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## MRS. THOMAS R. QUAYLE TO GIVE TALK SUNDAY

AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

### To Tell of Her Work Among the Doughboys in France and Germany During the Past 16 Months

Next Sunday night at eight o'clock at the Presbyterian church, Mrs. Thomas R. Quayle, who has just returned to Highland Park after sixteen months overseas service in the Y. M. C. A., will speak on the topic, "Our American Boys in France and Germany."



After an exciting submarine experience in mid-ocean in the summer of 1918, Mrs. Quayle landed safely at Bordeaux. She had expected to do canteen duty but found that her first duty was as a hospital nurse. The influenza epidemic was raging at Bordeaux when she arrived. The daily death rate was extremely high and every available person was needed for taking care of the sick doughboys. Mrs. Quayle spent some weeks at Bordeaux in this work until the epidemic had subsided.

Her next work was at Fontainebleau where she had to organize the largest canteen in France. The results of her efforts were so remarkable that she was officially commended. From there Mrs. Quayle was sent to Langres where the troops who fought in the Argonne and later went into Germany in the Army of Occupation passed through. Still later Mrs. Quayle was able to realize her desire to enter Germany for work with the American troops. She had a great opportunity for observing the conditions under which our men had to live. At times she was the only woman in a camp of 30,000.

At the meeting next Sunday night the Young People's Society of the Presbyterian church will lead the singing. Everyone is welcome to come and hear the story of the work among our troops told by a fellow-citizen who took part in it. An offering will be received.

## BUTCHERS' STRIKE ON NORTH SHORE, RUMOR

According to the latest report the butchers' union in the Waukegan district, of which the Highland Park local is a member, is contemplating a demand for higher wages. The demand, according to the report, will be for \$40 a week and an eight hour working day.

Whether the meat cutters will call a strike in order to enforce their demand is not known. Shop owners, however, seem to be ill disposed toward such a high wage, and will probably fight the issue.

## PALACE MARKET PUTS IN FREE DELIVERY

The management of the Palace Market has installed a new system of free delivery. When this plan is put into operation, goods will be delivered to any part of Highland Park, Highland Park, Ravinia and Fort Sheridan. A new Dodge truck has been purchased for this purpose.

The Palace is making plans for remodeling the interior of the market, and a new line of groceries will be added.

## EX-MAYOR PEARCE OF WAUKEGAN IS DEAD

Was Resident of Waukegan for Fifty Years. Served as Mayor Four Terms

Mr. William W. Pearce, pioneer drug merchant, four times mayor and for 50 years a resident of Waukegan, died last Thursday morning at 6:30 o'clock at his home, 538 Steel court, Waukegan, after a lingering illness as the result of an infection of his jaw.

The death of Dr. Pearce brings to a close the life of one of the most interesting characters in Lake County. During his public life he won the sobriquet of "Old Reliable," which he earned because of his square methods of dealing with his fellow townsmen.

William Westrup Pearce was born Dec. 1, 1858, his parents being Mr. and Mrs. William Samuel Pearce. He was the third of a family of twelve children, the first two having died in infancy.

His business career is unique, and the Pearce Drug Store, founded by his father, and which he later took over, has only recently been turned over to the third generation, W. Stanford Pearce, a nephew of Dr. Pearce, and the son of Dr. Percival Pearce. He entered the drug business in 1875 at the age of 17, becoming a partner with his father in 1884. In 1891 he had complete charge of the drug store.

Dr. Pearce was mayor of Waukegan for four terms as follows: 1897-8; 1898-1900; 1903-1904; 1915-1919. During the first three terms he served under the aldermanic form and the latter under the commission form. Dr. Pearce was a Knight Templar.

Funeral was held at the Pearce home on Saturday afternoon.

## J. WARREN KERRIGAN IN "THE WOLF" WEDNESDAY

Saturday, Nazimova in "Out of the Fog." Taken From "Ception Shoals." Matinee 2:30

Pearl Theatre will show the following pictures next week:

Sunday, Mabel Normand in "When Doctors Disagree," Seaman comedy and Pictograph; Monday, Tom Mix in "Treat 'em Rough," Marie Mix in the famous "Spur and Saddle Stories," also Lloyd comedy; Tuesday, J. Warren Kerrigan in "The Joyous Liar," "The Great Gamble," and Bee Hive Cartoon; Wednesday, Earle Williams in "The Wolf," Pathe news, also Christie comedy; Thursday E. K. Lincoln and Grace Darling in "The Virtuous Men," Hank Man comedy and Pathe News; Friday, William Russell in "This Hero Stuff," Pathe Review and Mutt and Jeff; Saturday, Nazimova in "Out of the Fog," adapted from her great stage success, "Ception Shoals," two reel Christie comedy. Matinee at two thirty.

