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Next Bond Issue

May Total Six Billion Dollars, Large Sum of Which Will be Loaned to the Allies.

Washington, June 28.—Another bond bill, authorizing eight billion dollars of Liberty bonds in addition to all heretofore authorized, was framed today by the House ways and means committee in preparation for the next issue expected in October, and to provide for a subsequent issue when necessary.

Authorization is outstanding for \$4,000,000,000 in bonds, and the next issue will be around \$5,000,000,000.

Besides authorizing \$8,000,000,000 more bonds for domestic purposes, the bill which was approved by the committee for immediate report to the House, would authorize \$1,500,000,000 more for loans to the allies increasing the total provided for this purpose from \$5,500,000,000 to \$7,000,000,000. In transmitting the tentative draft Secretary McAdoo stated that advances to the allies for July, August and September had been estimated at \$500,000,000 a month, and added:

"Loans to the allies have fallen considerably below that figure and the additional appropriation, would, I hope, carry us through the early winter."

"Early enactment would put the Treasury in a position to make plans before hand before the Liberty Loan in the fall," said Mr. McAdoo. "This authorization is greater than would be issued in the fourth loan, but if the practice which was adopted successfully in the third loan of making allotments in full upon all over-subscriptions is followed, it will be necessary to have a substantial margin to cover any possible subscription."

Under the new bill, banks and trust companies which are qualified government depositories, would be allowed to take subscriptions for future loans. Mr. McAdoo stated that failure of some banks which had taken deposits for loans had created great hardships in some individual cases and he desired to confine future fiscal operations of the Treasury to the government depositories.

Chairman Kitchen reported the bill to the House late today and leaders plan to call it up and rush it through Congress before the recess planned for next month.

Normal Notes

The Clinchfield Valley Summer Normal opened Wednesday morning with an enrollment of seventy one. In view of war times and other conditions this is considered a good enrollment. At the chapel services on Wednesday morning interesting talks were made by Mr. J. J. Kelly, superintendent of the Wise County Schools, Prof. O. R. Easley, local manager of the Normal and Prof. J. A. Livesay, conductor of the Normal.

The normal is composed of the following able faculty:

Civics—Owen R. Easley, Local Manager, History of Virginia.

H. M. Cooper, Algebra and Arithmetic.

H. C. Williams, Geography and Physiology.

D. D. Sizer, Agriculture.

Miss Ruth Robinson, Grammar and Composition.

Miss Mary Thomas, United States and English History.

Miss Claire Burton, Reading, Primary Methods.

Mrs. H. C. Williams, Physical Geography, Penmanship.

Miss H. L. Kern, Drawing.

Mrs. Gilley, Model School.

FACULTY FOR VACATION SCHOOL

Owen R. Easley, Principal.

H. C. Williams, Mathematics.

Miss Mary Thomas, History.

Miss Ruth Robinson, English.

Miss Kathleen Knight, Latin.

Miss Cassie L. DuVal, Elementary English, Arithmetic.

Miss Winifred Mullins, Elementary History, Geography.

Up to Monday afternoon the following students were enrolled:

WISE COUNTY

Ethel Arlington
Alice Bruce
Mary Bunn
Mrs. C. E. Bunn
Lucie Dowell
Myra Coward
Nomi Goff
Vera Gilley
Edith Henrich
Nina Johnson
Kathleen Knight
Mary Gilley

LEE COUNTY

Eula Bailey
Marie Bailey
Blanche Chandler
Geeta Forester
Mrs. Eliza Morgan

SCOTT COUNTY

Ida Berry
Basha Catron
Alison Eady
Elsie Fulber
Elizabeth Franklin
Gladys Godley
Myrtle Gilenwater
Della Hammond
Esther Harris
Lindsay Hartsock

DICKENSON COUNTY

Emma Counts
Cowan Edwards
Clara Gwizdo
Nell Lowers

RUSSELL COUNTY

Bertha Claire
Agnes Smith

BUCHANAN COUNTY

Bill Raines

PATRICK COUNTY

Hester Tatam

Red Cross Notes

REGISTER

Week ending June 29th.

