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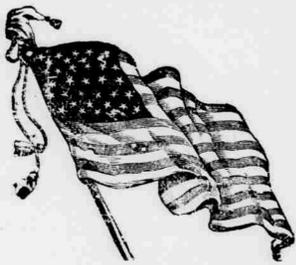
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**TOTE YOUR OWN.**

A certain party in the state of  
Massachusetts did what he  
should not have done, and was  
accordingly pinched. In court  
his guilt was proved, and the  
judge fined him \$50. He ten-  
dered a Liberty Bond in pay-  
ment, and it was refused, as its  
market value. He was obliged  
therefore, to add \$2.50, cash, to  
the bond in paying the fine.

The judge's position was right  
Many people throughout the  
country who have Liberty Bonds  
—and most of us have—are try-  
ing to get easy terms in discharg-  
ing obligations by offering them  
as cash. And when creditors in-  
sist on receiving them at mar-  
ket and not at face value the de-  
btors accuse them of insulting  
the good name of Uncle Sam,  
and impeaching his solvency.

There will always be imitation  
patriotism with a mercenary mo-  
tive. We shall often see the  
stars and stripes used to cloak  
dishonesty. A Liberty bond of  
the 2nd, 3rd and 4th loans can-  
not be sold much above 95, tho  
as the bonds approach maturity  
they are sure to rise, and will,  
of course be worth face value at  
maturity.

The plain, unemotional truth  
about a Liberty Bond is this.  
Each purchaser, on buying,  
knew that in return for \$100 he  
was getting something which, as  
soon as he had got it, would be  
unsalable at more than \$95.  
Whatever patriotism was con-  
tained in the purchase was rep-  
resented by that fact. It a-  
mounted to \$5 worth of patriot-  
ism. And the sacrifice was not  
great in comparison with the ab-  
negation of those who wagered  
their bodies for a principle in  
France.

Any man who has bought a  
\$100 Liberty bond has made a  
gift of \$5 to Uncle Sam. His \$100  
would have produced 7% instead  
of 4 1/4% in solid securities at  
low denominations. But it is  
cheaper to give Uncle Sam \$5  
than to pay tribute to Germany.

When a man has made a gift  
of \$5, \$10, or \$20 to Uncle Sam,  
let him stand the gaff—unless  
his need is great. Let him stic.  
Let him not whine to some one  
else to pay his \$5 for him—to re-  
ceipt his bond at par. Let ev-  
ery man carry his own load.  
God hates a quitter.

Will the luxury tax on sodas  
and ice cream and chocolates ob-  
lige the young man to give up  
to the crowning luxury of a best  
girl?

**OPPOSE REPEAL DAYLIGHT  
SAVING LAW**

Tennis players throughout the  
country are uniting in a protest  
to Congress against the repeal of  
the daylight saving law, contem-  
plated in a rider on the agricul-  
tural appropriation bill. This  
proposal brought forth vigorous  
protests last Winter, and now  
that long afternoon have given  
the players renewed opportunity  
to realize the benefits they de-  
rive from this extra hour of day-  
light, the protests against this  
possible loss will be even more  
earnest.

George T. Adee, President of  
the United States National Lawn  
Tennis Association, has sent a  
letter to all its members, urging  
them to inform their Congress-  
men immediately of their oppo-  
sition to the proposed repeal.  
All the local associations also  
are advising their membership  
to take similar action.

"The attitude of the National  
Association is well known,"  
said Mr. Adee, "for ever since  
the bill was introduced in 1917  
the association has been on re-  
cord in favor of daylight saving.  
Last Summer the public had its  
first opportunity to enjoy this  
extra hour of daylight, and the  
results were even more favor-  
able than had been anticipated.

"The campaign to repeal the  
daylight saving law is under  
way so it is important for every  
one who desires to continue to  
enjoy its benefits to make his  
wishes known immediately. The  
association is requesting its mem-  
bers to write their Congressmen  
and Senators protesting against  
the repeal, and similar action  
should be taken at once by ev-  
eryone interested in the welfare  
of a great part of our popula-  
tion."

**Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured**

by local applications, as they cannot reach  
the diseased portion of the ear. There is  
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EVERY DEPARTMENT OF MY STORE. WHAT'S THE USE  
TALKING SO MUCH, WHEN ONE WORD TELLS THE  
WHOLE TALE? YOU ALL KNOW THAT ONE WORD, BUT  
WILL REPEAT IT ANYWAY. ISN'T IT SMALL TO MEAN  
SO MUCH? JUST SEVEN LETTERS.

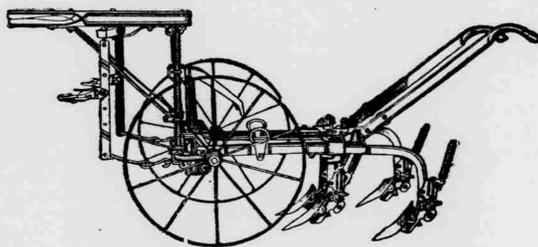
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