

Girl Scout Finance Drive To End Soon; Splendid Progress Reported

Indications Are That Quota Will Be Exceeded, Girls To Go Camping

Splendid progress is being made in the promotion of the Brevard girl scout finance drive, Mrs. Ashe Macfie, drive chairman and Mrs. Keith Pooser, council commissioner, announced yesterday.

The drive will close within the next few days' time and according to present indications, the quota will be exceeded by a substantial amount.

Drive leaders stated that they had received excellent co-operation from individuals, firms and industries.

"We knew that the people of Brevard and Transylvania county appreciate the fine work of the girl scout organization, but we did not realize that we would receive such fine co-operation with our first finance campaign," Mrs. Pooser and Mrs. Macfie declared.

"In setting our budget, we only included essential items and if we can exceed that original quota, we will be able to render far greater service and to expand the girl scout work," they said.

Plans are now being made to send around 50 girl scouts to Camp Illahee June 20 to 27. Part of all of these girls' expenses will be paid from the money raised.

The leaders further stated that with the exception of \$10 that is sent to headquarters for charter expense, all of the other money will be used here at home.

More than 40,000 patents and pending patent applications of enemy nationals of enemy-occupied countries are under the control of the Alien Property Custodian, as compared with 17,000 seized in the last war.



OAKLAND NEWS

By Mrs. Lee Norton

Rev. and Mrs. Louis Lyday, of Porderdale, Ga., were here last week for a visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. S. L. Sanders, and other relatives.

Rev. J. R. Bowman, of Rosman, was a recent visitor of Mrs. Belzie Nicholson. Other week end guests of Mrs. Nicholson were her daughter, Miss Ida Nicholson, of Enka, and granddaughter, Miss Thelma Galloway, of Rosman.

Cecil Sanders returned home Saturday after spending a week at Enka with his sister, Mrs. Weaver Taylor, and family. His nieces, Misses Sibyl Jo and Nannie Sue Taylor, came home with him for a week's visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Sanders.

Mrs. Lensey Sanders left here last week for an indefinite stay with friends in South Carolina. Mrs. S. L. Sanders, who had made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Lensey Sanders, is now at the home of her son, I. S. Sanders. The elderly lady is quite feeble in both body and mind.

A religious service was conducted by Rev. Roland Robinson Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Reid, who are not able to attend church service.

Mrs. Roland Robinson was on the sick list last week but is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Mamie Fisher and son, Kenneth, of Brevard, Earl Fowler and a girl friend from Texas and Randall Fowler, of Washington, D. C., were visitors last week of Mrs. Mary Burgess.

Only the faithful few worked at Lake Toxaway cemetery last Saturday, but they made a great improvement, although there is still more needed to be done. The decorations Sunday added to the beauty of the growing flowers among the graves.

Prayer service next Sunday night will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rigdon, and in charge of Rev. Theodore Rose.

NORTH CAROLINA'S SCRAP CAN LICK THE JAP!

CHARLOTTE JUDGE

(From Front Page—Second Sec.)

Dr. E. P. Billups, pastor of the First Methodist church of Canton, was toastmaster. Around 200 persons attended the banquet and special musical selections were rendered by Jo Ann Carter and Julia Owen and a quartet.

As a grand climax to the big affair, Dr. Coltrane outlined a proposed five-point program for the college, as follows:

Program Is Outlined
First, To co-operate with the government program of training

men and women for war service. Second, To co-operate with the government in its program of rehabilitation of young men and women who are injured in the armed service.

Third, To raise funds to carry on the proper kind of an educational program at Brevard.

Fourth, To co-operate with other schools in the promotion of an accelerated program of learning.

Fifth, To raise funds for the proposed future building program.
Commencement Sermon
Delivering the commencement sermon at the Brevard Methodist church last Sunday morning, Rev. James B. McLarty, pastor of the

First Methodist church of Belmont, urged the graduates to consecrate themselves anew to the great task of helping to build a better world.

"Today you are going out into two worlds," Rev. McLarty said. "One of them is dead and the other is about to be born."

He described the world that is "dead" as having made a miserable failure because of a reverence for material things.

"In the new world there will be a greater brotherhood of mankind and it is our duty to see that our nation does not again side-track its responsibility," he said. The influence of Christian edu-

cation in the new world will be vitally important, Rev. McLarty stated, and said young people should be encouraged to attend Christian church schools.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks to our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and at the death of our husband and father, and for the lovely floral offerings.

Mrs. M. G. Cunningham and children

Ecusta Picnic Will Be Held July 5th.

Plans are now being made for the Ecusta Picnic which will be held on Monday, July 5, at Camp Sapphire, it was announced this week by the activities committee.

Everything will be the same as of last year, with every one bringing dinner and the company furnishing lemonade, iced tea, popcorn, ice cream and sherbet.

There will be an entertaining program all day, featuring contests, races, band music, etc.

TRY TIMES WANT ADS



TO: The American People FROM: The Secretary of the Treasury

A report on the most tremendous financing task in history - - - the Second War Loan

DURING the three weeks between April 12 and May 1, the American people tackled the biggest job of financing in the history of the world.

In these three weeks it was proposed to raise the sum of 13 billion dollars, or more than half as much as was raised by five drives in the first world war.

It was obvious that the task was hopeless unless the people of the nation were desperately in earnest about the war. And it was equally obvious that here was, so to speak, a thermometer by which the fervor of the people could be measured with reasonable accuracy.

