

PEACE MISSION ASKS SUPPORT OF FIFTH LOAN

Urges American People to
Finish the Job by Taking
the Victory Loan

Four members of the American peace mission in France, Secretary of State Robert Lansing, Col. E. M. House, General Tasker N. Bliss and Henry White, have sent this message to the American people urging support of the Victory Loan:

TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE:
"We have had the opportunity here in France to see and realize the magnitude of the accomplishment of our country in this war and the magnificent spirit with which this great task has been carried through to a triumphant issue.

"What has been done and what remains to be done before normal conditions are restored demand your continued and united support with the same spirit of self sacrifice and of determination as that which was manifested by the nation while the German armies faced our men at the Marne, and in the Champagne, at St. Mihiel and in the Argonne. We must not relax our efforts until every soldier of the republic is landed on the soil of America.

"To finish this mighty task imposes upon the government of the United States a great financial burden. The Victory Liberty Loan must thrive. If it should fail it would indicate that the Nation is willing to leave its task uncompleted.

"To secure the ideals for which Americans fought and died this great demand on national patriotism and united effort should meet a generous and universal response. Let us do our duty to the end.

"ROBERT LANSING,
"HENRY WHITE,
"E. M. HOUSE,
"T. N. BLISS."

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS FOR JUNE ELECTION

Advance Information on Bills to Be
Referred to People By Thirtieth
Legislative Assembly.

An act (S. B. 276) authorizing and providing for a special election to vote on measures enacted by the thirtieth legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, and submitted to the people; also on amendments to the constitution of the state of Oregon proposed by the said legislative assembly, and submitted to the people; appropriating money to defray the expenses of such special election, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Oregon:

Section 1. A special election shall be held at the several voting precincts of this state, on the third day of June, 1919. At such election, the following named proposed amendments to the constitution of the state of Oregon, adopted by the thirtieth legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, and no other, and the following measures or enactments passed by the thirtieth legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, and which by the terms thereof have been submitted to the people, and no other, shall be submitted to the people at said election, for the approval or rejection of the people of the state, to wit:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 25—Amending article XI of the constitution of the state of Oregon, by adding section 7-a, providing for the issuance of not exceeding \$5,000,000 in reconstruction bonds of the state of Oregon.

House Joint Resolution No. 32—For the addition to the constitution of the state of Oregon of article XI-b providing funds for the payment by the state of interest, for a period not exceeding five years, on bonds issued by irrigation and drainage districts.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11—Amending section 10 of article XI of the constitution of the state of Oregon, increasing the limitation of taxes by counties, for roads.

House Joint Resolution No. 20—Amending section 3 of article XIV of the constitution of the state of Oregon, as to the location of public institutions of the state, and excepting from the former constitutional provisions, an industrial and reconstruction hospital.

House Joint Resolution No. 31—Amending sections 1 and 8 of article V of the constitution of the state of Oregon, and providing for a lieutenant governor.

Senate Bill No. 266—Authorizing the issuance of reconstruction bonds of the state, conferring certain powers on the state board of control, providing for the use of funds derived from reconstruction bonds in the construction of state and public buildings, the supervision of such work, promoting land settlement, land reclamation, and providing em-

ployment.

Senate Bill No. 269 — Providing state financial aid to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines, enlisted or inducted into the service

