

COAST BANKS ORDER 100,000 HAND BOMBS

Grenades Intended for Our
Doughboys Given
Away Free

San Francisco—Banks and Trust Companies of the seven states in the Twelfth Federal Reserve District have ordered nearly 100,000 hand grenades which they will give free to purchasers of War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates. The grenades are expected to arrive at the Federal Reserve Bank in San Francisco from Washington within the next thirty days, but owing to probable freight delays, no exact date of arrival can be given.

These hand grenades which the War Department had on hand when the armistice was signed, all loaded with TNT to bomb the Germans out of their machine gun nests and dugouts, have been turned into savings banks by simply taking out the TNT and cutting a coin slot in the side. Save for those alterations they are regular hand grenades known as the Mills Bomb No. 11. As souvenirs of the Great War they have been sought after avidly in the East, where one enterprising firm, which managed somehow to get a few of them, put them on the market at a dollar each. They sold like hot cakes.

Persons up to twelve years of age can get a grenade by purchasing one War Savings Stamp; 12 to 18 years, two stamps; over 18, one \$100 or one \$1000 Treasury Savings Certificate, all of which mature in five years and bring four per cent interest compounded quarterly.

Ask any bank about them and get your name in today. The supply is limited. These are the only hand grenades in this country. They were ready for shipment to our doughboys when the war ended and were turned over to the Treasury Department by the War Department to stimulate thrift and saving through the purchase of Thrift and War Stamps regularly.

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TEXAS TAKES LEAD IN WAR ON PROFITEERS

Young People's Economic
League Boycotts Merchants
Who Overcharge

Dallas, Texas—In its fight against the high cost of living, the Young People's Economic League of this city is urging everybody to refuse to buy high priced clothing and shoes, to purchase groceries and meats only where they are being sold at a reasonable price and to put what has been saved thereby into War Savings Stamps and eventually into Registered Treasury Savings Certificates.

The Young People's Economic League, composed of both men and women, is working hand in hand with the Housewives' Chamber of Commerce, which was a prime mover in establishing a municipal market place, where farmers bring their produce and sell directly to consumers. This municipal market proved a success from its inception.

"By buying carefully," said one of the committee chairmen of the Young People's Economic League, "considerable money can be saved, even with prices as high as they are now. We are urging everybody to take what they have actually saved and invest it in War Savings Stamps. They will thus be putting dollars whose purchasing power is low at work earning interest until the time when they are worth more."

"Money invested in War Savings Stamps is always earning more money for the investor and can always be secured, with accrued interest, on ten days' written notice. In these days of high prices, it behooves all of us to save what we can. The war may be over but the profiteer is still waging a merry little war of his own, and savings form one of the best weapons with which to whip him."

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HE'S GOT MONEY

"He's got money." Admit that when you hear that said of a man you instinctively look him over—look him over pretty respectfully as a rule. Whether you want to admit it or not, you have a bit of admiration for him. Why?

Because he is a man above the general run of human beings. He is a man who is independent—a man who looks the other fellow in the eye and tells him to "go to hell." He can't be bullied. He knows his rights and is in a position to demand them. His money gives him that power.

Independence is the open doorway to happiness. Only the possession of money or of things worth money can give independence. There is only one legitimate way to get money. Earn it and save it. All the capital in the world today was first earned and then saved.

You—everyman and everywoman—can be independent. Each week or month take so much out of your wage or salary envelope and invest in Thrift and War Savings Stamps. Live on what is left. Meanwhile the money put into the government securities goes to work earning 4 per cent interest compounded quarterly.

Make them say "He's got money" when you go by.

MOST FRAGRANT OF FLOWERS

Baltimore Admirer Declares the Breath
of the Lilac Stands Unmatched
for Sweetness.

When the lilacs breathe, odors of Araby become fetid and astringent in comparison. When the lilacs breathe, their odorous breath carries the fragrance of the distillation of a generation of life and love that they have gathered to themselves, where they have bloomed by the garden wall or against the porch pillar. The old

home—wonderful in the vividness of its memories and associations—is created by the picturing of beauty and tenderness that the fragrance of the blossoming lilacs brings to the mind. One sees the path through the garden winding down to the clump of lilacs. The faces of other days are framed in the pictures that fancy creates through the magic of the lilacs.

