

# THE MEN AT HOME WILL HELP WIN WAR

Must Be Able to Greet Boys on Their Return From Front.

WAR MAKES BIGGER MEN.

(The following statement was furnished as requested by the secretary of the Nebraska Liberty Loan Committee.—Editor.)

By E. F. Folda.

We will all be bigger men, every one of us, by reason of having taken some part in the different war activities.

Think how you will feel when the boys come marching home, and they will come, sure, after having firmly established peace throughout all the world, a permanent, lasting peace.

Think how you will feel as you stand by and see them come marching along—can you approach them, shake them by the hands and look them square in the eye, if you have had no part in any of the war activities? If you have failed to do your fair share? Can you?

That's why the Nebraska Liberty Loan Committee is doing everything it can to furnish you with exact figures that will show what your fair share is, and what your neighbor is expected to do.

Do I have any doubts of the Nebraska people doing their share? Had you been with me at Bob Manley's meeting in the Omaha Chamber of Commerce, with a large room so full of volunteer workers, every one anxious to do his bit, that standing room was at a premium, your answer would be "No."

Had you been with me at the meetings held throughout the state by our chairman, Mr. Thomas C. Byrne, you would also be persuaded that Nebraska will continue to remain well in the foreground in this nation in all war activities.

Some thought the West was not alive to the war conditions. The enlistment of our boys from Nebraska proves we are alive and more, and when the returns are tabulated for the Third Liberty Loan you will find the people of Nebraska backing up the boys.



My Daddy Bought Me a Government Bond  
**THIRD LIBERTY LOAN**  
Did Yours?

"MY DADDY."

The likeness of some little blond American child, whose identity is not revealed, will appear on a half million posters throughout the country during the Third Liberty Loan campaign. She clasps a Liberty Bond in her two hands and proudly proclaims that her "Daddy" has bought her a Government security. The poster is considered by art authorities to be one of the best of a child variety that has been produced in any of the governmental publicity campaigns since the war started.

Back of the 250 billion dollars of our national resources stands the rugged honesty of America. Liberty Loan bonds are the safest security in the world.

It is for the people to lend their Government the amount of money it needs and take as security the best and soundest financial paper that has ever been issued by any government.

If the Government can take our boys, our products, our industries and our railroads, it can take our money; but never let it be said that it was necessary to conscript wealth to win the war.

All honor is due the splendid services of the many Liberty Loan workers in the state of Nebraska who are donating their services to the Government. They should receive the full co-operation of all the people in the performance of the task set before them.

The women of Nebraska will take an important part in the work of selling the third Liberty Loan bonds.

Put the \$-power behind the man power.

Every hoarded dollar in America is actively working for the Kaiser.

## BELL HAD EARLY STRUGGLES

Inventor of Telephone Experienced Common Fate of Pioneers in His Early Manhood.

Next to the reaping machine, which drove famine from the world, America's greatest gift to modern civilization has been the telephone. The name of its inventor, Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, will live down the ages after all but two or three present-day Americans have been forgotten.

Unlike most famous inventors, Doctor Bell did not spring from obscurity and poverty. His father was a scholar and scientist of note, and young Bell received a ripe education. But he did not escape the common fate of inventors and pioneers. His struggles with poverty came in early manhood instead of in boyhood. And they were struggles as trying and as protracted as fall to the lot of few men. At one time, while fighting to establish his ridiculed "toy" as an article of genuine use, he was reduced to the extremity of borrowing occasional half-dollars for a meal, sharing this lot with his dynamic colleague, Theodore N. Vail.

The world first learned of the telephone at the Centennial exposition at Philadelphia in 1876. On January 20 of that year a young college professor of Salem, Mass., Alexander Graham Bell, had executed specifications and a claim for an invention embodying an improvement in telegraphy, which in reality was a telephone, and on February 14 his application for the American patent was filed at Washington.

