

Increase of Sweets Make Sugar Shortage

North Shore Sugar Broker Explains
One Reason for Excessive Cost
of Essential Commodity

An enormous increase in the amount of candy and other sweets used in the United States during the last few months is given by Howard Van S. Tracy, Evanston, as one of the causes for the scarcity of sugar in America. Mr. Tracy is director of the Holland-St. Louis Sugar company.

J. Rex Allen, Evanston, supported Mr. Tracy's statement by submitting to the Chicago municipal bureau of foods, markets and farm products an itemized list showing what Chicago candy manufacturers had purchased sugar since the United States army surplus was placed on the market. How much was bought by each firm was shown.

It had been charged that candy makers were rejected as purchasers of the army stock. Mr. Allen gave testimony before the hearing last Saturday which showed that the assertions were unsubstantiated.

"Sugar will cost consumers \$225,000,000 more this year than last," Mr. Allen also stated, "because of an increase of about 2-1/2 cents a pound in the base price."

Mr. Tracy stated that the per capita consumption of sugar has increased the last six months from 85 to 104 pounds a year.

SCHOOLS HERE TO BOOST FIRE PREVENTION DAY

Governor Designates October 9 As
Illinois Clean-Up Day; Exercises
In All Schools Expected

Governor Lowden has designated October 9 the time for a general clean-up of alleys, basements and all places where refuse accumulates. The school children will be apprised of the meaning of the day and will be asked to co-operate in cleaning up every town and village in the state.

Fire chief G. M. Houren, of the Winnetka department has endorsed the precepts of the proclamation and urges every Winnetkan to co-operate in the movement.

In the proclamation Governor Lowden urges fire drills in every school and educational exercises to impress upon the children and in turn their parents of the urgent necessity for conservation through application of fire prevention methods. The proclamation stipulates:

That there be a general clean-up of waste and rubbish in public and private places to reduce the danger of fire and to promote health;

That a thorough inspection be given all heating apparatus, chimneys, electric wiring and ventilating devices and necessary repairs made to insure safe operation during the winter;

That hotels, factories, churches, theaters and all public and private places where people congregate be carefully examined and every safeguard be provided to protect the lives of the occupants;

That competent watchmen be engaged, if watchman service is not already maintained, at all buildings where manufacturing is carried on or goods are stored in important quantities;

That fire drills be held and continued thereafter at frequent intervals in schools, factories and public buildings, and that occupants be thoroughly acquainted with the best and safest means of exit in case of emergency;

That local public officials give special attention to the need for best possible building regulations, fire prevention ordinances and means of protection against fire;

That general educational exercises be held, especially in the schools, to impress upon the people the urgent necessity of this great work of conservation and to stimulate a sense of personal responsibility in carrying it out.

INJURED IN FIRST GRIDIRON ACCIDENT

The first gridiron accident of the season occurred Sunday at the Wilmette field. The Ouilmette eleven were scheduled to meet the Highland Park team at 2:30 o'clock in their first game of the season. After a two hours' wait in which time the Highland Park aggregation failed to put in their appearance, the Ouilmette boys divided up for a little scrimmage work. J. L. Allabough, Jr., 1505 Oak avenue, who was about to be made right half, was handled a little roughly in an end run and suffered a sprained knee which promises to keep him out of the running for the rest of the month. Allabough was a new and promising addition to the team and will be missed.

"It's a mighty good thing," said Uncle Eben, "dat de Ten Commandments was handed down direct, instead of bein' bliged to go through de hands of a lot of committees."

THE PUBLIC HEALTH

Harriet Fabner R. N.

Is health supervision of school children compulsory?

No procedure in the health of the school children by the Public Health nurses is compulsory. If any parent or guardian of any child does not want this attention given, if he will send a note to the teacher or the nurse, his wishes will be respected.

Are children of school age compelled to be vaccinated?

Every citizen of Cook county has a right to his personal opinion regarding the prevention of disease and the Public Health division does not intend to make any attempt to change his opinion. Children who are not vaccinated will remain unvaccinated until the parents attend to it. This, however, does not alter the fact that Federal, State and Local authorities advocate the use of vaccine in the prevention of smallpox, typhoid, pneumonia and influenza and it would not be amiss for every opponent of this method to visit the government laboratories to watch these vaccines prepared.

Public Health nurses are needed everywhere. The organization and finances are waiting for Public Health nurses in four towns in Cook county at this writing. The applicants for these openings must be registered by the state and be a member of the National Organization for Public Health nursing.

The report on the status of the Public Health nurses' situation throughout the Mississippi Valley states given at the conference in Des Moines this week, emphasizes the fact that the demand for these nurses was seven times as great as the supply.

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The Illinois Tuberculosis law published August, 1918, says:

1. Every physician, attendant, parent, householder or other person having knowledge of a known or suspected case of pulmonary tuberculosis or consumption, must immediately report same to the local health authorities.

2. It shall be the duty of every physician attending a case of pulmonary tuberculosis or consumption to advise the patient and the members of the family and household as to the nature of the disease and as to the means whereby infection may be avoided, especially as to the isolation of open cases of tuberculosis, the proper disposal of sputum, the control of cough and the avoidance by healthy persons of the use of articles that have been used by the sick.

