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SALVATION ARMY IN OPEN AIR MEETING

DRIVE NOT COMING HERE

Waukegan Committee in Charge. Capt. Kranz and Sergeant Stanley Give Stirring Addresses.

Last Saturday evening, according to announcement, the Salvation Army under the auspices of a Waukegan committee came to Highland Park and held a typical street corner meeting. The Liberty Fife and Drum Corps marched from East Central to the appointed place on the corner of Central and First. It was a lively meeting and one that was well attended.

Mr. James Welch opened the meeting from an improvised platform and introduced the speakers. The first was Captain James Kranz of the Salvation Army, who opened his remarks by saying "The boys over there have said that the Salvation Army has done more work than any other organization and asked for nothing from the people." He modestly disclaimed this tribute but added that it was true that they were first in the field 'over there' and last to ask for assistance.

He spoke of the fact that people in America were getting "fed up" on war drives and war demands. By this he meant that they had been accosted so much and had given so much that they were in danger now of not feeling the urgency of appeals. On the same principle a man from the country gives to a beggar on the street corner the first time he sees him, the next day he does not feel quite so sorry for him and gives less, by the fourth appeal his sympathy impulse has ceased to function. The American people are in very grave danger of adopting this same attitude toward the constant demands on its pocket-book. "But if we are getting tired of demands for funds to carry on this war, what are the boys feeling 'over there'! It is not a thing that has come into our lives to thrill us, said the earnest Captain, it is a duty that has come to us to help save our country and prosecute this war to the end. It is not charity. It is our share."

Sergt. James Stanley, one of the eighty-eight survivors of the noted Princess Pat regiment, who has been wounded eleven times, told something of his experiences in the two battles of Ypres. The enthusiastic crowd responded loyally to his fervent appeal. Time after time, the hat was passed and emptied of crisp bills. One woman who had failed to bring money with her, and whose husband had only a little change, left the crowd and went home to get an offering adequate to the demand upon her conscience.

Drive Not Coming to Highland Park

Ninety dollars was raised on the street corner Saturday night. Our quota was $1750. It is said that Highland Park people have already subscribed their quota in Chicago.

Mr. Elam Clark, county chairman at Waukegan, wrote to Highland Park on August 9th asking if they could launch the Salvation Army drive here on August 18th. Receiving no response he wrote another request on the 16th to which he received an answer saying that Highland Park is so closely connected with Chicago that unless a drive is launched at the same time, the people of Highland Park would most likely subscribe in the latter city.

The quota of Waukegan was $2500 and they have subscribed $4300 for this worthy cause. In light of the sad failure of this city to raise its quota for the Red Cross, this second defection will fall as a stigma on every one hundred per cent patriot in the community.

BUSINESS HOUSES WILL CLOSE ALL DAY MONDAY

No Mail Delivery Monday. Post Office will be Open Until Ten O'clock Labor Day.

All business houses in this city will be closed all day Labor Day, Monday, September second. The postoffice will be open until ten o'clock but there will be no mail delivery. All those desiring their mail may call at the office before ten o'clock for it.

RESERVE MILITIA WILL GO INTO CAMP

Co. C to Entrain at Ten Thirty Saturday Morning, August Thirty-first for Camp Logan.

The First Regiment, Illinois Reserve Militia, including Company C of this city will entrain Saturday morning for a three-day campment at Camp Logan.

It was hoped that it would be possible to go into camp for a couple of weeks at least, but as most of the regiment is composed of business men it was found almost impossible for most of them to get away for that long a period. However, the three days will give our boys a taste of real army camp life.

The men of Company C will provide themselves with the following articles:

Black necktie, soap, two towels, shaving outfit, hair brush and comb, tooth brush, collapsible cup, extra underwear, extra socks, extra handkerchiefs, two blankets and one cot tick to be filled with straw or in place of tick one extra heavy blanket or comforter, piece of rope or clothesline, poncho or rain coat, mosquito netting, 1½ yd by 2 yd, three or four safety pins and extra shoe laces. With the above equipment the boys should certainly be comfortable.

Meals will be served by U. S. Jackies.

The special train will leave Chicago at 9:30 picking up the various companies along the North Shore and will arrive in Highland Park at 10:15 All men of Company C should be at the High School Armory not later than 9:30 to get their guns and equipment.

Men who cannot go Saturday morning but who can come Saturday evening should make arrangements with the First Sergeant to have equipment taken care of.

It is with much regret that the men of Company C learned Monday evening of the serious illness of Captain Turpin, who took sick with bronchial pneumonia while at Camp Steever, Lake Geneva. The captain is now in a hospital at Harvard, Wis., where he is convalescing. He will be greatly missed at the three-day camp.