The panicles of bloom are in full flower and the blooms will be hailed with joy by the multitudes who have in their feelings the sentiments to which lilacs appeal. They are a medi-

tative and reflective kind of flower. They come so quietly in the spring. They bloom forth so abundantly and magnificently. They sing their concert to the airs of April and cause the four winds of the heavens to become their survivors to the joy of mankind.

The lilacs are the softest and most persuasive of all tints, those of lavender and purple, with some of driven whiteness. How wonderful their beauty, the assembling of the blossoms and their disposition upon the branch! How full of art! How exquisitely

Dresden is the lilac as it swings in the breeze! And every lilac bush is a product of years of growth, and that growth goes on perennially until one and another generation is laid beneath the sod, and the lilac has been entrusted with the cherished memories of youth and maturity and age—passed out of life.—Baltimore American.

Average Intelligence.
There have been a number of reports about the results of the psychologic tests in the army which are not particularly encouraging. Of course it is all very well to find that more than half of those taken in the

draft were of an average or of a higher intelligence and that four out of every 100 were of a "very superior" intelligence and eight to ten out of every 100 of "superior" intelligence. This will probably average up higher than what would be secured in any European country, but the fly in the ointment is the high relative percentage of those who are "below average" intelligence, or of an "inferior" intelligence or are "very inferior," with several grades and degrees even below the "very inferior."

AUCTION SALE

I will sell at Public Sale, to the Highest Bidder at the farm of

∴ **R. J. KUSEY** ∴

Two miles west of Stayton and two miles east of West Stayton, on Stayton-West Stayton road, on

MON. SEPT. 29, '19

Commencing at 10 o'clock, Sharp, the following described stock, machinery, etc.

Stock and Machinery

- 1 Roan Mare 13 yrs. old wt. about 1250
- 1 Bay Horse " " 1350
- 2 Bay Mares 21 " " 1400
- 2 Pigs wt. about 80 and 90lbs, 1-2 doz. pullets
- 1 McCormick Binder, 6ft cut, 1 hand cultivator
- 1 " Mower 5ft cut, 1 plow truck
- 1 " Rake 10ft, 1 milk cart
- 1 Side delivery windrower, 1 road cart
- 1 Three section harrow, 1 lumber wagon
- 1 Iron wheel wagon and rack, 1 1-horse sled
- 1 Brand new R. M. Wade ditching machine
- 2 Shovel cultivators, 1 6-shovel 2-h cultivator
- 1 Van Brunt drill 14 row double disk
- 1 Disk Harrow 6ft cut 16in disks
- 1 2-seated carriage, 1 wheel barrow
- 1 Ford Touring car 1913 model in fine shape

Machinery Household Goods, Etc.

- 1 Oliver chill steel beam plow, 1 grind stone
- 1 Oliver chill wood beam plow, 1 96lb anvil
- 1 400lb cap, scale, 50 rods woven wire
- 1 1-2 yrd gravel box, 95 brick, 100 sacks
- 20 gal. coal tar, 10 chicken coops
- 2 Set Work Harness, some oats and wheat
- 1 Imperial hot water Incubator 220 egg cap.
- Saws, sledges, chains, forks, etc.
- 1 Telephone, 1 mail box, 1 oak rocker
- 1 Ash book case, 1 ash cupboard, 1 rug 7x9
- 1 Oak round table, 1 oak dresser,
- 1 Oak Commode, 1 oak high chair
- 1 Oak stand and some chairs, 1 6 lid range
- 1 Kitchen treasure, 1 milk cupboard
- 1 Heating stove, 2 iron beds, 2 springs
- Dishes, fruit jars, and other numerous things

TERMS All of \$20 and under, Cash. Over that amount a credit of 6 months with interest at 8 per cent, with bankable notes will be given

NO ARTICLES TO BE REMOVED UNTIL SETTLED FOR

Free Lunch will be served at noon

FARMERS & MERCHANTS' BANK, CLERK

GEORGE KEECH, AUCTIONEER

R. J. Kusey

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Owner