

Public Rises to Emergency Buying Many Bonds

NATION ANSWERS THE PRO-GERMANS WITH LOAN BOOST

McAdoo Warns Law Will Prosecute Those Who Threaten Banks Pushing Liberty Bonds; Sales Heavy.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 18.—The government today put in motion the machinery to apprehend and punish pro-German workers who have started an organized campaign in more than a dozen states to defeat the Liberty loan.

By telegraph from Salt Lake City Secretary McAdoo authorized the issuance of a statement here calling upon all banks upon which German pressure has been brought to bear in an effort to induce them not to aid the loan to report the circumstances to him, promising to prosecute to the limit of the law the "disloyal and traitorous persons" making such attempts at intimidation.

Start Investigation.

Department of Justice officials also began an investigation into the workings of the alleged conspirators with a view to prosecutions, where justified, under the espionage and other laws dealing with sedition and attempts to thwart the government's war purposes.

The nation's answer to the abortive efforts of the pro-German campaign was the greatest single day's subscriptions since the campaign started. Officials estimate that nearly \$1,750,000,000 of the loan has been subscribed and heavy sales are reported in prospect for the closing days of the drive.

Progress of the loan throughout the nation was announced in the following statement issued by the treasury tonight:

Big Jump Shows Up.

"Official reports on subscriptions totaled \$827,174,650 up to the close of business yesterday, or about \$127,000,000 more than was reported at the close of the previous day.

"Estimates based on the customary daily increases of the official figures and unofficial reports from various parts of the country led to the belief tonight that between \$1,500,000,000 and \$1,750,000,000 had been subscribed.

"The official figures follow:

Boston, \$95,000,000; New York, \$389,390,000; Philadelphia, \$26,345,000; Cleveland, \$95,300,000; Richmond, \$34,470,000; Atlanta, \$8,669,050; Chicago, \$91,279,000; St. Louis, \$7,354,350; Minneapolis, \$25,500,000; Kansas

City, \$7,197,000; Dallas, \$6,830,000; San Francisco, \$39,040,150. "New York went over the \$500,000,000 mark, an unofficial estimate from there tonight being \$560,000,000. Chicago's Wirwind Drive.

"Chicago reported a whirlwind campaign and that district's total is thought to be above \$300,000,000. Detroit sent a telegram saying that \$32,500,000 or 76 per cent of its quota was subscribed and that by Saturday night it surely would have an over-subscription.

"The Minneapolis district continued to rapidly move on toward a \$50,000,000 total. St. Paul telegraphed that it would raise \$15,000,000 by Saturday night.

"The Cleveland district doubtless has gone above the \$100,000,000 mark. The \$30,000,000. Pittsburgh has subscribed a slightly larger amount and Columbus some \$3,800,000.

"Increased subscriptions by the New England states have come in fast this week. Meager reports from other states indicate that the \$2,000,000,000 mark is being rapidly approached and probably will be reached by Saturday night."

Three-Day Drive Here for Liberty Bonds is Started

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all the business houses, and on the streets.

Hunsicker Subscribes.

Fred Hunsicker, president of the South Side Lumber company, and president of the Schwitzer Gesang Verein, subscribed \$1,000 for Liberty bonds. The society of which he is president also subscribed \$500. "Being by birth a subject of Switzerland," said Mr. Hunsicker, "the oldest republic in the world, I have the highest regard for the German people, but it is impossible for me to hold the same regard for the kaiser and his autocratic government. I came to the United States where greater right and freedom prevail. Having been successful here, I am willing to do my part in financing the war."

More Subscriptions.

Some of the latest subscriptions announced in Omaha are:

J. C. Lynch \$ 2,000
Hugh Murphy Const. Co. 15,000
James A. Park 10,000
A. M. Jeffrey 1,000
International Harvester Co. 5,000

Reports coming to Secretary E. F. Folda from several points in the state every day indicate that the movement is gaining more and more impetus out in the state. Reports from Wausa, Gibbon, and Lancaster county are particularly favorable.

Mothers' Club Buys.

Trina School Mothers' club voted to buy a \$100 Liberty bond after an

All For Love

If you love your flag

If you love your home

If you love your mother

If you love your son

or wife or daughter or baby -

Then -

BUY A BOND!

appeal made Monday by Mrs. C. E. Parsons and Mrs. Vaclav Buresh. This club, in which ten nationalities are represented, is composed of all the women in the school district. Sixth and Hickory, who have the school vote. To their work is due in large measure credit for the new school house now being erected.

Mrs. L. M. Lord, chairman of the business women's committee, announces her committee members as follows: Miss Katherine Worley, Miss Ione C. Duffy, Miss Maud Davies and Mesdames Allen Parmer, C. J. Hubbard, C. E. Parsons, W. B. Tagg, W. C. Lambert, Frank Ames, A. C. Kugel, A. V. Shotwell, O. Y. Krink, Ernest Sweet, Ray Abbott, E. H. Barrett and Blaine Young.

