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BANKS TO SAFEGUARD BONDS AND STAMPS

Are Ready to Protect Securities of Small Investors Free or For Nominal Charge.

In buying Liberty Bonds, Victory Bonds, Thrift and War Savings Stamps the people of the United States have done more than perform a patriotic duty—they have invested in the soundest securities in the world, gold obligations of the United States of America.

But the safeguarding of these securities has become a problem for many folk. Only a few persons, relatively, have either a safe in the house or office, or a safe-deposit box in the vaults of the bank. For so many patriotic citizens are keeping bonds and stamps about the house, in the bureau drawer, under the mattress, or on the shelf. And even if the treasure is thus hidden from thieves, there is the ever present danger of fire, and the loss of the money invested.

There may be no further call for the people at large to subscribe to huge bond issues, but the government needs the daily and weekly sums which come in from the sale of Thrift and War Savings Stamps for taxes must be kept down. The danger of loss has deterred some people from getting as many stamps as they might otherwise buy. Hence the problem will be a future question as well as a present one.

Steps have been taken, however, to meet this situation.

First, every bond or stamp certificate may be registered with the Treasury Department. Registration means that the owner's name and the number of his security have been "registered" by the government, and that nobody but himself can possibly get the money which the bond or stamp certificate calls for. Certificates may be registered through the nearest postoffice; bonds through the nearest bank.

And the second method for safeguarding has been provided by the banks themselves. Every bank—national bank or savings bank—and every trust company has, of course, ample and secure vaults. For the man who does not feel that he can afford to rent a safe deposit box to keep Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps in, many of the banks and trust companies have announced their willingness to keep these securities for him in their own vaults.

SUCCESSFUL DOLLARS ARE THOSE WORKING

Invested in War Savings Stamps They Never Fail to Yield You Handsome Profit.

It is the dollar that goes to work that is the successful dollar. The idle dollar is a failure. The successful dollar brings back another dollar with it. It makes itself a dollar and something—two dollars and something—a whole family of dollars.

But the careless dollar goes off somewhere and is never seen again.

A Texas man the other day lost a life-time's savings—\$786. His dollars had gone off in the pockets of two fake stock promoters. He had not taught his dollars to keep good company.

Hundreds of years ago a man to whom a handful of money had been trusted buried it all in a napkin. He got no increase—he did not even keep what he had.

The dollar that succeeds is energetic—and careful. War Savings Stamps do more than save your dollars. They put them to work at compound interest. And they never fail. Your government guarantees every one of them.

A man once bought Manhattan Island for \$24. He had the \$24. Buy War Savings Stamps and be ready.

Provide a silver lining for the coming cloud. War Savings Stamps will do it.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS MADE HOME POSSIBLE

Man Who Suddenly Found Himself Without Roof Over Head Was Able to Buy Property.

This true story tells how War Savings Stamps built a sure protection around one Washington war worker and his family.

Early in the war savings campaign he began a small systematic investment in Thrift Stamps, which ultimately grew until he had an investment of \$100. He says he acquired his stamps without depriving himself or family. The investment "just grew" out of incidental savings.

Presently this incidental money became scarce. The war worker and his family felt the burden of the wartime high cost of living, and the anxiety and expense of extraordinary illness of the two children. Then another blow fell. He awoke one morning to find that he had no place to live.

His residence had been sold and he and his family were asked to vacate. He could find no houses for rent within his means, and was confronted with the necessity of leaving the city or buying a home for his family. He could not buy without making a substantial initial payment, and ready funds were seemingly beyond reach.

Then he thought of his War Savings Stamps. He remembered they were redeemable on ten days' notice, with accrued interest. With the proceeds of these stamps and such small sums as he could gather he made first payment on a new home in the suburbs.

Recently he closed to sell it for \$1,200 more than the purchase price. This man is a War Savings Stamp enthusiast—and he is on the straight road to financial independence.

