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I desire to notify those who have so generously patronized my garage that, in order to render better service to the automobile owners of St. Mary's, I have formed a partnership with Mr. J. Allan Coad, by which the two garages of Leonardtown will be consolidated and a modern, up-to-date service station will be installed and maintained.

All persons who are indebted to McKay's Garage are requested to make settlement as early as possible, so that I can wind up the business.

T. A. McKAY

BEING HUMAN

No matter how much machinery is required to operate a telephone system, or how scientifically it may be handled, the thing that makes it worth while to the public is the human intelligence that keeps it going.

The quality of just being human is the one that must be possessed by every successful telephone employee. He or she must be able to understand the problems of those who may not be familiar with telephone matters.

When you think of the telephone company, think of it as a large group of earnest men and women who are striving to serve the public in a human and very valuable sort of way.

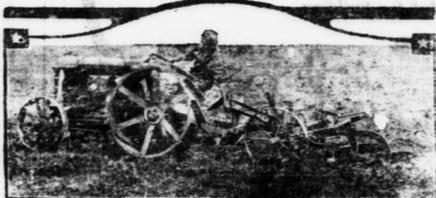
It's a body of employees who merit your cooperation.



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To the St. Mary's County Farmers:

We Have Just Demonstrated To You
THAT WE HAVE



A tractor that will fit your farm—the Fordson

YOU can make your farm produce more—at less cost—and with less effort on your part—by using the Fordson tractor. Not only will it help you prepare your land and cultivate the crops, but it furnishes power for many other farm jobs.

The Fordson tractor is the result of long study of farming conditions and it has proved a success. Burns kerosene—easy to operate and care for—practically trouble-proof.

There's an Oliver No. 7 Plow for your Fordson

Just as the Fordson tractor gives ideal power, the Oliver plow means ideal plowing. It is scientifically designed for tractor service—and is backed by a half century of experience in making plows. It buries all trash and weeds at the bottom of the furrow—maintains an even depth of furrow—and is controlled from the tractor seat.

Come in and let us show you this remarkable farm team.

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MICKIE SAYS

DIDJA EVER STOP TO THINK THAT, NEXT TO THE KAISER'S GOAT, YER SOLDIER BOY'D RATHER HAVE A COPY OF THE OLD HOME PAPER REGULAR THAN ANYTHIN' ELSE IN THE WORLD?



FARMERS ASKED TO TAKE BONDS

Special Appeal on Behalf of Liberty Loan Issue is Sent Out by Washington Representative of National Grange.

Every farmer in America is expected to support the Victory Liberty Loan, says Thomas C. Atkeson, the Washington representative of the National Grange Patrons of Husbandry, who has sent the following letter to the officers of every farm grange in the United States:

"Victory Liberty" is the slogan for the new loan. The drive is to begin April 21, for the sale of six billion dollars in Victory Liberty Bonds. These two words visualize all that is best in American spirit. American farmers must respond to this appeal. "What the farmers of America did in sacrifice and in accomplishment, in food production and in bond buying during the war is a part of the record it is a war record of which any class may be proud. It must be made good now by meeting the obligations which result from the outpouring of American strength which conquered the enemies of Liberty and civilization. Time to Get Ready.

"It is time to get into this Victory Liberty Bond campaign. No appeal of the war has gone so far and so deep as the full limit when brought to the attention of the farmers. Men, money, wheat, other food—no matter what the obstacles or the difficulties—the answer has been full and certain. The answer must be the same in this coming drive. "Millions of soldiers must be brought home; thousands of sick must be cared for; thousands of wounded and mutilated must be made ready for future usefulness. We armed a nation and mobilized its resources into a war machine of such tremendous potential power that our enemies surrendered rather than face it, and thereby months or years of fighting and thousands of lives were saved. Now we must pay the obligations created by this effort. Who can neglect to pay his just part for that which prevented so great a sacrifice of life and blood. World Wants Products.

