

# SAYS CHICAGO DAILY GARBLES PLAIN FACTS

## New Trier High School Superintendent Declares He Was Grossly Misquoted

### HITS SENSATIONALISM

#### Words Quoting Him on Morals, False, He Says

Garbling of plain statements of fact, for the evident purpose of producing a sensational story, is charged against the Chicago Herald-Examiner and the Chicago Evening American by Principal Eston V. Tubbs of New Trier Township High School in the accompanying "correction" of an interview given by him to newspaper correspondent on January 27, concerning the change made in the semester examinations at the secondary school.

"No statement whatever, was made that we had felt it necessary to make these changes in order to eliminate hysteria in the classrooms," Mr. Tubbs declares. "No statement was made to the effect that 'Jazz music had resulted in the nervous breakdown of New Trier students.' The statement was made that we have at New Trier a group of splendid boys and girls but nothing was said to the effect they were 'taking the road where it is easiest to slip.'"

#### Issues Correction

"On January 27 I was called on the phone by a representative of the Chicago Herald-Examiner," reads Mr. Tubbs's correction. "Several questions were asked regarding the changes that we had made in our semester's examinations. I stated to him that the changes were made more on account of our lack of accommodations for conducting our examinations than anything else. For years past our semester examinations have counted only one-fifth toward the semester's grade. The plan for conducting the examinations this year is only slightly different from that followed in previous years. This information was given in the expectation that some semblance of truth would be observed in any statement that might appear in the paper. Such statements of plain truths had been garbled and made sensational before they could be printed in the Herald-Examiner and the American. No statement whatever, was made that we felt it necessary to make these changes in order to eliminate hysteria in the class rooms. No statement was made to the effect that 'Jazz music had resulted in the nervous breakdown of New Trier students.' The statement was made that we have at New Trier a group of splendid boys and girls, but nothing was said to the effect that they were 'Taking the road where it is easiest to slip.'"

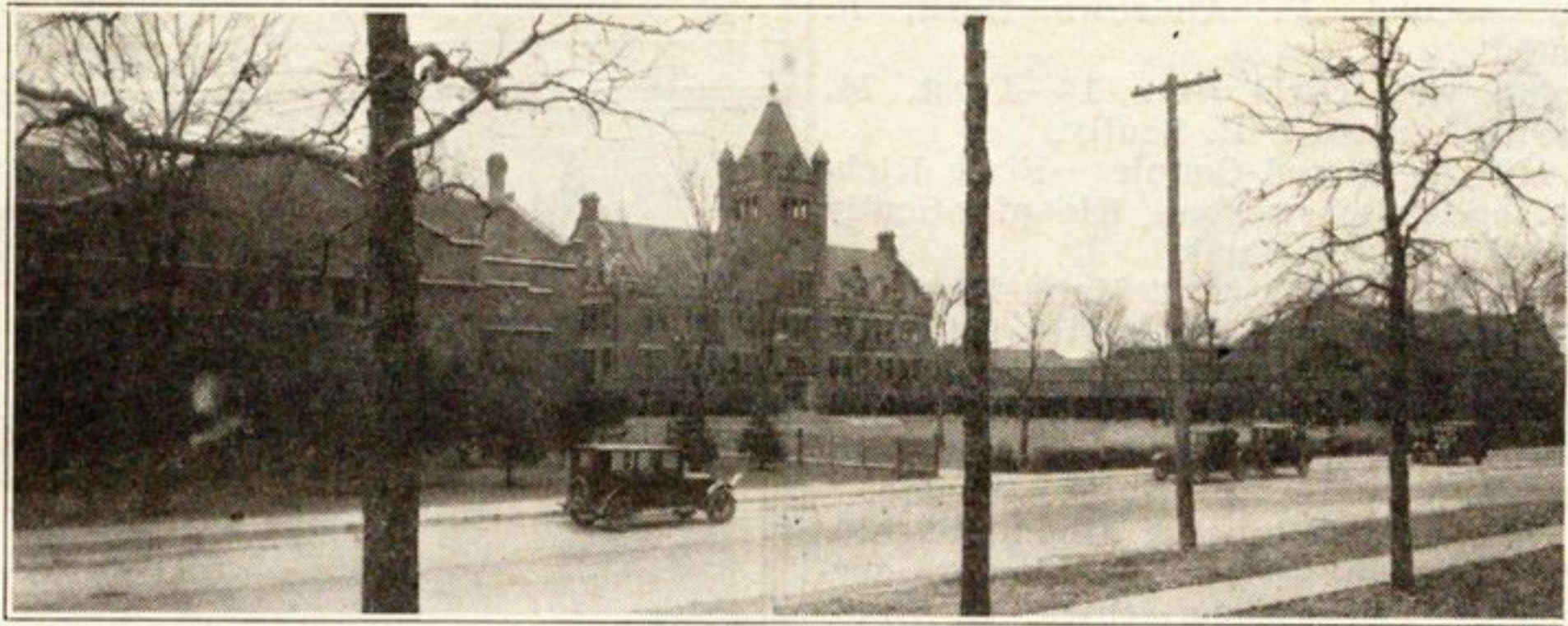
"We are in accord with the position that was taken by Superintendent Mortenson and the principals of the Chicago high schools regarding 'jazz' music and late hours of high school students. No reference was made to matters appearing in the article. "Ninety-eight per cent of our students are fundamentally honest and upright in every sense of the term. It is only a few who give us the least concern so far as their moral well-being is involved."

