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# Address By Lieutenant General Hugh A. Drum November 11th

loving nations tried to maintain those thirty days, the enemy was day war rages on three contin- cause he lacked the munitions

America has taken part in a great World War; experienced the failtain Peace; watched the rise of First Army advanced nearly 40 tions contained in Telegram 247, ure of organized efforts to maindictatorship; and now is witness miles and looked down on the Section General Staff, these threatening our own National Se- was in flight. Only an armistice with. curity. Currently, the most op- could save Germany from comtimistic view suggests that these plete disaster. conditions will get worse before past and that is the outlook for the Armistice was of primary imthe near future.

respects and tribute to those who and equipment had reached enor-

ment still lives in the hearts and minds of those who pause today to reflect on the past. In 1917, the Allies were hard pressed on the Western Front. The call for American troops was insistent; The need for American supplies was growing. Could the United States continue to ship supplies. nize, train, and transport Ameridelayed the arrival of American; forces for nearly a year after our declaration of war. But our entry into hattle was timely. in May, 1918, our Army forced were hiel and the Meuse-Argonne as an all-American unit. That Army was the First Army, parent to the Present First Army now engaged here in large scale maneu-

The battle of the Meuse-Arconne lasted forty-seven days. The weather was cold and there was considerable rain. ground was slippery and wet and continuous, day and night. In the first six days of hattle the first Army gained about eight miles. In the following thirty days, one of the most bitter batilities of the World War was in the vears hereinsfter extends. covered with dense forests and

Sweetheart, Daughter or Wife!

Twenty-three years ago Peace fought. Night and day, in rain raised quiet hands over the battlefields of Europe and the World the enemy with rifles, bayonets, turned away from destruction to tanks, guns, airplanes, gas, and restore order and re-establish se- frequently engaged him in hand curity For twenty years peace- to hand combat. At the end of order and preserve Liberty. To- defeated. He ran away, not be- in France, twenty-three years ents and there is no Peace in a of war, but because the fightling ents and there is no reace in a spirit of the Amreican soldier had General Staff, November 11, World of Conflict. Nearly all of spirits of the fight was a 1918. To the Commanding Genhold little immediate promise of test of manhood, of self sacrifice, and leadership. The First Army Fifth Army Corps and the Second In a quarter of a century proved it could meet and defeat

battle.

they get better. For America that who had lived through those they get better. For America that who had been the record of our recent days and nights of actual warfare er. The shooting part of the war the 28th and 29th Divisions has been the record of our recent days and nights of actual warfare er. The shooting part of the war and many smaller Corps and Ar-For more than four Armistice Day this year to years, the principal powers had our soldiers in the field presents been locked in combat along the a special opportunity to pay our Western Front. Losses of men made the supreme sacrifice; to mous totals. The American forces renew our thanks to those who had arrived in large numbers and served the Nation well in 1917- only recently had entered battle All of you know what the recserved the Nation went in 1911 as an independent organized ord of the post-war years has fundamentals of human liberty; fighting unit. St. Mihiel was beand to resolve to defend our fu- hind us, The battle in the Meuse efforts to organize machinery to Argonne had surpassed any pre- maintain the peace, and we have before them on a hundred hattle-Our armed forces served with vious battles and had established seen these efforts fail. Together distinction in the last World superiority of our arms in the we have seen the rising challenge We have seen the rising channengs we have seen the rising channengs war. The record of accomplishmy Headquarters at Souilly were peace of the World and finally homes and our families is in dankeenly aware of the historical sweep democracles into another importance of these results. The World War. Again America is in-Armistice would establish these volved. Again our freedom of ac- perspiring, and at times hungry, victories for all time. It meant tion is in jeopardy. American may feel that you are playing an the end of a long and costly lives and property have been dewar. It meant the vindication of stroyed. to preserve the fundamental to be reestablished without fur- to be of little consequence and and at the same time raise, orga- principles on which our democracy and other democracies were dangerous situation where force founded. It meant that the U.S. front lines to turn the tide of Army had been tested in battle battle? Our lack of preparedness and proved to be superior to the

At headquarters of the First Army, then engaged in the Begin-1 Meuse-Argonne battle, the mornning with the battle of Cantigny ing hours of November 11th tense with expectation. the fighting at Chateau Thierry General Pershing had already and Soissons, and for the first informed us that Marshal Foch. time we entered battle at St. Mi- as supreme commander of the Allied forces, would notify the Armies of the hour that the Armistice agreement would be signed. As Chief of Staff of that First Army I knew how vitally important it would be to send out to the Armies the order to

NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS \$267,000 COUNTY OF WILKES, NORTH CAROLINA REFUND-

Sealed bids will be received unone of the most bitter bat- I, 1941, and maturing on May I pond, so as to keep in repair and convey the water to the mill, containing 20 acres, more or less.

