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NORTH CAROLINA "OVER THE TOP" IN WAR SAVINGS STAMPS JUNE 28

President Wilson Proclaims June 28 National War Savings Day.—Governor Bickett Designates June 23-28 War Savings Week.—Every Person Will Be Asked to Pledge.



W. S. S. TAKE THE BOYS "OVER THE TOP"

The next big campaign that must be put over with the same success that met the recent Red Cross and Liberty Loan drives is the War Savings Campaign. This must be done, President Wilson says, on or before Friday, June 28. He has proclaimed that day National War Savings Day and has called on every man, woman and child to subscribe all that in his honest opinion he will be able to pay during the remainder of the year to the War Savings Campaign.

Mr. Vanderlip and his associates decided over a month ago that the War Savings Campaign should be made to go "over the top" now, instead of taking a year and a month to do it, they sought a plan by which this could be done. The State of Nebraska furnished the plan, for this state had already subscribed several millions dollars over its quota and had raised over 50 per cent of its sales.

Mr. Vanderlip at once set about to know how Nebraska did it. He called into conference Mr. Ward M. Burgess, State Director of War Savings for Nebraska, and Mr. Redden, Mr. Burgess's right-hand man. Together they studied the plan in the light of a national plan, and with the experience of the two men who had worked it to a successful issue, they obtained principles and such features as to make it even more thorough and practicable for other States. Consequently, not only North Carolina but other states of the Union have been asked to adopt this plan and put over the War Savings Campaign June 28.

When Col. F. H. Fries, War Savings Director of North Carolina, was called to New York several weeks ago, with other state directors, to have their plans run before them, he was asked if North Carolina could do it. "Sure," said Colonel Fries, "what Nebraska can do, North Carolina can do. We'll put it over if it takes all the hunting and the dogs and the drums in the whole South to do it."

With this conviction and determination, Colonel Fries came back and set about perfecting the plans to make them most suitable to North Carolina conditions. These plans have been presented through conferences held at convenient places in the State to the county chairmen and other War Savings Workers. Every county chairman has in his hands a detailed copy of the plan, and he has been advised to follow the instructions step by step as given him to avoid confusion and to do the work with the greatest possible ease and efficiency.

Only one important change in the national plan did Colonel Fries think best to make for North Carolina. That was to make the campaign last a week instead of a day. Therefore, the week beginning June 23 continuing through June 28 has been designated as North Carolina War Savings Week. The Governor of North Carolina has issued a proclamation calling for every citizen of the State to observe this week as War Savings Week by subscribing at this time all that he will be able to buy during the remainder of the year.

The week begins on Sunday, June 23, with a statewide appeal for War Savings in the churches and Sunday schools. On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, a house-to-house canvass will be made in every township in the State to secure War Savings pledges. Every taxpayer or householder will make his pledge or give his excuse for not doing so. A record of every person's pledge will be taken and kept. On Friday, June 28, the drive will culminate in a War Savings rally held at every school house in the State. The State Director has called on every person in the school district to attend this meeting either to celebrate the occasion of the township's subscribing its quota or if that helps the case, to finish raising its quota. In other words, there is but one thing for any township to do on that day, and that is to subscribe its quota to the War Savings Campaign. Likewise, there is but one thing for every person to do, and that is to do his duty to the War Savings Campaign, which is his utmost. The Government expects no less of every man, woman and child in the State on this occasion.

THE PRESIDENT'S WAR SAVINGS PROCLAMATION

All Citizens Asked to Pledge etc Save and Buy War Savings Stamps June 28.

