellas; in the favored colors.

Coats that sold to \$22.50, now \$15.00

Coats that sold to \$25.00, now \$16.50

Coats that sold to \$27.50, now \$18.50

Coats that sold to \$38.50, now \$29.00

Serge Dresses Reduced

Beautiful models of fine all-wool serge in navy blue; no two styles are alike.

Values to \$16.50 at	Values to \$17.50 at	Values to \$22.50 at
\$12.50	\$13.50	\$16.50

Quality Gloves for Christmas Gifts

Gloves, such as we handle, will prove a gift of perfect satisfaction. Our gloves are correctly fashioned and unsurpassed for service and neat appearance.

Gloves for Women—

- Kayser Chamousette Gloves, \$1.15
- Fine Kid Gloves, pair \$1.75
- Genuine Mocha Gloves, pair \$2.25
- Washable Cape Gloves, pair \$2.25
- Washable Cape Gauntlets, \$3.50

Gloves for Men—

- Jersey Gauntlet Gloves, 65c
- Warm Leather Mittens, 59c, 69c
- Fleeced Cape Gloves, pair 85c
- Lined Real Mocha Gloves, \$1.75
- Kayser Silk Gloves, \$1.50
- Heavy Street Cape, \$1.75
- Mocha Gloves, pair \$2.50
- Chamois Dress Gloves, \$2.00
- Silk Lined Soft Cape, \$3.00

Christmas Hosiery—Special at \$1.50



A gift of hosiery is always welcome. These are exceptionally fine, serviceable pure thread silk hose in deep shiny black; Kayser or Gordon's; sold single pair or three in box; excellent values, pair \$1.50

Fancy Silk Hose \$1.15

Women's fancy striped silk hose at a very attractive price. White with black clocking or black with cluster stripes of green or brown; all sizes; pair \$1.15

Beautiful New Neckwear at \$1.25

A most pleasing Christmas remembrance can be chosen from this splendid line of new neckwear. High collars, vestees, roll collar and cuff sets; large sailor shapes and jabots; choice \$1.25

New Silk Camisoles \$1.25—\$1.75—\$2.50

She will appreciate one of these dainty camisoles, so pleasingly designed of crepe de chine or satin. They are prettily trimmed with fine laces, and others have fold of Georgette crepe; flesh, pink or white; all sizes \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.50.

Boudoir Caps at 85c

An attractive yet inexpensive gift, made of crepe de chine, with dainty trimming of lace; come in pretty colors; a special assortment 85c. —Others \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Silk Envelope Chemise

These are of an unusually fine, firm quality crepe de chine in flesh tint. Very prettily trimmed with lace and satin rosebuds; priced at \$2.50 and \$3.50.

Toyland is Open

Come and Bring the Kiddies



If there is anything that pleases and delights the children, it is toys. Every parent is invited to come and bring their little ones to Toyland, located in our basement.

Let the boys and girls see the many wonderful things that are here assembled.

Toys, Dolls, Games and books of every description

Surely you will not forget to buy toys for the children's Christmas.

Charming Blouses

at \$6.50

Winning new creations of Georgette Crepe and Crepe de chine; revealing the latest silk embroidered and beaded effects. They are in white, flesh, and maize; a specially priced group at \$6.50.



Give a Bath Robe

We have a splendid new line of bath robes from which to make selections. Stylishly designed of heavy Beuch velour in beautiful patterns and attractive colorings; neatly trimmed in satin;

Priced \$4.75 and \$5.75

WANTED, FOR RENT, FOR SALE

FOR RENT

For Rent—Safety deposits boxes at \$3.00 per year. One hundred new boxes just received. Highland Park State Bank.

For Rent—Lower flat, furnished or unfurnished, bath and furnace heat. Address 26 S. Green Bay Road.

For Rent—Six room flat, all modern improvements. Address 53 Green Bay Road, Tel. H. P. 1013.

For Rent—7 room flat, all modern conveniences, near to station, furnace heat 52 N. Second St. Inquire of R. W. Schneider, Tel. 331.