Major L. A. Hine, Lieutenant Arthur Purdy and Private Milton Tillman have returned from Camp Steever and report a very beneficial outing. The Major and Lieutenant learned some of the latest army tactics while away and at the Monday night drill Company C was put through the latest tactics in open order work.

WALLACE REID IN "LESS THAN KIN"

"My Four Years in Germany" by Ambassador Jas. W. Gerard, Sat. Matinee at Two-Thirty.

Pearl Theatre will present the following pictures during the week beginning September 1st:

Sunday— William S. Hart in "Riddle Gawne," also a two reel comedy; Monday — "The Eagle's Eye," by William J. Flynn, chief of the U. S. Secret Service, the story of Imperial German Government's Spies and Plots in America, Frank Keenan in "More Trouble," Pathe Comedy; Tuesday — Madge Evans and Johnnie Hines in "Neighbors," Pathe News, Mutual Comedy; Wednesday — Constance Talmadge in "The Lesson," Allies War News, Paramount Pictograph and Christie Comedy; Thursday — Mae Marsh in "The Glorious Adventure," by Edith Bernard Delano, Pathe News also Vitagraph comedy; Friday — Wallace Reid in "Less Than Kin," Mutt and Jeff, Goldwyn Comedy; Saturday — "My Four Years in Germany," Ambassador James W. Gerard, Burton Holmes Travelogue, also a World Comedy. Matinee at 2:30.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED FOR 4th LIBERTY LOAN

Only Earnest and Patriotic Workers Wanted. Send in Your Name to Highland Park Press.

"Here is another chance to help win the war! The Deerfield Township Liberty Loan Committee wants volunteer salesmen for the Fourth Liberty Loan. Only earnest patriotic workers wanted. Send in your name and address to the office of this paper, care of Mr. John L. Udell.

CITIZENS OF HIGHLAND PARK

We have failed in the Red Cross Drive. We have lagged behind in the War Savings Stamp Campaign. The Salvation Army, that noble body of hard-working, self-effacing patriots, has not inaugurated a drive here at all. The gates of our city were not open and ready with welcome.

What are we going to do? Shall we submit and go down in the history of this war as a purely venal wealthy suburb of a great city? True, our quota is determined according to the wealth of our population. Every man of means in this town, unless he contributes his pro rata share commensurate with his income, has laid just that much of his own burden on the citizens of his community. Their heavy tonnage has been added to our little craft, but their hands are not at the oars.

It is too late to recall our failures in the other drives, but it is not too late to do something about the Salvation Army. They are an army too like our army of "boys." They are fighting for justice and humanity too, as well as our boys. Shall we let them march by?

Let those who have patriotism—let those who have civic pride—prepare to show it now!

JACKIES WELL FED AT NAVAL STATION

MENU FOR CURRENT WEEK

Henry F. Clow of Highland Park Chief Commissary Steward of 6th Regiment Feeds 2800 Men Daily.

Great Lakes, Ill.

The Highland Park Press,
Highland Park, Ill.

Gentlemen:—Inclosed you will find copy of menu for the current week at Great Lakes. It may interest some of the readers of the Press to know what kind of meals are served the boys here.

Also some readers of your paper may have a flag, preferably a large one, which they would give to this Galley to be used to help decorate the interior.

I am chief commissary steward of this regiment and am feeding 2,800 men.

Visitors welcome on Wednesday and Sunday afternoons.

Yours truly,
HENRY F. CLOW,
149 So Second St.

Crew's Menu for the Week Ending

Sunday, Sept. 1.

Breakfast:—Baked hash, catsup, French toast, fresh fruit, B. B. C.

Dinner:— Roast beef, gravy, brown potatoes, red kidney beans, cabbage salad, B. C.

Supper.— Beef-a-la-mode, mashed potatoes, sliced tomatoes, chocolate pudding, B. Iced Tea.

Tuesday, August 27.

Breakfast.—Creamed eggs on toast, fried potatoes, fresh fruit, coffee cake, B. B. C.

Dinner:—Roast pork butts, mashed potatoes, gravy, boiled onions, watermelon, B. C.

Supper:— Boiled beef, Spanish, au gratin potatoes, combination salad, French dressing, cantaloupes, B. B., iced tea.

Wednesday, August 28.

Breakfast:—Baked pork and beans, catsup, hot rolls, fresh fruit, B. B. C.

Dinner:— Corned beef, boiled cabbage, wax beans, sliced tomatoes, B. B. C.

Supper:— Luncheon meat, macaroni-a-la-creole, potato salad, fruit pudding, B. B., iced tea, plain cake.

Thursday, August 29.

Breakfast:—Fried pork sausage, fried potatoes, milk gravy, fresh fruit, B. C.

