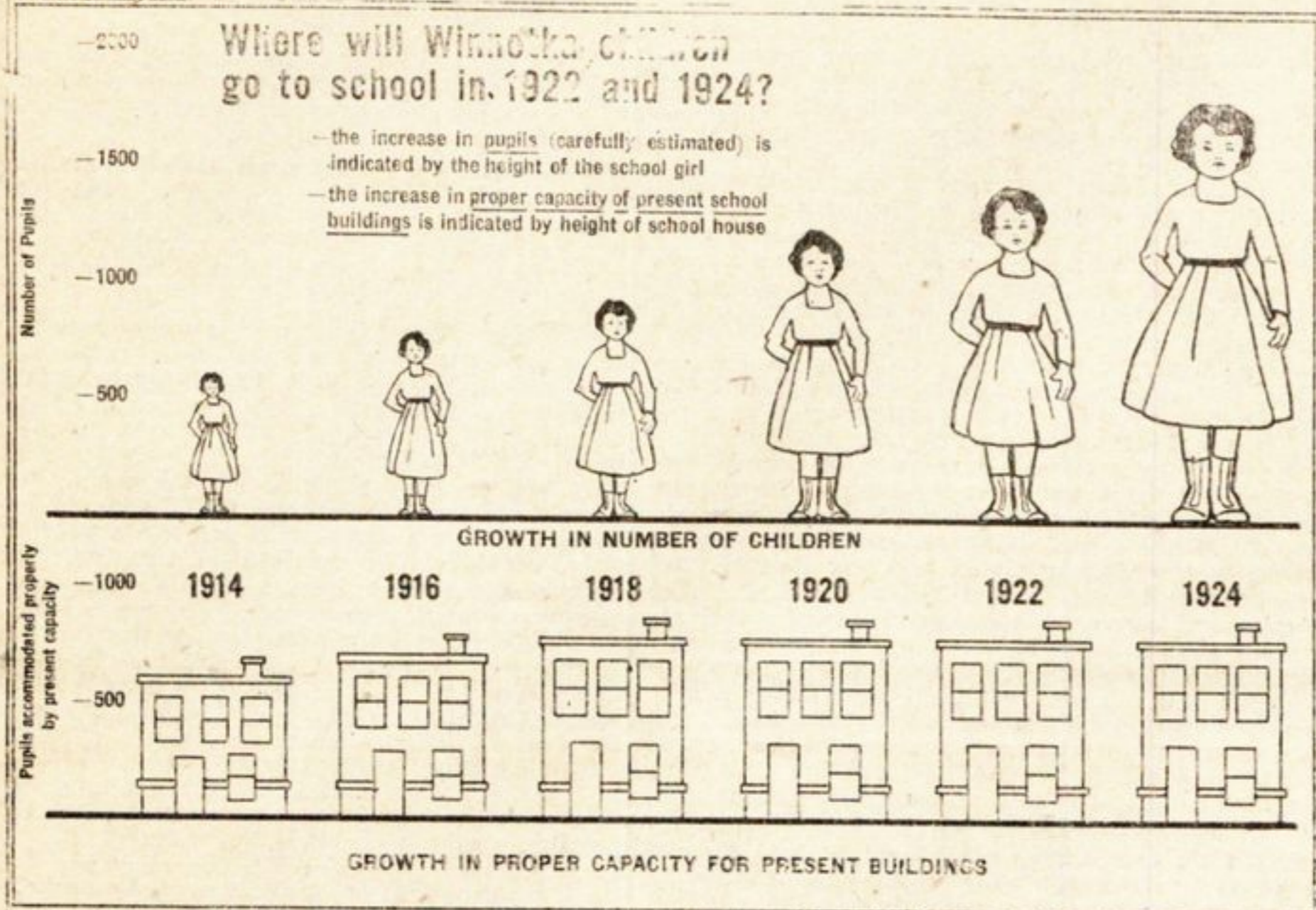


### Where Will Winnetka Children Go to School in 1922 and 1924?

Cold facts are, after all, more effectively in any debate than flowery eloquence. When it comes to a proposition of erecting a new school building in Winnetka the citizens, fathers and mothers of the children of and approaching school age, want to be apprised of the facts. They are desirous first of all, to know just why it is necessary to have a new school building. They want to know just what is the relative increase in

sity of a prompt and adequate increase in our school facilities. "In looking over my Annual Report, it occurs to me that probably I am somewhat at fault in that the statistics as to the certain outgrowing of our present school facilities are not as clear as they might be. Hence, I have had the above chart drawn, picturing the utter hopelessness of our present situation, unless we build a new school. "You can see by the height of the



the number of pupils in the schools each year. They want to be assured that the expenditure of money for school purposes in erection of a new school building is warranted and justified. President Laird Bell of the Winnetka Board of Education has produced facts with reference to the overcrowded conditions in Winnetka schools. He has in previous issues of the Weekly Talk, explained and demonstrated by actual figures that, within a year it will be utterly impossible to house the Winnetka school children in the present school structures and at the same time insure the best accommodations and systematic and effective instruction. The following chart prepared by Mr. Bell, accompanied by an explanatory letter addressed to the editor of the Weekly Talk will command the attention and careful consideration of every parent of school children in the Village. "Editor of the 'Talk': "I find that a few residents of Winnetka are not yet awake to the neces-

