

Conversion of Liberty Bonds.

A Chicago paper says: There is considerable concern over the failure of holders of the 4 per cent liberty bonds to convert their holdings into the 4 1/2s, and the bond department of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago is planning a campaign of publicity to awaken bondholders to their opportunity.

Up to last night but \$115,462,650 of the 4 per cent bonds outstanding in this district had been exchanged for the 4 1/2 issue. Against this there is outstanding \$527,479,250 in bonds of the second 4 per cent issue, and \$79,660,900 of the third 4s. The latter figure represents bonds of the first 3 1/2 per cent loan reconverted to the second 4 per cent issue.

In other words, conversions to date amount to only about 19 per cent of the total conversions that should be made before Nov. 9, when the conversion privilege ends.

While there is no inducement for owners of the 3 1/2s to convert to 4 1/2s, there is every advantage for holders of the 4s to convert to 4 1/2s.

It is well for holders of the 4s to remember that by reason of the termination of the conversion privilege Nov. 9 next their bonds will suffer a market depreciation compared with the 4 1/2s.

At present the price of the 4s is about on a parity with the 4 1/2s, because they possess potentially the same interest rate. But if not converted, their market price will become adjusted to the 4 per cent rate.

One Wonderful Achievement.

Sixteen hundred thousand American soldiers are now serving with the colors on foreign soil. Just what is actually involved in this simple announcement by the chief of staff of our army is difficult to explain. It is a wonderful achievement, composed of a number of separate but correlated achievements, each in itself a wonder. Under conditions that existed fourteen months ago, six or seven years would have been consumed in getting the force we now have in France to the scene of its service. Six months ago we were told we would soon have half a million men under arms in Europe. This so cheered the Huns that the great March drive was set in motion that victory might be secured before enough Americans to turn the tide might be landed. Hindenburg's campaign was well planned, but he underestimated our capacity for hurrying up. In one month since then 285,000 soldiers have been delivered in France. In August more than 250,000 were sent across. That means that in these two months more American troops have landed in France than we sent there in the first year of the war. Their equipment and supplies have gone with them. Nothing in all history equals this performance, and the most satisfactory thought in connection with it is all in that the boys got there in time.—Omaha Bee.

4,000 Yanks in Siberia.

Major General Graves, at the head of an American expeditionary force composed of forty officers and over eighteen hundred men has arrived in Siberia, disembarking on September 2, according to an official announcement made by the war department through General March. It was announced in this connection that Major General Graves would be placed in command of the entire American force operating in the far east, a force which is now composed of over four thousand men.

1,500,000 Men Abroad.

General March announced Wednesday that the total embarkation of American soldiers for all fronts, including the Siberian expedition, had passed the 1,500,000 mark Aug. 31. In answer to a question, General March said it was estimated that more than 250,000 soldiers had landed in France during August. The record for monthly shipment, he added, was 285,000.

Gathering Them In.

The allied forces on the western front have taken a total of 128,302 prisoners since July 15, it was announced in an official statement Monday. In the same period 2,069 guns, 1,734 machine guns and 13,783 machine guns were captured. On the French front 75,900 prisoners and seven hundred guns had been captured by the French since July 18, it is announced.

Northern Front Crumbling.

Paris—That the entire German northern front as far as the Somme river is about to crumble is the prediction made by Henri Hiden, the well known French military commentator, in his paper Wednesday.

Hot Stuff.

Arthur Pepp, consulting engineer from Utah, breezed into New York and attended a banquet at the Engineers' club. Several of the guests were the McLean kiddies of Canada. A feature of the menu was squid on toast and, one of the Scotch vet rags, after asking what it was, proceeded to cover it with hot tobacco sauce. He ate a couple of slices of the burning fluid, and then, with a low cry, put down his knife and fork.

"Lay them on, boys," he said. Then turned to the waiter called: "Aye, mon, I've had enough of this. It's a devil's worth of man, we yell. An' my, Laddie, bring a bucket of tea water."

