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THE LIBERTY LOAN.

For the purpose of equipping with arms, clothing and food our gallant soldiers who have been called to the field;

Maintaining our navy and our valiant tars upon the high seas;

Providing the necessary means to pay the wages of our soldiers and sailors and, if the bill now pending in congress passes, the monthly allowances for the support of their dependent families and to supply them with life insurance;

Constructing a great fleet of merchant vessels to maintain the line of communication with our brave troops in France, and to keep our commerce afloat upon the high seas in defiance of the German Kaiser and his submarines;

Creating a great fleet of aeroplanes, which will give complete supremacy in the air to the United States and the brave nations fighting with us against German military menace; and for other necessary war purposes,

The congress of the United States has authorized the secretary of the treasury to sell to the American people bonds of the United States bearing four per cent interest, with valuable tax exemptions, and convertible under certain conditions into other issues of United States bonds that may be offered by the congress. The official circular of the treasury department gives full details.

There is now offered to the American people a new issue of \$3,000,000,000 of bonds to be known as the Second Liberty Loan. They will be issued in such denominations and upon such terms that every patriotic citizen will have an opportunity to assist the government by lending his money upon the security of a United States government bond.

It is essential to the success of the war and to the support of gallant troops that these loans shall not only be subscribed, but oversubscribed. No one is asked to donate or give his money to the government; but everyone is asked to lend his money to the government. The loans will be repaid in full with interest at the rate of four per cent per annum. A government bond is the safest investment in the world; it is as good as currency and yet better; because the government bond bears interest and currency does not. No other investment compares with it for safety, ready convertibility into cash, and unquestioned availability as collateral security for loans in any bank in the United States.

People by thousands ask the treasury constantly how they can help the government in this war. Through the purchase of Liberty Bonds everyone can help. No more patriotic duty can be performed by those who cannot actually fight upon the field of battle than to furnish the government with the necessary money to enable it to give our brave soldiers and sailors all that require to make them strong for the fight and capable of winning a swift victory over our enemies.

We fight, first of all, for America's vital rights, the right to the unmolested and unobstructed use of the high seas, so that the surplus products of our farms, our mines and our factories may be carried into the harbors of every friendly nation in the world. Our welfare and prosperity as a

people depend upon the right of peaceful intercourse with all the nations of the earth. To abandon these rights by withdrawing our ships and commerce from the seas upon the order of a military despot in Europe would destroy prosperity and bring disaster and humiliation upon the American people.

We fight to protect our citizens against assassination and murder upon the high seas while in the peaceful exercise of those rights demanded by international law and every instinct and dictate of humanity.

We fight to preserve our democratic institutions and our sovereignty as a nation against the menace of a powerful and ruthless military autocracy headed by the German Kaiser, whose ambition is to dominate the world.

We fight also for the noble ideal of universal democracy and liberty, the right of the smallest and weakest nations equally with the most powerful to live and govern themselves according to the will of their own people.

We fight for peace, for that just and lasting peace which tortured humanity craves and which not the sword nor the bayonet of a military despot but the supremacy of vindicated right alone can restore to a distracted world.

To secure these ends I appeal to every man and woman who resides upon the soil of free America and enjoys the blessings of her priceless institutions to join the League of Patriots by purchasing a Liberty Bond.

—W. G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury.

Prussianism ran true to form in Argentina, too.

"We must get them or they will get us." Not such a bad little slogan.

By getting its crises in dozen lots Russia perhaps secures bargain rates.

For additional evidence of Teutonic intrigue, look anywhere on the map.

It is said to be very unlucky to meet thirteen of your creditors on Friday.

Sweden's weird diplomacy seems to bear the "Made-in-Germany" brand.

American soldiers have a camp "somewhere in England," and are planning another camp somewhere in Germany.

A new granddaughter has recently arrived in the Kaiser's family. "She's more to be pitied than censured."

Members of the German reichstag are to be allowed to visit the war fronts, after which they will still have a speaking part in the government.

There is said to be enough whisky in Chicago to last two years, but if Chicago conserves it wisely the same quantity of whisky will last 2000 years.

Women of Maine have been refused the vote by their rock-bound brothers. However, time has exploded the tradition that "as Maine goes so goes the nation."

Darnell, the Wisconsin bigamist minister, has just taken his third degree after a three year course in Leavenworth and wishes to join the army. Wants to profit by his experience as a fighter, perhaps.

It is reported that the Kaiser has a severe chill. But that's nothing to the cold cold day for Willie that we will arrange when we march down Unter den Linden in Berlin to the strains of our teramental paen of victory, "There'll Be a Hot Time in the old Town," etc.

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WHAT THE FARMER IS DOING.

How much the American farmer is doing to feed the world is illustrated by a map with an article in The Nation's Business. While it purports to show business conditions, the text shows these to correspond closely with crop conditions. With the exception of small patches, all of the eastern, southeastern and middle western states are colored as "good," and all the rest as "fair" except the western Dakotas, Montana, northern Idaho, a strip of eastern Washington, southwestern Oregon, Western Texas and southeastern New Mexico, which are "poor."

Notwithstanding these blots, the writer of the article forecasts a crop of 3,300,000 bushels of corn, 725,000,000 bushels of wheat and 12,500,000 bales of cotton. The number of cattle and hogs is increasing, though sheep still decrease, cattle-growing is extending in the South, and rain has greatly benefited pasture and made planting of large forage crops possible. Some 400,000 silos, to which constant additions are made have stored 31,000,000 tons of feed for winter use. Fall plowing is very general under most favorable soil conditions, and gives promise of a great acreage of winter wheat for next year, and all changes in the condition map are from "fair" to "good."

There is sound logic in the defense that is made for the American farmer against the criticism that his yield per acre is less than that of Europe. Intensive farming cannot be practiced in this country as in Europe because we have less man-power, and the problem in this country is that of using machinery on a large scale to compensate for the scarcity of men on the farm. Our unit of production in agriculture is per man, and in this the American farmer excels. His growing prosperity and the larger supply of capital which has been placed at their disposal by the rural credit system enable him to make greater use of machinery, and thus to enlarge this unit of production without more men. As population grows, as country life becomes more attractive and as farms become smaller, the supply of farm labor will increase and more intensive cultivation will be practicable, adding still more to the unit of production.—Oregonian.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, Aug. 24, 1917. Notice is hereby given that Alfred Sundquist, of Ontario, Oregon, who, on April 3, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 03193, for E1/4 NE1/4, NW1/4, SW1/4, Sec. 14, T. 19 S., R. 46 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three-Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 9th day of October, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas Dixon, Chas. Lundgren, Chas. Thomson, Frank Mansell, all of Ontario, Oregon.
THOS. JONES, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, September 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Harrison Fay Brown of Nyssa, Oregon, who, on April 29, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 03277, for N1/4 NW1/4, Sec. 23, SW1/4 SW1/4, Sec. 14, who, on May 28, 1914, made Ad1 Homestead Entry No. 03331, for SW1/4 NW1/4, Sec. 23, and who on Nov. 11, 1915, made Ad1 Homestead Entry No. 04182 for S1/4 NE1/4, N1/4 SE1/4, Sec. 22, all in Township 19 South, Range 46 East Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 25th day of October, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: R. J. Davis, F. J. Phillips, Thos. Canham, Jr., W. L. Gibson, all of Nyssa, Oregon.
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