

Civilian Defense News

Approximately 600 residents of Highland Park attended Vallee O. Appel's first training course at the Elm Place school auditorium on Friday night, Sept. 18.

Mr. Appel first announced the opening dates of the Red Cross first aid classes to be given this fall. There will be one at Braeside school on Monday nights, 7:30 to 9:30, starting Sept. 21, another at the Community center on Tuesday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30, starting Sept. 29, a third at the same place Tuesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30, starting also on Sept. 29, and a fourth at Ravinia school on Wednesday nights from 7:30 to 9:30, starting Sept. 30. Anyone wishing to enroll should call the Civilian Defense office, H. P. 1400.

Mr. Appel explained that the evening's program would complete the general course required of all workers in the protective service of civilian defense, that the meeting on Sept. 25 would cover the course on cases, and the Oct. 2 meeting the course on fire and incendiary bombs. At the conclusion of these courses, he announced, an examination will be given, and the appropriate arm bands or other insignia awarded to those civilian defense workers who successfully pass the test.

Professor Charles M. Yount, training director of Division 8, introduced by Mr. Appel, pointed out that the aim of civilian defense is security in case of attack. This is to be arrived at in the democratic way, with as much local initiative as possible in interpreting the lessons learned from the experience of England or of Germany, or our own army and navy.

Mr. Appel began his first lesson by admitting that the probabilities of a bombing attack on Highland Park are not great. However, he pointed out that with fast-flying long-range bombers the chances of an attack are not so remote but that we should be stupid not to prepare for such a catastrophe. Civilian defense, he said, was the passive phase of warfare, embracing the preservation of civilian morale, the minimizing of casualties,

and protection from destruction. Since a raid happens in a period as brief as a few minutes, cooperation and coordination among the civilian defense staff is of the utmost importance.

Appeals to Women

After outlining the civilian defense set-up under the mayor and co-ordinator, Mr. Appel appealed to the women for a greater interest in civilian defense activities, since in daylight raids the men would be away at work. The real aim of the courses being given, he explained, was to create a body of trained workers who could instruct others in an emergency. Panic, one of the major causes of distress in any crisis, could be overcome by education.

Mr. Appel closed his remarks by a warning to his audience to be alert against espionage and sabotage. He decried any tendency toward spy-hunts among his neighbors on the part of any individual, but stressed the obligation of every business owner to protect his establishment against sabotage in any form.

During the question period one of the air wardens objected to the lack of new information in the evening's program. Mr. Appel answered the criticism by explaining that he was limited in his remarks to the information he had received from headquarters, and that moreover, with the approval of Mr. Yount, he had condensed that information into one lecture.

Francis L. Jandron Elected Director Of Mother Church

The Christian Science board of directors announced the election of Francis Lyster Jandron, C. S. B., a trustee of the Christian Science publishing society, to be a director of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. Mr. Jandron succeeds William P. McKenzie, deceased, and has been nominated for the trusteeships heretofore occupied by Mr. McKenzie. Mr. Jandron has resigned from the office of trustee of the Publishing society.

Mr. Jandron, who is a native of Canada, was educated in the island of Jersey and in London, England. He was actively engaged in industries in Canada and the United States for 17 years, during which time he had become treasurer and assistant general manager of the Packard Motor Car company at Detroit, Mich. In 1921, he withdrew from a business career, so that he might devote his entire time to the practice of Christian Science healing.

After uniting in membership with The Mother Church in 1911, and with Third Church of Christ, Scientist, Detroit, Mr. Jandron served his branch church as First Reader, director and chairman. He received instruction in the normal class in the board of education in 1925, and became an authorized teacher of Christian Science.

Mr. Jandron served continuously as Christian Science committee on publication for the state of Michigan from 1926 until 1935, when he was elected a member of the Christian Science board of lectureship. During his service in this capacity, he filled engagements throughout the United States and Canada, also in Continental Europe where he lectured in English, French, or German, in Denmark, France, Germany, Latvia, Norway, Poland, Sweden, Switzerland, and the Netherlands. In March, 1939, he was elected a trustee of the Christian Science Publishing society.

Luke Fraulini Dies Following Operation

Luke Fraulini, 43, of 510 N. Central avenue, Highwood, died Thursday at the Alice Home hospital in Lake Forest, following an operation. Surviving is his father, Frank. Funeral services were held Saturday morning from St. James church in Highwood. Interment was in Ascension cemetery.

Kenilworth G. S. O.

Saturday, Sept. 26
Variety show sponsored by Mrs. Brown 8:15 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Dancing 9 p.m. to 11 p.m.—Highland Park G. S. O. Groups 4 and 7—M. Hart and N. Santi, chairmen.
Overnight sleeping and breakfast 35c
Photo shop open.
Sunday, Sept. 27
Breakfast—9 a.m.
Buffet supper—6:30 p.m.
Special ensemble 6:45—Feature program 7:30 p.m.
Dance—Cliff Aspergren's orchestra—8:30 p.m.
Highland Park G.S.O.
Craft shop instruction.

Monday, Sept. 28
Dance instruction by Mrs. Lucy Smith 7 to 8 p.m.
Bridge instruction by Richard Rubel.
Photo instruction by William E. Cunningham.
Craft shop instruction by Edward Brandriff.
Art class—Mrs. Landau, instructor—7:30 p.m.
Square dancing—8:45 p.m.
Ball room dancing 9:15 p.m. to 11
Winnetka G. S. O.
Refreshments 9:30 p.m.

Highland Park U. S. O. Club News

A program of activities have been arranged for the service men at the Highland Park U. S. O. this week. On Wednesday evening, the first all service mens' talent show was held with participants from both Great Lakes and Fort Sheridan taking part.

Thursday evening the 406th C. A. are holding a party at the club for the new men who have just entered their ranks. Miss Sunda Love and a magician will furnish special entertainment and Andy Jacobs' band will play for the dance at 8:30 o'clock.

Saturday night, Mrs. Theresa Cook Brown will again present a variety show at 8:15 o'clock which will feature the Chicago Dance council dancers and the Mifflin sisters trio.

Sunday evening while the buffet supper is being served the service men, music will be provided by a special string ensemble.

The Craft Shop is proving a popular place and from 15 to 30 service men will be found each evening, working on various pieces of plastic, wood, or leather. Materials for the shop are furnished free to the men. Like the Craft shop, the photography room is gaining in use and men are often waiting their turn to get in and develop negatives or print pictures.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Monday, Sept. 21
Dance instruction by Mrs. Lucy Smith 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Bridge instruction by Richard Rubel 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Photo instruction by William E. Cunningham 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m.
Craft shop instruction by Edward Brandriff.
Square dancing—8:45 p.m.
Ball room dancing 9:15 p.m. to 11 p.m.
Refreshments 9:30 p.m.
G.S.O. groups 3 and 7—C. Melchiorre and N. Santi, chairmen.

Tuesday, Sept. 22
Educational movie 7:30 p.m.
Photo instruction by Mr. Rich.
Craft shop instruction by Frank Fischer.
Dancing 8:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.
G. S. O. Groups 1, 2, 4—L. Kolback, E. Swanson and M. Hart, chairmen.

Wednesday, Sept. 23
TALENT NIGHT—All service mens' program.
Dancing 8:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.—Wilmette G. S. O.
Craft shop instruction by Milt Hardacre.
Photo shop open—7-11 p.m.
Portrait sketching—Mrs. Landau, 7 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 24
"Do as you please night."
Ping pong and billiard tournament with prizes.
Dancing 8:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.—Hostess groups 5 and 6—J. Jenkins and Lils Letson, chairmen.
Craft shop instruction by John Engels
Photo shop open.
Friday, Sept. 25
Open house for wives of service men with music by Mrs. Lawrence Marr, pianist—2-5 p.m.
J. W. B. program and Hal Jackson's orchestra 8:30 p.m.
Craft shop instruction by Al DeHerd-er.

Young Indian Walks 45 Miles To Reach Sheridan

Long walks don't bother Pvt. Thomas B. Young of Lac Du Flambeau, Wis., who arrived at Fort Sheridan Thursday after a train ride, an auto trip—and a 45-mile walk.

