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A Real Opportunity

We hope the farmers of Transylvania county will take advantage of the splendid opportunity they now have of liming their farms this fall.

Through the county AAA office they can obtain supplemental supplies of lime in quantities almost as large as they secured last spring and these extra grants will not be deducted from the grant-of-aid program.

County Agent Julian Glazener has pointed out that the outlook for the feed situation in the nation this winter and next year is serious and Transylvania farmers can make a real contribution to the victory program by producing all of the feed they possibly can. The market for this feed will obviously be a profitable one.

To encourage more feed production, the AAA is also offering supplemental grants of crimson clover and vetch seed and Austrian winter peas.

Surely our farmers will not let this opportunity pass.

Black Market

This was her big chance to help her husband's business. The business had been hard hit, with so many people going away to the war and materials so hard to get.

Mrs. Housewife began planning the menu for a dinner party she was going to give next week when an old friend of her husband's—now in war production—was coming to town. His visit might mean the plant would get a war contract.

She talked her plans over with a friend. "I wish I could have a big roast," she sighed. "But that's out of the question. We just don't have enough points to do it. How I wish we lived on a farm and raised our own food the way you do, Mary."

"Yes," her friend replied. "We don't have any worries about points. Why I tear up lots of stamps at the end of every month."

"But wait a minute, I can let you have some points. We don't need ours and I do so want your party to be a success. Wait while I get my ration books . . . Here, use all the points you need."

It seemed a fine idea. Mrs. Housewife would have stamps for the roast she wanted so badly. She wouldn't think of resorting to a Black Market to buy meat without points—And if Mary wasn't going to use her share of the meat those points stood for, she saw no reason for refusing the offer.

BUT—Those two women were building a Black Market. Farm families which produce their own food have been asked by their government not to take more than their fair share of scarce foods, not to buy rationed foods they really don't need. The food produced for home use on America's farms is just as much a part of the nation's food supplies as that which is sold in city markets.

Mary and her family were getting their fair share when they consumed the meat and other products raised on their farm. Permitting another to use their stamps in order to get more than their fair share is unpatriotic.

Use of a ration book, except to buy things for the owner of the book is unlawful—is actually sabotage of our wartime program for the distribution of scarce goods.

THIS IS A BLACK MARKET.

Rendering A Service

The Women's Auxiliary of the Transylvania Community Hospital is to be highly commended for organizing a service unit that will be on duty at the local hospital, assisting the regular hospital staff. By giving information to relatives and friends of patients and acting as general hostesses, members of this service group will render a distinct service to the hospital and to the public.

Of course these women will work without remuneration and a schedule for workers is now being arranged. All women in the town and county who desire to cooperate in this activity should contact the Auxiliary.

Throughout the nation, many women are volunteering as nurses' aides, thereby relieving the shortage of nurses and the strain resulting from this shortage.

Here in Brevard Mrs. Reschke, one of the new teachers at Brevard high school, is carrying a full teaching load five days a week, and on Friday afternoon goes to Asheville, where she spends from eight to sixteen hours a day on the week-end working as a nurse's aide in the Biltmore hospital. During the week here she also assists in laboratory technician work.

That is certainly making a real contribution to the war effort and her work should serve as an inspiration to all women who are thinking of joining the Auxiliary's service unit.

Humpty Dumpty Has Fallen!

"Humpty Dumpty sat on the wall
Humpty Dumpty had a great fall;
All of the King's horses and all of the King's men
Can't set Humpty Dumpty up again."

We suggest that as an appropriate epitaph for Benito Mussolini, erstwhile leader of the Facist, who was going to restore Rome to its former glory by the power of "might" rather than "right."

His partner in the revival of Old Roman conquest of enslavement is now undertaking to prove that "Humpty Dumpty" can be set back up again.

Heralded throughout Germany as a major coup, fellow world-wide Gangster Adolf Hitler, rescued the former Duce and over Nazi broadcasting stations last Saturday afternoon Mussolini is alleged to have made a stirring speech to the world and particularly to the Italians, his former gangster followers.

He lauded Mr. Hitler, condemned the Italian King and outlined a four-point program for "loyal" Italians, urging them to take up arms again against the Democracies and overthrow their traitor King.

Those who heard the broadcast are not altogether convinced that the voice was that of Mussolini, but even though it was Il Duce himself events this week have proven that an overwhelming majority of his once "loyal" Italians are not paying any attention to what he has to say now.

With their aid, the Allied armies are smashing the Germans and driving them back to Rome. Within a short time they will drive them back to the North Sections and unless they cross the Alps with great rapidity, they are apt to be completely destroyed, even to the last man.

Mr. Humpty Dumpty has fallen and it will take more than Adolf Hitler to put him back up again. As a matter of fact, Mr. Hitler is gradually falling, too, and when he crashes to the earth, the sun will shine again.

Remember?—Then Act!!

Remember when the Japs and Nazis laughed at us, called us soft and decadent, and bragged how they'd biff the daylight out of the democracies.

Remember how they tried to deliver a sneak knock-out punch and had the peace terms all figured out for us? They were to be the lords; we the slaves.

You do remember, don't you? Of course you do. Made you mad, didn't it? It made the whole country mad.