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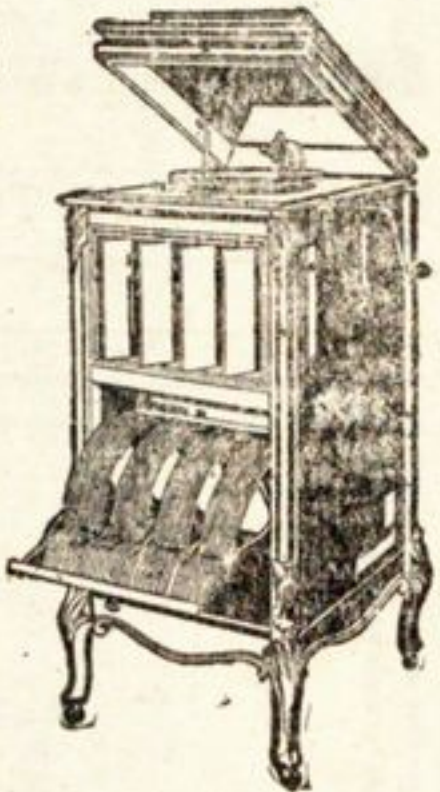
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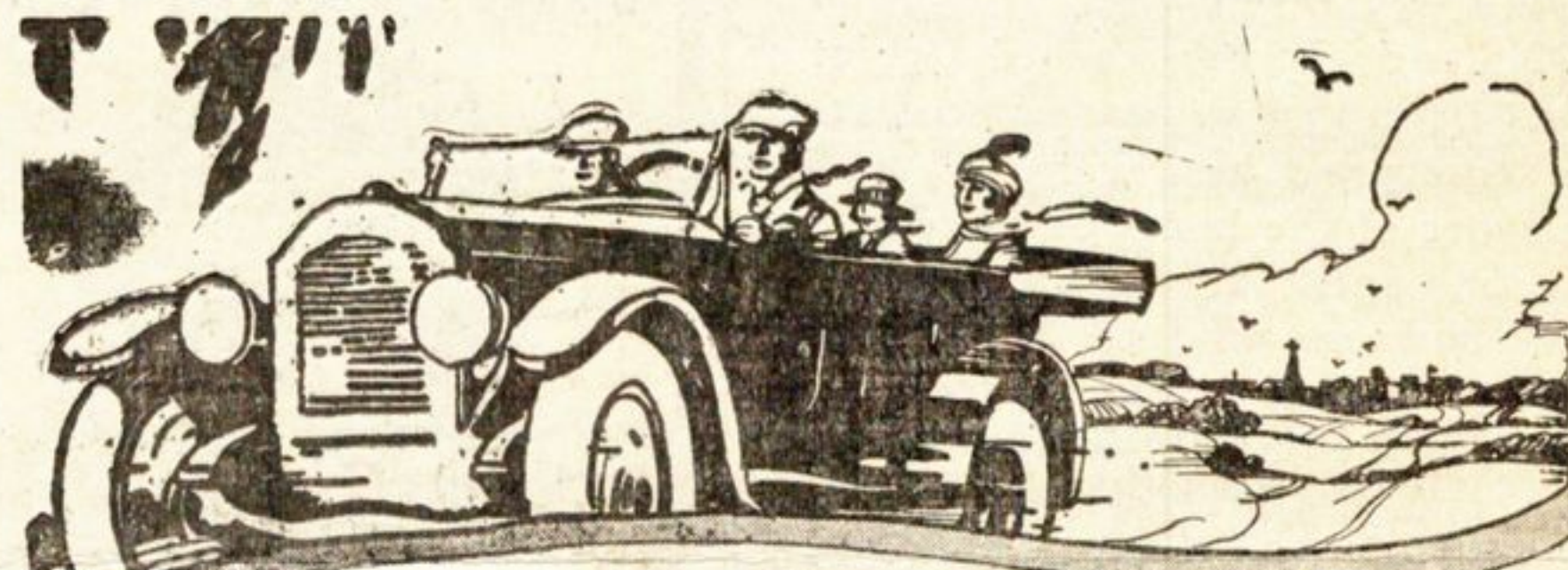
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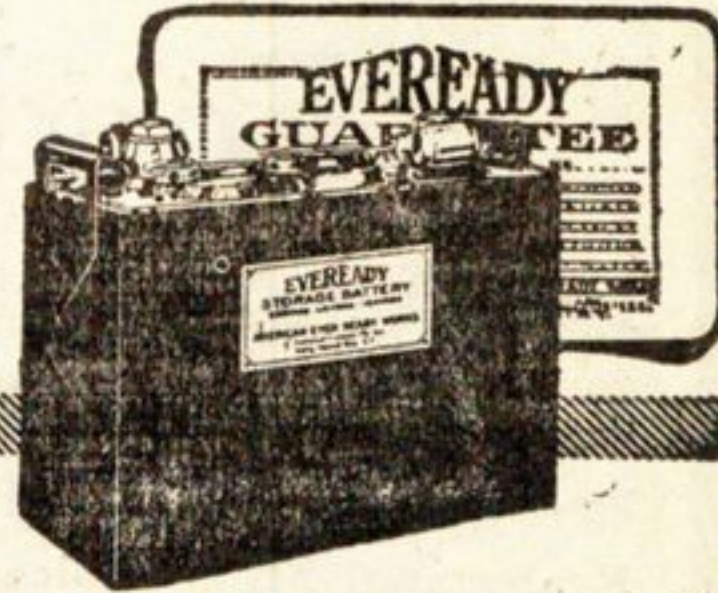
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