Mrs. S. Polly, 7 hours; Mrs. Gilliam, 2 1/2 hrs; Miss Mary Stutz, 2 hrs; Mrs. E. F. Burgess, 5 hrs; Mrs. I. C. Taylor, 2 1/4 hrs; Mrs. J. W. Smith, 2 1/4 hrs; Mrs. W. D. Bunn, 1 3/4 hrs; Mrs. W. T. Goodloe, 5 1/4 hrs; Mrs. Ernest Nickels, 2 1/2 hrs; Mrs. Tatum, 1 1/2 hrs; Miss Bonnie Gilley, 2 hrs; Mrs. J. W. Markle, 5 3/4 hrs; Mrs. Ed Mouser, 3 1/4 hrs; Mrs. Otis Mouser, 1 1/2 hrs; Mrs. E. C. Bunn, 1 hr; Mrs. F. W. Lewis, 2 3/4 hrs; Mrs. R. T. Irvine, 3 3/4 hrs; Mrs. J. R. Crill, 3 1/4 hrs; Mrs. D. R. Pierson, 2 hrs; Miss Florence McCormick, 2 hrs; Mrs. C. C. Cochran, 3 1/4 hrs; Mrs. Carter, 1 3/4 hrs; Mrs. A. J. Welle, 1 1/4 hrs; Mrs. J. H. Mathews, 2 1/2 hrs; Mrs. C. C. Long, 2 1/2 hrs; Mrs. Beverly, 1 1/2 hrs; Miss Margaret Pettit, 1 hr; Miss Margaret Miller, 1 3/4 hrs; Miss Christine Miller, 1 1/4 hrs; Miss Ruth Prescott, 2 1/4 hrs; Miss Sara Williams, 1 hr; Miss Inez Tiller, 2 hrs; Miss Anna Bird, 2 hrs; Mrs. J. B. Marks, 1 3/4 hrs; Mrs. Owen, 2 hrs; Miss Alice Bruce, 2 hrs; Miss Ethel Arrington, 2 hrs.

All members are requested to meet Thursday, 8:30 a. m. in cap and apron with Red Cross emblem on each to participate in parade. Please be on hand so that we may have a good representation.

The chapter is prepared to supply sweater wool to those needing it to complete unfinished garments and to complete delivering same. The yarn will be furnished by you Wednesday and Saturday at the Work Room. The sockwool hasn't arrived, but is expected in the very near future.

Theatrical.

"LEST WE FORGET" is the great screen drama for which the world has been waiting. Its historical significance will make it of value as long as the world stands. For it shows in visible form the great causes back of America's entrance into the war. The violation of Belgium and the leading of its citizens into captivity, the wanton destruction of magnificent cathedrals and the inhuman treatment of innocent women and children shown both on land, and in the sinking of the mammoth ship, the Lusitania, are all to be seen in "Lest We Forget."

The star of "Lest We Forget," beautiful Rita Jolivet, was herself a passenger on the Lusitania on its ill-fated trip, and heard those immortal words of her fellow-passenger, Charles Frohman, "Why fear death? Death is the most beautiful adventure of life." Her life was spared to be a living witness to the brutality of the Huns.

This great eight-act production provides a mighty panorama of events now historical, connected with the opening days of the war, and follows its progress through the latter thrilling months. A beautiful love story shines like a star through the darkness, the roar of battle sometimes seeming like a mighty accompaniment to the human drama being played. Many Americans unable to go abroad and engage in actual fighting or works of mercy have wished they might see with their own eyes a part of what has been going on in Europe since August, 1914. "Lest We Forget," shows far more of actual events abroad during the great struggle of decency against barbarism than any one person, whether combatant or non-combatant, could possibly see. Besides being a great love story, it is a valuable chronicle of the war.—At the Amuzu Theatre, Thursday, July 4th.

Wedding Announcement.

Judge and Mrs. H. A. W. Skeen announce the marriage of their daughter Mary Wynne to Mr. Harvey Doyle Brown, of Knoxville, Tenn., Tuesday, July second nineteen hundred eighteen at Methodist Episcopal Church, South Big Stone Gap, Va.

Our men in the trenches and in the submarine chasers are doing their part. Are you doing your part? Buy War Savings Stamps to your utmost capacity.

Educational Meeting at Big Stone Gap School House

Wednesday and Thursday Nights.

On Wednesday night at 8:45 p. m. County Agent Sizer will deliver a free illustrated lecture on Poultry Management. A stereopticon and 50 slides of poultry and poultry management will serve as interesting features of entertainment.

On Thursday night the lecture will be on "Orchard Management" illustrated with lantern slides.

Men, ladies and club members are especially invited. All normal teachers and pupils are also urged to be present.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all the kind people in the Gap, especially our neighbors, who assisted us in so many ways, during the illness and death of our darling baby boy, "Bobbie." Also for the beautiful flowers.

MR. AND MRS. P. M. REASOR.

Service Flag Exercises.

The service flag exercises at the Southern Methodist church on Sunday night were very interesting. The flag has twenty-two stars on it and represents the number of members of the church in the service of his country.

Following are the list with their location as far as is known: Willie Baker, training school. Roy Banks, "Over There." Reuben Banks, in Camp Lee. Rob Carnes, "Over There." Martin Carnes, probably on way "over there." Claude Carico, Washington in training school.