Kennedy Talks to Nurses. John L. Kennedy addressed the

state nurses' convention at the Blackstone Wednesday. Arthur Mullen spoke at the women's Liberty loan committee meeting at the Commercial club at 2 o'clock. Other addresses at women's meetings today were: Omaha Story Tellers' league, Mrs. Byron Clark, speaker; Garfield circle, Mrs. George B. Eddy, speaker; Woman's Christian Temperance union, Benson, Mrs. N. J. McKittrick, speaker; Woman's Christian Temperance union, West Side, Mrs. H. G. Claggett, speaker; Daughters of the Civil War Veterans, Mrs. Warren Blackwell, speaker; Masonic lodge, Florence, Florence Nightingale club, Mrs. D. G. Craighead, speaker, and B'nai B'rith, women's auxiliary, Mrs. Joseph Duffy, speaker.

BOYS IN KHAKI AID LOAN DRIVE

Give More Than Thirty-Two Million Dollars in Subscriptions for Liberty Bonds at Cantonments.

Washington, Oct. 18.—American soldiers and the army civilian employees have purchased more than \$32,000,000 of Liberty bonds.

Of this amount, men in the 16 national army camps have subscribed \$10,600,000 and those in the 15 National Guard camps \$9,200,000. The national army soldiers have averaged \$24.52 each, while the record of the National Guardsmen is \$33.36 per capita and the average for the entire 31 camps is \$29.97.

Three camps have received subscriptions at latest report in excess of \$1,000,000. The National Guard camp, Camp Sheridan, at Montgomery, Ala., leads with subscriptions of \$1,229,950 for its 22,500 men. Second honors are held by Camp Shelby, also a National Guard camp, at Hattiesburg, Miss., where 17,800 men have bought bonds to the amount of \$1,152,000. The only national army camp which has broken into the \$1,000,000 class to date is Camp Grant at Rockford, Ill., containing 27,000 men, whose Liberty bond subscriptions stand at \$1,096,800.

Nebraska's Credit \$500,000 In U. P. Bond Allotment

In its distribution of the \$5,000,000 subscribed to the second Liberty loan, the Union Pacific allotted \$1,000,000 to New York City, where the chief executive offices are located. The remaining \$4,000,000 was apportioned among the thirteen states in which the company's lines operate, in proportion to the mileage in each state.

The apportionment of the \$4,000,000 will credit Nebraska with \$500,000; amounts to other states as follows:

Iowa, \$75,000; Kansas, \$500,000; Missouri, \$150,000; Colorado, \$225,000; Wyoming, \$250,000; Utah, \$250,000; Idaho, \$650,000; Montana, \$100,000; Nevada, \$100,000; California, \$300,000; Oregon, \$500,000; Washington, \$400,000.

Boyles College Students Subscribe for the Bonds

As a result of Major John Maher, U. S. A., giving a short address on Liberty bond subscription, yesterday afternoon, to the students of Boyles college, that school has subscribed \$160 to the Liberty loan movement, in the name of the American Red Cross.

The names and amount of all students subscribing were recorded, and will be forwarded to the Treasury department at Washington, D. C., where they will be filed for record.

Homestake Mining Interests Buy Quarter Million Bonds

Mitchell, S. Dak., Oct. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The Homestake mining interests at Lead have bought Liberty bonds to the amount of \$250,000 and paid 2 percent of the purchase money with the application. Lawrence County will exceed its apportionment by \$50,000. The Homestake contribution is the largest one of the campaign and is probably the biggest individual donation ever made in South Dakota to any cause.

Wants Jells and Dainties For Army Post Hospitals

Mrs. Gould Dietz is making an appeal for jellies, preserves and chopped pickles for the two army post hospitals. The Red Cross committee has furnished seventy-two dozen four-ounce glass containers which they wish the women to fill. Already seventy-two glasses of jelly have been sent to the Fort Crook hospital and fifty to Fort Omaha.

Many Musical Moments at Hospes



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QUITTING BUSINESS

THIS GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE Opens Friday 8:30 A. M. COME EARLY

TO THE PUBLIC Having decided to close out my entire stock of shelf hardware, we have secured the services of Col. B. J. Newlon of the firm of PIERPOINT BROS., Merchandise Brokers and Sales Experts, to help us line up the stock and mark down the prices, and to handle the crowds that will come hundreds of miles to attend this Great Slaughter Sale of Real High Grade Hardware. Now, we want you to understand that our Entire Stock will go on sale, not just a few odds and ends picked out to get you in the store, then sell you something else, but we include everything from Basement to Ceiling—will have the Yellow Tags on that will show you the GREAT SAVINGS!

Therefore, beginning Friday Morning at 8:30 o'clock, we will open our doors to the public with the Greatest Price-Cutting, Closing-Out Sale of Hardware ever held in Nebraska. We want you to remember that this is not a So-Called Salvage, Reduction, Contest, or a Flim-Flam Sale, but is a Genuine QUITTING BUSINESS Sale, for we have decided that we are through with the Hardware Game in Omaha, and we have said to NEWLON to make the prices so Cheap that the Merchants that are up-to-date will come right in and buy this stock in a few days, for we are tired of paying Big Rents and having the Landlord eat us up, so now it is up to you, the Consumer, to help us let go, for we are bound to get out, regardless of what the goods will sell for.