"There lies just outside the doors of the American farmer a hungry world, a world which needs all our products. American farming rests on the safe basis of need and service. The investment of the hard earned dollars of American farmers in Victory Liberty Bonds is a safe investment, with a certainty of fair return, and the money will come back into circulation making more business, increasing the market and the demand for farm products, and increasing prosperity. Buying Victory Liberty Bonds will make farmers Victory Liberty Prosperity men. Do your part to put the Victory Liberty Loan over the top. "Make your investment in Victory Liberty Bonds the measure of your confidence in American institutions and that democracy for which your sons offered the supreme sacrifice; a symbol of your determination that the war shall not have been fought in vain; an offering of thanksgiving for peace."

GUY BROS.,

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Every department carries a most attractive line. A cordial invitation is extended to our friends and the public generally to visit us and examine the goods we offer for sale.

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We carry parts and repairs for Chevrolet and Ford cars.

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Reboke your fertilizer expense and save bills by buying Cow Peas and Soja Beans. They enrich the land not only when used for forage and grazing, but also when used in your crop—adding nitrogen and humus to your soil. It pays to order.

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SOLID SECURITY FOR YOUR BONDS

is the Wealth of This Great Country Somewhere Near Hundred and Fifty Billions of Dollars.

How many holders of "Liberty" realize fully the security that is back of that property they own? It is the wealth of the richest nation of the earth. Here's but a glance at what that wealth comprises. With 6 per cent of the world's population and 7 per cent of the world's land, America owns 60 per cent of the copper, 52 per cent of the coal, 20 per cent of the gold, 66 per cent of the oil, 40 per cent of the iron and steel, 32 per cent of the silver, 60 per cent of the cotton, 25 per cent of the wheat, 60 per cent of the corn, 30 per cent of the meat supplies. Other minerals and agricultural products in proportion.

Today Europe owes us \$10,000,000,000; four years ago we owed her nearly half that.

Don't sell your government securities. They will mean more to you by and by.



Which Road Are You Traveling?

There are two roads in life. One leads to a jagged, jagged path to show the weary traveler in which direction he is moving. But many people go along their eyes on the skies, on the ground, or unseeing in dreamland, never noticing that they are advancing on the wrong highway. Do you know which road you are traveling? Here are the sign posts. The end of one will find you empty-handed. The end of the other will find you with funds for a sunny opportunity—with War Savings Stamps and Liberty Bonds working for you at over 4% interest.

Spendthrift Road.
 "This is on me."
 "One more of the same."
 "Lend me five."
 "Charge this."
 "Here, boy."
 "Where do we go from here?"
 "Let's have another round."
 "You can go home any time."
 "Your money's no good."
 "I can't be bothered with small change."
 "The sky's the limit."
 "I'm paying for this."
 "Don't be a piker."
 "It's all in a lifetime."
 "More where this came from."
 "Easy come, easy go."
 "Eat, drink and be merry."

Thrift Road.
 "What is the price of this?"
 "One will do."
 "The walk will do me good."
 "No, thank you."
 "I can't afford that."
 "Give me your best price."
 "I'll carry this."
 "I promised my wife."
 "I need the money."
 "Let me pay my share."
 "I can get along without this."
 "I'll get it as I need it."
 "Is it worth seeing?"
 "A penny is as good in my pocket."
 "This is what I've gotten for my money."
 "I could, but there are more necessary things to be taken care of first."

SAVE THE SURFACE.
 Save the surface and you save all. Disintegration and decay are conditions which usually start at the surface of any material. Protection against deterioration or rot of substances, therefore, should begin with care of the exterior. Provided a material does not carry within itself the element of sure decay, proper surface protection will undoubtedly lengthen its life.

THE PAINTER'S BEST FRIEND
 Of all the many liquid substances which can be used for the binding of paint or dry substances which when dissolved in water are used as vehicles for pigments none fulfills necessary conditions so well as linseed oil, the king of the fixed oil, and what is of enormous importance, does it as cheaply. It is the painter's best friend because it makes his work satisfactory.