child's figure how fast our school population is growing—over 1200 pupils this year, and we are now overcrowded. "What is to happen as the child's figure grows in height, representing the careful estimate. —In 1922 of 1,400 pupils? —Or, in 1924, of 1,780 pupils? "Our present school buildings cannot grow at an equal rate—in fact, beyond a few possible additions already planned for, our school capacity is practically at a stand-still. We face nearly fifty per cent increase in pupils in four years. Where are they to go to school? "Half-time sessions for Winnetka are unthinkable. Extra rooms in churches, halls, or private dwellings could not be considered even if such space were available. "Does not the chart prove our need of a new, adequate and properly equipped school building—and that right quickly? Yours very truly, Laird Bell, President. Winnetka Board of Education."

# Thanksgiving

## Carry On

These are times of great stress and many individuals are pessimistic over the future.

Consider conditions a year ago. Then face the future with optimism and a thankful heart.

We are passing through a period of reconstruction or adjustment which always follows war.

**Cheer up! Keep your Bank account growing. Do not sell you Liberty Bonds.**

Buy wisely. Spend wisely. Think straight. All will be well.

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### New Trier High Notes

#### MANY PRACTICE GAMES FOR BASKETBALL TEAMS

The basketball season at New Trier will open next Wednesday night, November 26, with the annual alumni games. Two teams have been picked from the New Trier heavy-weight squad. The New Trier Blues will play a team from the stars of several years ago, while the Reds will line up against a team picked from more recent graduates. At this time the alumni will be at home from college for Thanksgiving and two very strong teams are assured for the games with the New Trier boys. The league schedule of games will begin January 16. The following preliminary games are being arranged: Saturday, November 29, 7:30 P. M. Lake View at New Trier, Featherweights and heavyweights. Saturday, December 6, 7:30 P. M. Senn High school at New Trier. Friday, December 12, 7:30 P. M. Lane Tech High school at New Trier. Featherweights, lightweights and heavyweights. Friday, December 19, 8:00 P. M. Joliet High school at New Trier, heavyweights. Bowen High school at New Trier, lightweights. Tuesday, December 29, 8:00 P. M. Rockford High school at New Trier, heavyweights. Friday, January 9, 7:30 P. M. Schurz High school at New Trier, Featherweights, lightweights and heavyweights. Friday, January 16, 7:45 P. M. First League game.

#### EVANSTON ELEVEN TREATED TO REVERSE BY BIG BLACKS

Evanston was confident of a victory over the big team last Saturday but went home keenly disappointed over a draw. The final score was 7-7. The Evanstonians scored in the first quarter and Wienecke put over the tying marker in the second period. New Trier outplayed their opponents for three quarters of the game and were always threatening their goal.

#### SOCCER TEAM CLOSSES YEAR WITH VICTORY AT MORTON

The soccer team finished a successful season Saturday by trimming Morton at the losers' grounds 10-0. It was the same score that Morton lost to New Trier by earlier in the season. The victory gave the team a good mark for the season as they finished with three wins and three losses. Considering the fact that it was a new team, the majority with no previous experience, the standing is praiseworthy.

#### ATTEND CONFERENCE

School was closed today to permit the faculty to attend the Illinois State Teachers' association convention at Champaign.

#### FOOTBALL PLAYERS DINE

All members of the football squad and several other "notables" were guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Reuter of Ninth street, Wilmette. Among the above-mentioned "notables" were "Bal" Robinson, Mr. Tubbs and Mr. Snyder.

#### SWIMMERS TO DETROIT

The swimming team will journey to Detroit for a meet with the Detroit Northern High school on December 6. A return meet will be held at the Kenilworth natatorium on February 14.

#### MOST FAMOUS CHINESE DISH

What has been considered by Oriental pictures as the daintiest dish in China, the bird's nest, is the product of the sea swallow, which constructs its nest of a gelatinous substance taken from sea moss. The Chinese method of preparing the nests for the table is to soak them and boil them in milk until they are very tender. Then they are placed in clear soup and are ready for use. On his trip to China, General Grant was much feted, and one of the dishes set before him was the bird's nest.

#### BOWLING TOURNAMENT

The Bowling committee of the Ouilmette Country club Monday evening arranged for a bowling tournament to begin about December 1. There are to be a number of valuable prizes for the winning teams and the highest three individual scores.

## WINNETKANS!

# DR. SAMUEL WATSON

will be the main speaker

## At Community House

Corner of Pine St. and Lincoln Ave.

## Next Sunday Evening, Nov. 23

AT 8:00 O'CLOCK

Dr. Watson's subject will be "Religion in France." Dr. Watson lived in France from 1912 to 1919, having recently returned to America. In appreciation of his work while abroad France, Belgium and Servia decorated him with the Legion of Honor, Order of Leopold and Order of Saint Sava, respectively.

This is a real opportunity for all Winnetkans to hear from one who has been so intimately associated for seven years with the religion of Europe.

This is the Eighth of a series of Community Sunday Evening meetings for every person in Winnetka. And the meetings are very much worth-while--ask those who attended last Sunday night.

Conducted jointly by all Protestant Churches in Winnetka

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