The first telephone message of which there is record was this: "Mr. Watson, come here, I want you." It was sent on March 10, 1876, by the inventor from the top floor of a Boston boarding house to a colleague, Thomas A. Watson, in a room below. Watson heard every word and rushed to apprise Bell of the fact. Almost 40 years later on January 15, 1915, Doctor Bell sent this same message to Mr. Watson, only this time Bell was in New York and Watson in San Francisco.

## PEKING SEES DEVIL DANCE

Ceremony Instituted During the Tsing Dynasty More Than 200 Years Ago, Enacted by Priests.

Peking recently witnessed the ceremony instituted during the Tsing dynasty, over 200 years ago, known as the "devil dance." It took place in the Lama temple, and was witnessed by several thousand devout Buddhist worshippers, says East and West. Eighty priests danced in groups, varying in number from two to twenty. All the celebrations were gorgeously embroidered silks, robes and masks representing animals. Conspicuous were heads of tigers, oxen, sheep and deer. The dance ended at two o'clock in the afternoon, when a procession of the priests formed and proceeded to the east gate of the temple grounds, where the paper effigy of a nude woman was burned.

The legend which the ceremony commemorates is that the devil, in form of a woman, ran about the country, casting spells and working mischief to crops, animals and humans. Attempts to catch her were futile until the Buddha sent a charmed horse to run her down. The animal overtook the fleeing woman after a race of 10,000 li, seized her in his teeth, brought her to a place of punishment where she was publicly destroyed by fire. The female figure is not alike on all occasions; sometimes an old hag is represented, but generally the woman is young and comely, as being more dangerous to mankind.

## Cats as Hunters.

Dr. A. A. Allen, professor of birds at Cornell, suggests that anyone who is skeptical about the hunting ability of the cat should go out in the early fall morning after a light snow fall and track the wild animals of the nearby woods. Perhaps you will find the tracks of a red squirrel; squirrels are very clever and usually manage to exist even in cities. Perhaps you will find the tracks of a cottontail or two; rabbits are very prolific and stand a great deal of persecution. Probably you will find the tracks of a few rats and mice; but be assured you will find Puss-in-Boots in force, her tracks crossing and recrossing. Doctor Allen does not believe there is a place in the eastern United States within five miles of a human habitation where you will not find the tracks of the domestic cat more frequently than those of any wild animals, squirrels, rabbits, mice excepted. Trappers catch them in their traps set in the wilds far from houses.—Grit.

## Wise Fish.

Scientists have discovered how fish can find their way to fresh water. Their studies of the resistance of salt water fishes to the decayed and decomposed things, has led to an explanation of their habits.

It appears that herrings can sense differences in heat and cold as small as a quarter of a degree or less. They appreciate the fact that only a trace of an acid or alkali is present in water. So sensitive are herring said to be to acids and alkalis that the scientist propose that these and other fish be used to detect the chemicals instead of the litmus paper, which chemists use, and in the same manner that canary birds are used to discover traces of poison coal gas in mines and elsewhere.

# MUST BACK UP OUR BOYS 'OVER THERE'

Each Man Must Do His Share; Nebraska Will Not Fail.

(The following was requested from O. T. Eastman, treasurer of the Nebraska Liberty Loan Committee.—Editor.)

By O. T. Eastman.

The slogan of the coming Liberty loan campaign will be "Your share is fair."

The various committees in Omaha and the state of Nebraska have been working assiduously the past six weeks to make the Nebraska campaign successful along those lines.

The government has drafted our boys to fill up the ranks of our national army to the required number. The money must be provided to back up the boys "over there." Every loyal American must do his share. He must loan the government not only his cash, but his credit.

## Will Not Need Draft.

It is hoped and believed by the Nebraska committee that those who voluntarily respond will be so numerous and each loyal Nebraskan will come so near doing his share that it will never be necessary to apply the draft system to raise Nebraska's quota for the coming or any other Liberty loan campaign.