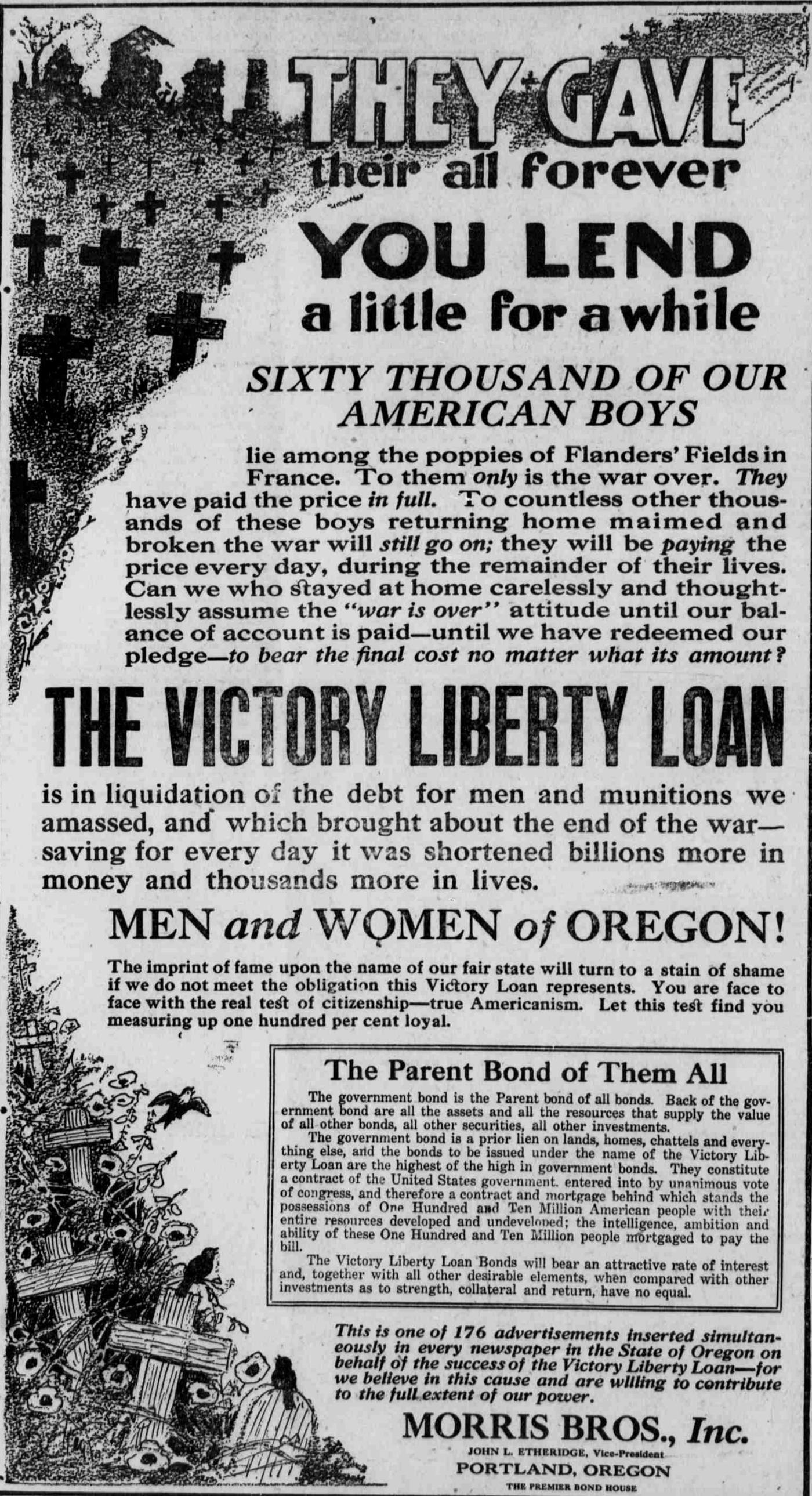
from the state of Oregon, who desire to pursue a course of study in institutions of higher learning in the state of Oregon.

Senate Bill No. 283—Being an act

to levy annually a tax of 1 mill on the dollar on all taxable property in the state for market road purposes, providing for a distribution thereof, and containing other provisions.

House Bill No. 147—Providing for the construction of a highway to be known as the Roosevelt Coast Military highway, appropriating \$2,500,000 contingent on the United States ap-

propriating a like sum for the construction of said highway, and providing for the issuance of bonds by the state of Oregon, and containing other provisions.



THEY GAVE their all forever YOU LEND a little for a while

SIXTY THOUSAND OF OUR AMERICAN BOYS

lie among the poppies of Flanders' Fields in France. To them *only* is the war over. They have paid the price *in full*. To countless other thousands of these boys returning home maimed and broken the war will *still go on*; they will be *paying* the price every day, during the remainder of their lives. Can we who stayed at home carelessly and thoughtlessly assume the "*war is over*" attitude until our balance of account is paid—until we have redeemed our pledge—to bear the final cost no matter what its amount?

THE VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN

is in liquidation of the debt for men and munitions we amassed, and which brought about the end of the war—saving for every day it was shortened billions more in money and thousands more in lives.

MEN and WOMEN of OREGON!

The imprint of fame upon the name of our fair state will turn to a stain of shame if we do not meet the obligation this Victory Loan represents. You are face to face with the real test of citizenship—true Americanism. Let this test find you measuring up one hundred per cent loyal.

The Parent Bond of Them All

The government bond is the Parent bond of all bonds. Back of the government bond are all the assets and all the resources that supply the value of all other bonds, all other securities, all other investments.

The government bond is a prior lien on lands, homes, chattels and everything else, and the bonds to be issued under the name of the Victory Liberty Loan are the highest of the high in government bonds. They constitute a contract of the United States government, entered into by unanimous vote of congress, and therefore a contract and mortgage behind which stands the possessions of One Hundred and Ten Million American people with their entire resources developed and undeveloped; the intelligence, ambition and ability of these One Hundred and Ten Million people mortgaged to pay the bill.

The Victory Liberty Loan Bonds will bear an attractive rate of interest and, together with all other desirable elements, when compared with other investments as to strength, collateral and return, have no equal.

This is one of 176 advertisements inserted simultaneously in every newspaper in the State of Oregon on behalf of the success of the Victory Liberty Loan—for we believe in this cause and are willing to contribute to the full extent of our power.

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