

## Portland's Answer

**I** AM ready. Upon the opening of the Victory Loan today, fair Oregon, you will find me prepared—through the patriotism of my people—to uphold the honor of our country and the pride of our state.

I appreciate the responsibility, realize the obligation and welcome the opportunity to liquidate this debt for service rendered and gratitude enjoyed.

I have never lagged in the pace set so many months ago. I have given my mind, my soul, my body to this cause. By the sweat of my brow my ships have slipped down the long river to brave the sharks of the deep sea; my pockets have been open wide as each call for gift or loan has gone forth; my heart has beat time to the marching feet of my sons.

Support this Victory Loan? Yes, as surely as I thank God for the freedom of my people. Ere the sun sets tonight there will be a gathering momentum of subscriptions moving on like the rush tide of democracy. Before its irresistible force will sweep those petty excuses which, born of thoughtlessness, carelessness, forgetfulness, would stay my will and hand.

Look to me, Oregon, for fulfillment of my duty.

### CITY OF PORTLAND Portland Victory Liberty Loan Organization

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#### EVENTS OF IMPORTANCE

**Monday, 1:30**—Allied Aviation Flights. Eleven Aces of the Air in Battle Planes depicting how supremacy was won.

**Monday, 6:30**—Complimentary dinner at Auditorium to 1000 Victory Loan Organization. Aces of the Air will be guests of honor.

**Monday, 7:30**—Auditorium will be thrown open to public for great Victory Mass Meeting. Spectacular novelties. Seating capacity only 4000.

**Immediately**—All service men are requested to register their names at desk of Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, Royal Bldg., Broadway and Morrison, for Great Victory Parade, Thursday afternoon.

**Tuesday, 8 P. M.**—Great Thanksgiving Rally and Community Sing, auspices Women's Victory Loan Committee, Auditorium. Walter Jenkins, song leader. Thrilling talks by the boys who came back. Exhibition of "THE PRICE OF PEACE," a five-reel Government film on the war.

That Portland may make good that pledge—we gladly contribute this space.

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