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THE "LITTLE MAN'S" LOAN

The government, in floating the second Liberty Loan, has deliberately made its appeal to people in moderate circumstances. It is not to be a "little man's" loan, or even a "poor man's loan." The bonds are in units of \$50. It is true that \$50 bonds were sold in the first loan, but the stress was not laid on them as it is now. Nor were attendant circumstances then calculated to force the loan into the hands of the "little men" as they are today. In the present case there is more time to pay; and the bonds, in small blocks, are more profitable.

The first loan was exempt from taxation. The second loan is exempt only up to \$5,000. Any individual buying the new bonds above that amount will be liable to the income tax on the interest derived from the excess. Any corporation will similarly be liable to the excess profits tax on the interest from bonds above \$5,000 worth. And in both of these cases, it should be remembered, not only does the income from the bonds become subject to taxation, but the tax rate rises sharply with the amount of the income. Thus, while there is every pecuniary incentive for the poor man to buy bonds, because he will have his four per cent return clear, the rich man is discouraged from buying large blocks of them because the more he buys the less profitable they will be to him. Common folk, therefore, have in the second Liberty Loan a rare opportunity, and also a duty. The success or failure of the loan is in their hands. It is up to them to make good on the faith placed in them.

There need be no question as to the result. The "average American" has never failed his country in a crisis. He will not fail now. He will contribute gladly the money that the nation needs to win the war, for the sake of its own safety and the safety of the civilized world. And he will do it none the less cheerfully because he knows it's good business as well as good citizenship.

SCHOOL ROOM MAPS

The dilemma of the superintendent of schools in a thriving middle western city is interesting as a side problem raised by the war. For three years he has postponed ordering much-needed new school room maps, waiting for the war to end and settle boundary lines of the future. But the war has refused to be so obliging. And this fall the superintendent has reluctantly placed his order for old maps giving the old national territories and outlines.

It is to be hoped that the study of history, as well as the study of geography, isn't being held up by the war. And when you come right down to it, why aren't the old maps quite as useful as the new ones would be to an intelligent teacher and wide-awake class in studying history, climates, peoples, racial traits, rivers and mountains. Map-drawing might even become a real sport instead of a tedious exercise if students were given a chance to draw them as they may be or as they think they should be.

Why not let them make their own maps for a while?

RUSSIAN LEADER SAYS SITUATION IS SERIOUS

PETROGRAD, Oct. 5.—(U. E.)—Leo Trotsky, chief lieutenant of Nicholas Lenin, radical leader, today declared that Russia is on the verge of a rebellion, in a speech before the democratic congress following its rejection of the coalition cabinet. Trotsky is a bitter opponent of Kerensky.

MARKET REPORT

The prices given in the local quotations are those asked by the wholesaler from the retailer for fruit and vegetables. All other prices are those paid the producer. List corrected daily.

LOCAL GRAINS

Wheat	\$1.90
Oats, 75c	
Bran	\$3.10
Vetch seed	\$3.10
Shorts	\$3.10
Hay, cheat	\$2.00
Hay, vetch	\$2.00
Hay, timothy	\$2.20
Clover	\$2.00
Flour, hard wheat	\$10.58
Flour, valley	\$10.00
Sugar	\$8.08

Butter

Butterfat	48c
Creamery butter	49c
Country butter, trade	50c

Eggs and Poultry

Eggs, cash	43c
Eggs, trade	44c
Hens, per pound	13@15c
Roosters	8c
Broilers	15c
Springs	14c
Ducks	14@15c
Geese	(—)

Pork, Veal and Mutton

Hogs	\$13@16.75
Cows	4@5 1-2c
Steers	5@7c
Veal	7@9c
Mutton	4@5c
Ewes	5@7c
Lambs	8 1-2c@10 1-2c
Yearling sheep	7@8c

PORTLAND MARKET

Portland, October 6, 1917.
 Bluestem, \$2.05.
 Fortyfold, \$2.03.
 Club, \$2.01.
 Red Russian, \$1.98.

Oats, white No. 2 feed, \$50.75.
 Barley, feed, \$50.
 Valley flour, \$9.80.
 Hay
 Willamette Timothy, fancy \$24@25.
 Vetch, \$22@23.
 Cheat, \$22@23.
 Clover, \$22.

Vegetables

Potatoes, \$1.25@1.50.
 Beans—nominal, small white, 14 1-2c large white 14 1-2c; pink, 10 3-4c; limas, 13 1-2c; bayoux, 10 1-2c; red, 10 1-2c.

Livestock

Prime steers \$7.50@89.75.
 Hogs, best live, \$17.50@17.75.
 Fancy cows, \$6.75@87.50.
 Calves, \$5@9.50.
 Sheep, valley yearlings, \$11.25@11.50.
 Spring lambs, \$12.75@13.50.

Butter, Eggs and Sugar

Butter, city creamery, 46c.
 Butterfat, 49c.
 Eggs, selected ex, 44c.
 Sugar, \$8.00.

Live Poultry

Hens, Plymouth Rocks, 18c.
 Broilers, 19@20c.
 Turkeys, live, 19@22c.
 Geese, live, 10c.
 Pekin Ducks, 18@20c.
 Wool, '16 valley cotswold, best, 55c medium Shropshire, 60c.
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