Start your mind going along saving lines and then watch it travel. Buy W. S. S. regularly.

Pull together to produce more, to eliminate waste, to save and to invest in W. S. S.

Keep your money at work for you. Re-invest your Liberty Bond interest in W. S. S.

REMEMBER THE ANT

Save and have!

Remember the story of the ant and the grasshopper? The ant worked and saved. The end of each day found him with a little more added to what he had the day before. The grasshopper danced and sang and fiddled his time away. Winter came; the ant had plenty. The grasshopper had nothing; he had not saved. He went to the ant and asked for help. Said the ant: "While I worked, you fooled your time away. You can dance now for all I care."

Are you an ant-person or a grasshopper - person? Some time are you going to have to ask for help and will someone tell you to dance; or will you be independent?

If you save now, you'll have later on. Let the end of every week find more Thrift Stamps on your card. At the end of every month be able to show more War Savings Stamps pasted on your certificate. Lend your money to the government at 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly, and see it grow.

Take stock of yourself! What are you worth? Will next New Year's Day find you worth more or less? Which will you be; an ant or a grasshopper?

National Capital Engaged in a Hunt for Bold, Bad Men.

Washington, July 20.—The nation's capital is going through the novelty of a man-hunt.

A long series of daylight hold-ups and robberies, topped off by five attacks on white women by negroes, has wound up with citizens taking affairs into their own hands to the extent of forming vigilance committees and by private subscription raising a reward fund which now totals more than two thousand dollars.

One negro under arrest has been identified by two of the white women but the police say their evidence against the man is only circumstantial and they are holding him while making further investigations. The negro made one futile attempt to escape while under questioning at police headquarters during which he denied his guilt.

The man-hunt has proceeded in the most fashionable part of the city and close by the homes of many well known men. One assault which took place not far from the celebrated Chevy Chase golf club aroused the men of the vicinity and nearby Maryland and they formed searching parties, raised a reward fund and placarded that part of the city with descriptions of the negro.

For two days searching parties combed the woods immediately at the entrance of the National Zoological Park, where the negro was said to have been hiding.

This scene is near Secretary Tamm's house, and the homes of other nationally known figures are nearby.

Meanwhile, other attacks on white women by negroes took place in other sections of the city and citizens' associations held meetings at which the police were denounced for inefficiency. There were threats that if the negro should be caught the searchers would take justice into their own hands.

The police were counseled respect for law and order, and maintained that Congress does not appropriate enough funds to make policemen enough available to adequately police the city. Police officers are inclined to charge the crime wave largely to the results of bootlegging by negroes since the dry laws became effective.

So far as is known, the assailant of at least three women is unaccounted for. The man held is charged only with assault upon two. There has been some talk of a Congressional investigation of the police.

The sixth attack of its kind in four weeks was reported to the police early this morning. A woman employe of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the plant where the government makes stamps and currency, reported she had been seized by two negroes at a street corner but best them off with her umbrella and alarmed them with her screams.

As part of the police crusade to meet the situation, orders were given today to round up all negro loiterers on street corners who fail to give satisfactory accounts of themselves.

No Reason for Sugar Shortage.

Washington, July 20.—While retail dealers throughout the country are advising consumers they have difficulty of obtaining normal stocks of sugar, the government has forecast a domestic crop far above the average for the last six years.

The department of agriculture in an estimate based on July 1st crop conditions and announced today, predicts a crop of 2,216,000,000 pounds or 147,000,000 pounds more than the average crop of the preceding six years.