## WAUKEGAN SUN AND GAZETTE CONSOLIDATE

With last Saturday's issue of the Waukegan Daily Gazette the publication ceased to exist. The subscription list, good will, printing plant and all assets have been purchased by William J. and Frank J. Smith, publishers of the Waukegan Daily Sun, and beginning last Monday morning Waukegan is served with but one newspaper.

The conditions which have prevailed for the past three years have been such that two newspapers could not exist and earn a suitable profit for those engaged in the business is the reason given for the consolidation of the two newspapers.

## SUSTAINS BROKEN LEG WHILE AT PLAY

Last Friday noon while playing football on the Elm Place school grounds, little Isadore Smith was accidentally knocked down by an upper grade pupil who was running for the ball, and received a split fracture of the left leg. He was removed to the Highland Park hospital, where dozens of his friends are visiting him, and sending him books, flowers, and candy to pass away the long hours.

## Highland Park's Chance

We who remember the frustrated Salvation Army drive in Highland Park during the war days when that noble organization was doing so much for our boys at the front, should do everything within our power to further the enthusiasm and interest in the forthcoming campaign. The Salvation Army will begin their Home Service drive in Highland Park next Saturday, this being the last of the north shore towns on their schedule. The girls' Service Club of this city will assist them in the work, but volunteer officers to take command of these forces are earnestly solicited. Those desiring to help may report to Mrs. C. H. Thayer, Mrs. Searcy, or Miss Olive Reynolds.

The Salvation Army will warm up old Highland Park for a whole week. We shall have street booths and Salvation Nells, doughnuts and pleasant repartee. We want to be made merry with their smiles and their tambourines. We long to have them live on our matter-of-fact old streets until they look as merry as a county fair. We want to see Margaret Sheldon, the "doughnut queen," making doughnuts on the street just as she did at the front, and that is precisely what she is going to do on Saturday, the last day of the drive.

It promises to be a great week. It will give Highland Park an opportunity to get acquainted with the Salvation Army. It will give us all a chance to square up our account and buy their doughnuts. Every doughnut is round with a hole in the middle, shaped like a life-saver. And many is the life they have saved—these doughnuts!

## WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS ITS FIRST MEETING

HEAR MARGARET SHELDON

Luncheon and an Enjoyable Social Time Preceded the Program. Songs by Miss Piffaff

Last Tuesday about noon it looked very much as if something was afoot in Highland Park. Women were seen coming from every direction carrying mysterious little baskets or salad bowls, napkin covered, and carefully guarded. Motor cars, too, conveying the same dainty receptacles, hidden away somewhere in their interior, were hurrying in the same general direction. Their objective was Witten Hall where they all converged for a good home-cooked luncheon, and the first meeting of the Highland Park Woman's Club for the year. The luncheon was called for half past twelve and every member was invited to bring with her a favorite recipe written out in legible form together with the finished article, in whatsoever form, cooked, baked, stewed, or what not. It proved to be a delightful expedient for the first "get together" meeting of the year. The luncheon was largely attended, and the very enjoyable social time which preceded the first program made a worthy beginning for a notable year's work.

Margaret Sheldon, the "doughnut queen," of the Salvation Army, was one of the speakers at this meeting. She was introduced by a senior officer, after which she took the platform to make a short but stirring appeal on behalf of the Salvationists and their forthcoming drive which will be launched in Highland Park on next Saturday. She was calm and unperturbed, the same as she was when she rolled, cut, and fried doughnuts on the corner of State and Washington during the Chicago drive. She urged the people of Highland Park to take hold and help push this drive and make it a success. Apparently she did not know of the ignominious failure of the Salvation Army drive in Highland Park during the war. The Service Club of Highland Park are going to assist the Salvation Army in the drive, and a call was made for women volunteers to help the girls in this work. Those who are willing to assume the responsibility of captains in this drive are requested to report to Mrs. C. H. Thayer, Mrs. Searcy, (Continued on Page 10)

## NORTH SHORE LINE MAKES IMPROVEMENT

The Chicago North Shore and Milwaukee railroad is making extensive improvements in the road bed between Central avenue and Laurel avenue. They are putting in ninety-one pound, seven inch high "T" rails, with steel ties on a concrete foundation, and repaving the street occupied by the tracks. The grade of the paving will be brought up to a level with the tracks, thus materially eliminating the high step at the Central avenue north bound crossing.

