



Swat the Fly.

GIVE GRENADE BANKS TO SCHOOL CHILDREN

Millions to be Distributed by Treasury Department to Encourage Happy Habit of Thrift.

Hand grenades made by the United States government to bomb the Huns to destruction are now to be used to boom thrift. Millions of the little machines of destruction, with the explosives carefully removed, are to be given to the school children of the United States to encourage the saving habit. The grenades are being converted into miniature savings banks. They will hold pennies and nickels and dimes which can be converted into Thrift Stamps. The Thrift Stamps in turn can be converted into War Savings Stamps.

Distribution of the grenades in the several Federal Reserve Districts will be left in the hands of the district Savings Directors. In this district the War Loan Organization, with headquarters in Richmond, Va., has so ar-



HAND GRENADE SAVINGS BANK

anged that a grenade bank will be awarded to each child, who, during the vacation period, earns enough money to buy a War Savings Stamp.

Some bank in every community will lead each child a grenade and at the close of the vacation period the child will return it, with the money it contains, to the bank. There the money will be counted. If the child has saved enough to buy a War Savings Stamp the grenade-bank will be his, but in all events the cash must be invested in Thrift Stamps if not enough has been saved to pay for a War Savings Stamp. The grenade-banks are of considerable value and will be splendid souvenirs of the great war, and the War Loan Organization of the Fifth Federal Reserve District is anxious to place them in the hands of as many children as possible.

Thrift is not miserliness. It is getting a hundred cents worth out of every dollar.

Are you sending out ships, or just hoping that somebody else's will get stranded on your shore? Buy W. S. S. and watch your own come in.

Don't forget the squirrel—save some of your nuts for the winter that always follows the summer.—Buy W. S. S.

Thrift is the wise use of money—improvidence is its abuse. Buy W. S. S.

BRITISH THRIFT.

The British War Savings Committee has become a permanent institution in England and the following declaration has been issued explaining the English attitude toward thrift:

"Quite as important, both as a source of revenue and as a social movement, is the restraint of luxury, and growth of economy and simplicity of life among the well-to-do. Otherwise goods and services will be wasted. War savings applies to all classes and appeals to all incomes."

HOW SAVINGS HABIT HELPS EVERYBODY

Money Invested This Year in Thrift Stamps Returns in Five Years Vastly Increased.

On New Year's day 1923, there will begin a remarkable series of dividend payments to American people. Hundreds of millions of dollars of War Savings Stamps sold during 1918 will then be redeemable. On each New Year's day thereafter for a number of years there will undoubtedly be huge returns to the American people of the money borrowed with interest.

These great dividend days bring American bankers new opportunities and also responsibilities. How can new thrift habits be linked to thrift institutions? How can this money, the product of thrift, be mobilized for further work?

Already the bankers are working with the Treasury Department to continue thrift habits. For people who save money there is a wide range of thrift institutions that will take charge of funds, put them to work safely, and return good earnings. As the government plans to borrow by general education of thrift in every kind, so the banks and thrift institutions can aid the government by encouraging general thrift and building bigger business themselves.

One of the first steps to be taken by bankers is that of spreading information about banks, life insurance, building and loan associations, federal farm loans, and all other thrift institutions. The best way to meet Uncle Sam's borrowing needs is to promote thrift on the broadest possible lines.

Every dollar deposited in a savings bank becomes available for national finance. Every life insurance policy sold is equivalent to an indirect loan to the government. Every obligation assumed by thrifty people such as a building mortgage is a stimulus to production and saving, and therefore, as much a national service as the direct purchase of government securities. In placing these matters clearly before everybody in his community the banker will live up to his opportunities and his responsibilities in the new thrift movement. When the billion dollar New Year Days arrive he will be ready.

TELLS HOW SHE BUYS WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Woman Tells How by Intelligent Savings Plan She is Able to Accumulate Money Which Was Formerly Wasted.

"Save while the money is warm" is the motto of a woman who has established a reputation both for herself and her family by the number of War-Savings Stamps she bought without apparently stinting in the least. Here is her system.

"The only way to save is to save. When I have actually saved a quarter I put it into a Thrift Stamp without delay. If I save that quarter on one thing and then spend it carelessly for something else, I have not saved any real money.

"For example the other day I went down town expecting to pay \$10 for a pair of special shoes. To my surprise, I found there was a sale that day, and got the very pair of shoes I wanted for \$7.75. I had saved \$2.25. But how to keep it saved, I knew that if I simply regarded it mentally as saving, before the end of the month it would be spent miscellaneously. I went right down stairs in the store and bought nine Thrift Stamps and stuck those quarters in the Thrift card where they could not get away before the end of the month.

"I do the same thing when I have saved a single quarter or half dollar, and I am seriously thinking of getting a little penny bank to hold saved pennies or dimes until they grow to Thrift Stamp size. What is more, I am getting a whole lot of fun out of this most fascinating game, the game of 'Getting Ahead.'

