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Hit the trail for a Liberty bond.
 "Your patriotic duty—buy a Liberty bond."

Vermont newspapers which are publishing the complete list of all men in their towns who signed registration blanks last Tuesday would be more to the point if they printed merely the names of those who claimed no exemption from draft.

On the heels of Von Hindenburg's declaration to the people of Germany that the British and French offensives on the western front had been "definitely" checked came Gen. Haig's tremendous stroke on the northern part of that same front. We wonder how long the kaiser and his war lieutenant can delude all the German people.

Those interned German ships taken by the United States government at the formal declaration of a state of war are being turned to good account, we are informed by casual statements at home and abroad. The great ships of 600,000 tons are furnishing just the bottoms that the government needed to assist in operations against the German government.

In view of the fact that the French ministry of the marine let the cat out of the bag, it was pains for nothing for Secretary Daniels to try to withhold the name of the American armed steamer which successfully resisted a German submarine. In the contemplation of the past event we cannot see where anything was gained by the plan to keep the name of the Silvershell sub rosa.

Vermont again takes honorable position in being one of the first two states of the union to file complete returns of the selective draft registry or June 5. Of course, Vermont is a small state and does not have a large population, which would seem to indicate no special distinction for making prompt returns; but, on the other hand, a considerable part of Vermont's population is scattered into places remote from the larger centers of population and not in very close contact with those centers, either, so that the task of collecting the returns was somewhat difficult. Yet, in spite of that drawback, Vermont vied with Delaware for the honor of being the first state to report at Washington.

A large number of young men have left Vermont during the past year or two to work in munitions factories in southern New England, and it is probable that few of them took the trouble to be listed for the draft in their home towns, preferring to enter the registry in the places where they happen to be working. That may explain why Vermont's total of men between the ages of 21 and 30, both inclusive, was somewhat lower than was anticipated. Almost any community in the state can count men who have gone away into the lucrative employment in munitions plants, and some of the larger towns and cities can perhaps name a hundred or more.

One by one the old toll bridges become "free." The latest to join the ranks is the century-old structure connecting Mt. Desert island with the mainland at Trenton, Me. On the 2d the bridge was formally turned over by the owners to the Mt. Desert bridge district trustees, who paid for it with a check. A long line of motorists and pedestrians was waiting for the sensation of going across the structure without having to pay for the privilege.—Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

A few of the infamous old institutions still exist between Vermont and New Hampshire despite the advancing thought of the times against such provincialism. At these toll bridges one must stop and pay a penalty for a desire to go outside of the state; and on the other side it is just the same. Instead of free communication we have a tax on interstate relations; instead of encouraging Vermonters and New Hampshire people to get the benefits of business intercourse we virtually say to them, you shall not go outside of the bounds of your own state.

Strange anomaly, isn't it, in these days of freedom and advanced thought?

LET'S SHOW THE KAISER WE ARE STANDING BACK OF THE U. S. GOVERNMENT.

The subscription to the \$2,000,000,000 U. S. Liberty loan bonds formally closes on June 15, leaving just a week in which to make your Americanism count. It is imperatively necessary that the bonds be fully subscribed in order that the German people may have the object lesson of a tremendous wealthy nation's financial resources directed in prosecution of the war against the Prussian autocracy. We are not deluded by the idea that the government at Berlin will be frightened by the vast outpouring of money against them, because the Prussian regime has been up against some far more serious manifestations than that since the fortunes of war began to turn in favor of their enemies; but we are convinced that the American people can show the kaiser and his advisers that they are with the United States government to the extent of twenty-five billions if such an amount is necessary to accomplish the aims of the government. It has seemed to be the general notion in Berlin governmental circles that the United States government has been bluffing and that, starting action, it had not enlisted the support of the people, nor even sized up the sentiment of the nation, before the formal declaration last April. Therefore, it is very essential that an object lesson of American adherence and steadfastness be furnished to the kaiser et al. In no better way can we furnish that object lesson than by making this Liberty loan subscription one of very widespread proportions, going into every hamlet and village in the United States and including all the people, men, women and children. The total number of subscribers will be fully as convincing as the size of the subscription, or over-subscription, as the case may be. Every man, woman and child of the thinking age should take it upon himself to aid in the popularizing of this loan to the United States government. Make it as general as possible. There is a week in which to subscribe before the books are formally closed. Go at once to your banker and make known your desire to subscribe for one or more bonds. Your banker will tell you that you are merely required to pay down 2 per cent of the bonds you subscribe to, the remainder being due at stated intervals named by the government. Go to your bank to-day or to-morrow.

WAITSFIELD

Miss Strong, a trained nurse, is caring for Mrs. Peter LaBelle.
 Miss Josie Trask returned Thursday to her home in East Warren.
 Miss Eva-Annie Bisbee is home from Barre.
 Roy Newcomb of Worcester, Mass., is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Newcomb.
 Miss Frances Hartshorn spent the week-end at her home in Lincoln.
 The annual memorial service of Maple Rebekah lodge and Valley lodge, No. 16, I. O. O. F., will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. in I. O. O. F. hall.

