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### WHO ARE THE PROFITTEERS

Now that the canning season is safely over, now that all the fruit in this vast land of abundance, has either been harvested or left to rot on the ground, whichever the case may be, announcement comes that the sugar shortage is to end this week.

As a result of this prolonged shortage of sugar during the entire period of fruit preserving, jelly making, and canning, there will be a demand for this kind of canned goods never known before. And will the prices of these necessities be lower than they were in previous years so that the helpless consumer will have the benefit of it? Not a bit of it. The quotations on this kind of groceries are right now higher than they have ever been before, with all the chances pointing to a continued rise.

During the war we had our allotment of sugar. It was small and very inadequate, but yet it had the advantage of being a definite amount, and we could count on it. Now, on the other hand, we have been living without sugar, unless we availed ourselves of the numerous offers in the City to buy four dollars worth of groceries and get ten pounds of sugar, or to make a fifty cent purchase and get one pound of sugar.

We are now told that the shortage will soon be at an end, and we are asked at the same time not to hoard. This is all very well as an injunction and the request is only fair, but yet we can not help feeling that the housewives should have some protection in case they do try to be fair and act for the best interests of all. They suspected nothing in the early fall in the way of a sugar shortage, otherwise they would undoubtedly have provided themselves and their families against the day of need.

It is Major A. A. Sprague who is the author of this report, and who makes this request to the housewives. It would be interesting to those same housewives to follow up the tortuous course of this sugar question, and find out who it is that makes the big reaping from the canned and preserved fruits which the "system" has forced us all to buy.

### JAMES MOORE HICKSON

The visit of James Moore Hickson to Highland Park will be a memorable one to those who were fortunate enough to hear him, and to come under the spell of his presence. Although his coming was not known until the night before, yet the church was filled to its capacity.

Nothing could be less sensational than his quiet, simple manner, and the modest grace of his Christian faith. It is unfortunate that he was heralded in Chicago papers as a "sensation," for surely nothing is farther from his mind and character. To quote from the Trinity Church Bulletin: "Mr. Hickson makes no pretence of special holiness and he abjures all sensational methods. He is a very simple man who believes that God uses him to manifest the gift of healing which He imparted to His Church, a gift which everyone who has the simple faith which he has and the magnetic vitality which he has in such abundant measure, may exercise."

The fervant attentive audience which listened to this apostle of the ministry of healing last week at Trinity Church was symbolic, in a way, of the times. They added their silent testimony to the evidence which is slowly rolling itself up—that America is about to experience a revival of the Christian religion.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Mrs. Nelson Mowers is visiting in Elgin for a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Winslow of Ferguson Falls, Minn., visited for a few days this week with Mrs. F. W. Schumacher. They have gone to St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend the winter.

Mr. Henry L. Glidden is spending the week in New York on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Mahler, South Sheridan road, have just returned from a ten days' trip to New York City.

Mrs. Hallie Chamberlain, who has been spending the past month with Highland Park friends, has returned to her home in Santa Barbara, Cal.

Mrs. Helen Coale Stagg has left for San Francisco, Cal., where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. James E. Allen.

Cosle & Son have sold the A. L. Bournique home on North Linden Ave. to Robert O. Samuelson of Linden Ave. and Beach St.

Mrs. Ryan McNeil and children of North St. Johns place spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kuehne of Chicago.

Mrs. George Giles had as her guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Giles and Mrs. Richards and son of Irving Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ball of Evanston.

Mrs. Esther Mead and daughter, Pearl, of North Chicago spent Tuesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Garrity.

Miss Elizabeth Brown of Ottawa, Ill., was the week end guest of Miss Alice Duffy.

Mother Goose and her children met Tuesday afternoon to gather up the toys and bon-bons and surprises for the grab bag at the Army and Navy Center Saturday afternoon where they are to help the mothers and sisters in the Building Fund Sale for the Highland Park Woman's Club.

Mr. M. A. Bamborough and family are moving to Chicago this week where they will make their home in the future. Harold Bamborough will remain in this city and complete his senior year at the Deerfield-Shields high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Black are the happy parents of a son, born on Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Garrity spent a few days last week at Lake Geneva, Wis., as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jacobsen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Martin have moved from Hubbard Woods to this city and are living on Green Bay road.

Miss Helen De Lacy of Waukegan was the Sunday guest of Mrs. William Dooley.

Mr. Duncan Rowan, of Kincardine, Canada, who spent the past three weeks visiting his sisters, Mrs. J. P. Steffen and Mrs. George Giles, has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Aynesley entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Blott and daughter, Gwendolyn, of Mukwonago, Wis., last Sunday.

