MAY I SAY:

I have thoroly enjoyed directing Lawrence's recreation program this summer. Because I believe so strongly in the need of wholesome recreation—especially during war time, it has pleased me very much to realize that we have made some "recreation gains" with the three important ages: the children, the teen-age, and the adults.

Under the prevailing conditions, I feel that the recreation program has been successful. It is my sincere hope that our experiment in neighborhood nights has stimulated sufficient interest to carry on through the fall and winter. In my opinion it is imperative that as many teen-age activities as possible be continued. Lawrence is one of the pioneers in this part of the country in the new type of recreation for all age groups, and the foundation laid this summer has proven the need for such a program.

I wish to express my gratitude for the loyal cooperation of my staff, the enthusiastic support of the community, and the splendid help given me by the Executive committee of the Recreation Council.