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counon bonds registerable as to principal only; general obligations: unlimited tax; delivery at place of purchaser's choice. There will be no auction.

thot less than par and accrued in-terest) is required. Bidders are site the spring branch running a requested to name the interest North course with the branch to a rate or rates, not exceeding 6 per stake. Westwardly course 16 poles rate or rates, not exceeding 6 per rate or rates, not exceeding 6 per cent in multiples of 1-4 of 1 per to a stake, thence a Southward cent; each bid may name one rate for part of the bonds of cither is sue (baying the earliest maturities) and another rate for the balance, but no bid may name more ance, but no bid may name more ance, but no bid may name more cither issue. ance, but no bid may name more FOURTH TRACT: Located in than two rates for either issue, Lovelace Township, Wilkes Counand each bidder must specify in his bid the amount of bonds of bonds until their respective ma-No bid for less than all

In the event that delivery of the bonds the income received by private holders from bonds of the same type and character shall be taxable by the terms 33 1-2 poles to a post oak the corresponding from the successful bidder may, at his elections are the line 24 74 160 of an acre more or oneposit accompanying his bid will be returned.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMISSION. By: W. E. Easterling, Secretary of the Commission 11-20-2t.

Finally, the momcease firing. The word came ent arrived. from Marshal Foch. The Armistice with Germany had been signed, and our Headquarters drafted the "Cease Firing" order for the First Army. I read it over it about 7:00 a. m., November 11, 1918. It was an historical moment and an historical document. Let me read it to you just as I issued it to the First Army ago today. Here is the order:

"Telegram, No. 257, Section erals of the First, Third and Colonial Corps. Armistice with Germany has been signed. hostilities cease at 11 hours this In the next eleven days the date, the 11th instant. Instructo the relentless sweep of war historic city of Sedan. The enemy Headquarters, will be complied Acknowledge Signed Drum."

The order was sent just as For those officers and men you heard it read, and within a short time World War 1 was ovended and for most of us, we considered that the last shot had been fired. We hoped that peace would not only be regained but That had forever maintained been our purpose on entering the war, and remained our objective

for the future. Together, we have seen woman expects peace and order What you are doing may appear ther loss. We are faced with a perhaps a great discomfort and

ESTATE

Jorth Carolina,

Wilkes County. Commissioner to sell the lands described in debts

I will sell for cash, at public nuction, to the highest bidder on Saturday, November 29th, 1941, at he courthouse door in Wilkesboro, C., at one o'clock P. M., the ollowing described real estate:

Located FIRST TRACT: ovelace Township Wilkes County with known as the P. H. Moore home place and Mill Tract: Beginning on a small wild Cherry bush at the head of Mill Pond to the corner of poles, East 45 poles to corner of spring. North 75 poles Elast 96 poles Garners Chestnut corner on

\$196,000 Road and Bridge Re-funding Bonds maturing annually \$4000 1955 to 1958, \$10,000 1959 to 1961, \$18,000 1962 to 1967, all inclusive, \$21,000 1968 and 1969. \$71,000 School Refunding Bonds maturing annually \$5000 1959 to 1961. \$6000 1962 to 1965, all in-clusive, \$7000 1966 and 1967 and \$19000 1966 and 1969. \$9000 1966 and 1969.

Denomination \$1,000; principal and interest (M & N I) payable in lawful money in New York City; proceeded repairs, to raise the dam, reupon bonds registerable as to the beginning, this debt the cludes two-thirds interest in the water power to the mill site now water for the lawful money in New York City; processes wat

above described tract, bounded as follows: Beginning at Johnson's A separate bid for each issue follows: Beginning at Johnson's inot less than par and accrued in line on South side of Creek oppostake, Westwardly course 16 poles

ty. Beginning at a stake and post oak on the South line of the Sterhis bid the amount of bonds of each rate. The bonds will be lawarded to the bidder offering to purshase the bonds at the lowest interest cost to the County, such cost to be determined by deducting the total amount of the premium bid from the aggregate amount of interest upon all of the bonds until their respective manufactures. poles to a stone and Beula Moore's line; thence North 69 1-2 degrees East with her line and Elizabeth of the bonds will be entertained.

Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope marked "Proposal for thence North 2 1-2 degrees East ed envelope marked "Proposal for thence North 2 1-2 degrees East Bonds" and be accompanied by a with his line 8 3-5 poles to a stone, certified check upon an incorporated bank or trust company, payable unconditionally to the order of the State Treasurer of North Carolina for \$5.340. The right to reject all bids is reserved. The approving opinion of Messrs. Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Dodge Boston Mass, will be further thence North 25 1-2 degrees East with her line 19 poles to a stone with her line 19 poles to a stone former. Thence North 25 1-2 degrees East with her line 19 poles to a stone grees East with his line 8 3-5 poles to a stone, his corner, thence South 78 degrees East with his line 8 3-5 poles to a stone, his corner, thence South 70 degrees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 12 1-4 poles to a stone grees East with his line 20 poles to a ston Storey. Thorndike, Palmer & grees East with her line 20 poles Dodge, Boston, Mass., will be furnished the purchaser.

In the event that prior to the delivery of the bonds the income Fact with her line 20 poles to a stone in the line of the Wilson Moore 29 1-4 acre grant, Number 6642, thence North 2 degrees delivery of the bonds the income

> The terms of this sale are onethird cash, one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months. This the 4th day of Nov. 1941.
>
> H. A. CRANOR,
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> 1-20-2t.
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> Commissioner

and not words settles these grave issues. For the United States, force and superior force only will save us in this crisis.

sive spirit that has always marked the American fighting man. an aggressive spirit. There can be but one goal to reach—one standard to maintain -our army must be prepared to fight whenever and wherever the Nation is in danger. The officers and enlisted men of the First Army realize this need. They are proud inheritors of the fighting spirit of the original First Army of the A.E.F. Within our present ranks are many officers and enisted men who fought with the First Army in those bat-The I Army Corps then comprising the 1st and 26th Divisinos, the VI Army corps with the 28th and 29th Divisions my units were a part of that Army in those battles, while the 11 Army Corps and the 30th Division participated with the British in Flanders. The men of the present First Army in the field in the Carolinas are working willingly today to make themselves hard physically and trained mentally to the job of being a soldier They know as their fathers knew last war, that Americans will fight when the security of our No reasonable man or try's present or future welfare annoyance. But don't you believe it! Let me assure each of you NOTICE OF RESALE OF REAL | that what seems most unnecessary and unwelcome is really helping to prepare this Nation to stand against anyone's attempt By virtue of the power of sale to overthrow our libetry and incontained in a special proceeding dependence. And there is more C. G. Glass, Administrator et al, to it than that. Every advance the in strengthening our Army, evabove proceeding for assets to pay training program, every effort you and your fellows make, support the President of our Nation, when he speaks to those who would trample upon our freedom Your efforts and the efforts of your fellows back up the words of our President when he deals those who understand force and force alone. For nearly six weeks, we have been engaged Last Friday, we in maneuvers. Lot Number 8, running North 36 completed our own First Army problems. the final phase of the maneu-We have accomplished a

services in this result. In addinity to train together, not only in the higher staffs, but also in the combat units that go to make Today, we are engaged in orup the fighting Army team. Our ganising that force and in train- next problem, directed by the ing our American Army for any General Hendquarters of the Aremergency which may aries. We my, affords additional opportunseek to create a fighting organi- ity to learn more about our jobs. zation, an Army of soldiers fill-I have every confidence that the ed with determination that canofficers and enlisted men of this not be overrun. Officers and men Army will perform their duties must be imbued with the aggree- in these maneuvers ahead of us intelligently, promptly and with

I want to read to you a brief statement, attributed to Mr. William Tyler Page, a government official, in Washington. I think it crystallizes the thoughts that are in our minds as we go through our problems here, and as we pause to pay tribute to those who fought the good fight twenty-three years ago, and in whose memory we pay tribute today. Mr. Page, in speaking of citizenship, said:

"I believe in the United States

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