The Liberty loan committee for Nebraska has just completed a tour of the state and finds the volunteer solicitors so enthusiastic that we have no doubt that when the results of the coming campaign are tabulated Nebraska will stand at or near the top in the list of states.

# We are at War.

Your Government Must Have Money to Win the War and Must Have it NOW

## Third Liberty Loan 1918 Colonial Quotations Fit Present Days.

Words of Famous Americans Seem to Show They Foresaw the Liberty Loan.

George Washington—"It is an old maxim that the surest way to make a good peace is to be prepared for war."

Thomas Jefferson—"Weakness provokes insult and injury, while a condition to punish it often prevents it."

Benjamin Franklin—"We must indeed all hang together or, most assuredly, we will all hang separately."

James Monroe—"A defenseless position and a distinguished love of peace are the surest invitations to war."

Andrew Jackson—"We shall more certainly preserve peace when it is well understood that we are prepared for war."

Robert Morris—"The enemy will ask for peace only when we are in a position vigorously to prosecute war."

## Liberty Loans of Other Days.

Robert Morris, Superintendent of Finance in the American Revolution, in a circular to the governors of the states on October 19, 1781, wrote:

"It is not by the brilliant successes of war, the splendor of conquest or the shouts of victory that a wise ministry are to be affected. The superiority of national resources is the sure ground on which to hope for success, and that superior resource, steadily and perseveringly applied, must eventually attain its object."

"It is possible that we are near the close of this war, and perhaps we are only in the middle of it. But if the war should continue, we have to blame ourselves; for were these resources called into action which we really possess, the foreign enemies would soon lose all hope and abandon their enterprise."

"If we do our duty now the war will soon be brought to a close; if not, it may last for many years, and what will then be its termination it is not in our wisdom to foresee. The enemy will ask for peace only when we are in a condition vigorously to prosecute the war."

"It is necessary that we should be in condition to prosecute the war with ease before we can expect to lay down our arms with security, before we can treat of peace honorably, and before we can conclude it with advantage."

"Between opposition and submission there is no middle line. The use of submission is an error owing to be rejected, which, when opposition therefore, becomes a matter of necessity."

## Our Fathers' Influence.

As if to conclude the argument that we, of today, should heed the wisdom of our forefathers, that other great American, Abraham Lincoln, said: "I do not mean to say we are bound to follow implicitly in whatever our fathers did. To do so would be to discard all the lights of current experience—to reject all progress, all improvement. What I do say is that if we would imitate the opinions and policy of our fathers in any case, we should do so upon evidence so conclusive, and argument so clear that even their great authority, fairly considered and weighed, cannot stand."

With these words of great Americans fresh in the mind who can say that the subscribing, and moreover, the over-subscribing of the Third Liberty Loan is not the most important thing in all America today.

## To the Voters of the State of Nebraska.

Subject to the action of the voters who may sign the necessary petitions required by law, and to the further action of the voters in casting the necessary ballots to secure my nomination at the nonpartisan primary election to be held in August, 1918, I hereby announce my expectation to become a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court of the state of Nebraska at the next November election. I seek a second term, am in excellent health and will see many of you during the summer and fall. When I came to the state I stopped a short time in Omaha, later settling at Lincoln and subsequently removing to Kearney where I was twice elected as district judge and served a little more than eight years, and where I lived at the time of my election as Judge of the Supreme Court.

FRANCIS G. HAMER.

## Volunteers Wanted

Every Thursday at two o'clock p. m. the Red Cross headquarters at the Auld Public Library lecture room will be open for the making of hospital garments by volunteers. No expense, everything furnished by the Chapter. Do not wait for a personal invitation. If you can spare only an hour at a time come and work that hour.

## Fancy Shades Not Wanted

The state inspector of Red Cross goods at Omaha calls the attention of all knitters to the following: No sweaters, socks, or helmets containing fancy colors are acceptable. If you wish to knit for our boys use only khaki shades, natural shades, grey shades, black, white or navy.