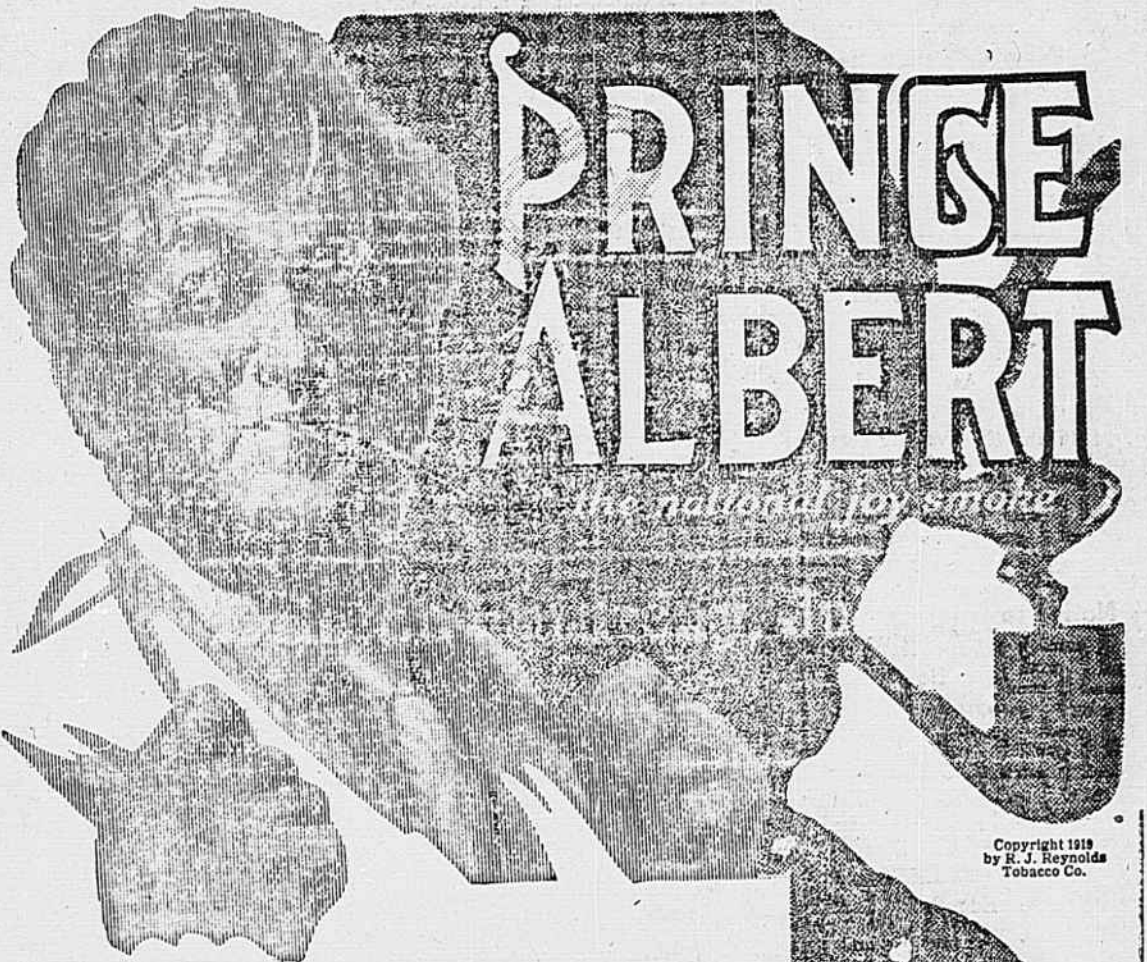
The beet sugar forecast this year is higher than the record crop of 1915-16 by nearly 75,000 tons, but the cane sugar crop is almost 100,000 tons below the average of the six years. The sugar beet acreage this year is a record one.

In recent years the cane sugar crop usually has been about one-fourth of the total and beet sugar produced contiguous United States, but this year the prospect is that it will be only about one-seventh. Smaller acreage and a wet, cool spring are the cause of the smaller crop.

Michigan, Colorado and Utah show big increases in beet sugar prospects. Forecasts show Michigan's crop as 1,159,000 tons, an increase of 257,000 tons; Colorado's 2,024,000 tons, increase 580,000, and Utah's 1,208,000 tons, increase 205,000 tons.

Summer Complaint Quickly Relieved.

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