Church Notices.

Congregational Church—Rev. William A. Remele, pastor. Sunday morning at 10:45, sermon by pastor; subject, "Confidence in Infinite Power." Children's sermon and junior choir. 12 m., Sunday school in all departments. 7:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor; subject, "Sins of the Mind." Romans 8:1-11; leader, Mrs. W. A. Remele. Wednesday at noon, Home circle dinner. Saturday at 7 p. m., rehearsal for both adult and junior choirs in the vestry. Sunday, June 17, baccalaureate Sunday. June 24, children's day and infant baptism.
 Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. Isaac Mellor, pastor. Sunday morning at 10:45, children's day program, with exercises by the children. At 7:30 p. m., Epworth league; leader, Mrs. W. H. Wright; subject, "The High Grace of Loyalty." Thursday at 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting. Saturday at 3 p. m., junior league.

ADMITS STEALING WALLET.

Charles Adams, 13, of Brattleboro apprehended in Bellows Falls.
 Brattleboro, June 8.—Charles Adams, 13, went into the grocery store owned by his uncle, Freeman Scott, yesterday and after he had gone, Mr. Scott missed a wallet which he kept in his safe in the office. It was learned that the boy boarded a northbound freight train, and Chief of Police George Wilson telephoned to Chief Severance in Bellows Falls, who located the boy and found that he had over \$50 in his pocket. He was brought back here this afternoon for a hearing. He told the Bellows Falls officer that he hid the wallet in a stone wall. His father, John Adams, works in Springfield, Mass.



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WATERBURY

The program for flag day to-morrow is as follows: Patriotic selection by the Siove band; prayer, Rev. William L. Bolcourt; flag song and drill by the primary scholars; raising of Old Glory, Montpelier Military band playing "Star Spangled Banner"; flag song and salute by the intermediate pupils of Waterbury; selection by the Scottish Clan pipers of Barre; address by Pres. Guy P. Benton of the University of Vermont; patriotic selection by Waterbury band; address by Hon. Horace Graham, governor of Vermont; float song, by students from fifth and sixth grades; "America." The drilling of the students of the schools has been in the hands of Miss Lena Wallace, teacher of music in the public schools. Rev. V. L. Smith, chairman of the speakers' committee, will have charge of the exercises. After the

speaking there will be concerts given by the various bands. Our oldest war veteran, Daniel Fordham, will unfurl Old Glory, assisted by the boy scouts. While this is floating in the breeze, the cannon will boom forth its national flag salute, while the bands play "The Star Spangled Banner." Arrangements have been made with F. J. Dalton to give a patriotic moving picture following the exercises of the afternoon, entitled, "America is Ready."

Who Will Claim Them?
 The following is a list of letters advertised at the Barre postoffice for the week ending June 7:
 Men—Joseph Bennett, Charles Crandall, Coca-Cola Bottling Works, B. W. Gordon, A. M. Holden, R. L. Kenney, H. M. Odell, L. R. Pollander, John I. Rous, Carlton Slack.
 Women—Mrs. W. T. Stewart.

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 Mrs. W. E. Mitiguy of Enosburg Falls is visiting at the home of her mother on Brook street.
 Mrs. John McDonald of Liberty street is passing several days in Lowell, Mass., where she is with her daughter, Mrs. Leroy Darling.
 Mrs. Roy McDonald of Liberty street has gone to St. Albans, where she is passing several days with her husband, who is employed there.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Noel, who were recently married in Barre, have sailed from New York for Santiago, Chili, where the former has accepted a post with the Sullivan Machinery Co.

WILLIAMSTOWN

Methodist church—Children's day will be observed on Sunday morning, June 10. A special program will be given by the children and the pastor will have a few words to say to the younger generation.
 We want all the fathers and mothers to be present. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Evening union service at 7:30. Epworth league on Tuesday evening. Leader, W. B. Jones.
 There are some cases of the disease commonly called "pinkeye" in town, and as this is contagious it is requested by the health officer that mothers of children having the malady, keep them at home and away from other children as much as possible, so as to avoid spreading the disease.
 Rural Carrier Robert E. Clogston has bought of Horace Farnham of Montpelier, administrator of the estate of the late Laura Farnham, her house on Lynde terrace, and is to have possession about

the first of July. Price to be paid is reported to be around \$2500.

Children's day will be observed next Sunday morning at the Congregational church. There will be special exercises by the intermediate and primary classes, and singing by the girls' choir.
 Asparagus cut to order. N. B. Robinson.—adv.

Wanted.
 One thousand automobiles wanted in big patriotic parade and flag raising at Waterbury Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Patriotic addresses by Governor Graham and Hon. Guy P. Benton of University of Vermont.

Card of Thanks.
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