Socks should measure at least 11 inches from tip of heel to tip of toe. Sweaters should measure at least 17 inches across chest.

## The Officers.

Man Wanted

For co-operation in putting on campaign for sale of eastern Colorado lands. A large tract of choice land owned under deed by reliable and thoroughly equipped Nebraska men. You need not be experienced, but must have good standing and able to give at least half your time. If you can qualify advise at once with full particulars.

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# HOME GUARD DAY Friday, April 12

Membership Drive all Day

Exhibition Drill

By Riverton, Inavale and Guide Rock Home Guards on the paving at 7:30 in the Evening

Home Guard Rally

Morhart Opera House at 8:00 p. m. Music by Band. Entertainment. A good time

EVERYBODY COME

# \$3,000,000,000

In Liberty Bonds will be offered in the Third Liberty Loan Campaign

Nebraska's Quota \$31,942,800

Are you doing your share while our boys are offering their lives?

If a free America is worth fighting for, it is your patriotic duty to lend your money and your credit to our Government. The whole Nation must take part.

Our boys in France are appealing to us to furnish them in great abundance with the arms, the ammunition and the supplies which will make an early victory possible.

If we are not to prolong the slaughter or suffering, if we are not to risk defeat, if we do not want an inconclusive peace, we must act quickly. We must put forth our every effort NOW

Nebraska Liberty Loan Committee

## The Tourists Triangle Tour

Note the Burlington map and its three Western trunk lines

- (1) NEBRASKA-BILLINGS, GLACIER PARK
- (2) NEBRASKA-DENVER-COLORADO, WEST
- (3) DENVER-BILLINGS-YELLOWSTONE, NORTH

Note the geographical triangle formed by these Burlington lines and what a comprehensive northwest tour they offer.—ONE WAY via Denver scenic Colorado; ONE WAY via Rocky Mountain National (Estes) Park, with 700 miles of mountain panorama, from Denver to the Yellowstone, and to Glacier Park, the climax of the Rockies' rugged grandeur; ONE WAY along side the Big Horns and the Black Hills. This is truly a three-parks-on-one-triangle tour. The new Denver-Casper main line makes possible this circuit tour that comprehends the east slope of the Continental Divide from Colorado to the British boundary.



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N. B. Bush, Ticket Agent. Red Cloud, Neb.



## When the Firemen Appear

the insured man's first thought is one of thankfulness that he is so. How about your thoughts if a fireman should appear at your home?

## The Day Before the Fire

is the day to insure. As that day may be to-morrow for all you can know or do, it follows that prudence would impel you to stop in our office to-day and have us issue you a policy.

## O. C. TEEL

Reliable Insurance

## Statement of Ownership, Etc.

Statement of ownership, management, circulation, etc., required by the act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of the Red Cloud Chief published weekly at Red Cloud, Nebraska, April 1, 1918.

Editor, publisher and owner, A. B. McArthur; Managing Editor and Business Manager, M. K. Quigley, Red Cloud, Neb. Known bondholders, mortgagees, none.

Signed: M. K. Quigley, mtr. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of April, 1918.

(SEAL) B. W. STEWART, Notary Public.

My commission expires February 21, 1923.

## Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued from the office of Edith L. McKeigan, Clerk of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District, within and for Webster County, Nebraska, upon a decree in an action pending therein, wherein D. M. Hynds is plaintiff, and against J. F. Edwards, defendant, I shall offer for sale at public vendue, according to the terms of said decree, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the south door of the court house, at Red Cloud, in said Webster County, Nebraska, (that being the building wherein the last term of said court was holden) on the 23rd day of April, A. D., 1918, at one o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following described property, to-wit: The South East Quarter (S. E. 1-4) of Section Fourteen (14) Township Two (2) North, Range Ten (10) West of the 6th P. M., Webster County, Nebraska.

Given under my hand this 18th day of March, A. D., 1918. FRANK HUBBARD, Sheriff. FRED MAURER, Plaintiff's Attorney. 11-5