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**THE YANKEE DOLLAR**

The Yankee dollar is a part of the Allies' heavy artillery in the campaign for the enlightenment of the Germans.

America's entrance into the war makes available to the armies of the Entente millions of men, immense amounts of food and billions of dollars. The War Department is procuring and training the men; the Food Administration is increasing crop production and regulating consumption; the Treasury Department, of which every person in the United States is a member, is entrusted with recruiting the army of dollars.

Two divisions have already gone to the front the enlistments for the third are now being taken. Enlistment are being taken—for the Third Liberty Loan is not a draft but a voluntary subscription.

The Government endeavors to compensate its soldiers so far as is humanly possible. Good care is taken of them, the pay is sufficient and an insurance policy obviates poverty for their families in event of death.

Even better does the Government provide for its bond buyers. The best security in the world is offered them, a good compensation in the form of interest is paid them, public recognition of their services to the nation is rendered.

We have not hesitated to make the greatest sacrifice, to give ourselves, nor need the Allies fear that we shall hesitate to make, not the lesser sacrifice but the sound business investment which will help our country and the world.

**THE BOY SCOUTS**

In three campaigns in the last two months, the Red Cross Rummage Sale, the War Savings and now the Third Liberty Loan, the Boy Scouts of Columbia have performed very real service for their community. Perhaps the great secret of their success lies in their co-operation. And it is strange that should be the touchstone because they are boys of an age, which if left to its own devices, co-operates with no one, but goes its own way, which is often not the way of the rest of the world.

But the Boy Scouts work together, and get means. To put a thing in their hands means that it will be carried through. As an organization it stands for efficiency, and as a means of promoting fellow feeling and dependability among its members it ranks high.

Long live the Boy Scouts.

**MISSOURI ROAD AMENDMENT**

Among the amendments to the Constitution of Missouri to be voted on at the general election in November, is one introduced by Senator Harris, which, if carried, requires the county court, when authorized by the qualified voters of any road district, general or special, to make a special levy on the taxable property within such road district, in addition to the levies now authorized by law, of not to exceed 75 cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, the proceeds of such levy to be used for road purposes within such district.

"The only monument that we dare erect to our fallen dead" says an intelligence officer of the Fifteenth Australian Infantry "the only monument that would not be a dishonor to them and a shame and eternal disgrace to us, is the Monument of Victory."

From the way the Boy Scouts have brought in the dollars, they are entitled to their name.

Make Uncle Sam a two-fisted hitter by buying Liberty Bonds.

**Daily Food Hint**

**Cottage Cheese.**

A pound of cottage cheese has the same food value as a pound of meat. The Government is sending forty-seven women agents into as many states to stimulate its production. Housewives have the wrong impression that cottage cheese is merely a relish or the material for salad and not a staple food.

**Sweet Potato Flour.**

Sweet potato flour, made in the home by using an ordinary coffee grinder or a meat grinder, offers one practical way to save sweet potatoes from spoiling. A quart of dried potatoes will make a cup of flour, or meal, which is useful in making certain hot breads, cakes, and puddings. To



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And give a crooked reason  
To cover up their quile?  
They eat their white bread  
every meal,  
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make the flour, the potatoes should be cut into small length-wise pieces and thoroughly dried in a drier that fits on the top of an oven or warming closet or spread on racks in a current of air from an electric fan. The thoroughly dried potatoes are passed once or twice through a coffee grinder or the nut knife of a food chopper and the product sifted. The flour looks much like fine corn meal and keeps for some time, in a tight container.

**Nuts.**

Nuts are concentrated foods. Twenty single peanuts are about the same as the inch cube of cheese. Remember that nuts are good food. Chew them thoroughly or grind them up for a cooked dish and eat them as an important part of your meal.

**Cereals.**

Cornmeal mush and oatmeal are good only when well cooked. Many people use too little salt and don't cook them long enough.

**CHEAPER CUTS OF MEAT BEST**

Prof. P. F. Trowbridge Lectures at Kansas City Food Show.

Meat is better after being kept a couple of weeks in a cooling room, Prof. P. F. Trowbridge of the University told his hearers at a food show in Kansas City last week.

Professor Trowbridge used in his demonstration a side of young beef worth at present market prices twenty-two cents a pound, wholesale, which would have sold in December, he said, for sixteen and a half cents. Starting at the front quarter, he demonstrated by actual cuts the standard classes of roasts and steaks, and showed where a little extra work on the part of the butcher might add materially to the quality of the product when served.

