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**BARBERRY IS FATAL TO U. S. WHEAT CROP**  
 CUT OUT SUCH SCRUBBERY

Government Calls Citizen's Attention to the Fact That Black Rust Harbored in Shrub Is Detrimental to Grain

The Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, has sent out an imperative call to municipal authorities and all citizens to cut out all common or tall barberry, including the purple leaf variety, but not including the Japanese barberry, the lower form. It will injure our wheat crop through harboring black rust, and is not a good ornamental form of shrub for this region anyway. Everyone in Highland Park is urged to request to cut out each shrub of this variety immediately. The following is the statement of the Department of Agriculture:

"Common Barberry or Wheat Rust" This year the farmers of Northern Illinois are planting a considerable amount of spring wheat in response to the call of our government for increased wheat production in this state. To issue a successful crop, it is vitally necessary that the black stem rust of wheat be combatted in every possible way. It so happens that the Common or Tall Barberry (*Berberis vulgaris*) and its varieties, including the Purple leaf Barberry, harbors the spring stage of this fungus, which produces millions of tiny spores which are carried great distances by the wind to the growing wheat, upon which they produce the destructive black stem rust.

This rust caused \$205,000,000 damage for the wheat crop in the U. S. in 1916. If the conditions are favorable this year it may do more--perhaps less. Against this enormous sum the value of all the Common Barberry in the country is insignificant. DIG IT UP AND BURN IT if you have any on your premises.

The Common Barberry has been outlawed in Denmark for years. North Dakota ordered it to be removed throughout the state by July 1, 1917. The Minnesota State Council of Public Safety has ordered it out of Minnesota. Wisconsin has sent out a powerful appeal to the people of the state to destroy all Common Barberry.

The relation between Common Barberry and wheat rust has been known for over 50 years. We have simply ignored it. Before the present great war wheat was sufficiently plentiful in America and the world to cause an attitude of indifference to the common enemies of growing wheat. But this is changed. We must now strive to produce every bushel of wheat that we can.

The Common Barberry in the city must be removed just as urgently as in the country. In Minneapolis bushes of this shrub planted along the boulevards of the city were found to be heavily infested with the spring state of the rust. There is no definite limit to the distance the spores may be carried.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture and the state cooperate in an appeal to all patriotic citizens to destroy the Common Barberry at once. N. B. The Japanese Barberry (*Berberis Thunbergii*) is immune.

Everett L. Millard, Chairman, Civic Commission

**HOW TO PRONOUNCE THOSE FRENCH NAMES**

Language Department of High School Submits Key of Pronunciation

A request has come to the French Department of the high school to indicate the pronunciation of the names of some of the towns in France which are mentioned in the war announcements. In undertaking this task, the French Department begs the indulgence of the public. The task is not so simple as it might seem. Due to the difficulty in printing, pronunciation signs such as are used in dictionaries cannot be employed. Added to this, the existence in France of sounds unknown to English will make it impossible to indicate accurately the pronunciation. An approximation is all that may be hoped for, but even so, that approximation may be far better than absolute mispronunciation.

In general, the following essential difference between the two languages may be remarked. French words are uttered as far toward the front of the mouth as possible. In fact, the majority of sounds are formed directly behind the front teeth. Secondly, French sounds are short and quick--staccato, not drawn out as in English. Last, and this is quite important, the accent is found on the last sounded syllable, and not on the first, where our English ears are accustomed to hearing it.

Below is given a list of towns, the approximate pronunciation and the population of each:

Amiens, Amya--both a's as in Ann 92,000.  
 Arras, Aras--first a, Ann; second a, father, 26,100.  
 Montdidier, Mawdeedyay, 4,520.  
 Lassigny, Laseenyee, 900.  
 Nancy, Nahsee, 119,950.  
 Toul, Tool, 15,880.  
 Verdun, Vairdu--u in up, 21,500.

Russia needed a Lincoln and drew a Leninne.

Those people who distrust Japan most, trust Germany most. Watch 'em.

**NO EXEMPTION**  
 By Strickland Gillilan  
 Author of "Of Again, On Again, Gone Again, Again."

If you cannot launch a bullet at the head across the sea,  
 Buy a Bond!  
 It will reach its target straighter than a homing bee--  
 Buy a Bond!  
 If you've bought a lot before,  
 Don't believe you've done your chore  
 Buy a half a dozen more!  
 Buy a Bond!  
 'Tisn't often helping others helps yourself so all at once--  
 Buy a Bond!  
 Help the country, help your bankbook--every checker is a dunce!  
 Buy a Bond!  
 If your country's saved, all right!  
 There's your money good and tight.  
 If it isn't--well, good night!  
 Buy a Bond!  
 If the bond should prove a fiver, all the money that you save  
 (Buy a bond)  
 Isn't worth a single penny--what is money to a slave?  
 Buy a Bond!  
 It will keep the Kaiser's hordes Back, as well as two-edged swords!  
 If your pocketbook affords,  
 Buy a Bond!  
 If you are a common tightwad, loving no one but yourself,  
 Buy a Bond!  
 It's the surest and the sanest way to save your money--  
 Buy a Bond!  
 If you are a decent critter,  
 'Gainst the foe of freedom bitter,  
 God Almighty has a quitter--  
 Buy a Bond!



Residents of Highland Park will be interested in the following detailed information regarding travel to Waukegan, Kenosha, Racine, and Milwaukee.

**Hourly Train Schedule**

Limited trains leave Highland Park every hour from 7:40 a. m. until 10:40 p. m. Return trains leave Milwaukee every hour from 6:45 a. m. until 8:45 p. m. A late south bound train leaves Milwaukee at 11:15 p. m., and arrives in Highland Park at 12:47 a. m.

Highland Park to	Fare	Running Time
Waukegan	.24c	25 min.
Kenosha	.59c	41 min.
Racine	.81c	54 min.
Milwaukee	\$1.30	1 hr. 35 min.

**Parlor and Dining Car Service**

Parlor cars are attached to trains leaving Highland Park at 9:40 a. m. and 2:40 p. m. Returning, leave Milwaukee at 9:45 a. m. and 2:45 p. m. Seats 28c including war tax.

Dining cars are attached to trains leaving Highland Park at 12:40 p. m. and 5:40 p. m. and to trains leaving Milwaukee at 11:45 a. m. and 5:45 p. m.

**NORTH SHORE LINE**

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 Milwaukee Ticket Office: 187 Second Street Phone Grand 1136

**Patriotic Rally**  
**Presbyterian Church**  
 Highland Park  
**FRIDAY, APRIL 19TH**  
 at 8:00 p. m.

Under the auspices of the  
**Lake County Law and Order League**  
 Chairman F. D. Everett

**SPEAKERS:**

- Mayor S. M. Hastings
  - Mr. T. R. Quayle
  - Rev. Frank Fitt
  - Professor J. J. Halsey
  - Chaplain W. P. Williams
- of the Great Lakes Station

**Lieutenant Crozier**

the Soldier Orator of the Canadian Army, will deliver an address  
 Music conducted by Mr. Carl Booth  
 Officers of the United States Army and Navy will be on the platform  
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