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#### OVERALL CLUBS

The Chicago papers have been making merry over the overall clubs which they have discovered in various parts of the country, and they give credit to Highland Park for being one of the first towns to start the movement to reduce the excessive cost of clothing by refusing to buy expensive garments. The names of several of our best known citizens are mentioned as advocates of this plan to reduce the H. C. L., but we have not as yet noticed a prevalence of blue denim upon our streets.

However farcical the idea may be, nevertheless it reflects the deep seated conviction in the minds of the people that we are the victims of profiteering and that nothing but economy and increased production can bring the soaring prices of commodities back to anything like a normal level.

If people generally determine to wear their old clothes or to wear overalls instead of expensive spring suits the clothing merchants will soon begin to take notice and the prices will tumble.

This indeed seems already to be the effect of the agitation. The New York papers are full of advertisements offering clothing at greatly reduced prices; though Chicago merchants do not seem to be taking the matter so seriously.

Nevertheless the movement is a wholesome one if it checks even in some small degree the reckless extravagance in personal expenditure which has prevailed during the past year. So long as our people spend their money for expensive clothing, fur coats, automobiles and phonographs, prices will continue to soar. It is easy come, easy go.

This period of inflation and high prices is not going to last forever and when it comes to an end there will be a rush to get in out of the wet and those who have nothing saved for a rainy day will find themselves in a bad way and will wear overalls whether they like them or not, and will go hungry or take their places in the bread lines.

We have been preaching thrift and teaching it in our schools and at the same time we have been spending money like drunken sailors. The thing has got to come to an end sooner or later.

#### BACK TO THE FARM

This used to be the popular cry but we hear it no longer. Then the tired city man longed to get back to Mother Nature and the simple life, now the boys and girls are all eager for the bright lights and the great white way.

These five years of war strain and excitement have spoiled them for the humdrum of the farm, long hours and hard work no longer appeal to them. They want the eight hour day and a dollar and a half an hour.

The farmer was seemingly never so prosperous as he is today but on the other hand he was never so dissatisfied with his lot. The middleman exploits and robs him of the best part of his profits. Labor is increasingly scarce and difficult to obtain. The returned soldier finds himself too restless to settle down and continue the monotonous round of agricultural labor. He longs for the excitement and movement of the city. High wages tempt him and the jobs which may be had for the asking.

The consequence is that only the old people are left on the farm and agricultural labor is so scarce that the area of cultivation is alarmingly reduced. Food is abnormally high owing to the ravages of war and the foreign demands and production which was never so urgently needed, is rapidly falling off.

This is the basic reason for high prices, increased demand and decreased production. It is a vicious circle.

The war gardens of 1917 and '18 are not being planted although they are needed now more than they were then.

Until there is a movement back to the farm with consequent increase in food production there will be no cheaper food unless and until the balloon of inflation bursts and we shall all come tumbling to the ground. Then prices will fall but we shall have no money with which to buy.

#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long of Chicago, formerly of this city, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. H. Morse of Green Bay rd. Mr. and Mrs. Long have just returned from their winter home in California.

Mrs. Leander L. Winters has returned from California where she spent the past winter.

Mrs. Fred Schaefer left yesterday for Lusk, Wyo., where she will visit her daughter for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Wright, who spent the past winter in Chicago, have returned to Highland Park.

Mr. Jesse L. Smith, in company with Dr. Coles of the University of Chicago, is on a five days' tramp in the Ozark mountains of Southern, Illinois.

The White Shrine U. D. of Evanston will give a dance Saturday evening, April 24th, at the North Shore hotel, Evanston.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Crandall and son have returned from New York and Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin B. Hussey and son, Robert, who spent the past winter in Chicago, have returned to Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Slade have returned from California where they spent the winter.

Dr. J. P. O'Neil M. D., will give a lecture for men only in the Oak Terrace school, Highland, next Monday evening, May 3rd. The lecture is given under the auspices of the Young Men's Catholic club.

To somewhat comprehend the cost of the world war and how much money ninety-five billion dollars is— which is less than the war cost— consider that light, traveling at the rate of 186,000 miles a second, for thirty thousand years, would travel but 94 million 672 million 800 thousand miles.

The North Shore Leagues of the Lutheran churches are preparing to give a series of plays at various North Shore towns during the early part of June. One performance is to be given in each of the following towns: Wilmette, Glencoe, Highland Park, Libertyville and Waukegan.

The members of the Highland Park Baptist church are urged to attend a meeting tomorrow evening (Friday) to be held in the church for the purpose of considering and voting upon the sale of the entire church holdings. Members are urged to attend.

Miss Deible of New York, recently returned from France, is the guest of Mrs. T. Dooley of N. Green Bay road.

Miss Beattie McMannany is in Louisville, Ky., visiting Major and Mrs. East.

C. W. Church of Chicago has purchased the E. H. Purdy residence on Linden avenue and will move to Highland Park this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Burke are moving into their new residence at 1044 N. Green Bay road.

Mrs. Lescher, who has been the guest of Mrs. George Schofield for the past week, left Tuesday for her home in Bridgeport, Conn.

Mrs. Jacob Barber has returned from St. Louis where she has been for the past week.

Mr. T. P. Merriman and family, who have been occupying Miss Huppich's residence on Glenview avenue, are moving this week to the Montgomery flat on Park avenue. Miss Huppich will return to her own home.

Little Jean Renning Brand is confined to her home with the measles. Mr. and Mrs. Du Brock and family, who have been living in the Morris residence on Lincoln place, will move to Chicago this week.

