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ANNOUNCEMENT

THE steady increase in the price of material warrants the attention of the woman who would be well dressed in the future. The condition of the woolen market is such that by Fall and Winter prices will be doubled and it will be difficult to procure a Suit or Coat to be made up later or have it made up now, suitable for Fall and Winter.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Monday afternoon the school was entertained by a most enjoyable concert by the High School Orchestra. One selection was given for each class. The Seniors were honored by the "Coronation March", the Juniors by a Reverie, the Sophomores by the Savi Waltzes, and the Freshmen by the Romberg "Tor Symphony." Under Mr. Fraser's able leadership the orchestra has made a great progress during the present year.

Belief that there are as good fish in the sea as ever were caught is our consolation when we've lost our bait.

If this war had not come we might not have known what the enemy was up to in this country until it was too late.

CROWD FILLS CHURCH TO HEAR LECTURE

Virgil O. Strickler, C. S. B. Lectures on Christian Science, Tuesday Large crowd Attends

First Church of Christ, Scientist of Highland Park, was filled to overflowing, a great many having to stand outside, on Tuesday evening when Virgil O. Strickler, C. S. B., a member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., delivered a lecture on Christian Science. The speaker was introduced by Mr. Robert P. Walker of Glenocoe. The full text of the lecture will be published in next week's issue of the Press.

Something should be done to the talkers of treason, but lynching is a hideous crime.

DRIVE FOR RED CROSS FUNDS TO START SOON

\$100,000,000 IS NEEDED NOW

No Other War Relief Organization Has Such Far Reaching Affects as the Red Cross. Help!

As the last stragglers in the Liberty Loan army of attack go over the top, the opening guns of the second Red Cross war fund campaign are being primed. These will commence firing as soon as the Liberty Loan subscriptions are well out of the way. Another hundred million dollars is needed by the Red Cross, in order to carry on the work of war relief entrusted to it by the allied governments. Without the aid of the Red Cross, and especially the American Red Cross, it is certain that victory could not be the portion of our lot. It cannot be expected that the operations of that great army of mercy can go on, uninterruptedly, without funds. It takes money to perform deeds of compassion, as well as the manufacture of cannon.

No matter how much you have invested in Liberty Bonds, or have donated in other directions with the object of helping to win the war, it is a part of immediate duty to send some more of your dollars along the route that is marked with crimson on a field of white. This is the broad, open path that reaches clear out to the uttermost rim of the firing line in France. Right up to the barbed wire entanglements that hedge the enemy trenches it goes, studded with first aid stations, with hospitals, canteens, rescue stations for the refugees, and what not.

No other war-relief organization in the world today is comparable with the American Red Cross; none other is doing the work of salvaging human material—God's work—on a scale worthy of mentioning in the same century.

As the National Bulletin of the A. R. C. stated in its last issue, "It is in the emergencies that the greater tests of efficiency are presented, and it is in meeting emergencies that the marvels of Red Cross efficiency stand out."

For instance, the rescue work that followed the beginning of the German drive in March, was a striking example of the Red Cross manner of practical assistance. Amid the evacuation of whole towns and villages, which had to be removed during heavy drum fire bombardment, the Red Cross was a tower of strength; its motors, its ambulances and its workers toiling day and night while the shells haled and the earth rocked, never faltering until the last man, woman and child had been transported to safe harbors well in the rear. And this is but a infinitesimal part, only a few days' history of the noblest work that has ever been given mankind to do—the work in which even YOU, back here at home, can have a part.

COMPANY C

So silently have they gone from the ranks of our Reserve Militia into the great army of Uncle Sam that their going is noticed only by their absence, and by the new faces in their accustomed places; enlisted and drafted men with good foundation training to help them on in doing their best bit under the Stars and Stripes for "Old Glory".

They have gained in their Company C training a great asset for themselves in that they will be more efficient soldiers more quickly. They will be a real asset to our country, whose watchword is Efficiency.

Modest heroes, who have gone through the long winter diligently training at night, after accustomed day's work, giving up many evenings and many engagements to be faithful to their appointed task. They have ploughed through the snow many, many times to answer the roll and get their drill. They have, with good nature, stood up under the taunts of the boys and amused smiles of some of the grown-ups, for they were only "home guards". But now they are regular soldiers, and are entitled to and will get the warm approval and encouragement of those who have heretofore taken them lightly.

Company C is proud of its men who have gone to the war. Those who remain, envy those who have gone, and resolve that they, too, will be ready when the call comes, to enroll themselves, as trained men, in their country's service at home or abroad. In the meantime, let the thought sustain them that preparedness is service.

