

NORTH SHORE WOMAN ON DEFENSE BOARD

Mrs. Charles R. Smith of Wilmette to Represent District on Woman's Committee of Defense Society

The American Defense society in widening the scope of its activities throughout the nation has appointed Mrs. Charles R. Smith of Wilmette as a member of the Woman's National Committee, to represent this district.

In speaking of the society's aims and the contemplated campaign in this Village, Mrs. Smith in her first communication as the society's representative, brings home with decided force the need for immediate action.

"German agents in our midst are not a figment of the imagination but a very real danger" states Mrs. Smith.

"In this war, if you cannot go to the front you will want to serve at home, especially now that our own losses are beginning to be felt, and we are at last actually realizing the war. Germany is mobilized to the last man and woman, and if America is to win this war, we must also mobilize those at home—every man and woman. Service at home does not necessarily mean that you must give up your family obligations or the time necessary for earning your livelihood. Such service can and should be given in your spare time.

Immediate Action Necessary
The first thing you can do is to concern yourself with the desperate activities of the German Empire in this country. Some of these activities are political; others are industrial—attempts at dynamiting our war plants and burning buildings. Still others are in the realm of propaganda—spreading propaganda under the guise of peace talk.

"If you are an American citizen, if you believe in the ideal of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for which our forefathers gave their lives in the Revolution, you can aid American patriotism by enrolling at once in an organization like the American Defense Society.

"The American Defense Society is a national propaganda society, recently characterized by the New York Sun as "the most outspoken opponent of German propaganda in this country". It is engaged in waging relentless warfare against enemy activities at home.

Plan Series of Meetings
"We propose to hold a series of meetings to gain members, in the near future, and among other things we hope to bring to this Village the greatest patriotic photoplay which has ever been produced, as a means of adding to the national fund for the prosecution of enemy activities, and the spreading of a pro-American propaganda."

Some of the prominent women with whom Mrs. Smith will be associated in her new work are Mrs. J. W. Harriman, Mrs. N. L. Beckman, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, and other members of the Woman's National Committee, which has been appointed to assist the American Defense Society in the important work which it is doing.

Mrs. Smith has two sons in the service. Harold J. Smith is a second lieutenant of Ordnance and is supervising engineer of tests, with headquarters in Chicago. Cedric A. Smith has been in France since November 1917 and is a first lieutenant of aviation (non-flying section).

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\$25,000,000 For Hospitals
Construction of additions and improvements to the hospital establishment of the Army in this country during the past six months has been undertaken by the Construction Division of the Army at an estimated cost of \$25,173,417.55. The new buildings consist of hospitals, convalescent barracks, infirmaries, and nurses' quarters. The figure represents work finished and in the course of completion, both within and outside the camps and cantonments.

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Ages For Officer Applicants
Applicants for commissions as first lieutenants in the Engineer Corps, according to a statement by the War Department, should be between 32 and 36 years of age and for commissions as captains between 36 and 42. The Engineers Corps is conducting a campaign for 2,000 more commissioned officers, the examining board making a tour of the principal cities of the country to make examination readily available for applicants.

ALTER SWIM SCHEDULE AT NEW TRIER "BEACH"

The splendidly equipped natatorium of the New Trier High school has been a place of great activity since the opening of the schedule of classes last week. Because of the large number of non-swimming boys and girls who have enrolled the entire morning schedule of classes will be rearranged next week. The new schedule which will start next Monday, July 1, will be as follows:

- 8:15 A. M. Boys (Swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 9:00 A. M. Girls (Swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 10:00 A. M. Women (Swimmers and non-swimmers).
- 11:00 A. M. Girls (Non-swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 11:30 A. M. Boys (Non-swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 2:00 P. M. Boys (Swimmers) except Saturday.
- 2:30 P. M. Girls (Swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 8:00 P. M. Monday and Thursday (open to adults).

All adults who are interested in the art of swimming will welcome the two classes in the evening on Mondays and Thursdays. No children will be allowed in the pool or in the visitors gallery on these two evenings.

Any one wishing further information regarding classes, schedule, etc., may phone Mr. Jackson, Winnetka 588.

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The philosophy of the W. S. S. is save, save, save.

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HOUSEWIVES START YOUR CANNING NOW

Women Are Urged by State Defense Body To Marshal last Year's jars and Begin Filling for Winter

"I can" is to be the motto of Illinois women for the next three or four months. The addition of the Chicago motto making it "I will can" is not so much desired, for the season is open, and the present tense is the right tense, for the present.

Jars and glasses that have been saved up from last year, together with many more jars and glasses, should be filled in every household in the state of Illinois, if the first of the large food crop which is expected, is to be made to do its share in the winning of the war.

