

DON'T BE LIKE ME



WEST SAVED \$100,000,000 IN WAR STAMPS

People of Pacific Slope Have
Loaned Government Huge
Sum Since 1918

San Francisco—Nearly \$100,000,000 worth of War Savings and Thrift Stamps have been sold by the government in the Twelfth Federal Reserve District since Uncle Sam opened his thrift campaign in 1918 to help finance the war. "In other words," said Robert E. Smith, director of the War Loan Organization in the Twelfth District, "the people of California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Nevada, Utah and part of Arizona have added that much to the working capital of the nation and the West out of their savings, not to mention the tremendous sum they have saved by purchasing Liberty Bonds."

Of course many persons who bought Thrift and War Savings Stamps have cashed in their securities with amazing shortsightedness, but the wiser purchasers are holding their stamps until they maintain their full maturity value. "Those persons who have cashed in their War Stamps or their Liberty Bonds and have spent the money have lost twice the amount they saved because, no matter what they bought, they paid nearly twice as much for it as they would have paid less than five years from now," said Smith. "Prices have risen more than 100 per cent since 1914. They will drop at least 50 per cent in the next few years and will eventually get back to the 1914 level. Now is the time to save." Smith, who is a successful financier, said: "We have high prices because of the expansion of credit and consequent inflation. We won't have low prices until the people contract the currency by saving." Save by investing in government securities.

EAGLES FIGHT H. C. L. WITH \$5,000,000 W. S. S.

Fraternal Order Buys War
Stamps to Check Waste
and High Prices

Washington—The Fraternal Order of Eagles, in convention at New Haven, Conn., has pledged itself to the purchase of \$5,000,000 in War Savings Stamps. This action was taken as a means for the checking of national waste and extravagance and for the reduction of the high cost of living. News of the steps taken by the order was received today by William Mather Lewis, Director of the Savings Division of the Treasury Department.

After adopting resolutions endorsing the government thrift campaign as a movement for developing a national habit of saving and approving consistent investment in government savings securities, the Grand Aerie subscribed for \$2,500,000 in War Savings Stamps for distribution among members of the order.

Assurances were received from subordinate Aeries that they would subscribe for an equal amount for the same purpose.

Mr. Lewis immediately transmitted a message to the officers of the order expressing the tremendous appreciation of the Savings Division of their action in promoting the thrift movement.

IN OUR OWN HANDS

Solution of the financial crisis super-induced by the unjust cost of living, is largely in the hands of the American people themselves, according to the United States Federal Reserve Board. In his letter to the Senate Committee on Banking and Finance, W. P. G. Harding, governor of the Federal Reserve Board, said:

"Whether viewed from an economic or financial standpoint the remedy for the present situation is the same, namely to work and to save; work regularly and efficiently, in order to produce and distribute the largest possible volume of commodities, and to exercise economies in order that money, goods and services may be devoted primarily to the liquidation of debt and to the satisfaction of the demand for necessities, rather than to the indulgence in extravagance or the gratification of a

desire for luxuries." America must both work and save. There are many ways to work but only one way to save. That is to save first and spend afterwards, to put aside the first dollar that comes in, not the last dollar that goes out. It was to make possible the saving of even the smallest sums and their safe investment that government Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates were offered to the American people.

Students of economics declare that this country is on a magnificent prosperity debauch. Dealers in jewelry, expensive apparel and food delicacies throughout the country may the demand for their wares is unprecedented and that buyers do not care what they pay for them.

Stop living up to your wages or salary. Save regularly and invest in War Savings Stamps.

W. S. S.
Future of "Tired" Nations.
The recuperative powers of nations is great beyond belief, and hope is ever present as long as the spark of vitality is left. The same superhuman effort that was put forward to repel the invader will again be exerted to remedy the damage that has been done; only there must be a breathing space between effort, and in that space lies the greatest danger. This danger, however, is more imaginary than real, and whatever means are resorted to by the population to deaden the effect of the reactive period, it soon pall and the sober minds of the populace again attain the ascendancy.—Forbes Magazine.

Extravagance in Combs.
The notice, "Ladies are requested to remove their combs," appears now on theater programs in London, because of the vogue of the huge Spanish comb among smart women. Some of the combs are of enormous size. The tortoise shell vogue is an expensive one. A light tortoise shell dressing set costs \$1,000 or more.

Protected His Tonils.
John Lay denies the story that he had his tonsils sunburned by gazing skyward the other afternoon at the airplane that was cutting didos in the sky. He says the machine shifted its position often enough to keep him turning about, so that part of the time his mouth was in the shade.—Sikeston Standard.

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