Edward Edens, "Over There." Creed Kelly, "Over There." John Gilley, in hospital service "over there." Beverly Flannery, Fort Oglethorpe.

Tate Kilbourne, in camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison.

Jessee Kilbourne, in Navy at Hampton Roads.

Malcolm Mullins, on way or some where in France.

Vivion Mouser, somewhere in France in Field Artillery.

Walter Nickels, in Navy on seas.

Sam Nickels, in medical department of Navy.

Will H. Nickels, at Fortress Monroe in Navy.

Charles Willis, somewhere in France.

Hatcher Willis, somewhere in England.

George Hurd, in France—cross of honor.

Ransome Payne, Fort Bliss.

Carlisle Skeen, on way "over there."

Missionary Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, was held Thursday afternoon, June 6th at the home of Mrs. J. L. Bostwick. Only ten members responded to roll call. The business session was held by the president, Mrs. I. C. Taylor. Very good reports were made by the officers.

Mrs. C. S. Carter, superintendent of supplies, reported \$29.75 sent to Mrs. Dobbins for June supplies. Mrs. Bostwick reported eleven subscriptions to the Missionary Voice. Mrs. Honeycutt read extracts from the Bulletin. Mrs. C. S. Carter led the devotional program, using for the Bible lesson: "Jesus' Observance of the Sabbath Day." Mrs. Kilbourn, Mrs. Ed Mouser, Mrs. I. C. Taylor and Mrs. Honeycutt read extracts from the Bible in connection with the lesson. Mrs. Taylor led in prayer. Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Mouser gave very interesting and instructive answers to the "Social Questionnaire." After singing a song we were adjourned to meet in July with Mrs. I. C. Taylor.

MRS. G. C. HONEYCUTT, Supt. Pub.

In honor of her house guest, Misses Margaret and Adelaide Pettit, of Big Stone Gap, Va., Mrs. J. L. Camblos gave a dance Monday evening at the Kingsport Inn. For the occasion the inner court was decorated with Japanese lanterns and growing flowers in full bloom and presented a scene of rare beauty. Twenty-five couples participated in the dance and at a late hour the hostess served fruit punch and sandwiches. Music was furnished by a local orchestra.

Mrs. Camblos entertained with a moonlight picnic at Rotherwood Saturday evening complimentary to the Misses Pettit. Those present were Misses Margaret and Adelaide Pettit, Major and Mrs. James Maher, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Embree, William Bennett, Jr., Herbert Stone and Mr. and Mrs. Camblos.—Kingsport Correspondent—Bristol Herald Courier.

Good Opportunity.

Students in this community who want to do so can enter the normal here for any subject they may desire and an entrance fee of only one dollar will be charged. Drawing and writing will be of especial interest to children and all who can should take advantage of this splendid opportunity.

FROM THE FEDERAL FOOD ADMINISTRATION FOR VIRGINIA

"Due to lack of shipping and the concentration of labor in allied countries, this country must be the farm for the whole world."

"America is God's last chance to save the world."

"Generals and soldiers win battles; peoples win wars."

"If the American farmer doesn't furnish the food to win the war, the German farmer will."

The 1918 wheat crop promises to be the largest in our history.

Virginia raised 18,000,000 bushels of wheat in 1917 and then wasted 34 per cent of it by threshing it as soon as harvested, or before it was dry or in merchantable condition; by using threshing machines not in good repair or without ample power; by letting grain be scattered about the machine, or lost from wagons with bottoms not properly closed with wood or canvas; by careless handling and improper storing.

In 1918, when every grain is needed to help save a starving world from the German enemy, the threshermen of the State are joining the United States Food Administration, and pledging that "in order to be of service to their country in this time of need, particularly in its effort to avoid unnecessary waste of grain during harvest operations, they will operate their machines so as to reduce the waste of grain."

Farmers went into harvest in many patriotic communities keeping their pledges made to have their blades in order and not to try to have their wheat threshed until it was seasoned and in proper condition; to store it with care for threshing, either by stacking it, or if impossible to do either, then to give special attention to capping shocks to protect the grain from the rain.

Calculate the 34% waste of the 1918 crop, and see what these patriotic farmers and threshermen will save if they can get the whole State with them.

County Threshing Committees have been formed in most of the wheat growing counties, and meetings of farmers and threshermen held, with the Committee and the Threshermen's assistants sent by the Threshing Division of the United States Food Administration Grain Corporation to aid in the work. These meetings have resulted in a general "get-together" program of wheat conservation, and the exchange of much practical information.

"With respect to the coming year, we must in no way relax our efforts toward conservation. It is absolutely vital that we build up our reserves to the point of safety."