In spite of the bone, Professor Trowbridge said, cheaper cuts are the ones to buy. You get more meat for your money, and in addition have the bones for soup.

Tenderness comes either from young meat, from ripening in the coolers, or from the skill of the housewife. Flavor only comes with age, and it is in the matter of flavor that the old cow has her inning, because of the scarcity of older beef steers. Paradoxically, it is the piece of meat with the least moisture that is juiciest when cooked, it being the tiny granules of fat mingled with the cells of the meat that produce the juice. The "basting" process of our childhood days is unnecessary, he said.

**Boone County Is Second.**

The best War Savings Certificates sales record in the State up to date was in Scott County, where 55 per cent of its quota had been sold April 13. Boone County comes a close second, with 53 per cent. The other leading counties are Andrain, with one-half of its quota sold; Morgan, 45 per cent; Pike, 45 per cent, and Henry, 40 per cent.

Dr. Woodson Moss to Wisconsin. Dr. Woodson Moss left Sunday for Hartford, Wis., on account of the illness of his grandson, Frederick Marshall, Jr.

**FEDERAL LOAN A SUCCESS**

New System Has Been in Operation One Year.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 15.—The federal farm loan system has been in active operation just a year, and has demonstrated that it is a success, according to a business summary issued today by the Farm Loan Board. About 2,800 national farm loan associations have been incorporated, representing about four associations to each five counties in the country. The associations have an average of 20 members, representing a total membership of about 56,000 farmer borrowers.

"The twelve Federal Land Banks have received applications for more than 120,000 loans, amounting to about \$300,000,000," says the Board's statement. "Many of these applications have been rejected, reduced or withdrawn. About 80,000 loans have been approved, amounting to more than \$160,000,000, and on 30,000 of these loans money has been paid to the farmers to the amount of about \$80,000,000."

**"CAMP PASTORS" AT FUNSTON**

Clergymen Take Care of the Soldiers and Keep Up Morale.

By Associated Press.

CAMP FUNSTON, Kan., April 15.—To take care of the morals of the soldiers and also to help do their part to keep up the morale of the men, is the two-fold duty of the clergymen, or "camp pastors," at Camp Funston. A number of these men, representing various denominations, are to be found now at Camp Funston.

A camp pastor wears the uniform of a lieutenant but without bronze buttons or braid. A bronze cross is worn on the collar of the blouse. The churches support the camp pastors. The military authorities here are giving the men every encouragement to go ahead with their work.

**The Rockefeller Foundation.**

The income of the Rockefeller Foundation would pay the current expenses of the United Government for only seven hours. The public functions of the city of New York could be supported for twelve days. The principal fund of the foundation is \$120,776,000.

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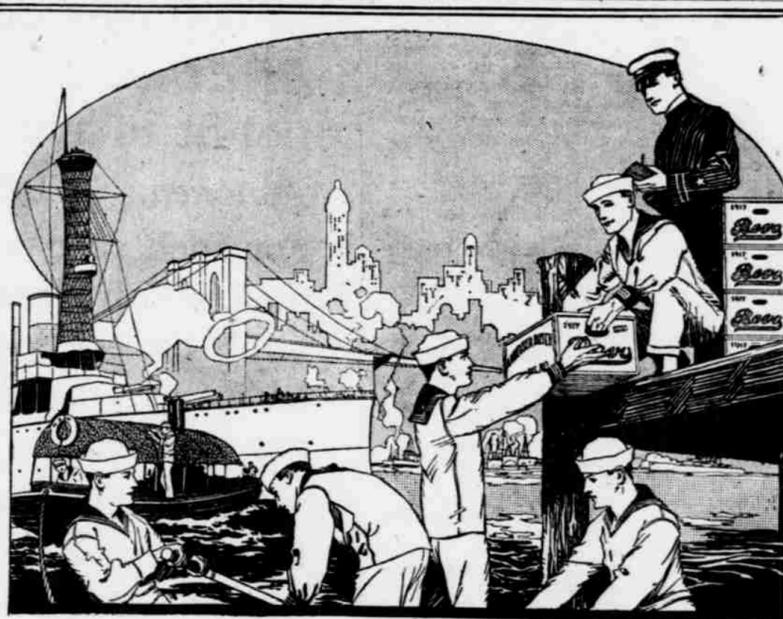
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