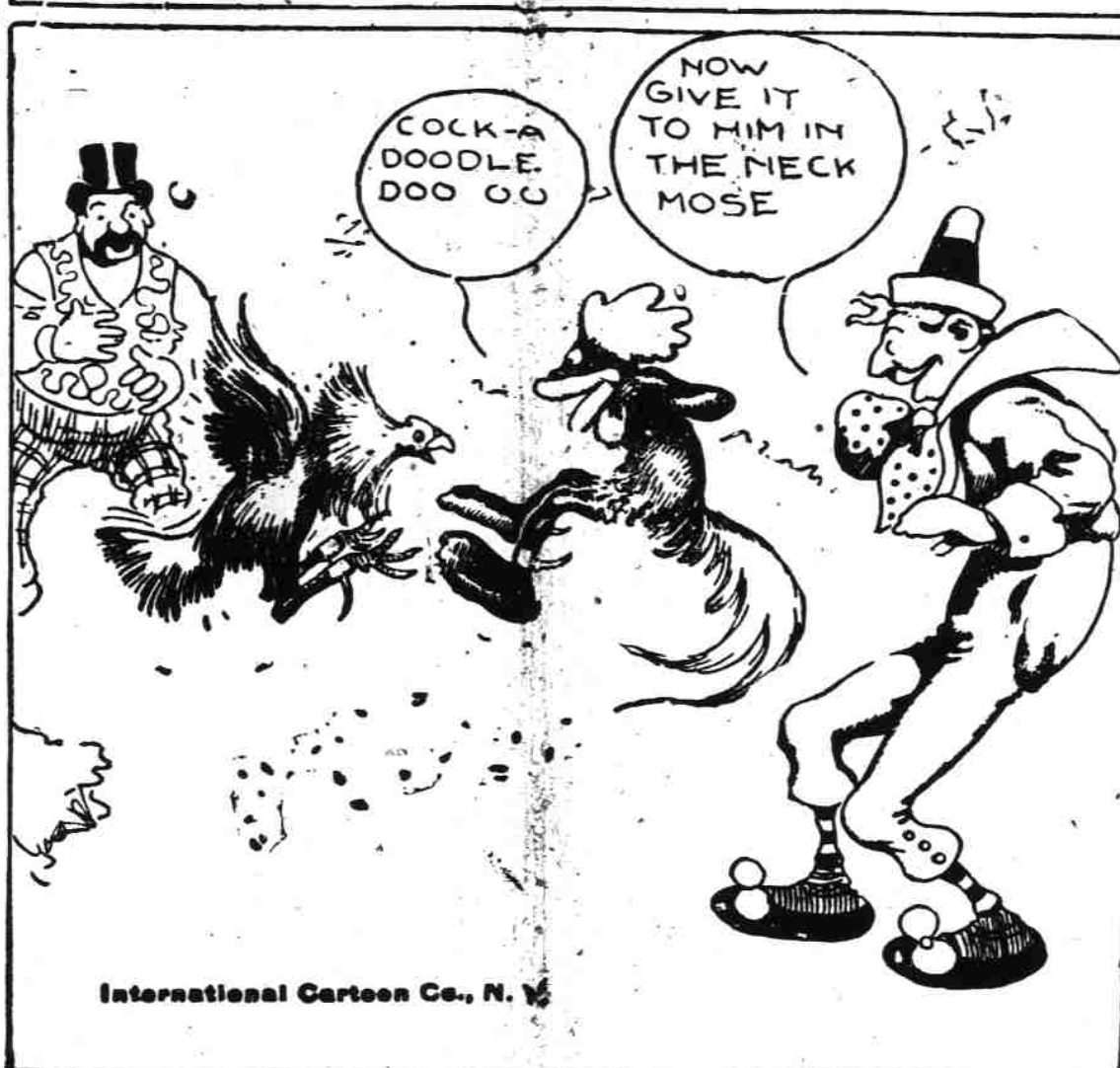


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Unless real citizens of the county are made managers of financial campaigns being conducted here citizens ought to protest if not refuse to make subscriptions to such. Salisbury and Rowan have plenty of capable citizens to attend to these matters and we don't want it said that recent imports had to manage these affairs or drive us to our duty. If there is glory in it, let's take what belongs to us.

Rowan's quota for War Savings Stamps is \$825,460, she has pledged 64 percent of this and purchased up to July 1st, \$190,570 worth. So there is yet much to be done and a wind-up drive will be conducted next week for the purpose of putting the county over the top. This is the easiest method of purchasing desirable government securities and it seems to us, should have been oversubscribed with little effort. Buy War Savings Stamps and back up all other good things.

Sunday, July 28, Was the fourth anniversary of Austria-Hungary's declaration of war on Serbia the beginning of the world war.

Robert Philmore Reavis of Statesville Was instantly killed about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon when the automobile he was driving turned over.

Locke Township Sunday School Association Meets at Grace E. L. Church August 6th.

The program of the annual convention of the Locke Township Sunday School Association to be held at Grace E. L. church, Tuesday, August 6th, beginning promptly at 10:30, is as follows:

Song No. 72
Devotional Service.....Rev. Roy T. Troutman
Welcome Address.....Mitchel Yost
Response.....Robert Basinger
Address—Department of Administration.....G. H. Peeler
Song No. 160
Address—Department of Education.....Rev. N. D. Bodie
Song No. 202
Address—How to Reach the Church as well as the Non-church-
ed not Connected with the S. S.....Rev. J. S. Wessinger
Song No. 203
Report of Sunday Schools in Township
Report of Treasurer
Report of Secretary
Election of Officers and Delegates
Collection and Song No. 92

DINNER

Song No. 142
Prayer.....Rev. J. S. Wessinger
Address—Benefits Derived from Teachers' Training Class
.....Rev. G. O. Ritchie
Song No. 217
Address—Elementary Division Organized for Service,
Mrs. E. D. McCall, Miss Harris
Secondary.....Mrs. F. R. Brown, Miss Campbell
Song No. 101
Address—A Difficult Problem and its Solution
.....Rev. Roy T. Troutman
Song No. 88
Address—The Influence the Sunday School has on a Community
Rev. C. P. Fisher
Song No. 106
Benediction

Atwell Township Sunday School Association Meets at Enochville August 10th.

The program of the annual convention of the Atwell Township Sunday School Association to be held at St. Enoch's Lutheran church, Enochville, Saturday, August 10th, beginning promptly at 10 a. m., is as follows:

Song Service
Devotional.....Rev. B. S. Dasher
The Duty of People in the Community to the Sunday School,
J. A. Steele, S. E. Sloop
Importance of a Lookout Committed in the Sunday School,
Prof. F. B. Brown, E. S. Miller
How can we Improve the Music in the Sunday School?
D. W. Lowrance, L. H. Overcash
Offering, Announcements.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Song service.
Devotional service.....Rev. C. I. Morgan
The One Thing Most Needed in the Sunday School,
Rev. C. I. Morgan, R. L. Forbis
How to Secure and Maintain Better Attendance in the
Sunday School, Rev. B. S. Dasher, Rev. W. E. West
Address.....Rev. J. A. Koons
Unfinished Business
CLYDE CORRIHER,
Secretary.
L. H. OVERCASH,
President.

QUOTAS FIXED FOR FALL Y. M. C. A. DRIVE

National Goal of \$112,000,000 Includes
\$15,000,000 For War Work Of Y.
W. C. A.—Southeast Asked
For \$5,000,000

The quotas for the seven states of the Southeastern Department for the next financial drive of the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. for \$112,000,000, which will take place late in the fall were decided upon last week by delegates from each of the states. Seven hundred delegates from the seven states of the Southeastern Department recently met with the nation's leading Y. M. C. A. workers at the Capital City Club of Atlanta, Ga. The quotas for the Southeastern states, totaling approximately \$5,000,000, were decided upon as follows:

Florida, \$577,584; Georgia, \$1,043,784; Mississippi, \$280,000; North Carolina, \$680,288; South Carolina, \$644,896; Tennessee, \$1,095,920; Alabama, \$604,000.
\$15,000,000 to the Y. W. C. A.
Of the total amount \$15,000,000 will be turned over to the Young Women's Christian Association in order that they may carry on the many war activities that they have undertaken. Every town and community of the Southeast was represented by its leading citizens at the conference. Chief among the international figures were Dr. John R. Mott, General Secretary of the National War Work Council, Geo. W. Perkins, former leader of the Bull Moose party, a member of the executive board of the United States Steel Corporation and now chairman of the Army and Navy Y. M. C. A. bureau of finance. Others in the party were A. H. Whitford and Chas. S. Ward, directors of the national campaign, and A. M. Cotton of the Boys' Earn and Give Campaign.

What did YOU do to win the war?
When our brave boys come back and ask you this question, what will be your answer?
Can you say that you did
EVERYTHING,
EVERYTHING
EVERYTHING

possible for you to do?
That you saved and served and sacrificed to the utmost?
And that, knowing that the men on the battle line were defending YOUR home, YOUR family, YOUR Liberty and YOUR country, you loyally stood behind them with word and deed?
IF NOT, WHY NOT?
Think it over.
National Security League,
19 West 44th St., N. Y. C.

WHERE DOES YOUR COUNTY STAND?

The Poorest County Will be That One Which Did Least to Raise Its War Savings Quota.

Where does your county stand?

Was it one to raise its quota of War Savings pledges? Has it received its War Savings honor flag, which signifies that it has answered nobly the call of its Government and can be counted on at every call? If not, why not? Are you satisfied with your county's record? Did you do your part in signing the pledge and giving your services to make your county go over in the drive?

Another opportunity is going to be given your county and you to say what you will do. Those who did too little or pledged amounts too small will be given a chance to save their record. Many who have reconsidered since they were called on weeks ago will want to make their pledges larger and their services more liberal and willing. Many since that time have come to know the good investment that War Savings Stamps offer and they are willing to pledge themselves to save more that they may invest more in the best securities on earth. Again, as a result of the drive, many people have come to realize for the first time that they owe their country a debt of gratitude and service. They will seek this opportunity to pay this debt.

No individual, no township, no county can afford not to pay it. None of these can afford not to invest to the utmost in War Savings Stamps, as a mere selfish means of protection after the war. Then will money be scarce, labor cheap, and prices high. The county or the individual that has made no provision for the future will be more than unfortunate. The poorest county as well as the poorest individual after the war will be that one who made the least effort to buy its full quota of War Savings Stamps and other securities offered by the Government. Poor indeed will be the man or county that will have no record of having served his country to the point of sacrifice that it might win the war, when all the history of the war shall have been written.

IT'S UP TO YOU AND ME.

"You and I have got to win this war. Not the other fellow—but you and I. Those of us who are back of the fighting lines must remember that this is where 75 per cent of our country's fighting efficiency must be developed. Every man, woman and child of us can fight here, and if we win our fight at home our soldiers will win theirs in France. Save wisely, not miserly, and invest in Thrift and War-Savings Stamps and you are serving your country in one way that is effective."

EVEN SO.

You are too busy, you say, to get out and help your county raise its quota of War Savings Stamps. So are the boys in France busy, very busy—busy day and night keeping back the Hun, and saving our homes, farms and factories from the fate that Belgium met.

You are too tired, you say, to solicit pledges or to remind those who pledged to buy.

So are the boys in France tired, very tired,—tired of fighting by day and keeping watch by night that America and her homes may be safe from Hun atrocities. So high to exhaustion the boys may be, but the prospect of a restful night to them is only another night of anxious waiting to go "over the top," and perhaps into the jaws of death in the morning.

It is not convenient, you say, for you to buy War Savings Stamps at this time, or give your services to the War Savings cause.

Even so it was not convenient for the boys to leave their homes, farms and factories, their wives, mothers and sweethearts,—everybody and everything that was near and dear to them,—to go to France to save defenseless women and children. It was not convenient for the United States that Germany should sink the Lusitania in 1915, or the Carolina the other day. Germany does not wait for conveniences.

You have no money to spare, you say, for War Savings Stamps. Nor have the boys over there any blood to spare. Yet bravely and uncomplainingly they are giving their life-blood—to them it is as precious as your money is to you,—to save your country from a German invasion. The little you can do, you say, will not count.

The bullet of one of the boys at the front may not count against a million Germans, but it will count against one. A million bullets will be sufficient for a million Germans. One War Savings Stamp may buy a hundred bullets or a pair of shoes for a soldier, but if North Carolina does her part in raising her fifty million dollars of War Savings Stamps, her soldiers will not lack for whatever they need. If every North Carolinian should buy all the War Savings Stamps he is able to pay for during the remainder of the year our soldiers would not be so long making their trip to Berlin.

Every cent selfishly, thoughtlessly spent, robs our soldiers, robs our own future. Every cent patriotically lent to Thrift Campaign brings peace.