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The plaything and prey Of a despot far over the sea? Or will you enroll With your heart and your soul For the banner that floats o'er the

From 1 What dross is your gold If you shrink and withhold That gold in the time of my need The weapon you deny me. When tyrants defy me le pitiful profit indeed-

You waved me for year

And bailed me with cheers When the war was not here to affect What part have you shown in the Liberty Loan? HOW MUCH WILL YOU GIVE TO

> PROTECT MET Organizing The County.

ment to them

erty Honds, whether they have the scriptions

The campaign for the Third Liberty of this big drive. Loan will be handled differently from there was on deposit in the six banks out for the success of this undertak a probable wide distribution of bonds of Queen Annes county, in the Sav. ing: ing Departments, \$1,461,785. This District 1-John E. George and John Every new buyer means a new boosmoney is drawing interest at the rate F. Stokes, Chairmen; William R. Will ter for the war, the loan promoters to 4 per cent, and if it were used for son, David Wallace, W. O. Thomas, say, and this is one of their chief rea-Liberty Bonds at 4% per cent Queen Samuel P. Goodhand, Chas. L. Joslin, sons for exulting over the prospects Annes county would have no trouble R. Bruce Massey, Dudley G. Roe, Al- of reaching communities whose showto take care of its quota for the Third dred Walls, Samuel C. Paulkner. ings beretofore were poor. Liberty Loan and all other loans to District 2-E. S. Valliant and Nelson The enthusiasm apparent throughcome in the future; the banks would J. Brown, Chairmen; W. J. Massey, out the South has been a subject of be relieved of the burden of paying 4 8. C. Walls, E. Stephens Valliant, W. special comment at the Treasury. per cent, on these deposits; the gov- leving Walker, James P. Brown, Dr. since the campaign opened Saturday. erament would have the use of the Norman S. Dudley, Harry E. Walls, Towns of considerable size which ap money for the purpose of defending Oliver C. Newnam, J. Carroll Seney, peared indifferent in the first and secour lives, homes and property and the E. W. Corwin. Assemblace would get a greater rate of | District 3.-Walter T. