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Conservation of Service.

We hear so much of conservation and often, unfortunately, from those who are doing least of it, that our ears are rather less acute than they should be for our own good. It is a word which we should keep ever uppermost in mind, ready to apply it to the every day things which come to our attention.

In this weather it is essential that the housekeepers of the village apply the principles of conservation to the delivery of their supplies. When every delivery system of the city is taxed to the limit to keep open its lines of communication with the homes, it behooves the considerate and the efficient housekeeper to put no unnecessary burden upon the men who supply their needs.

The exercise of a little forethought in the ordering of supplies, the application of a little consideration to the men and to the other persons who are dependent upon them for supplies, will help wonderfully to tide the merchants over the hard days which have come upon them. It will, besides, ensure better service for all.

The Soldier's Health.

It is repeatedly stated by those who are in authority and in a position to know that health conditions in camp are better than among those in civil life, a consideration which is encouraging to those who are depressed by rumors of quarantine because of measles, mumps, scarlet fever or meningitis. It is the very fact that there is established the strict quarantine which accounts for the better health of soldiers than of a similar number of men living under the conditions incident to their homes.

We are likely to think of the camp as a group of soldiers of far smaller proportions than it is. We fail to consider such groups as larger than any but the few cities in the state, and that they are made up of members who have come from everywhere, having been exposed to all sorts of infection. If we could learn to take into consideration these facts, and to remember and believe the report which has been given by the officers in charge of the camps, we would be less likely to fall into error and to be misled by those fearful people who see only the few weaknesses of the camp system rather than the great care with which the men are guarded from harm.

HORACE K. TENNEY DIRECTS SALE OF WAR STAMPS HERE

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Red Cross, the feet are put on by hand.

The Red Cross and the Navy League Comforts Committee are very anxious to make a banner month of February in turning out socks. It is also desired by these organizations that the appeal from Great Lakes for scarfs will be favorably answered.

A class in knitting will be held every Saturday morning at the Parish House, corner of Linden avenue and Oak street, at 9:30 o'clock. Persons desiring to learn how to knit mittens and socks are urged to attend these classes.

Store Deliveries.

The Council of National Defense has issued the following statement: Retail merchants in all towns of 2,500 or more will be asked in the next few weeks to adopt the entire retail delivery program of the Commercial Economy Board of the Council of National Defense, according to plans set under way at a conference here.

The recommendations, which include a maximum of one regular delivery a day, the elimination of special deliveries, the restriction of the return goods and c. o. d. privileges and in small and medium sized cities and towns the establishment of co-operative delivery systems, are already partly or wholly effective in cities with a total population of more than 24 millions.

The object is to enable retail stores, when their men are drafted, to get on without seeing to replace them from the farms, shipyards, railroads, and other vital industries.

EVANSTON CITY COUNCIL PASSES ANNUAL BUDGET

The fifth meeting of the Evanston council to pass the annual budget was held Tuesday evening and without loss of time the appropriations were passed unanimously. The largest appropriations were as follows:

Police department.....	\$ 46,343
Streets and lighting.....	38,095
Fire department.....	51,170
Water	137,518
Bridge and street repairing..	84,372
The total appropriation is \$631,416,	
of which \$378,098 will be raised by taxation.	

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Winnetka State Bank will be open on Saturday evening from 7 to 9 to take subscriptions for Liberty Loans.

BURTON HOLMES TO OPEN LECTURE SERIES FEB. 13

Burton Holmes will appear at Orchestra Hall, Chicago, for his twenty-fifth season beginning Wednesday, February 13. He will present five new travelogues with new illustrations in colors and new motion pictures made in the course of his 1917 journey through Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Japan, Alaska and the South Sea islands.

The sale of course tickets opens Monday, February 4, at Orchestra Hall, and closes Saturday, February 9. Other reservations will be on sale on and after Monday, February 11.

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AUSTRALIA—February 13, 15, 16

NEW ZEALAND—Feb. 20, 22, 23

SOUTH SEA ISLANDS—Feb. 27, March 1-2

JAPAN, 1917—March 6, 8, and 9

ALASKA Today—March 13, 15, 16

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where I am now ready to receive taxes due on Real Estate and Personal property.

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HOYT KING,

Township Collector.



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To insure prompt and reliable means whereby the sentries of our coasts may talk and be talked to, the Bell System has made plans for providing telephone connections at about one hundred lighthouses and two hundred coast-guard stations, involving the laying of about three hundred miles of submarine cable, the construction of over six hundred fifty miles of pole line, and the stringing of over twelve hundred miles of wire. About one million dollars will be expended.

This liberal expenditure is in the interest of National Defense, the objective for which all Americans are now striving.



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