Dinner:— Boiled picnic hams, lima beans, corn on cob, boiled potatoes, B. B. C.

Supper; — Steamed frankfurters, creamed potatoes, vegetable salad, mayonaisse dressing, celery, B. B., iced tea.

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HOARDING OF SUGAR PROHIBITED BY LAW

Purchasers Found Going from Store to Store Procuring Supplies of Sugar to be Prosecuted.

The use of sugar for ordinary household purposes is positively limited to two pounds per person a month. Hoarding is prohibited by Federal law and hoarders are subject to prosecution.

If purchasers are found going from store to store securing supplies of sugar, they will promptly be called upon to explain, and publicity or prosecution will follow.

WAR CAMP COMMUNITY SERVICE BOARD MEETS

DR. P. C. WOLCOTT PRESIDED

Mass Meeting Planned to Advise People of Highland Park About Activities of War Camp Com. Service.

On last Friday evening, the 23rd of August, the War Camp Community Service Board of Highland Park met pursuant to a general order and there were present the following: the Rev. P. C. Wolcott, as chairman of the board; Mrs. Earl W. Spencer, representing the Hospitality Committee of Highland Park, which has just finished a most successful season of Sunday evening entertainment for the soldiers and sailors at the Presbyterian and Episcopal churches; Mrs. F. M. Terry, representing the Highland Park Woman's Club; Mr. Hopkins and Miss Moore as special commissioners of the War Department and Navy Department commissions on training camp activities; Mrs. Sewall Truax, representing the Army and Navy Center; also Mrs. Jas. Watson, Mrs. Julius Rosenwald, Mr. R. L. Sandwick and Stewart Reed Brown.

Dr. Wolcott as presiding officer spoke in high commendation of the different organizations in Highland Park and the notable success of their attainments for the season. They discussed the advisability of holding a mass meeting on or about September 7th for the purpose of extending a knowledge in this locality of the War Camp Community Service. The matter was turned over to Mrs. John A. Putnam who will report the result of her investigation at another meeting this week, at which time the matter will be matured so that a public announcement can be made. (Later announcement elsewhere in this issue.)

Basket Picnic not Feasible

The proposal of a basket picnic was found to be impossible on account of the leave of absence regulations for that date. Mr. Newbold of the Highland Park club had fortunately made arrangements for a vaudeville show to be given by the boys in lieu of the basket picnic and the meeting promptly adopted that idea.

Mr. Hopkins of the War Department and Navy Department Commissions on training camp activities was called upon to explain the workings of the service and advised the meeting that the war camp community service operated under two general heads, namely, leisure time activities outside the camp and leisure time activities inside the camp—the former consisted of the soldier and sailor clubs—hostess activities—commercial amusements—dramatics—accomodations—educational—entertainment — travelers aid —hospital work, etc., etc., while the latter consisted of the Y. M. C. A.—K. of C. and kindred organizations inside of the camp. Mr. Hopkins explained that the work of the W. C. C. S. was almost unlimited in its field of operation and would take on new responsibilities as time and necessity demanded, but for the present it was their object to see to it that our soldiers and sailors were cared for to a degree commensurate, and in harmony with the high standards already established by governmental supervision and control.

Mrs. John A. Putnam as chairman of the entertainment committee re-

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SPECIAL RATE OFFER EXTENDED ONE WEEK

$2.00 Subscription Rate to Begin September 9th. Favorable Comment from Subscriber.

Owing to the pleasing fact that so many renewed subscriptions to the Press have come in to the office daily and are still continuing in constantly increasing numbers, we have deemed it advisable to extend the special rate privilege of $1.50 for August, one week longer for the benefit of our numerous subscribers who are out of town during this month.

The special rate, therefore, of one dollar and fifty cents will be available until September 9th for all who wish to renew subscriptions regardless of when they fall due. For instance, you have already paid your subscription till next March, 1919, you can renew that subscription until March, 1920. Those wishing to renew for two years in advance at this rate may still have the benefit of this special rate up to September 9th. After this date the subscription price will be $2.00 per year.

We want more than mere subscribers. We want readers and critics. Have you read our editorials? Have you read our Sons-in-Service column? Do so, and if you like these features of our paper, say so. If you do not like them, still we want to know.

It has never been our custom to pay ourselves open tribute in the columns of our own paper, and it is owing to this fact that we waive this habit for once and subjoin the following letter:

Editor, the Press:—

Realizing from enlarged personal expenses the validity of your statement in regard to increased cost of publication, and in appreciation of the excellence of your journal—The Highland Park Press — herewith check for $2.00 (two dollars) instead of the stipulated $1.50 to cover subscription to August, 1919.

Sincerely,
ELSIE D. McDOUGALL.

