### DK10K19 (424(4)6K15 OVER THE WAY"

The room was so cold, se creed the

th its rickety table and one broken chair, with it's cursuinless window with

hardly a pane to Keep out the the wind and the rain.



IT'S UP TO YOU ARBONDS

Clothing Co.

saddest of all,

the rusty old stove, the fire was dead, there was snow on the floor at Came in from the Drinking the foot of the bed.

for the light.

break of day-

mostly, I think.

off the drink.

he had done,

first little one.

fair.

wondered

cradle-bed where

wished him to stay,

over the way.

understand.

little hand.

And straight did he come to the

Our baby lay dead, so pretty and

When there was a Drinking-House

He stood quite a while, did not

You see, till he touched the cold

Oh, then came the tears and he

And he said 'twas the drinking

that made all the grief.

The neighbors were kind and the

Could see in that Drinking-House

And I thought when my baby was

And the men with their spades

were shaping the mound.

If comebody only, would help me

My husband who stood by my side

If only it were not so handy to

The men that make laws, me'am

Of the hearts they would break.

When they licensed that Drink-

ing-House over the way.

The clock, it struck two, ere my

And my thoughts went back to my

Where my happy girlhood had

Far, far from that Drinking-

Could I be that girl, I, the heart-

There watching alone while that

of the souls they would slay

sure didn't think

haby was still.

home on the hill.

spent it's short day.

broken wife.

House over the way.

put in the ground.

shook like a leaf.

minister came.

haby again.

dered if they

over the way.

to save.

drink

at the grave.

that I could have

And his father came in 'twes just

House over the way.

And there, all alone, a pale woman Yes, ma'am, he was sober, at least was lying.

You need not look twice to see He often stayed that way to wear she was dying. Dying of want, of hunger and

cold. Shall I tell you her story, the story she told?

'No. Ma'am I'm no better; my cough is so bad:

wearing me out tho, and that makes me glad.

For it's wearisome living when one's all alone. And heaven, they tell me, is just

Yes, Ma'em. I've a husband, he's

like a home.

somewhere about, hoped he'd come in 'fore the fire went out.

But I guess he has gone where he's likely to stay,

mean to the Drinking-House over the way.

And he talked of my seeing my It was not always so, and I hope you won't think, And of the bright angels-I won-

Too hard of him, lady, it's only the drink I know he's kind hearted, for, Oh-

how he cried For our poor little baby the morning it died.

You see he took sudden, and grey very had.

And we had no doctor; my poor little lad.

For his father had gone, never meaning to stay

am sure to the Drinking-House over the way.

And when he came back 'twas far in the night.

And I was so tired and sick with fright. Of staying so long with my baby

alone. And it cutting my heart with it's

pitiful moan He was cross with the drink; poor

fellow, I know. Be he swear at the child, as pant-

ing it lay. And went back to the Drinking-House over the way.

I heard the gate slam, and my heart seemed to freeze.

Like ice in my husom, and there on my knees.

dear little life Was going so fast that I had to the side of the cradle all shivering I stayed, bend low, 32 To hear if he breathed, 'twas so

wanted my mother, I cried and faint and so slow. And it's tempting him here and

> Four places I've counted in this very square, Where a man can get whisky by

it's tempting him there.

night and by day. Not to mention the Drinking-House over the way.

Pye been sick ever since and it cannot be long. Be pitiful, lady, to him when I'm

He wants to do right, but you never can think.

How weak a man grows when he's found a drink. There's a verse in the Bible, the

minister read. No drunkard shall enter the King dom, it said.

And he is my husband, and I love him so.

And where I'am going I want aim there.

Don't you think the dear Savior will answer your prayer? And please when I'm gone, ask

someone to pray. For him at that Drinking-House over the way.

Copied from The Radio Messenger and sent in by Mrs. Otto Hayes, Reddies River, N. C. \_\_\_\_V.\_\_

AMONG THE .

Church - Society - Personals

By BELLE THOMAS

The knitting class of the Civ. lian Corps invites you to knit Friday afternoon at 3:30 at the First Baptist church.

The Young Men's Club will render a program at Lenoir, N. C., Sunday afternoon at Rev. V. C. Burrus' church. These young men are sponsoring a bus to carry all who would like to go. Round trip, 75c.

The W. L. C. circle of the First Baptist church met with Misses Sarah and Pricilla Davenport Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas, a son, Robert Baxter, Jr. Church News

The Sunday School choir, Miss Terressa Louise Pride, teacher. had several new numbers Sunday morning, one being a solo by May Alice Davenport.

The morning service at the First Baptist church Sunday was on the subject: "A Good Work Once Begun, Will Continue To Grow." Rev. Willie Barber was the speaker.

The evening service was also by Rev. Barber.

## Loan in Fighting

lions, bearing alone all the weight with nine members present. ed the mass expulsion of the Axis of Mrs. John Andrews, who dis-And I know he was sorry for what 000,000 killed, Premier Josef things of interest to farm wamen. For he set a great store by our Stalfn said loday.

my's 25th birthday, the Russians son sheets. have routed 112 enemy divisions, killed more than 700,000 troops at the home of Mrs. Ralph Swanand taken 300,000 prisoners, a total of 1,1000,000 men.

In those three months of blazing battle and glorious conquest, the supreme commander of the Russian fighting forces said, the our thanks to many friends for plates, 17,000 field guns.