Alvin, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Larson, is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home.

Charles Frankovitz and Miss Mabel Kemmel of Fort Wayne, Ind., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Frankovitz, Hickory street, this week.

Mrs. C. N. Kimball is in Florida for a few weeks.

Mrs. George W. Roberts is expected home Sunday from California where she spent the past winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Goldberg are this week moving into the Lind-bloom house on Oakwood avenue, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Eichins and children of Chicago were the Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hinn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith have moved into their residence on Central avenue which they recently purchased from Mrs. Rudolph.

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Mrs. William Guyot and three children, William, Marian and Charles Henry, will spend the latter part of this week in Chicago visiting relatives.

The Presbyterian church monthly tea will be held at the Presbyterian home, Wednesday, May 5th, from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock. Mrs. W. A. Alexander will sing.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Schwab are moving this week to Streator, Ill., where Rev. Schwab has been appointed pastor of the Evangelical church there.

#### BIG CAMPAIGN FOR FUNDS IN PROGRESS

Money Raised by Interchurch Movement to Further the Work of Christianity

There is a growing conviction in the minds of all thinking people that nothing is so necessary to the settlement of our industrial and economic troubles and the reestablishment of sane and normal conditions of living as the application of the principles of the Christian religion to the affairs of nations and individuals.

The Ten Commandments provide the only foundation upon which a just and lasting prosperity can be erected, and the golden rule of justice and fair play if applied to our labor troubles would soon settle them.

One reason why religion has never been successfully applied to the solution of our difficulties is that Protestant Christianity is divided into a large number of competing sects so that there has been a wasteful overlapping of effort and consequent economic loss.

The Interchurch World Movement is an undertaking in which thirty of the largest and most important denominations have united to pool their efforts and to accomplish definite results. They have set out to raise a huge sum of money which is to be applied in a scientific manner to the worldwide expansion of Christianity. It will be spent for great Christian projects ministering to human needs and conserving priceless human values at home and abroad.

The campaign which is now in progress is under the direction of men of large experience and international reputation and has the support and backing of great financial institutions.

The enterprise deserves the cooperation of every patriotic citizen and it asks for contributions from all who are in sympathy with its plans.

#### COMMUNITY SHOP

The handiwork department announces a large assortment of Mandarin skirts and a choice collection of bags and baskets, plain and decorated, also a very attractive line of Japanese candle shades and Japanese and Chinese clothing.

The thrift department has a few pillows which would appeal to the housewife who is desirous of replenishing her stock.

Owing to the scarcity of sugar all orders must be in one or two days in advance. A limited number of cakes and doughnuts will be on sale at the shop Saturday. All those who wish to take luncheon at the shop should make reservation as there is a very limited number of tables. Tea is served every afternoon.

#### TWO LOCAL CLUBS HOLD ANNUAL MEETINGS

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Officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. Constant Church Hopkins; Vice-president, Mrs. Roger S. Vail; recording secretary, Mrs. Harry A. Parkin; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Sidney J. Holland; treasurer, Mrs. John V. Norcross; board of directors, Mesdames Edgar M. Snow, R. J. Beatty, F. Norwood Bard, Merrill M. Follansbee, Carl Odell, Forrest E. Marsh, and Miss Charlotte Yoe.

The attendance was large, and in calling for the minutes of the previous meeting Mrs. Hopkins announced the coming loss to the club of Mrs. Wilson, the recording secretary, who is to make her home in the east in the near future, paying Mrs. Wilson a glowing tribute as a club member and officer.

Reports from all committees were presented and the new officers cordially welcomed.

#### OAK TERRACE SCHOOL

There will be motion pictures at Oak Terrace school Friday evening. The picture will be "Wizard of Oz."

The need of the hour is a reincarnated Lincoln to calm the passions of men and put them all to work.

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WHY NOT TAKE MY WORD?  
The demand for the commonplace things is much greater than for the choicest and most beautiful. We suppose because the common things are well known and most people will only buy the varieties they know. Since people have seen, for instance, my lovely Cork-barked Strawberry Trees, and had them described to them I have been flooded with orders for them. I have been telling people since last fall that this was a splendid shrub, but apparently they did not believe me as the demand was very small. My descriptions of shrubs are as correct as I can make them, and I tell the exact truth as nearly as possible. I prefer to sell choice varieties to poor ones and when it is considered that I have devoted a life-time to the study of horticulture not only in the United States, but also in gardens botanical and otherwise throughout the temperate world, it might be well for my customers to give my advice more consideration.  
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Respectfully,  
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Admission: Adults 25c, wa  
Children under 12, 15c, wa  
ROY STEWART and W  
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"JUST A W  
Adapted from the play  
Prisma,  
Stenick News.  
MONDAY, MAY 3  
Admission: Adults 25c, wa  
Children under 12, 15c, wa  
"JACK PICKPO  
"Bill Anderson"  
A drama of the Kent  
Prisma, and Comedy.  
TUESDAY, MAY 4  
Admission: Adults 25c, wa  
Children under 12, 15c, wa  
ALL STAR CAS  
"THE STILL A  
The most successful (me  
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Also Tom Mix Comedy.  
WEDNESDAY, MAY 5  
Admission: Adults 25c, wa  
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WILLIAM RUSSE  
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A romantic love song  
Mutt and Jeff  
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gas in the country.  
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has plenty of good pay  
The man who says  
conscience is either  
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