As a result of the voluntary conservation of flour by the American people, 179,000,000 bushels of wheat from the 1917 crop will be shipped to the Allies. In normal times of peace our exportable surplus from such a crop would have been only 20,000,000 bushels. "Peoples win wars."

All those who buy poultry and eggs from others and ship them to market must be licensed, including country merchants purchasing them in exchange for goods. All licenses are issued by the License Division, U. S. Food Administration, Washington, D. C.

"A doubtful egg is a bad egg even if it is a good egg," but this year the Food Administration is going to make a big drive to put this doubtful egg out of business by better handling and candling. The State Dairy and Food Division is co-operating with the Food Administration. Packers of eggs should inform themselves as to proper methods of handling.

Figures obtained by the Food Administration show that during the hot weather period from June to October, 25 per cent of all eggs are a total loss, and 40 per cent lose much of their food value.

On the above basis of loss, each good egg, instead of costing 13 cents, as the housewife supposed when she bought the lot, really cost 44.9 cents, and that is 58 cents a dozen and nobody was helped by the high price she paid. "Food wasted is food lost and no money can replace it."

"U-boats waste food; don't be a U-boat."

They also serve who buy War Savings Stamps—if they save and buy to the utmost of their ability, and buy in time.

An Old Truth Revived.

Every day now the line is being more sharply drawn between the real, self-sacrificing patriot, and the profiteer hiding under a cloak of blatant loyalty.

Nineteen hundred years ago the Man of Galilee quietly remarked to a company of friends and followers that "it is more blessed to give than to receive." At the time it made little impression upon his hearers, and in the centuries since that day men have grasped it merely as a theoretical truth, with no real thought of making it a life principle.

But the present world cataclysm has put people to thinking seriously of this statement of the great Teacher. People with no claims to religious convictions are waking up to the fact that underlying the statement is found the true secret of life. We are coming to see more clearly every day that the selfish life is the miserable life, stunting and dwarfing all the finer qualities of our nature that have elevated us as a race so immeasurably above the human brutes with whom we now do battle.

When the final history of this war is written, those whose names will go down at the head of the honor list will not be the profiteers who grasped millions from a suffering world; but those who gave, and gave, and gave, till they could give no more—who stripped themselves of earthly possessions to gain a crown that all earth and hell can never deprive them of.

The proud consciousness that they have "done what they could" for humanity and right.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

W. J. CHASEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known J. C. Chasey for the last 15 years, and believe him to be a gentleman in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

S. NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

NOTICE OF SALE

CIRCUIT COURT OF WISE COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Sarah Alice Gilley, Guardian, etc. vs. George Mildred Gilley, et al.

Pursuant to decree entered by the Circuit Court of Wise County, Virginia, in the above styled cause at the April, 1918, term of the said court, the undersigned will

On Saturday, July 20th, 1918, between the hours of three (3) p. m. and six (6) p. m.

in front of the Postoffice in East Stone Gap, Wise County, Virginia

sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real estate and interest in real estate, namely:

A three-acre tract of land on the south side of the Beaver Dam fork of Powell's River near, and just above, East Stone Gap conveyed by Jesse Gilley to Sarah Alice Gilley and G. Munroe Gilley by deed dated January 23rd, 1907, recorded in Wise County Deed Book No. 106, page 97.

Another three-acre tract of land on the south side of the Beaver Dam fork of Powell's River immediately adjoining the above named lot, conveyed by Jesse Gilley to G. Munroe Gilley by deed dated November 3rd, 1907, recorded in Wise County Deed Book 87, page 149.

A right of way through the land now, or formerly, owned by R. D. Gilley for the benefit of the said two lots of land described in a deed from Jesse Gilley to Reuben D. Gilley and Mary E. Gilley dated July 31st, 1905, recorded in Wise County, Deed Book 93, page 327, and described as follows: "A right of way through the lands of R. D. Gilley by way of the old Rotherwood crossing Powell's River, said right of way is to be a gate-way out to Gilley street at East Stone Gap cemetery where the gate is now located, and the said Jesse Gilley is to keep up said gates."

J. W. CHALKLEY, Special Commissioner.

I hereby certify that the bid required by law has been executed in the above case.

This 18th day of June, 1918.

W. B. HAMPTON, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Wise County, Virginia. June 19-23-18

Over the Top

In the drive last week for the sale of War Savings Stamps Big Stone Gap was the only town in the county to go over the top. Our quota for the entire year is \$60,000, but up to Saturday night the amount of stamps sold and pledges received amounted to \$67,175. Before the year closes Big Stone Gap will take care of at least one hundred thousand dollars worth of these stamps, which is one of the best investments you can put your savings into. Thirty-six persons in Big Stone Gap have agreed to buy each a thousand dollars worth of these stamps.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies, when Boschee's Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-two years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Sold by Kelly Drug Co.