For Rent—Six room house, modern improvements. 107 S. Green Bay Road. Apply at 108 S. Green Bay Road.

To Rent—9 room house, two baths, hot air heat and fire place. Very reasonable for one year, or May 1st. N. A. Aldridge.

For Rent—Furnished rooms on suite or single, by the day or week. Tel. H. P. 330.

For Rent—5 room flat, all modern conveniences. 135 S. Second St., Phone T. J. Peters, 823-W or 194, or inquire of Mrs. C. Rosana, at near of above address.

FOR SALE

For Sale—A French bull dog, \$5.00, house broken, 3 years old. Fine pet for an automobile. Tel. 992-Y-3.

For Sale—Cook stove in good condition. Apply at 9 McGovern St., Tel. 314-W.

For Sale—One 7 year old driving horse, wagon, buggy and sleigh. Brand Bros. 949.

For Sale—Household furnishings, complete. 135 S. 2nd St. 2nd flat. Phone H. P. 823-W.

For Sale—Family upright piano, and mahogany library table. Tel. H. P. 345.

For Sale—One dozen white leghorn hens, laying. Tel. H. P. 952. Mrs. J. F. Gillen, Ravinia, Ill.

HELP WANTED

Wanted—Competent maid for cooking and care of first floor. No laundry. Phone 977 or call 850 N. Sheridan Road.

Wanted—Protestant woman to clean and do laundry work. Thursday. References. Tel. 1183.

Position Wanted

Man wants any kind of honest work for the winter. Willing to do anything. Address E. H. Press Office.

Wanted—Chauffeur's position and houseman. January 1st. Address L. O. Press Office.

FOUND

Found—Small pin with emblem, at high school, after military ball. Owner can have same by calling 105.

LOST

Lost—Small brown female dog, little girl's pet. Finder will please return to owner. Call George H. Koon, 344 E. Park Ave. Tel. 1104, and receive liberal reward.

MISCELLANEOUS

\$25.00 Reward for information leading to arrest and conviction of person or persons who cut up and otherwise damaged the 3rd and 4th greens of Exmoor Club on Thanksgiving afternoon.

We have cash customer for 5 to 7 room house or bungalow, ten minute walk from station. Also want small houses to rent. Henry K. Coale & Son, Pearl Theatre Bldg. Tel. H. P. 17.

NOTICE

Those having shoes being repaired at my shop are requested to call for them before Saturday, Dec. 5, as my shop will be closed after that date, on account of going to war. Isador Bornstein, 517 Central

WITH THE BOWLERS

The past two weeks several matches games with out of town bowlers featured the play, an individual match between Ed. LaPlant of Kenosha and A. Ori of this city in which Ori rolled scores of 195, 237, 249, 244 and 224, for an average of 229 4/5, making LaPlant take the count early in the sixth game.

On Thanksgiving day the Majestics lined up in the afternoon against the Donderos of Chicago, taking them into camp to the tune of two hundred and fifty one pins.

Before the last ball was rolled in this match the captain of the Donderos challenged the Dough Boys to a home and home match. Captain Ed. Balding of the Dough Boys closed the deal with the first half to be rolled at 8:00 p. m. Highland Park

took a lead of 181 pins.

The last half will be rolled next Sunday afternoon at Hovs Academy on W. Madison St., Chicago.

On Sunday, Dec. 16th three Highland Park teams will roll in the Chicago City Tournament at 8:30 p. m. on the Bowling Randolph Alleys, 5 pairs of two men, from here will roll at 11:00 a. m. the same day at the same alleys, and 16 individuals at 12 m. No admission will be charged to spectators and Highland Park will be represented in the big amphitheatre.

RED CROSS SEAL SALE

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again. You can get them in the post office or in the theatre. Almost any boy scout will respond to your "high sign". Constitute yourself a salesman and buy in wholesale quantities. Sometimes we have thought the best song for this campaign would be "The Sweet Buy and Buy", or at any rate BUY.