Lendon.—Russia's fighting mil- at the home of Mrs. Earl German

of the war in the absense of a Because of the absence of Mrs. second front in Europe, have start. Green, the meeting was in charge from the country and have put about proper food and diet. Sevout of action in 20 months 9,000,- eral members read articles on 000 enemy treops, including 4, pardening, pouttry and other

At the close of the meeting the In the three months of their his-club went to the kitchen and toric offensive, Stalin said in an cooked several delicious dishes by order of the day on the Red Ar- the recipes in their monthly les-

The March meeting will be held

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We use this means to express Red Army has cost the Germans their help and the things given more than 7,000 tanks, 4,000 us when the house in which we were living and our home fur-And now, he said, the firm nishings were destroyed by fire. foundation has been laid for vic MR. AND MRS. CHARLIE WILES tory over the German-Fascist Ar MR AND MRS. J. C. BAUGUSS

Guatemala has increased the tax BUY MORE WAR BONDS on matches made in that country.

A cradle stood empty, pushed up to the wall,

And somehow that seemed the And his eyes opened wider to look amounts of scrap National Railway.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS BUT MORE WHE BONDS

### From where I sit ...

by Joe Marsh

The other da we were talking about George Washington who besides two a great general was statement

"And he made mi henr too," says General kins. "His private recipe s the New York Public Libr Now Grandma H

knows her historywho had his James Madis manufacta State of t

ams and Penn and the there who four inly right

De Muse

© 1943, Fridge Industry Poundation · North Regne Industry Bleeter, 606-7 Insurance ing Industry Foundation · North C

# EFFERSON STANDA PERFORMA

HIGHLIGHTS FROM PRESIDENT PRICES 1942 REPORT-AND WHAT THE MEAN TO OUR POLICYHOLDERS



INTEREST EARNING MAINTAINED -

The Company earned 5% on invested assets durthe past year. Jefferson Standard has consistenly maintained leadership in this field.

INTEREST PAYMENT RATE MAIN AINED-Paid 5 a interest in 1942 on police proceeds held in trust for policyholders and bene

ficiaries. This rate has been paid continuou since the Company's organization in 1907 – other reason why Jefferson Standard PLICY DOLLARS ARE LARGER!

SURPLUS FUNDS INCREASED—Sun capital and contingency reserves total \$10,000,000 —a new high mark in additional funds for policiholders protection.

ASSETT AGAIN INCREASED-Asset increased 10,2\$1,131 during 1942 and now tal \$115,016,116. These asses, highest in the Company's 35 earthistory, a present a healthy condition and go wirth strength.

SALES HIGH-ales of new life insurance during 1942 total \$46,000,000 - 30% of this on those already insured in the Company.

INSURANCE IN FORCE-\$470,000,000 Jefferson Sandard fe insurance naw wined by 190,000 policyhola rs-a \$20,000,000 increase.

BENEFITS PAID—solicy benefits aid by Jeffers in Standard in 1941, amounted to \$6,170,804. Since organization in 1917, the Company has paid \$131,465,865 to policyhaders and beneficiaries.

Jefferson Standard Dollars are Fighting in the WAR Every time you pay your premium you are not ally buying the security

and protection of life insurance for yourself and your family, but you are also contributing to the war effort, and the stability of our national economy. Your life insurance dollars invested in War Bonds and Industry, help to finance war production. They also help to fight inflation because they are not comparing for scarce consumer goods.

As a contribution to the war affort, life insurance underwriters sold War Bonds in 1942 totaling over 21/2 Million dollars.

Jefferson Mandard Agent are Emipped to Give You Service Geares to Wartine Needs

ent wartime conditions a sound life insurance program is ven nore important than before. Jefferson Standard agent are aired life underwrours — each well equipped to give you wis countend timely information that will be helpful in planning your life urance program. Consult our local agent next time you are in the market for Life



422,997

415,188

1,099,339

7,693,864

1,061,669

280,930

10,000,000

r Policy

on which proofs

not been received

ve for Taxes . .

iums and Interest

pid in Advance .

liev Proceeds Left

with Company . . dividends for

Policyholders . . .

Debilities . . . .

Reserve . \$1,500,000 A function contingencies,

depretation on real es-tate and investment fluc-

iabilities . . . \$105,016,016

4,000,000

Regree for All Other

Contingency

Claim

ANNUAL REPORT

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT \* LIAPILITIES ASSETS . \$ 94,042,029

Policy Reserve . . . . . . . \$ 2,299,116 This reserve is ited States Governlaw to astre payment of policy obligations. ent Bongs . . . County and Reserve 1 3,555,24 Bonds icipa. her Bonds . 9,556,36 Claims 6,981,842 Stocks Listed sourclies carried at market, but or call value, whicheve is lower. 57,912,388

First More ge Leans .
On farm pro-rity \$6,072,-423, on a property \$51,839,955. 3,762,573 Real Estate . This included our eventeen-story Hone Office wilding.

Loans To Dur Policyholders Secured by the cash volu of policies. Premium Loans and Liens

nsurance.

Secured by the cash values of policies. Investment Income in Course of Callection

Premiums in Course of Collection All Other Assets . . TOTAL Admitted Asset \$115,014,016 We shall be

1,060,355

13,241,364

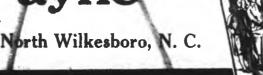
Capital Surplus Un-assigned 4,500,000 2,995,257 195,910 Policyholde

Total Surplui Funds for Additional Protection of . . . . . \$115,016,016 TOTAL &

Annual Report Booklet on request

28 orman T. Payne

Poindexter Building Telephone 194



JEFFERSON STANDA

INSURANCE COMPANY PRESIDENT . GREENSBORD, NORTH CAROLINA



## Electric Taffic

**#OUR** FUSE is a **#r**affic policeman that 'stong' electricis when something goes wrong A safety valve! So you se, a fuse that blows is not a nuisance. Is a pro-

tection.

SAVE inconminence and delay by replacing your of fuses--and help a save tires and quipment for inavoidable trips.

Keep New Fuse Conveniently At Land!

DUKE POWER COMPANY