This is why we believe you, as an American citizen, can take pride in this report. For it was written solely by you, the people

The result, in dollars

Our goal was 13 billion dollars. Actually, the American people subscribed 18 billion, 500 million dollars.

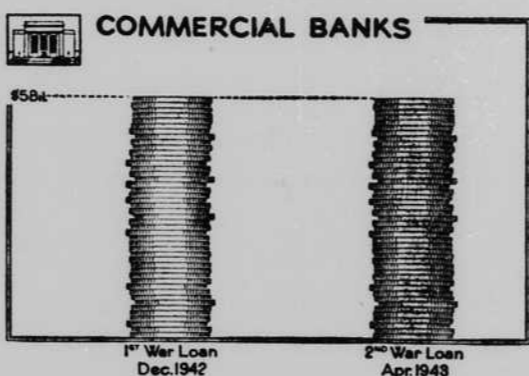
This was 90% as much as was raised in all five drives of the first world war combined.

It was, I think, as much a victory for America and the free American democracy as any military triumph.

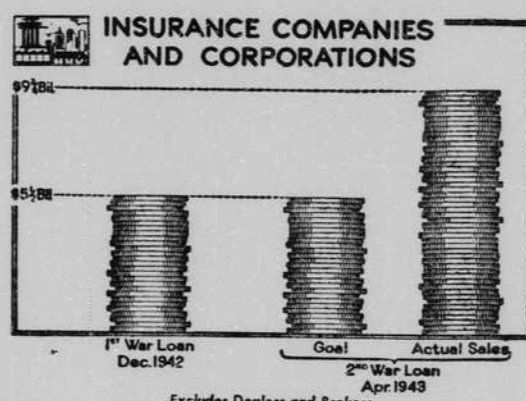
Where did the money come from?

You will be interested in where this 18½ billion dollars came from—for every dollar invested in War Bonds is more than a purchase; it is a demonstration of faith.

The chart below shows the portion of the 18½ billion that came from commercial banks. They were eager to buy more, but were limited to set amounts:



Insurance Companies and other Corporations know that there is no sounder investment than a U. S. Bond. The chart (top of next column) shows their purchases:

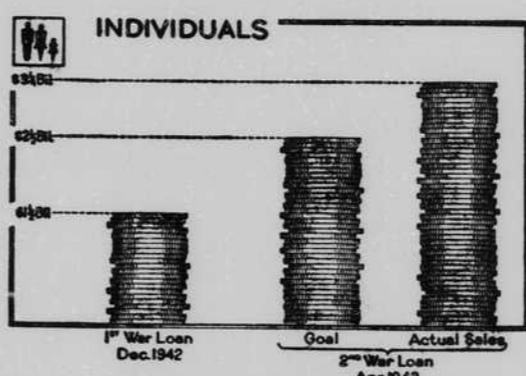


Naturally, it was your money that bought the bonds in the two groups above—for you are the people who put your money in banks and invest in insurance.

But how about what might be called your "personal" money.

That is a very important question, for it is vital that Americans, as individuals, buy War Bonds with all they can spare.

Our goal, here, was 2½ billion dollars. The chart below tells the story:



50 million bondholders

To review your record to date, almost half our entire population own at least one bond—including infants, children, the lame, the halt and the blind.

Or, to look at it in terms of those best able to buy bonds, see the chart below:



Who gets the credit?

The credit for the 2nd War Loan goes to the people.

It goes to the children who put dimes and quarters into war stamps. To everyone who bought a bond. To thousands of patriotic banking people. To advertising people who donated their creative talents. To patriotic merchants and companies who paid the bill for war bond messages. To radio stations, newspapers, movies, outdoor advertising companies, and publications.

But chiefly, perhaps, to those who turned voluntary bond salesmen—a loyal legion of patriots.



What lies ahead?

Yes, America's record is good. But we cannot become complacent—for our biggest financing job lies ahead.

In the first 4 months of this year, we raised 25 billion dollars. During the balance of this year we must raise 45 billion dollars more.

The war is costing us 100 billion dollars this year. Part of this will come from taxes, and the balance must come from War Loans.

You, as an American, can take pride in what you have done. You have shown the Axis that Americans on the home front, like Americans on the battle front, will do all that is required of them—and more.

But our need is great. Dig as deeply as you possibly can and invest it in War Bonds now—either through the Payroll Savings Plan or through special purchases. Don't wait for "drives."

We must win this war with bayonets—and with dollars. We who stay home in safety must provide the dollars—all that are needed. It is the very least we can do.

Henry Morgenthau Jr.

Transylvania Summary

E. H. McMahan, who directed the Second War Loan drive in Transylvania county, has released the following detailed statement of bond purchases in the county during that campaign:

Series E	\$80,846.67	Tax Note Certfs.	\$197,000.00
Series F	9,009.50	7-8% C. of I.	25,000.00
Series G	22,500.00	2% Treasury Bonds	5,000.00

\$339,356!?

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Keep it up, Mom. We can use plenty ammunition out here. Your waste fats make glycerine and glycerine makes powder for airplane cannons. Get the neighbors to help, too. You tell 'em what to do. Save at least a tablespoonful of fat every day. Pour it into a can, and as soon as it's full, rush it to the butcher. In less than three weeks it'll be made into gunpowder for us. So tell them to step on it, will you, Mom? We need it.

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