

# The Country that cleans up its War Cost first will have the jump on the World's Business.

The wheels of commerce can't turn freely while clogged with debt. A nation itself cannot seek the business of the world until it meets its own obligations.

In the race for world prosperity the country that is unhampered by the dead-weight of unpaid millions will

be the nation first to reach the goal of commercial domination.

The Victory Liberty Loan will wipe the slate clean—will put America on her toes, unhandicapped—will insure prosperity for all businesses.

But, to do this, the Loan *must* be floated!

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## HUMAN RECONSTRUCTION

They come to us dulled by shell-shock—men with arms and legs gone—pitifully broken.

Is there a person in all this great Nation of ours who is not glad to stand up beside these boys in the Victory Liberty Loan? For, mark you, part of the debt we still owe is the debt to these fighting lads who now must stumble along unfamiliar paths. We must see them through.

*The Government is teaching trades to the wounded men so that they may get on their feet again—mended as best they can be mended.*

Buy—with all the cash you can spare and with all you can pledge to save and be glad for the opportunity.

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METHODISTS TOLD TO DO SOMETHING THAT IS SENSATIONAL

R. T. BURGE, MISSIONARY, SAYS CHURCH MUST KEEP PACE WITH WORLD, WHICH IS DOING THINGS DIFFERENTLY NOW, OR FALL HOPELESSLY BEHIND.

Appeals to Church to Make Supreme Effort and Sacrifice at This Time to Christianize World and Present Arms.

Plans of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, indicate that their field of work will greatly broaden in the next few months and will include Europe and Russia. "The Methodist Church has been plodding along for many years and has made a record that every Methodist is justly proud of," said R. T. Burge, of the Siberian Commission of the American Red Cross, in a letter from Vladivostok that has just been received at headquarters in Nashville.

"It is time, however, for the Methodist Church to do something sensational and unusual. All the world is doing things differently now and the organization that cannot keep pace must fall behind. We should go into the countries of Europe and Russia, be pioneers in a work that might mean more to prevent future wars than the League of Nations. Christianize and educate the peoples of the world and there will be no more wars. But if we have harmony by threats and fear and by constant show of force, I see no reason why it might not be another question of a scrap of paper."

"But it would be madness to attempt any work in Siberia or Russia at this time. No complete or intelligent investigations can be made until order is restored, and from what I have seen it will be months before that task is accomplished. The campaign for thirty-five million dollars to be conducted May 15 to 25 will go a long way toward solving a big problem."

"Keep in mind always that the complexion of the world has entirely changed and that not only must there be complete reorganization in economic, political and social conditions, but most particularly in religious conditions."



"Make this Peace Secure"

That was Marshal Foch's message not many days ago—and Foch knows the danger of Teutonic treachery as it is given to but few men to know.

Is Peace certain?

"Don't be too sure," says Foch.

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