Mr. Lloyd McCaffrey is in Boston, Mass., for an indefinite stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Udell and family were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Davis of Chicago.

Miss Ruth Schwab who is attending Northwestern college at Naperville, and her room-mate, Miss Mildred Nearman, were the week end guests of Miss Schwab's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Schwab.

Dr. C. W. Balke spoke before the Illinois section of the American Chemical Society of the University of Illinois, at Champaign, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Peter Hintz, who underwent an operation at a Chicago hospital two weeks ago, has returned home very much improved.

Miss Gertrude and Mr. Oscar Lundgren have returned from a ten days' trip to Cooperstown, N. Y., and New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Barrett of Prairie View were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McCaffrey.

Mr. Edward Conrad, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is very much improved and able to be around again.

An article entitled: "And Forty-five Missionaries" appears in the Ladies Home Journal for November. After you have read this article you will do the Educational Committee of the Lake County Sunday School Association a favor by forwarding same to Mr. W. E. Bletsch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faulkner of Oakwood avenue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Monday, Nov. 17.

Mr. Charles Kuist left Tuesday evening for Bloomer, Wis., and Casper, Wyo., where he will visit his two sons, later going to California. He expects to be gone for several months.

Mrs. Clara J. Balke of Manitowish, O., has arrived to spend the winter with her son, Dr. C. W. Balke.

A new sign is being placed over the front entrance of the McPherson garage sales room.

George Schuman, Sr., South Green Bay road, has returned to his home from the hospital, and is slowly recovering from his recent illness.

The Highland Park Trust and Savings bank is presenting copies of a new war map of Europe to local business houses.

Mr. H. K. Coale has returned from a week's trip to New York and other eastern cities.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Stella Barton and Mr. William Saxon which took place on Tuesday evening at the Evangelical parsonage with the Rev. Keagle officiating. The bride's attendants were the Misses Giltner and Keagle. The young couple will reside at the home of Mrs. F. C. Richards with whom Miss Barton has lived for the past ten years.

There will be a meeting of the American Legion held at the City Hall Monday evening. All men who are eligible for membership are requested to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Christman and children, Victor and Olive, of Gary, Ind., were the week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christman, of Laurel avenue.

Those who have in the past admired an order of Christmas cards and novelties at Mrs. Gutsell's, designed each year at this time will be glad to know that the new book has come. The money goes this year to the auxiliary of Trinity church for charitable purposes. Anyone wishing to see the book kindly call Mrs. Timson, 559 Forest Ave. Tel. 399.

The Lady Foresters are giving a card party this afternoon and evening in Witten Hall, for the benefit of Philanthropy. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. William King has returned from a trip to Jackson, Mich., Jefferson, O., and Troy, O., where he visited relatives.

There will be an entertainment given by the bazaar committee of the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church, Highwood, Saturday evening. There will be no charge for admission, but all holders of raffle tickets for the hand made quilt in oak leaf design will be admitted. A very enjoyable evening is promised.

Mr. and Mrs. William Leffert are the happy parents of a daughter, born Saturday, Nov. 15.

Mr. William Aldridge, city engineer of the city of Winnepeg, who went to the engineers' convention at New Orleans, spent Sunday and Monday with his sister, Mrs. Joseph Mooney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Brown of Van, Ark., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, John Howard. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Estelle Frakes.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews on Nov. 14.

James Baker of the Rasmussen shoe shop this week received his diploma from the American School of Practicedics of Chicago. He has been specializing in mastering the science of foot troubles and their remedies.

The young son of Nick Peterson, employed by the Highland Park Fuel company, sustained a fractured leg about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

George Dewey Stagg left Wednesday on a business trip to points in Maryland.

The window on the south side of the Sheridan restaurant in Sheridan road was smashed Tuesday evening when a car driver backed into it.

Construction on the electric railway tracks in St. Johns avenue is progressing rapidly. The east track has been relaid, and set in concrete, and the work on the west track is rapidly nearing completion. This vastly improves the condition of both the tracks and the paving in St. Johns avenue. A new platform is being constructed west of the tracks.

### OSCAR GOEPNER PASSED AWAY LAST FRIDAY

Mr. Oscar Goepner, butler for Mr. Emanuel Mandel of Roger Williams avenue, died last Friday at the Highland Park hospital. Services were held at nine thirty Monday morning at Prior's chapel with the Rev. Suhr officiating. Burial was made in Rose Hill cemetery.

### OSSOLI CLUB

Professor Theodore Soares needs no introduction to the thinking people of Highland Park. The Ossoli takes great pleasure in announcing that at their next meeting, Tuesday, November 25th, at 2:30 at the Highland Park Club, Professor Soares will speak on "Industrial Democracy."

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