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**HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**

High School students have organized a labor bureau for work on Saturdays and out of school hours. The money earned will enable some to meet current expenses, others to provide a fund for future advanced education when the high school is completed. Still others are earning for purely patriotic service to meet industrial needs or to buy War Saving Stamps. Mrs. Searcy, head of the Y. W. C. A., telephone No. 675, is acting head of the organization. Employers should call her up to secure help. So far about seventy-five boys and girls have applied for work thru the service. Below are some of the reports of the work the young people are prepared to do.

- Housework**
- 1-Cooking
  - 2-Waiting on table
  - 3-Washing dishes
  - 4-Caring for children
  - 5-Sewing and mending
  - 6-Washing windows
  - 7-General cleaning
  - 8-Cleaning basements
  - 9-Laundering
  - 10-Beating Rugs
- Garden Work**
- 1-Planting and cultivating
  - 2-Mowing and raking lawn
  - 3-Trimming trees and shrubs
  - 4-Planting trees and shrubs
- Carpentering**
- 1-Repairing furniture
  - 2-Refinishing furniture and floors
  - 3-Caning chairs
  - 4-Making window screens
  - 5-Adjusting screens and windows
- Business**
- 1-Bookkeeping
  - 2-Typewriting
  - 3-Clerking
  - 4-Telephone
  - 5-Delivery work
- Miscellaneous**
- 1-Making place cards
  - 2-Making luncheon favors
  - 3-Entertaining young children
  - 4-Tutoring young children
  - 5-Driving car
  - 6-Cleaning and caring for car
  - 7-Caring regularly for furnace
  - 8-Painting
  - 9-Shoveling snow

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

The Bible School will meet at 9:30 next Sunday morning.

The regular morning service will begin at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Frank Pitt will preach.

The monthly meeting on the Session will take place at four o'clock.

On Monday there will be an all-day meeting of the Dorcas Society at which luncheon will be served at 12 o'clock.

The prayer-meeting will be resumed next Wednesday night at eight.

**UNITED EVANGELICAL**

The following services will be held on next Sunday:

9:30 a. m., Bible School. The first lesson for the new quarter will be studied. The title is, "Pharaoh Oppresses Israel." Ex. 1:1-4; 2:1-25.

10:45 a. m., Morning service with sermon on, "Lessons from the Life and Times of John Hus, the Martyr of Bohemia."

6:45 p. m., meeting of the Keystone League of Christian Endeavor.

7:30 p. m., Song Service and sermon on, "Sins Against the Holy Spirit."

The prayer meeting will be held next Wednesday evening at 7:45.

**WRITERS SOLDIERS LIKE**

What sort of books do the wounded soldiers in hospitals and the men in camps awaiting demobilization most desire? According to the Library War Service of the American Library Association the immediate pressing need is for light current fiction, the men's minds turning quite distinctly just now to delectational reading.

A recent list of books particularly wanted includes such writers as Rex Beach, B. M. Bower, Edgar Rice Burroughs, Zane Grey, Henry Herbert Knipps, O. Henry, Peter B. Kyne, E. Phillips Oppenheim, Mary Roberts Reinhart, Bertrand W. Sinclair, Booth Tarkington, Stewart Edward White, Harry Leon Wilson and Harold Bell Wright.

It is evident from this list that what the soldiers are looking for is stories of action. The one characteristic these writers have in common is their dramatic ability. Books men in these writers are especially welcomed as gifts for the men in service and can be sent to any public library with the assurance that they will be forwarded.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**

Hazel Avenue, near St. John's Ave.

Subject for next Sunday's Lesson Sermon, "God."

Services are held in this church every Sunday morning at 10:45. Sunday school meets immediately after the morning service, and is open to pupils up to the age of 20 years.

The Wednesday evening meeting, which includes testimonies of Christian Science healing, is at 8 o'clock.

You are cordially invited to make use of the reading room at 387 Central Avenue, which is open every week day from nine o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening.

The people who got bric-a-brac for Christmas presents are not wholly disconsolate, as the junk man pays pretty good prices now.