Preserve Without Sugar

Especial attention should be given to the drying processes and preserving without sugar which saw their introduction last year. The point of view of our grand mothers, who had no factory supply to depend upon is the point of view recommended by the Food Production and Conservation Committee of the State Council of Defense. More cans, and more cans and more cans, until the family supply stretches into the dim recesses of the cellar, and will stretch well over the cold days of the winter, is urged.

The State Council of Defense will be ready soon to supply instruction pamphlets from the agricultural department at Washington, and the recipes from the agricultural colleges

Obey These Commandments

An Ohio draft board has put the legal rights of soldiers into a decalogue (mostly of don'ts), which is called "Uncle Sam's Ten Commandments." The "commandments" read:

- I. Thou shalt not evict, for non-payment of rent, a soldier's dependents, under penalty of \$10,000 fine.
- II. Thou shalt not cut off a soldier's life insurance, because of delayed premiums.
- III. Thou shalt not foreclose a mortgage on a soldier's property.
- IV. Thou shalt not take away a soldier's home on which he has made part payment.
- V. Thou shalt not sell a soldier's

to all organizations requesting them **75,000 Pamphlets out**

More than 75,000 of these pamphlets are on their way.

Work of the Food Production and Conservation Committee will be largely through organizations this year so that the greatest number of people can be reached. It will serve as a clearing house for all canning and drying programs, and will cooperate with the Committee on Women's Organizations and the Garden Bureau.

But the great majority of Illinois housewives are already experts in canning and preserving, so they should begin now with the first fruits and berries. Can each in its season, and can all you can all through the summer and fall.

property because of his failure to pay taxes, national, state or local.

VI. Thou shalt not settle a lawsuit against a soldier during his absence.

VII. If a soldier sue, the courts shall postpone action until he can attend to it.

VIII. If a soldier have a mine, or timber or farm claim, assessments on which are overdue, it shall be held for him.

IX. Honor thy soldier and thy sailor, that thy days may be long in the land of liberty.

X. No man hath greater love than he that offereth his life for the world's sake, and it is commanded that neither lawyers, nor the loan sharks, nor the gatherers of tithes shall fatten on him.

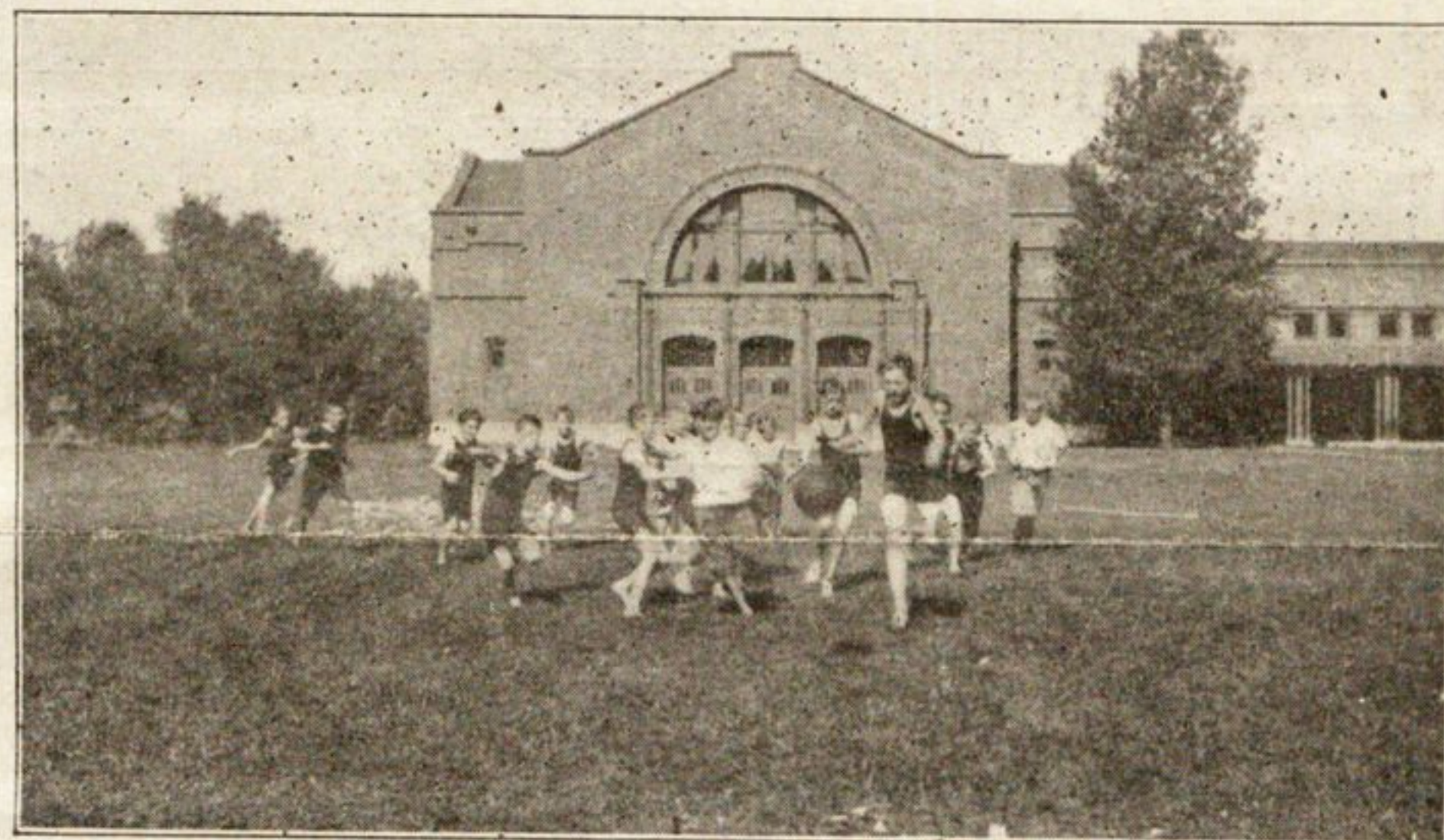
These "commandments" are good advice for all noncombatants, for the nation will preserve the rights of those who are in the service.