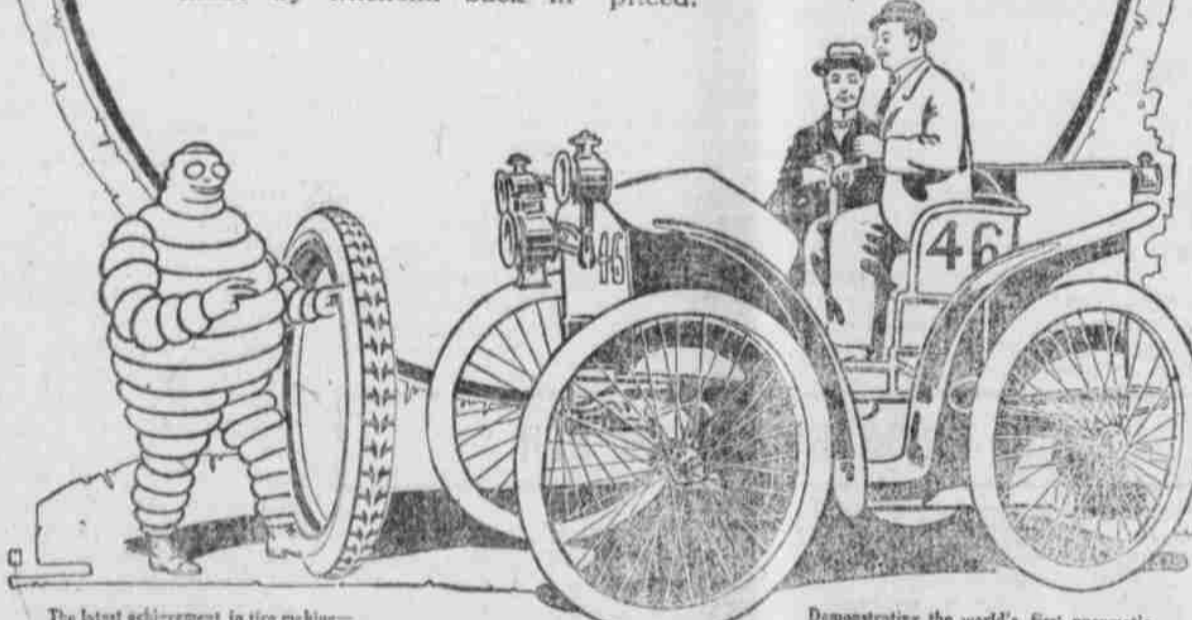
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1895. Since that time the House of Michelin (founded 1832) has concentrated on the production of pneumatic tires only, and today has factories in the United States, France, England and Italy, with selling branches in every corner of the world. Thus the scientific brains of the entire globe have been and are at Michelin's disposal. More and Better Materials is the Michelin watchword: Yet Michelin Tires are not high priced.



VULCANIZING NEBRASKA RUBBER WORKS ACCESSORIES 8th & LOCUST FILLING STATION. PHONE 863

Bomb Chicago Federal Building. Chicago, Sept. 4.—A bomb exploding in the entrance of the federal building this afternoon killed four persons and wounded seventy-five others.

The blast was attributed to the I. W. W. by Philip J. Barry, acting chief of the local federal investigation bureau.

While the city police were rushing the wounded to hospitals, federal agents hurried from the building and made two raids on I. W. W. headquarters. Nine men were bagged at these places and a woman was grabbed in a nearby office building. Her identity is being kept secret.

Over a front of thirty miles, from the region of Arras to Peronne, Field Marshal Haig's forces have literally smashed the German front. The southern portion of the famous Drocourt-Queant switch line, which had been heralded as the impregnable bulwark of the German defense in the north, has given way under the violence of the British onslaught over its entire front from the Scarpe river to Queant, a distance of about ten miles.

Acknowledgments have been received of 86 per cent of the food packages sent to American prisoners in Germany by the American Red Cross, according to cable advice, received.

AN ORDINANCE. (Continued from Page 5.) Section 4. That said bonds, coupons and certificates be in substantially the following forms: Form of Bond United States of America, State of Nebraska, County of Lincoln City of North Platte, Bridge Bond. No. 1000 \$1000

Know all men by these presents that the City of North Platte, in the County of Lincoln, and State of Nebraska, hereby promises to pay to bearer on July 1, 1937, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000) with interest thereon at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum from the date hereof until paid, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and of July, in each year, upon surrender of the attached coupons as they severally mature. Both principal and interest hereof and hereon are hereby made payable at the office of the County Treasurer of the County of Lincoln, State of Nebraska, in the City of North Platte, Nebraska.

This bond is payable at the option of said City at any time after five years from the date hereof. This bond is issued under authority of Section 405 et seq. Chapter 8, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Nebraska, 1913, as amended, and other pertinent statutes of said State for the purpose of aiding in the construction of a wagon bridge across the South Platte river, and is authorized by an ordinance duly passed by the Council of said City, approved by the Mayor thereof and published. And it is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, things and acts required by law to exist, to be or to be done, precedent to and in the issuing of this bond have been, have existed and have been performed in due form and time, that prior to the issue of this bond the same was authorized by more than a two-thirds majority of the legal votes cast for the propo-

sition at an election duly called and held for that purpose; and that the indebtedness of said City, including this bond, does not exceed any limitation imposed by law.

In testimony whereof the City of North Platte, by its Council, has caused the corporate seal of said City to be impressed hereon and this bond to be signed by its Mayor and attested by its City Clerk, and the coupons hereto attached to be signed by its Mayor and City Clerk respectively by their fac simile signatures, which said officers do, by the execution hereof, adopt as and for their own respective signatures their fac simile signatures appearing on said coupons, all as of the first day of July, 1917.

MAYOR. ATTEST: (Form of Coupon)

No. \$ On the first day of 19, the City of North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska, will pay to bearer Dollars, at the office of the County Treasurer of the County of Lincoln, State of Nebraska, in the City of North Platte, Nebraska, for interest due that day on its Bridge Bond, dated as of July 1, 1917

MAYOR. ATTEST: O. E. ELDER, City Clerk.