**TO RECLAIM DISMAL SWAMP**

Engineers Have Long Had Their Eyes on Picturesque Wilderness Which Can Be Made Valuable.

Dismal Swamp, which lies just south of Norfolk, Va., partly in that state and partly in North Carolina, is one of the most picturesque wildernesses in the eastern United States. Although it may be reached from the busy port of Norfolk within a few hours by a boat which piles daily up and down a small canal, the Dismal Swamp remains an unspoiled wilderness where black bears and panthers still roam, while the smaller creatures of the wild exist in abundance.

**WORK ALONG WRONG LINES**

Writer Points Out Imperative Need for Change in Present Legal and Charity Systems.

A change in our legal system must be made which will take account of the complex life of the present, as against the old-fashioned form of living, which brought with it temptation, greed and jealousy. Persons who, on account of wrong environment, have stooped to illegitimate means to attain their ends should be corrected, with discipline if you please, but not with brutal punishment. After correction they should have the chance to make an honest living; they should not be ostracized as at present, so that there is nothing else left for them to do but to return to a life of crime which sooner or later reaches the depths, when the state is forced to spend thousands and thousands for their upkeep.

The creation of beggars has never been due to the exercise of kindness. All beggars are made, more or less, by the charity system. With charity abolished and every individual understanding that we are all born to work and enjoy our work in accordance with our fitness for the work we are called upon to do, there will be no need of charity, and crime and disease will be lessened tremendously.

**"Shinplasters"**

One of the curious forms of money to which the United States government has resorted was the "shinplaster" currency. These bits of paper money were called "shinplasters" by reason of their size and not because of the use to which they were put. It was a strange condition of affairs which led to their issue. The Civil war had put a great strain on the finances of the United States. Metallic money grew scarce. In the first place it was exported and in the second it was hoarded in vast sums. The government had issued "greenbacks" to take the place of silver dollars and five and ten dollar gold pieces, and as dimes, quarters and halves had also grown scarce it was decided to issue fractional paper currency. It was seriously needed, because there was great inconvenience throughout the country from a lack of small change. Merchants used postage stamps, tokens of various forms, their own "promises to pay" or script, and even buttons were employed as small change, to be later redeemed by the merchant in goods. It was to meet such conditions as these that the government issued small paper notes in denominations of 10, 25 and 50 cents.

**Pronoun Little Used.**

The form "thou" has held its place in the language, with occasional use, for sixty years. It is defined as meaning "That one; he, she, or it; a pronoun of the third person, common gender; a contracted and solidified form of 'that one,' proposed in 1858 by Charles Crozet Converse of Erie, Pa. Charles substitutes in cases where the use of a substitute in cases where the use of a restrictive pronoun involves either its inaccuracy, or obscurity, or its non-employment necessitates awkward repetition." As an example is given the substitution of "Each pupil must learn his or her lesson."—Literary Digest.

**Try a Rumor Next Time.**

Snitcher—Listen, Tellitt, I've got to get another room. I don't like the landlady.

Tellitt—Why not?

Snitcher—She asks too much of me. Wanted me to take a room upstairs the other day when I couldn't even get my arms around her, let alone the room.—Cartoons Magazine.

**A Pershing Calendar**

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**LAURETTE TAYLOR IN "HAPPINESS" CONTINUES**

After Nine Weeks Run at Powers' Play is Transferred to the Blackstone

Laurette Taylor, after nine weeks at Powers' Theatre, Chicago, in "Happiness," has been transferred to the Blackstone Theatre to continue her run, on account of a previous contract at Powers' with another attraction which could not be cancelled. She has proved to be the veritable surprise of the theatrical season, coming to Chicago for the first time in six years, and known only from her long runs in New York. It was the original intention that she should play but five weeks in Chicago, but her success was so immediate and electrical that the theatre was not large enough to contain the crowds that clamored to see her. Not since the palmy days of Maude Adams has an actress won such universal approval. The chief query of the society, clubdom, offices and the man on the street has become, "Have you seen Laurette Taylor in 'Happiness'?"