The correction is signed: Superintendent Eston V. Tubbs.

#### For a Church Supper.

When taking dinner in dishes or to your neighbors, try writing your name on a piece of adhesive plaster and stick it onto the dish or tin, and you will find that you will have no more trouble in losing your dishes, as it will not be washed off easily.

# The Principal Beneficiary



New Trier township High School, shown above, would secure the greater part of the money placed in the hands of the various taxing agencies in New Trier Township through foreclosure of forfeited lots as planned

by the North Shore Real Estate board. The board is soon to institute suit to bring about a clearing up of titles on forfeited properties in the township. The sum due New Trier High school has been estimated at approximately \$33,000.

## With Winnetka Scouts Troop No. 2

The meeting of January 23 held a special treat for the boys of Troop No. 2, Winnetka Boy Scouts. Mr. Horace K. Tenney related to the boys some of his experiences on his annual hunting trip. Last summer the "Call of the Wild" was stronger than usual and led him into the Great Northwest, up in the Canadian Rockies where, after leaving the mining camps at which they secured a guide, cook and pack ponies, he and his companions encountered no other human beings. Their first camp was made after traveling sixteen days up into the mountains to the edge of the timber line. Six different camps were pitched during the summer and more than 1,000 miles of country traversed on horseback and afoot. A big black bear, shot by Mr. Tenney, was the prize of the trip. Several large Caribou and a number of smaller game comprised the season's catch. Mr. Tenney supplemented his story with interesting photographs.

Next week's meeting holds another treat in store for the boys. Mr. Joseph Husband, who, a short time ago, entertained the boys with stories of his experiences on the high seas, has invited the troop to come to his home on Blackthorn road to view his collection of battle-flags and sea trophies. Models of different types of sea-faring craft are among the things that will be of special interest to the boys.

#### NOTICE TO LEADERS

Call up each member of your patrol to insure a full attendance.

## North Shore Women Hold Big Temperance Meeting

Women of the north shore, representing the various clubs and women's civic organizations in this vicinity, will hold a Temperance conference at the Wilmette Methodist church Monday afternoon, February 6, at 2 o'clock, as the guests of the North Shore branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Mrs. F. A. Schumacher of Chicago and the Rev. Gilbert Stansell, pastor of the Wilmette Methodist church, will be the speakers.

## 'SHAVINGS' CAPE COD COMEDY AT VICTORIA

Starting Sunday matinee February 5, Frank A. P. Gazzolo's popular Victoria theater stock company will present for one week only the Cape Cod comedy "Shavings," by Pauline Phelps and Marion Short, adapted from Joseph C. Lincoln's celebrated novel of the same name.

Like "Lightnin'," the "Shavings" of the title is the nickname given the character in the play who potters through life in his own dilly-dallying way, a warm-hearted fellow whom the town comes to regard as a "crank" but who is sufficient of an altruist to straighten out the affairs of others, while letting his own happiness take care of itself. It is the tale of a young widow who comes to the little Cape Cod village and of the brother who had made a misstep and learned his lesson through a prison sentence. It is "Shavings" between moments of whittling in his shop who sees to it that the widow is housed and that the brother is given employment in the town bank. And it is "Shavings" again when the tongues of the town gossips begin to wag, who takes the blame for the shortage momentarily, upon himself. It is "Shavings" who straightens out the affairs of the young lovers, and above all, it is "Shavings" who silently and bravely accepts his fate when the young widow selects another.