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800 Food Penalties

More than 800 penalties for violation of rules and regulations governing licensed dealers in foodstuffs have been imposed during the past 10 months by the Food Administration. About 150 companies and individuals have been ordered to quit business in licensed commodities for a limited or unlimited period, and over 500 have voluntarily made a money payment, usually to the Red Cross, or have temporarily abstained from doing business rather than risk calling down more drastic penalties.

Pledge yourself to save to the utmost and to buy a definite amount of War Savings Stamps each month.



GETTING READY

SWIM PLAY at New Trier CLASSES OPEN NOW

Swimming Schedule

- 8:15 A. M. Boys (Swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 9:00 A. M. Girls (Swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 10:00 A. M. Women, daily except Saturday.
- 11:00 A. M. Girls (Non-swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 11:30 A. M. Boys (Non-swimmers) daily except Saturday.
- 2:00 P. M. Boys (open) daily except Saturday.
- 2:30 P. M. Girls (open) daily except Saturday.
- 8:00 P. M. "Family Night", Monday and Thursday (Adults Only).

For Further Information

Phone E. B. Jackson, Winnetka

Activities

- TENNIS
- BASE BALL
- ATHLETICS
- GYMNASTICS

COST

- Adults - - - - \$4.00
- Children - - - - 2.00
- Guests - - 25 and 50c

HOYBURN

615 Davis St., Evanston

Matinees 2 and 4 Evenings 7 & 9

Friday June 28

A Paralta Picture

HENRY B. WALTHALL in "Humdrum Brown"

Burton Holmes. Christie Comedy.

Saturday June 29

FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN and **BEVERLY BAYNE**

in "Social Quicksands" And TOTO in "Fare Please." Hearst Pathe News.

Monday Only July 1

MARY MILES MINTER in "Social Briars"

Tuesday, Wednesday, July 2, 3

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG in "The Reason Why"

Thursday July 4

"THE SERVICE STAR"

FEATURING **MADGE KENNEDY**

Sponge Cake

1 1/2 cups barley flour, 4 eggs, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1/4 cups corn sirup, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons baking powder.

Discontinuance of Credit

In order to meet conditions brought about by the war we are forced to change our policy in extending credit.

We very much appreciate the courtesy extended to us by the majority of our customers in meeting their bills with a reasonable promptness in the past. However, having laundry work charged and carried on our books for a period of thirty days entails a considerable expense in keeping up the office detail. The large number of customers we have each owing a small amount of money, requires us to carry many thousands of dollars in open accounts.

In order to meet the abnormal conditions, over which we have no control, we shall be obliged on and after July 1, 1918, to place all of our business on a **STRICTLY CASH ON DELIVERY BASIS.**

This is not to be construed as a reflection on your credit of financial standing, but actual necessity compels this course, which is in accord with the request of the Government in its conservation policy. We are relying on your co-operation.

For your convenience we are issuing coupon books in denominations of \$3, \$5 and \$10, which may be purchased from our representatives or at our main offices.

- EVANSTON HAND LAUNDRY.....Evanston, Ill.
- FRENCH LAUNDRY.....Evanston, Ill.
- LAKE FOREST LAUNDRY.....Lake Forest, Ill.
- NELSON BROTHERS LAUNDRY CO.....Evanston, Ill.
- NELSON BROTHERS LAUNDRY CO.....Wilmette, Ill.
- NORTH SHORE LAUNDRY CO.....Winnetka, Ill.
- QUALITY LAUNDRY CO.....Evanston, Ill.
- RELIABLE LAUNDRY.....Highland Park, Ill.
- WASHINGTON LAUNDRY.....Evanston, Ill.