A full-blooded Chippewa Indian, Pvt. Young fulfilled the truest traditions of his pioneer American ancestors who named him "Be-Schow-Gaw-Bu," or "The Strong Man" during his hectic trip to this post's Recruit Reception center.

The journey began last weekend while he was visiting a sister, Marcine at Hayward, Wis. A friend was to drive him back to Lac Du Flambeau but the car broke down. Pvt. Young and his sister decided to walk, hoping to catch a ride to Ashland.

They didn't. Instead they walked from 7 p. m. Monday till 8 a. m. Tuesday, arriving at Drummond, Wis. The remainder of his trip to Sheridan was completed by car and train.

Ancestors in Wars

Wars have been synonymous with his ancestry. His great grandfather, Chief Bearskin, fought in the Spanish-American war, and earlier—even before the Civil war—he took part in the Sioux-Chippewa wars. Chief Bearskin died last year at the age of 110—the oldest known Indian in the United States. Young had two uncles overseas in the World war and he now is ready to participate in the present struggle.

Teaching him to shoot a rifle shouldn't be too difficult. He had been engaged every fall as a guide during deer, partridge and duck hunting seasons and in the two months hunting period he figures he walked at least 2000 miles, with some daily jaunts of 30 to 40 miles.

Instead of becoming an infantryman, he'd like to be in the air corps. "Let someone else fly the plane—I'll do the shooting," he said.

Guards, Dietitians Sought By Civil Service Commission

To recruit additional departmental guards, at \$1,500 a year, and staff dietitians, at \$1,800 a year, the United States Civil Service commission announces amendments liberalizing original requirements for these jobs.

Wanted particularly are departmental guards for service in Washington, D. C. only. To obtain them the commission has done away with experience requirements, and simplified physical standards. Now applicants may qualify by passing a general test and satisfying appointment officers of the physical fitness to be guards.

Staff dietitians in increased numbers are also sought. Applicants who have completed a 4-year course in a recognized college with a major in dietetics may now substitute 1-year of successful experience as dietitian in a hospital of at least 200-bed capacity for each 6-months of graduate training hitherto required. No written test is given.

No Maximum Age

There is no maximum age limit for either of these positions. Applications will be accepted until the needs of the service have been met, and must be filed with the Washington office of the Civil Service commission. Applications are not desired from persons engaged in essential war work unless a change of position would result in utilization of higher skills possessed by the applicant.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms, may be obtained from Frank E. Carlson, secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service examiners, at the post office or customhouse in Chicago, or from the secretary of the board of U. S. Civil Service examiners at any first or second-class post office.

Open Advanced First Aid Course Next Week

An advanced first aid class will be opened Wednesday evening, Sept. 30, in the fire station under the direction of Ray Sucedon.

A standard course in first aid will start Oct. 2 at the fire station in connection with the rescue squad course conducted by Phil Cole. Both classes will start at 7:30.

Conservation Workers To Meet At Center

An important meeting for all conservation workers has been called for Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 30, at the Community center at 1:15 o'clock.

At this meeting plans will be outlined for the Salvage for Victory city wide collection of metal, rags and rubber, to be held Oct. 5-10, and new instruction sheets pertaining to salvage will be distributed.

BACK UP SOLDIERS' BULLETS WITH REPUBLICAN BALLOTS

Our men are fighting with bullets to save the American way of life. They must not find that while winning the war abroad they lost civic freedom at home. Only through ballots can you keep the obligation to those sons and brothers.

Kelly-Nash machine bosses hope you will fail to register, thereby sacrificing your vote for REPUBLICAN candidates. Then they could offset a light downstate vote by herding in machine-controlled voters already registered in Chicago.

ARE YOU GOING TO LET THEM GET AWAY WITH IT?

Register now in the County Clerk's office at the County Seat. Don't wait until the last day of registration in your home precinct—October 6th.