WHAT TIME IS IT?

Tick-tock—It isn't much of a clock as clocks go. Just an ordinary, everyday affair, such as one sees on the wall of almost any office. Perhaps you'd never glance up at it unless you happened to be late for luncheon.

It hangs in the counting-room of one of the biggest banks in New York, and there's nothing unusual about it except that it was put up the same day an Austrian princeling got himself killed at Sarajevo—and started the war.

It used to keep pretty good time. After we got into the war and got to going good, some one put a little red sign across the face of it so that whenever you looked up to see what time it was you saw the little sign staring at you impudently: "TIME TO BUY LIBERTY BONDS."

Tick-tock—That clock was ticking off the minutes when the guns were booming along the Somme and while the Crown Prince was battering vainly at the gates of Verdun. It was ticking when the Lusitania went down—when Bernstorff went back—when Pershing went over. It was ticking when there wasn't an American soldier on the Western Front, and when there were two million, with more on the way.

Tick-tock—It was ticking that day four months ago when the German Armistice Commissioner took out his fountain pen and signed his name on the dotted line—ticking at the rate of \$55 a second.

Tick-tock—Sixty seconds make a minute—sixty minutes make an hour—\$50,000,000 a day.

That's what the war was costing America when the Armistice was signed.

Quick! Some one! Stop the clock! Well, some one did. That day of our first Peace Celebration when we all went crazy and tore loose, some took in the bank did stop the clock. Walk out the pendulum and tied a big piece of black crepe on the clock itself. And everybody laughed and yelled their heads off—because the war was over.

That was the end of it. The war was over—the clock was stopped and everything.

Well—almost everything. Other clocks still went on ticking—at \$55 a second! They're still ticking. Not at \$55, to be sure—but it will run far into millions before next June.

We still have a job to finish. We still have war-bills to pay. And Americans always pay their bills.

We still have an army at the bridge-heads of the Rhine, and we've got to keep it there for a while—if we're going to get a real peace in place of an armistice.

And then there are the soldiers to bring back and the wounded to care for and the crippled to make over and jobs to find—before our job is finished—before we can turn all our energies to making plows and automobiles again.

It's going to take money. And we've got to raise it. That's part of our job—yours and mine and the people's next door.

The bank with the clock can't do it—all the banks in the country can't do it—if we are going to go ahead afterward making plows and automobiles and opening up new mines and planting more wheat fields.

We've got to have credit, if we are going to get back on a prosperous business basis. And we can't have credit, if the banks have all their money tied up in Liberty Loans.

Whenever one thinks of the prosperity and happiness we can have in this country, if we make good use of the opportunities that lie just ahead, he should think of that clock in the bank with its streamer of crepe and its little red sign:

And of the millions of other clocks that were ticking off the minutes during the war just as that clock in the bank did and—well—

Tick-tock—Those clocks are still ticking. There's another Liberty Loan coming. Tick-tock—What time will it be by your clock next month when the Victory Liberty Bonds are offered?

THIS KIND OF SPIRIT WON THE WAR.

The following letter has been received by the War Loan Organization at Richmond, Va., from Mr. A. W. Hall, manager of the Skyline (Md.) Herald. Who could ask more?

"The Herald will go to the War Loan Organization without charge. Moreover, we invite you to use its columns in any way you see fit for the Victory Loan. It has freely given service and space for all war activities and will not stop now. Please accept the free copy.

Secret of Concentration.
 One reason for the remarkable powers of concentration possessed by some is the intense love of their work, into which they throw themselves with such ardor as to forget everything else about them. And this, after all, is the secret of all success—to forget oneself in one's work and to become a part of that work itself and so achieve "forgetting and forgot" of all about except the one task to which force, physical and mental, has been brought.

BROCKWAY

E. R. JARBOE

Southern Maryland Representative
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