## GOVERNMENT SUPPLIES ON SALE AT CITY HALL

BEGINNING SATURDAY A.M.

Over Supply of Provisions at Gt. Lakes to be Disposed of by Municipalities of the North Shore

The mayors of the several north shore towns have received a letter from U. S. Zivmiska, Lieut. Commander, Commissary Officer, Supply Department, U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., stating that there was a certain amount of provisions at the Great Lakes Training Station which they were authorized to offer to the local municipalities for retail sale to their citizens. Mr. E. A. Warren, City Clerk, was authorized to superintend the sale of these goods and arrangements were made with the Commissary Officer for a limited supply. Delivery of one half Highland Park's allotment has been made and will be placed on sale at the City Hall at 9:00 o'clock Saturday morning, Oct. 25. The following is a list of the provisions and the Government prices:

- No. 10 Apple Butter ..... \$ .35
- No. 2 1/2 can Apricots ..... .29
- No. 2 1/2 can Asparagus (square can) ..... .29
- Kidney Beans (5 lb. sacks, @ 5 cents lb. .... .25
- 5 lb. can Cocoa ..... 1.20
- No. 10 can Jam ..... .90 (Blackberry-Apple) (Plum-Apple) (Loganberry-Apple) (Peach-Apple)
- 1 lb. can Milk ..... .10
- No. 2 can Peas ..... .09
- No. 2 1/2 can Pineapple ..... .29
- Salad Oil, per gallon ..... 2.25
- 1 lb. can Salmon ..... .13
- No. 3 can Tomatoes ..... .11
- 100 lb sack Salt ..... .50

The above goods will be sold on the cash and carry plan. No mail or telephone orders will be filled. No goods will be wrapped, so it will be necessary to bring baskets to carry away purchases. In order to facilitate matters, make up your order from the above list, and bring it with you. No goods can be exchanged or returned.

## COMMUNITY DANCING CLASSES TO BE RESUMED

The community dancing classes which were so successful at the Elm Place school last spring will be resumed early in November. These classes will be conducted by the Humphrey school of dancing and will be open to all children of grade school age in Highland Park. The opening date will be announced next week.

## Y. W. C. A. CAFETERIA OPENS TOMORROW

The Y. W. C. A. Cafeteria will open tomorrow at noon in the building located on the corner of Green Bay road and Central avenue, recently purchased from Mr. Charles H. Warren. The Cafeteria is under the management of Mrs. C. G. Wright. Luncheon and dinners will be served every day.

## FOREST PRESERVE ELECTION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER FOURTH

### PROPOSITION GAINING POPULARITY THROUGHOUT COUNTY

#### Lake County's Chance to Preserve Permanently Some of its Natural Beauty Spots Along the Des Plaines and on the Banks of its Beautiful Lakes.

The opportunity to vote at the coming election—Tuesday, Nov. 4—for or against the establishment of forest preserves in Lake County may well arrest the attention of all who give matters of public welfare serious consideration. Here is at hand the chance to adopt a policy insuring the permanent preservation for public use and enjoyment of suitable areas convenient of access to all portions of the county. A question of public policy of this sort is new in Lake County but it is an old story in Cook County, as everybody knows. The organization of forest preserves in that county, endorsed several times by popular vote, has already borne results that have attracted deep interest all over the United States. We of Lake County may well hesitate to decide adversely on a plan which while far-seeing in its nature produces almost at once results that challenge the respect of all who witness them.