CITY CLERK. (Form of Auditor's Certificate) State of Nebraska, Office of Auditor of Public Accts. I do hereby certify that I have examined the within bond and all proceedings relative to its issue, and do find and hereby certify that the within bond has been regularly and legally issued and that the same has been registered in my office in accordance with the provisions of Article 2, of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Nebraska, 1913.

Witness my signature and of this office this day of 1918.

Auditor of Public Accounts. (Form of County Clerk's Certificate) STATE OF NEBRASKA ) (SS

County of Lincoln ) I, Clerk of the County aforesaid, do hereby certify that this bond has been registered in my office pursuant to the provisions of Article 2, Chapter 8, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Nebraska, 1913.

Witness my signature and seal of said County this day of 1918.

COUNTY CLERK. Section 5. That said bonds be executed as herein provided and thereupon presented to the Auditor of Public Accounts, together with statements and showings required by Article 2 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1913; and that when said bonds shall have been duly and properly registered by and in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts, pursuant to the provisions of Article 2 of Chapter 8, aforesaid, the same be procured to be certified by the Auditor of Public Accounts to the County Clerk of this County, who

shall register the same in a bond record provided for that purpose and execute the form of certificate herein provided to be endorsed upon said bonds.

Section 6. That thereupon said bonds be delivered to Harris Trust and Saving Bank, Chicago, Illinois, upon receipt of the purchase price therefor by the Treasurer of this City, contract for the sale thereof to said purchaser heretofore entered into, being hereby confirmed.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the proper officers of this city to cause to be annually levied, collected and paid to the holders of said bonds a special tax on all taxable property within said City sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same becomes due and when the principal of said bonds becomes due such officers shall, in like manner, collect an additional amount sufficient to pay such principal.

Section 8. That all ordinances and resolutions and parts of ordinances and resolutions in conflict with the terms hereof be and the same are hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication. Passed and approved this 3rd day of September, 1918.

HENRY WALTEMAT. Mayor. ATTEST: O. E. ELDER, City Clerk.

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PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

The following proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Nebraska, as hereinafter set forth in full, is submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 6th, A. D. 1918:

A JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Section one (1) of Article seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That Section One of Article Seven of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be and the same hereby is amended by striking out the following words:

"Second. Persons of foreign birth who shall have declared their intention to become citizens conformably to the laws of the United States, on the subject of naturalization, at least thirty days prior to an election."

And inserting in the place of the words so stricken, the following words:

"Second. Persons of foreign birth who shall have become citizens of the United States by naturalization or otherwise conformably to the laws of the United States at least thirty days prior to an election."

Sec. 2. That at the general election nineteen hundred and eighteen (1918) there shall be submitted to the electors of this state for their approval or rejection the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage. At such election, on the ballot of each elector voting for or against said proposed amendment, shall be written or printed the words: "For proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage" and "Against said proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage."

Sec. 3. If such amendment shall be approved by a majority of all electors voting at such election, said amendment shall constitute Section One (1) Article Seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Approved, April 9, 1918.

Attest: KEITH NEVILLE, Governor. CHARLES W. POOL, Secretary of State.

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COL. ED KIERIG, Auctioneer.

General Farm Sales a Specialty. References and Dates at First National Bank, North Platte, Nebr. Phone 1000. SALE DATES. L. L. Vedder Sale—Sept. 10th.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, wherein Lierk-Sandal Company, a corporation was plaintiff and C. H. Ingram, first and real name unknown, and Millie Ingram, his wife, were defendants, I will on the 9th day of September, 1918, at two o'clock p. m. at T. M. Coligan's store house at 403 East B Street, in the city of North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska, sell the following described property or so much thereof as is necessary to make \$25.84 and \$13.80 and accruing costs, to-wit: 1 washing machine, 2 brooms, 1 tub, 1 saw, 4 boxes household goods, 1 barrel household goods, 1 sewing machine and 1 box of glass. a27-86 A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff.

Notice of Final Report.

Estate No. 1540 of Herman Koester, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the Administrator has filed a final account and report of his administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, which has been set for hearing before said Court on September 27, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., when you may appear and contest same.

Dated August 27, 1918. WM. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

Notice.

Order of hearing of petition for summary administration. State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss. In the county court, August 13th, 1918.

In the matter of the estate of Lorenzo Wisner, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Morrill Keith Neville praying that the regular administration of said estate be dispensed with as provided by Chapter 185 of the Nebraska Session Laws of the year 1915.

Order that September 20th, 1918 at 9 o'clock a. m. as assigned hearing said petition where the heirs, creditors and all persons interested in said estate of Lorenzo Wisner, who died in October, 1890, a resident of Lincoln County, Nebraska, Sealed of some interest in the E 1/4 of SW 1/4 and W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of section 30 township 14, range 25, west of the 6th P. M. All persons interested in said matters and all creditors and heirs of said deceased may appear at county court to be held in and for said county Sept. 20, 1918. That said Morrill Keith Neville, petitioner herein is the owner by deed of conveyance to the above described land and that these proceedings are brought to determine the heirs and right of descent.

This order to be printed for three consecutive weeks in the North Platte Tribune, a legal newspaper, published in Lincoln County, Nebraska, prior to September 20th, 1918. WM. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.