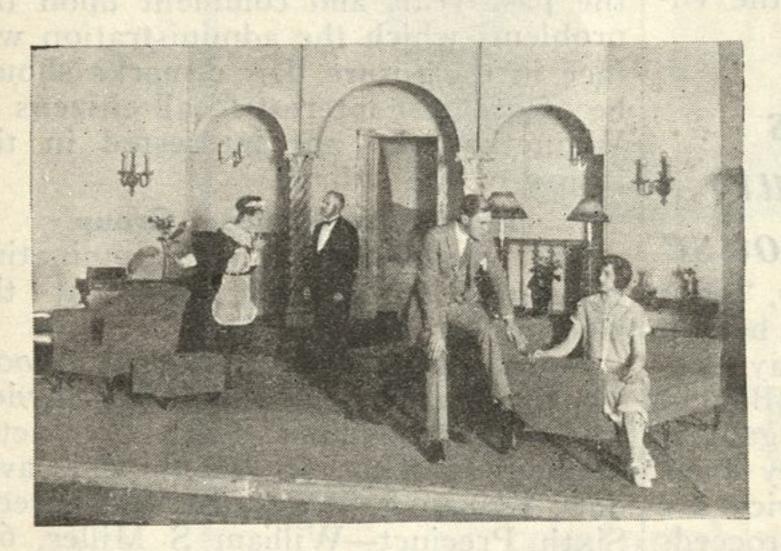
Pointing the Way for the Community and the Nation



Pathfinders' Club, Boys Nine to Twelve



A Young Folks' Dance in the Gym



A Community Drama Play



Starting a Hike, Girls' Camp

OUR Community House, the first of its kind in the country, and originator of the name "Community House," is no longer an experiment. Its success in the 17 years of its existence has been so pronounced that its plan has been widely copied in similar communities throughout the country.

Without Community House, Winnetka simply wouldn't be Winnetka. It belongs to everybody. Its doors are open to all, without distinction of race, creed or any other affiliation. Here, the stranger may find a ready welcome; the boy and girl find a useful outlet for the abundance of energy that belongs to youth; and men and women establish contacts that make for higher life in the village as a whole.

In the attendance figure of 136,000 chalked up for 1927, the use-fulness of Community House is proved. On the average, the house was used 13 times per capita during the year, with casual attendance unrecorded. 130 different groups have made their head-quarters in the building. Many of these would never have been formed without such a place of meeting, and the work they are doing has benefited the whole community.

Community House stands for helpfulness, neighborliness and finer citizenship. It is a village club, democratic in spirit and planned to meet needs for which there is a definite demand.

YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT IS NEEDED

Community House is not self-supporting. It owes its past success to the generous support of Winnetka people. On this year's budget of \$26,584, revenue from rentals, memberships, moving pictures and other assured income will take care of \$16,000. There remains \$12,000 to be raised.

March 11th is the day appointed for a village wide canvass. The proceeds will be spread over dozens of worth-while activities, thus obviating the necessity of many canvasses by individual organizations.

Remember the date! One of your neighbors will call on you, and ask for your support. Will you help sustain this important village enterprise?



The Winnetka Boy Scouts Have Been a Continuous Organization Since 1911

WHO USES COMMUNITY HOUSE?

The following is a partial list of the groups which met at Community House during the year of 1927:

Community Drama Club

Boy Builders

New Trier Rifle Club

North Shore Art League Triangle Club Panther Club Pathfinders Boy Scouts, 5 Troops Camp Fire Girls, 6 Groups Blue Birds Business Woman's Club Friendship Circle North Shore British American Society Rotary Club Chamber of Commerce Motion Pictures—twice a week Foreigners' Classes in English-twice a week Tennis Gym. Classes Hallowe'en Party North Shore Theatre Guild Izaak Walton League American Legion Elections—Polling Place Fourteen "Circles" Firemen's Ball Village Caucus Women's Gym. Class-2 per week Picnics for Chicago Commons