"This war is one of Nations, not of armies, and all of our one hundred million people must be economically and industrially adjusted to war conditions if this Nation is to play its full part in the conflict. The problem before us is not primarily a financial problem, but rather a problem of increased production of war essentials and the saving of the materials and the labor necessary for the support and equipment of our Army and Navy. Thoughtless expenditure of money for non-essentials uses up the labor of men, the products of the farm, mine and factory, and overburdens transportation all of which must be used to the utmost and at their best for war purposes. The great results which we seek can be obtained only by the participation of every member of the nation, young and old, in a National concerted Thrift movement. I therefore urge that our people everywhere pledge themselves, as suggested by the Secretary of the Treasury to the practice of Thrift, to serve the Government to their utmost in increasing production in all fields necessary to the winning of the war,

to conserve food and fuel, and useful materials of every kind, to devote their labor only to the most necessary tasks, and to buy only those things which are essential to individual health and efficiency, and that the people as evidence of their loyalty invest all that they can save in Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps. The securities issued by the Treasury Department are so many of them within the reach of every one that the door of opportunity in this matter is wide open to all of us. To practice Thrift in peace times is a virtue, and brings great benefit to the individual at all times. With the desperate need of the civilized world today for materials and labor with which to end the war, the practice of individual Thrift is a patriotic duty and a necessity. It earnestly appeal to every man, woman and child to pledge themselves on or before the twentieth of June to save constantly and to buy as regularly as possible the securities of the Government and to do this as far as possible through membership in War Savings Societies. The twenty-eighth of June ends this special period of enlistment in the great volunteer army of production and saving here at home. May there be none unenlisted on that day." (Signed) WOODROW WILSON.

THE RED TRIANGLE IS KEEPING ITS PROMISES

Y. M. C. A. Secretaries Follow The Soldiers Out into No Man's Land

No Job Too Small For The Biggest Of Men

The American Y. M. C. A. is keeping its promises. American secretaries are now, and have been for many weeks, at work in the forward area along the battle front in France. To an indeterminate number of Red Triangle men "over there" gas and shell-fire and mud and actual battle are a grim reality—a part of the day's work. A personal letter of absorbing interest was lately received from Mr. Ralph Harrison, president of the Pittsburgh Y. M. C. A. and a well known business man of that city, who has been in France on a special Y. M. C. A. Mission.

The Letter

"Careless had occurred among our soldiers just before we arrived at our 'trenches' the letter reads, 'and we were ordered to get under cover of our dugouts. After a number of chocolate, war bread, and canned beef, the six of us, etc. points were ordered to the cellar of the 'Y' together with fifty soldiers who happened to be in the old shell-torn building, as the bombs were beginning again to shell the town. We took candles, a big basketful of canned supplies, to last us in case we should have to be cut off later, overcoats and blankets. We fitted our gas masks on to be sure they were working well, and then settled down—or tried to—in the dugout. We expected to have to stay all night, but in an hour a noisy crowd, 'All out!' and 'up we gladly went. The rest of the evening we spent upstairs in one of the reasonably whole rooms, with piano and songs and stories and the ever-present and wonderful center, at which I took my turn. 'Careless' in my, I sleep more that night, with all the bang and noise outside, but nobody does. In fact, the first night. The night before I got about two hours of dozing with a stiff neck, sitting up in a crowded night train, but, strange to say, I never felt the least of it for a minute. 'We were up the next morning at six some hours, and after breakfast at the officers' mess, Charlie and I carried on for the trenches, each of us laden with about fifty pounds of various supplies besides our helmet, gas mask, etc. carried at all times at night, etc. 'For two hours we prepared a trench, and engineering trenches, digging trenches to disperse our supplies, and among the boys, some repairing the trenches, some building new ones, some on sentry duty, some sleeping in the dugouts, some repairing guns and watching for German planes. 'As we entered the front-line trenches, we suddenly ran into Secretary Baker and accompanying officers. I stepped aside as well as I could, so

Y. M. C. A. WORKERS ON ARMY TRANSPORTS

Y. M. C. A. Secretaries Now Accompany Troops From Home To The Camp And From Camp All The Way To The Beche Trenches

Y. M. C. A. secretaries have carried their work to the troops in transport, says an announcement just received from the National War Council of the Y. M. C. A., and are now promoting a systematic recreational, educational, social and religious program for the soldier boys en route by sea to France. With the sanction of the War Department each transport now carries one or two such secretaries whose function it is to do all that is possible to make the voyage both comfortable and enjoyable for the fighting men abroad.

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