Regular matinee days are Sunday, Thursday and Saturday, when you can secure any seat in the theater for thirty cents, including the tax. In another section of this issue you will find a full page advertisement of the Victoria theater that illustrate "Shavings" and also contains interesting

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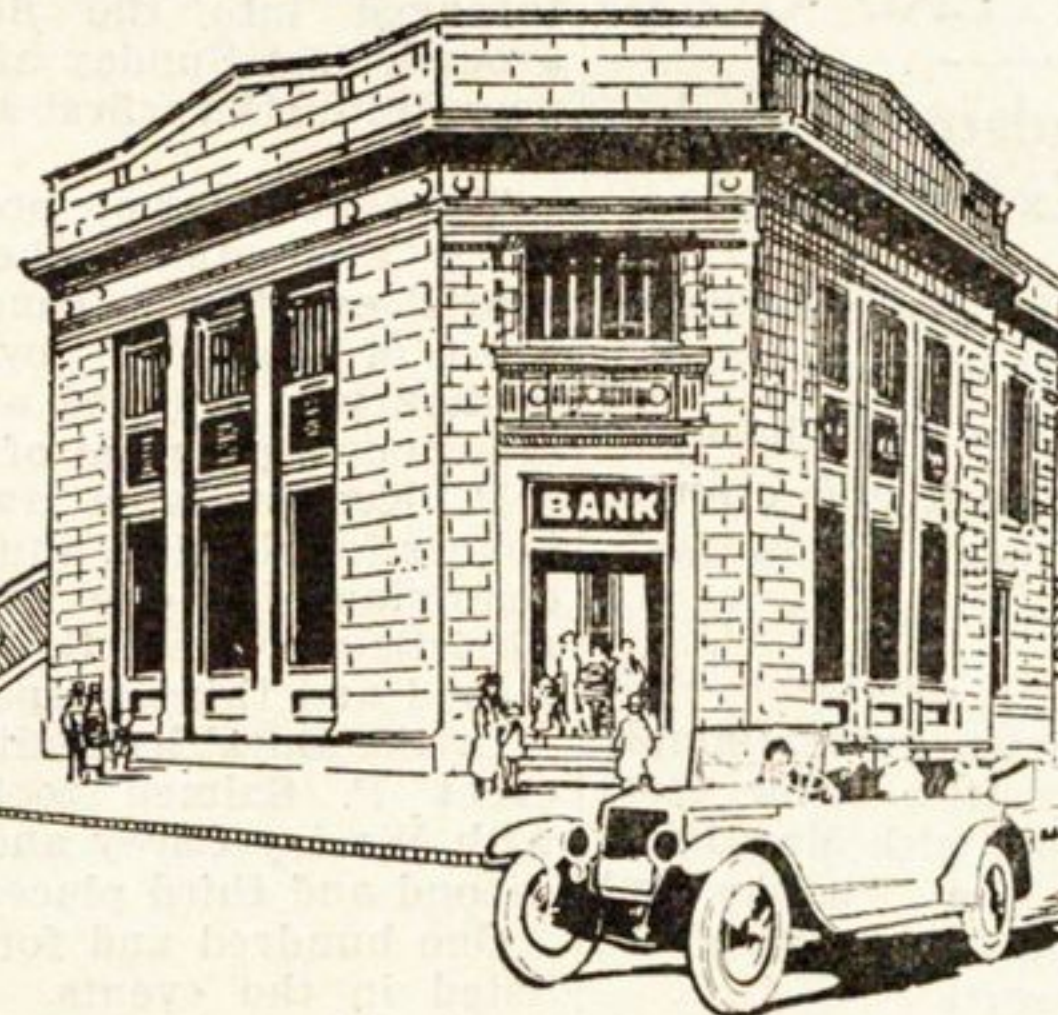
items about the popular Victoria stock company which we believe will surely prove quite interesting.

## High School Students Aid Health Center "Ford Fund"

The fund now being raised to provide the Visiting Nurses of the Gross Point Health Center with a Ford car to expedite their work, has been swelled by \$8, according to an an-

nouncement at the center this week, that the Sophomore class at New Trier High school has made the donation as a portion of the receipts of a recent Red Cross benefit dance. A check for \$8 was received this week by Health Center officials from Winfield Taylor, treasurer of the class.

The Ford fund has been brought nearer realization by previously reported gifts of \$50 or more by individuals and social groups.



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