Get that happy feeling—it's waiting for you with your first W. S. S.

The man who puts his money into W. S. S. is never 'broke.'

Watch your out-go today and your future income will take care of itself.

Buy W. S. S. and you will neither waste nor want.

Classified Advertisements.

FOR RENT.
Six room furnished bungalow, with bath for rent or sale. Overbrook Orchard Saluda, N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS.
Buy your nursery stock of E. J. Bradley, Saluda, agent for the old reliable nursery company, of Pomona, N. C. He can save you money and assist you in your selection of trees best adapted to your soil.

FOR SALE.—Pair of mare mules, weight 1100 pounds each. Cheap for cash. Chas. J. Lynch, Tryon.

FOR SALE.—Two extra fine saddle horses. Chas. J. Lynch, Tryon.

FOR SALE.—Nice mahogany book case; also some small farming tools. Enquire of James Leonard, Tryon.

FOR SALE.—Registered Tamworth boar, with papers. One year old and weighs 200 pounds. Selling to prevent inbreeding. CHAS. J. LYNCH, Tryon, N. C.

Ship your chickens to us for highest market prices. We pay express on 1 dozen or more. B. H. BERNSTEIN, Spartanburg, S. C. 4-6t

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Having qualified as executor of the estate of E. L. Walker, deceased, late of Polk County, North Carolina this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, on or before the 6th day of June, 1920, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 16th day of May 1919.

J. W. WALKER, Administrator of E. L. Walker.

DON'T QUIT READING NEWSPAPERS NOW.

Just because the war is over, or because you may be busy with raising a new crop, is no reason why you should cease to keep up with the great problems facing the world, and the United States.

The period of readjustment it at hand. New conditions are coming to pass and new issues must be met. You must read a daily newspaper to keep informed and to know what is happening and how decisions on important matters are reached.

The man who is informed is the man who will keep ahead.

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Doomed to Wretchedness.

Let a man choose what condition he will, and let him accumulate around him all the goods and gratifications seemingly calculated to make him happy in it; if that man is left at any time without occupation or amusement, and reflects on what he is, the meager, anguished felicity of his present lot will not bear him up. He will turn necessarily to gloomy anticipation of the future; and unless his occupation calls him out of himself, he is inevitably wretched.—Pascal.

Country's Dark Days.

The saying, "not worth a continental," came from the fact that the continental currency, issued by the continental congress, was worthless, or nearly so, during the revolution and after. As the continental congress had no power to levy taxes it was unable to redeem its promises to pay. Besides, the country was flooded with counterfeiters which could not be detected.

Equal to the Occasion.

"Speaking of accommodating hotel managers," said a traveler, "the best I ever met was in a provincial town I reached the hotel late in the evening. Just before I retired I heard a scampering under the bed, and saw a couple of large rats just escaping. I at once complained at the office. The manager was as serene as a summer breeze. 'I'll fix that all right, sir,' he said. 'Boots! Take a cat to room 12 at once!'"

Keep Sweet.

Losing the temper takes all the sweet pure feeling out of life. One may get up in the morning with a clean heart, full of song, and start out as happy as a bird, and the moment he is crossed and goes way to temper the clean feeling vanishes; and a load as heavy as lead is rolled upon the heart. Be the master of your temper and you hold the key to joy and contentment.

Endurance.

Endurance, not fleetness, wins the race. Never give up. Keep peering away even though everything looks hopeless. Many a man has failed to achieve both fortune and fame because he lost courage just as he was within reach of them. What you desire may be only one step ahead. Keep going.

\$ SENSE!

When you want SHOES, make your dollar have more cents by buying the following brands:

- WATER TITE
- McELROY
- BILLIKEN
- SARATOGA
- LIFELINE
- MASTERBILT
- LIFE LINE
- VASSAR
- TWIN SIX
- BABY MINE

They are all leather and honestly built, and the best value for the money.

Also remember us for your Dry Goods, Groceries, Feed, Fresh and Salt Meats, Farm Implements, etc. Complete stock and live and let live prices.

Highest price paid for country produce—either cash or trade.

Bailey-Staton Co., SALUDA, N. C.

MICHELIN Toughness

Do you know why Michelin Tubes are so free from cuts like these?

Many experienced motorists use Michelin Tubes because they have noticed that small stones and particles of dirt which get inside tires do not cut Michelin Tubes as they do other makes.

This superiority of Michelin Tubes is due to their unequalled toughness—which you can test for yourself by cutting such old tubes as you may have or can borrow from your tire dealer. You will find Michelin Tubes far more difficult to cut than other makes. In fact, you will find it almost impossible to cut Michelin Tubes even with a sharp knife.

This superior toughness is one of several reasons why Michelin Tubes give the unequalled service that has made them the choice of the great majority of motorists.

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