"Happiness," written by J. Hartley Manners, author of "Peg O' My Heart," offers Miss Taylor extraordinary opportunities for the display of the astonishing art which has made her so distinctive and unapproachable. She is seen as the little errand girl to a fashionable dressmaker and the story relates her rise to success from the lowliest surroundings. It is punctuated and relieved by the liveliest wit and humor and the audience is kept in a temper of laughter for two and three-quarter hours. Ashton Stevens, the famous critic, summarizes his opinion in these words: "With as fine a cast as taste and money can assemble, it is first, last and all the time a ravishing entertainment. With Laurette Taylor it is the best actress in the best play of the season."—Adv.

Perhaps the most fervent advocate of the noble principle of self-determination is the boy who has reached the age of 15 and knows all about life.

The inquiry is made as to what German war ships because we can't agree how to divide them, have not yet advocated tearing up our railroads because we can't agree what rates of fare they shall charge.

**YOUNG WOMAN'S PATRIOTIC LEAGUE OF HIGWOOD**

The Children's Club of the Young Women's Patriotic League of Higwood gave a Christmas entertainment for their mothers and friends on Friday evening. The program was filled with recitations and folk dancing, though the "Piece de Resistance" was a short Christmas play based on an old fairy story. The children demonstrated the good progress they are making in folk dancing, a class under the leadership of Miss Grace Dean of Lake Forest. Of course the evening could not end without the good old-fashioned Christmas tree ceremonies.

Under the direction of Mrs. Humphreys and Miss Lloyd, the Daughters of Columbia have started a fancy dancing class. The class meets at 8:15 each Thursday evening. At 8:15 as the close of the first class, the girls came together for a peppy club meeting. They are organizing a Girl Reserve Unit, and you will know them by the blue triangle they will wear on their arm bands. The club broke its routine the past week, and celebrated the holidays by inviting their friends to an up to date game party. Only those who have attended one of these game parties led by Miss Helen Moses, recreational director for both Higwood and Lake Forest, know what that kind of a good time means.

The Business Girls' Club are entertaining the men in uniform each Sunday afternoon. The men come during the afternoon for a home-cooked supper, the kind that mother used to make. The ladies of Higwood and Highland Park are responsible for these good suppers. The Club held a game party on New Year's Eve and also an open house after two o'clock on New Year's Day. All men in uniform are always invited to these affairs.

Captain Jaynes of the Post Hospital has consented to conduct a class in first aid for the "Breside circle" at the League rooms. You hear of this at the League rooms, they are diligently club later as they are diligently working on a play, "An Open Secret," only we aren't going to tell you now, what the secret is.

**EBENEZER EVANGELICAL**

Prayer meetings every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.

Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

No meeting of the training class this week.

Annual reports will be read Sunday morning at the Sunday school hour.

Election of officers.

This church extends to all its good wishes for a Happy New Year. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

**HIGHLAND PARK CLUB**

The Club program for January is out and the following program will be given:

Saturday, 4th, 8:30 p. m.—War Camp Community Service in formal dance for officers and nurses.

Saturday, 11, 8:30 p. m.—War Camp Community Service in formal dance for officers and nurses.

Tuesday, 14th, 8:30 p. m.—Musical, Miss Priscilla Carter.

Saturday, 18th, 8:15 p. m.—War Camp Community Service in dramatic entertainment.

Saturday, 25th, 8:30 p. m.—War Camp Community Service in formal dance for officers and nurses.

Tuesday, 28th, 8:15 p. m.—Ossoli evening, Prof. Theodore G. Soares.

Duplicate what is to be revised and woe to the unlucky player who doesn't know who has every four spot by the time the sixth hand has been played.

Some people are already planning how they can make money on the ball games next Memorial Day while we are honoring our hero dead.

"When are we going to get some movie pictures of actual fighting?" writes a valued subscriber. We regret that we don't know, not having heard from the studios in the city but lots where film plays are put up.

The country correspondent who sends in the news item reading, "The sick are all recovering," need not think her exceptional journalistic gifts make it necessary for her at once to enter metropolitan newspaper work.