GEORGE SKIDMORE, OLD SETTLER DIES

Funeral Services Were Held at His Residence Yesterday, Afternoon. Burial at Waukegan

Saturday at 3:15 p. m. George Skidmore passed away at his home two miles west of Ft. Sheridan. Death came as a result of apoplexy. Mr. Skidmore was born July 27, 1848 at Tockley, Oxfordshire, England. At the age of twenty-one he came to this country and worked in Chicago for several years as a carpenter.

In 1888 he moved to a farm west of Ft. Sheridan, working at the Port seven years as a civilian carpenter. The farm occupying more and more of his attention, he finally gave up his outside work and devoted all his time to agriculture. Mr. Skidmore early identified himself with the church, joining the First Baptist church of Chicago soon after taking up his residence there. On moving to the farm he, with his brother John and sister Emma conceived the idea of forming a Sunday school in the neighborhood. So the people of the community gathered at the home of H. P. Wheeler on Sunday afternoons and held their Sunday school. These meetings finally attracted the attention of the Lake County Sunday School Association with the result that a subscription was soon raised and a little chapel built where Sunday school and church services were maintained for years.

Mr. Skidmore was married to Callista Wheeler, May 30, 1878. This union was blessed by five children. Daisy Callista died in infancy and Raymond who died several years ago. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife three sons Bertrand G. of Nampa, Idaho, Elmer T. and Floyd M. of Highland Park, also ten grandchildren, besides a host of other relatives and friends who never have spoken ill of him because nothing ill could be said of such a man.

Funeral services were held at the residence yesterday afternoon at 11:30 with burial at Oakwood, Waukegan.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my relatives and friends, also the Modern Woodmen for their beautiful floral offerings, kindness and sympathy shown me in my late bereavement.

Mrs. Emma Horenberger

Y. W. C. A. NEWS

The May meeting of the Mother's Club was held Tuesday evening in the Association headquarters. Miss Frances Greenough, Official Hostess

of the Y. W. C. A. Hostess House at the Great Lakes gave a very interesting report of the many and varied duties that fall to the lot of those who are ministering to the physical, mental and spiritual needs of the women relatives of men at the Great Lakes. A new Hostess House is being built on the west side of the tracks for Camps Dewey and Perry as one is insufficient for the accommodation of the many who flock there greatly to the evening's enjoyment by furnishing several vocal solos with Mother's Club decided to sell war recipes to each other in order to provide a fund for war work. Each one is asked to bring some good practical recipe to the next meeting, the first Tuesday in June which will close the Mother's Club until fall.

The Annual Rummage Sale held May 2, 3 and 4 netted the Association a neat sum for the current expenses.

GIVES UP POSITION AS CHURCH ORGANIST

Mr. Allan B. Benedict, for Five Years at Local Presbyterian Church Resigns

Mr. Allan Benedict, for the past five years the organist at the Presbyterian church has resigned his position.

At the Vesper Service last Sunday afternoon the Rev. Frank Pitt expressed the thanks of the people to Mr. Benedict for his splendid service in the church during the last five years. Mr. Benedict's services have been appreciated not only by the people of the Presbyterian church, but also by those of the broader circle who are members of the Highland Park Choral Society and who have attended the Cantatas given this last winter. It is with regret that the church officials accept Mr. Benedict's decision to give up his position as an organist on account of his increasing duties in business.


CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and their flowers during our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel R. Larson and son Alvin.

"Parents fear missing boy has enlisted", says a headline. Fear or hope?

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ELM PLACE SCHOOL

Some of the pupils at Elm Place are experimenting with a home-made device for protecting delicate plants such as tomato plants when set out earlier than the usual weather conditions justify. Last year a heavy frost on May 23rd caught a majority of the tomato plants that had been set out in Highland Park. Many who have had years of experience with spring conditions at Highland Park do not set tomato plants until about June the first or even later, but then they try to set out pot grown plants. If plants have been set out two or three times in the plant house and are growing in a large pot they can be kept in that condition until almost ready to blossom and then if set in the ground without disturbing the roots their growth will be continuous. It is not everyone that has a plant house to shelter such plants and the device that some of the children are experimenting with, which was suggested in the Chicago Daily News may prove helpful. The top and bottom are taken out of large tin cans and a stake six or eight inches long fastened to the side of the can. A piece of glass laid on the top of the can serves as cover and a string passing through a hole on another side near the top of the can will serve so as to keep the glass in place. At night time and in cold weather the can with the stake is pushed down to the ground. In the day time the can can be left above the surface of the ground to admit air and if the sun is too warm a piece of paper slipped under the glass will screen the plant. It is believed with a device of this kind that tomato plants may safely be set out two weeks ahead of the usual date regarded as safe. The problem in Highland Park in tomato raising is to mature the fruit before frost and the sooner the plants may be set out the better. Some of the pupils have been given four plants each at Elm Place to experiment with. All plants which are not to receive this protection will be held in the hot beds at school until the latter part of this month.

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