TO VOTE—BE SURE TO REGISTER

Buy War Savings Bonds and Stamps

Better light tonight means Better work tomorrow

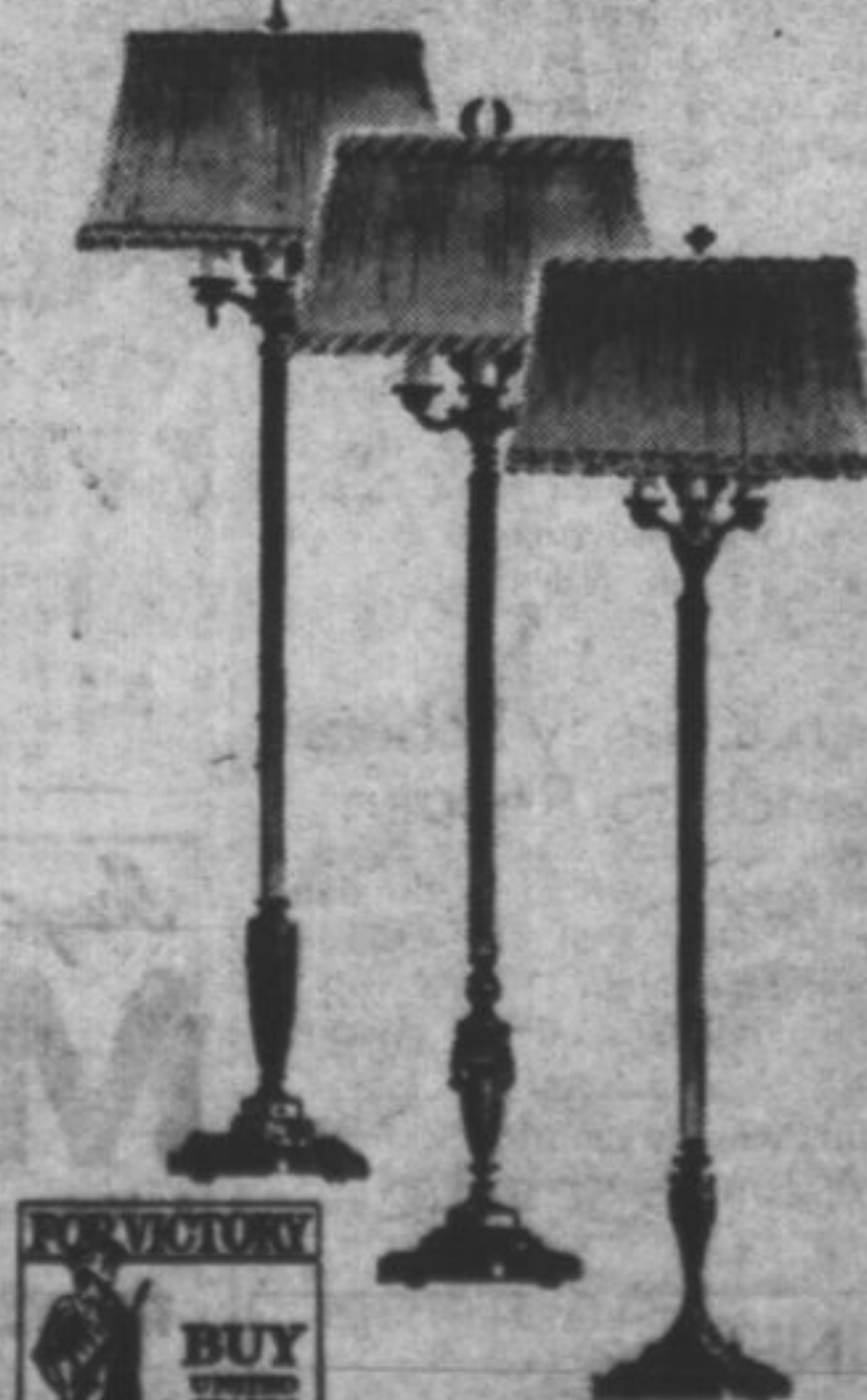


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The appliances we are now advertising are limited to those we have on hand, or those that are made available without interference with war production. They have all been selected because their normal operation in the home comes at a time of day when our electrical facilities are

more than adequate to meet present power requirements for both war production and civilian use. Furthermore, we believe that their use in most cases will conserve energy and tend to relieve home labor for helpful wartime activities.