MEETING TO ENDORSE PRIMARY CANDIDATES

Those Present Were Divided on All Candidates Except for Sheriff and Representative

What promised fair to become an acrimonious debate on the indorsement of County Candidates was averted by Chairman Sedgewick at a meeting held in the city hall last night. The meeting was called by R. C. Jacobson for the purpose of endorsing certain candidates and resulted in the passing of a resolution warmly approving Chester C. Ames for Sheriff, and Edward D. Shurtleff and Lee McDonough for Representatives.

The baker's dozen who responded to the call were hopelessly divided on all other candidates, much to the disappointment of Thomas Quayle who occupied a front seat. Whether the candidates for County Treasurer and County Clerk were thoroughly wet or only moist was discussed with considerable heat. Charges without evidence, innuendoes, and suggestive hints were presented and either refuted or ordered to lie on the mahogany table until after election.

The meeting was addressed by Messrs. Burnett, Webb, and Woodman of Waukegan. Frank Just of Libertyville and Mr. Kearns represented the Anti-Saloon League.

GIRL SCOUTS ACTIVE FOR BELGIAN BABIES

Sell Bouquets to Aid Funds. A Goodly Sum Raised by Long Hours of Labor.

Girl Scouts of Highland Park deserve great credit for their untiring work for the "Belgian Babies" fund on Monday, August twenty-sixth. From early morning until late at night they walked the streets and met the train, and visited stores, and when told how well they had done, their reply in every case was, "Oh, the people were so good about giving." Miss Muriel Mortens of the Moraine Hotel also ably assisted both there and at the Bob-O'-Link Golf Club.

A goodly sum was raised at the Exmoor Club through the noble ef-

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ALL-STAR VAUDEVILLE AT RAVINIA THEATRE

SEPTEMBER 7TH AND 8TH

To Be Presented by Bluejackets From Great Lakes for Benefit of Ravinia Club War Recreation Work.

Paymaster J. D. Doyle, U. S. N., executive secretary of the Navy Relief Association at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, announced yesterday that a huge vaudeville show will be presented at Ravinia Park on the nights of September 7th and 8th. The Great Lakes All-Star Vaudeville Show, as it will be known, will be made up of fifteen acts of all kinds, presented by Bluejackets from Great Lakes.

This production is to be given for the benefit of the war recreation work of the Ravinia Club. This splendid work has been the brightest spot in the lives of thousands of sailors and soldiers now in training at Great Lakes and Fort Sheridan. Every week-end the Club entertains men in uniform with an athletic carnival on Saturday afternoon, followed by a delicious supper and dancing. On Sunday various amusements are provided, also supper in the evening and a vaudeville show at night.

It was the original intention of the Club to entertain four thousand men during the season. This far over thirty thousand men have been the guests of the Ravinia Club this summer. And there are many more week-ends ahead. The funds provided for this purpose, however, have been greatly depleted and it is to build them up again that this great variety entertainment is to be presented.

The sailors who have acts that make up this production, in many instances are former professionals who have been featured in the best variety houses in the country. This is practically the same show that played to capacity houses for two nights at Waukegan a few weeks ago.

It is a corking array of bluejacket talent and one well worth seeing.

Tickets are already on sale at the ticket office at Ravinia and scores of north shore people have signified their intention of being among those present on one of the two nights. This is an opportunity to aid in keeping up the superb work of the Ravinia Club, at the same time providing oneself with an evening of most excellent entertainment.

TWO HIGHWOOD BOYS WOUNDED IN ACTION

Mr. Gus Storre Wounded Twice. Enlisted in 1916 in Can. Forces. George Smith Injured.

Mrs. Alfred Smith of Highwood received a telegram the early part of this week that her son, George Smith, has been seriously injured in active service in France. Mr. Smith entered the service December thirteenth and since May first has been in active service overseas with Co. D., 28th Infantry.

Mr. Gus Storr, brother of Mrs. A. Diem of Highwood, has also been wounded in action, this being the second time. Mr. Storr enlisted in April, 1916, with the Canadian army and has served with it ever since. He returned to the trenches December fifteenth after being wounded the first time. Mrs. Diem received a telegram Tuesday telling of her brother's accident.

BIG MASS FEETING SET FOR SEPTEMBER 6

To Be Held at Deerfield-Shields High School. Dancing at Gym Will Follow Program.

On Friday evening, September 6th, a large mass meeting will be held in the Girls' Gymnasium at the Deerfield-Shields high school. This meeting will be given under the direction of the War Camp Community Board and its primary object is to bring home to the people of Highland Park the object, purpose and scope of activity of the War Camp Community Service.

The program will be followed by dancing in the boys' gymnasium. The Great Lakes Concert Quintette will furnish music, also there is a possibility of a jackie band.

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