Now, get out your Catalogue and go over the items that we have listed, then go carefully over this circular and compare the prices with any wholesale catalogue which you may have. Then come right in with your pocketbook well filled, or your check book, and take home enough to last you for a year, for we assure you that now "ONE DOLLAR WILL DO THE DUTY OF TWO." COL. B. J. NEWLON.

Remember These Prices Are Only Good While Present Stock Lasts DO IT NOW!

Only a Sample of the Many Bargains—Write For Price List

DRILL AND AUGER BITS

3-16 Ford Car Bits, worth 35c, now only, each 18c
9-16, 45c value, on sale at 28c
1-inch Ford Car Bits, worth 70c, special at 44c
(We have all sizes in these at the same big discount.)

BED CASTERS

We have in stock all sizes and kinds of Casters for beds and tables. Set of four Bed Casters, worth 25c, yours for 13c
One set Casters, worth 35c, special, at 21c
Real \$1 value, now only 69c
Large size set of four Casters—worth 85c, for 54c

WINDOW CLEANERS

Window Cleaners—made of rubber, worth 70c, sale, 47c
Window Squeegee, worth 60c, now on sale 38c
Best grade brass bound squeegee, worth \$2 \$1.09
Bristol window brush, worth 60c, now 34c
Scrub brushes, worth 10c—sale price 6c
Good heavy fiber scrub brush, worth 15c, now 9c
Galvanized iron Daisy Sprayers, worth 75c, for 58c
Plumber's Friend—best grade rubber, worth 85c, now 64c
Plumber's Friend—for cleaning closets, worth \$1.50—now at \$1.09
Rubber cup cleaner, worth 50c, sale, only 22c

Dust Pans, worth 45c, yours for 28c
Meat Hooks, just the thing for butchers, while they last, each, only 2c

OIL OF CEDAR AND MOPS

Oil of Cedar, worth per bottle 25c, now only 8c
50c size, yours for 24c
Real \$1 bottle, now 48c
Best O' Cedar Mop, worth \$1.25, yours for 64c

PLIERS AND NIPPERS

8-inch Clinch Pliers, worth \$2.50, now \$1.44
8-inch Red Devil Pliers, worth \$1.50, yours for 98c
No. 9 Red Devil Pliers, worth \$1.75, only 79c

19-inch, worth 60c, for 34c
1-inch Pliers, worth 85c 53c
Red Devil Side Cutters, worth 85c, only 52c
Diamond Edge Side Cutting, worth 75c, for 36c
9-inch Diamond Edge Side Cutting, worth 85c, yours for only 63c
Round nose Red Devil, worth 85c, for 44c
Regular \$1.25 round nose pliers, we close out at 69c
Pocket size electrician's side cutters, worth 50c 32c
Combination nipper and punch and pliers, worth \$1.35, we quit 76c
Bradawls, worth 10c, now, 5c

LOCKS

Yale & Towne Padlocks, worth 40c, on sale at 23c

Yale lock, worth 50c, now 34c
Yale padlock, worth \$1.10—now at 64c
Regular \$2 lock, yours, \$1.38
No. 843 Yale, worth \$2.50—now only \$1.48
No. 860 Yale, worth \$3.70—now only \$2.14

SPRING HINGES

3-inch Chicago Spring Hinge Butts, worth 60c, yours 38c
5-inch Chicago Spring Hinge Butts, worth \$1.10, now 78c
6-inch Chicago Spring Hinge Butts, worth \$1.60 \$1.04
5-inch double action hinges—worth \$2, for 98c
6-inch double action hinges—worth \$3.25, now \$1.68
7-inch double action hinges—worth \$3.50, now \$2.38

BUTTS

Steel Door Hinges, bronze finish, 3 1/2 x 3 1/2, worth 40c, now on sale, at 24c
4x4 Nickel Plated Steel Butts, worth 45c, now 28c
5x5 Steel Butts, worth 65c now 46c
2x2 Brass Finish Butts, worth 25c, for 16c
3 1/2 x 3 1/2, worth 12 1/2c, for 7c
3x3 Brass Finish, worth 15c, sale price, only 10c
3-inch Strap Hinges, worth 10c—now at 7c
4 and 5-inch Strap Hinges, worth 15c, now on sale 9c
6-inch Best Strap Hinges, worth 20c, now at 12c

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We have a very full and complete line of Hardware Fixtures that are for sale, and we want every Merchant in this territory to come in and look over this store and place his bid on the entire line or part of it, as we will receive sealed bids up to Saturday, November the 3rd, when they will be opened and the highest bid will get them. Don't be afraid, but come and look them over or write for description.

Special Notice As to Deliveries

We have definitely decided to make deliveries as follows: Our wagon will go south of Leavenworth and will leave the store at 8 a. m.; west, north of Leavenworth to Cumina, at 10 a. m.; north of that at 1 o'clock. Nothing delivered to anyone unless you buy at least \$2.50 worth.