While the Third War Loan drive is on, we have a fine chance to take another wham at the Axis—by cutting pulp and acid wood and putting the money we make into War Bonds. The country needs pulpwood—badly. And we need money to run the war.

So get out that ax and grind it sharp. Then get going. Every cord of pulpwood you cut will hasten the day of victory. It will accelerate that speed if you put your pulpwood money into War Bonds—Do it NOW!

Can it be done?—The answer is your ax!

TEST OF AMERICAN STEEL



NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS
By PAUL MALLON

Washington, Sept. 22 — Most people in the hurry and troubles of their own busy war lives never stop to think about the opportunity these treasury bond drives offer to them.

They do not have the time or opportunity to analyze fully what a bond means to them personally. The publicity is generally directed toward inspiring their patriotic spirit for purchases, as it should be, but there is another side of it which should not be overlooked.

Bonds are savings. They are real security, real old age insurance. They are the best investment for the average man, the safest place to put his money against a rainy day.

If any wage-earner can start

early in life to put a certain amount of money each year in small defense bonds, he can have these coming due annually at the end of a 10-year period—not only the amount he paid in, but a 25 per cent increase on his investment.

Where else can you find an opportunity for small investment today that guarantees a 25 percent increase in 10 years?

Series E bonds are best for this purpose. I started in saving that way seven years ago, long before the war, and I have been fortunate enough to be able to buy the limit for myself and my family each year since then.

Let us be frank and look at it fairly. Some people hold back in fear of the size of the war debt or inflation. Those objections are foolish.

No matter how great the war debt, these savings bonds will be so widely distributed among the people after this war that the government will have to maintain their purchasing value to the utmost. Public pressure will see to that.

In any event, if you put the money in the bank, you will suffer

You're Telling Me
By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

THE HOMBURG HAT, we read, is out for the duration. Gone the way of the hamburger sandwich and the city of the same name.

We won't believe Hitler is really out of office until the Berlin broadcasts begin to refer to him as Citizen Schickelguber.

Horselfies, we hear, are bigger this year. Probably got toughened up trying to bite Army tanks.

These food rationed days it is easier than ever to lose friends and alienate people. All you need

do is display a boarding house reach.

Though Atlantic waters are pretty chilly, the U-boats seem to be in plenty of hot water.

Synthetic steaks are promised for the future. Just the ticket, no doubt, to satisfy a false appetite.

Apreros of the canning season, it might be remarked here that the Allies have badly jarred the Italian populace and that the country is now in a pretty pickle.

the same results from inflation, and you will not have the prospect of half as much interest as you will get from the government. (Series E pay 2.93 percent over the 10 year period, which enhances their value 25 percent; savings accounts hereabout now pay 1.5 percent.)

If you hide your money in a sock in the attic, you get no interest, and the results of inflation would be just as disastrous—in fact, it would be disastrous wherever you put it.

These bonds are cash. They are money. People do not seem to understand this. They are the same as dollar bills because they have exactly the same treasury backing, and can be transferred to dollars at any time.

In effect, they are dollars bearing interest. If you put your savings in a bank, the banker will buy a bond anyway and get the 2½ percent or more, while paying you 1½ percent.

For these reasons, every loose dollar held by everyone ought to be in government bonds. It is incomprehensible to me that anyone would choose for any reason to hold cash or money in the bank than to hold a savings bond.

Thus, from cold reasoning, this bond drive should reach into every crevice of idle money in this country and put in to productive use both for the good of the country and the good of the individual citizen.

More stirring necessities' back up this cold one. If you have any—anywhere near the battle front—and who has not—you will want to sacrifice to buy even beyond your savings limit. Certainly if he

stops to think about it, any man would deny himself actual purchases of comforts and put this money into bonds when he contemplates the national necessity and his personal duty in it.

The slogan is "Back the Attack." This is to be the final attack, we must make sure. It is to be the big drive which will crush our enemies and the duty assigned to any man, who has a dollar or can save one, is clear. It may be his last chance to do his duty, a profitable duty.

It is not often that a man is confronted with a proposition which is at the same time necessary, profitable and patriotic. Every citizen has this privilege in this current bond campaign.

This is your country and you should be a stockholder in it, as big a stockholder as you can.

The snapping turtle is believed able to eat only when submerged.

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Announcing

A Change In The Management of Mull's Market

I wish to announce to my friends in Brevard and Transylvania county that I have recently leased the Mull Market and assumed charge Monday morning. This market is fully equipped with modern appliances for preserving meats and has well established contacts with sources of supply, which is very important at this time when certain varieties of meat are hard to get. Long dealing as a butcher with the people of this section has fully acquainted me with their

desires and preferences, and it will be my firm purpose and constant endeavor to serve them in a manner that will merit their continued patronage and good will. In this ad are listed a few opening specials that should appeal to all housewives.

J. B. King
AT MULL'S MARKET



Breakfast BACON, AA lb. . . . 37¢

Center Cut PORK CHOPS lb. . . . 37¢

Week-End Specials

Boneless AA ROUND STEAK lb. . . . 45c
Dressed FRYERS lb. . . . 42c
Sliced American CHEESE lb. . . . 39c

Fresh Fish & Oysters

BACK THE BOYS ON THE BATTLE FRONTS
BUY WAR BONDS