Herein we are to test ourselves. We are sure of our ability to unite in the promotion of public works so-called—we can dig drainage ditches, establish public highways, erect public buildings, all this and more, but we are not so sure that we can preserve for public use natural works that have been wrought out through the slow process of centuries. Think how easily with a little fortitude and devotion we could restore a devastated city. That has been done and can be done again, but how hopeless would be our task to restore a vanished forest! What can we not afford to give in order that there may still remain for our reasonable access bits of primitive landscape? Everyone familiar with conditions

in Lake County no farther back than ten years has remarked the steady disappearance of many of the things that have proved of the greatest attraction in bringing very desirable types of citizenship into its borders. The county as a whole has prospered more or less financially because of these very things. There is a money value, as well as a spiritual value, for all of us in the preservation of the pastoral charm of river meadow and flood plain, in the unstudied, exquisite planting of the forest, in the unspoiled beauty of lake and headland. We can afford to make a small investment to the end that some of these things we have inherited shall remain for our immediate enjoyment and that of generations to come.

How much are we asked to invest? A maximum tax not to exceed 2-3 of one mill the law provides. This would equal about one seventh of the annual tax for county purposes or one eighth of that for state purposes. Of one's total tax for all purposes it would constitute an increase in some areas of barely one sixtieth, in some areas indeed of less than one ninetieth part. It will readily be seen that this will not produce very adequate revenues but it will at least make possible two things: a beginning in the acquiring of areas of strategic importance which may serve as nuclei and incentives for private donations; and second, it will afford an organization of forest preserve officials especially charged to protect our beautiful rural scenery from the despoilment and, indeed, the positive ravagement which it is continually suffering at the hands of irresponsible extremists. (Continued on Page 10)

## CLOCKS TO GO BACK ON SUNDAY MORNING

Nation Will Abandon Daylight Saving Plan Sunday; Clocks Will be set back One Hour

Next Sunday morning at two o'clock the nation goes back to the "old time" schedule, and this time it is "for good." After that all the confusing questions about "sun time" will be ended, and one will be able to look a clock straight in the face and know it is not lying.

All timepieces will be turned back an hour at 2 A. M. Sunday to conform with the official time regulations. Owners of watches are advised to have their instruments adjusted by a jeweler, as turning them backward is liable to injure their delicate mechanism.

Efforts to keep the clocks one hour ahead of sun time, as a present, were lost without debate in the Chicago council Tuesday.

## SUNDAY, TOM MIX IN "FIGHTING FOR GOLD"

Friday Everett Overton in "The Bottom of the Well." Thursday Vaudeville at Bartlette's

Bartlette Theatre, Highwood, will present the following program next week:

Sunday, Tom Mix in "Fighting for Gold," also a two reel Century comedy; Tuesday, "The Great Gamble," Pathe News, Mutt and Jeff and Harold Lloyd comedy; Wednesday, Earle Williams in "A Mother's Sin," also Big V comedy; Thursday, four acts of vaudeville also Helene Rosson in "The Idol," how fate and a beautiful girl reclaimed a social outcast, also Mutual comedy; Friday, Everett Overton in "The Bottom of the Well," also comedy, "The Mystery of a Glove," Saturday, "Elmo, the Mighty," International news, also two reel Elko comedy.

## WOULD MAKE ARDEN SHORE A WINTER CAMP

FOR ILL-NOURISHED BOYS

### This is a Worthy Cause and Needs the Support of All. How Much Will You Contribute?

An earnest appeal has been made from various sources to those vitally interested in Arden Shore, to continue the splendid work of this institution on through the winter months in order to provide proper surroundings for boys of legal age who are unable to undertake work owing to malnutrition or physical defects.

It is rather unfortunate that the earning capacity of a boy should be curtailed at a time when the family is in need of his money-making powers for his existence amid the surroundings of poverty, ignorance and neglect. We who enjoy the comforts of life, and sound physical condition, cannot conceive of such an existence. Yet hundreds of boys are in need of proper care and training.

Arden Shore, at Lake Bluff, is an institution of great pride to the North Shore. It is a tribute to the enterprise of the women who have directed its affairs and maintained a splendid place for the unfortunate and needy ones. The north shore has been asked to aid in the maintenance of this institution for the coming winter months in order that these boys may be sent back to their homes of poverty and ignorance in sound physical and mental condition.

It seems almost unnecessary to ask whether the residents of Highland Park desire to help provide a winter camp for these unfortunate boys. It is rather a question of how much will you subscribe? Don't hesitate; do it now. Telephone, write or see Mr. E. S. Boynton, Chairman of the Highland Park Committee, before you forget this appeal. It is a worthy cause and needs your personal support.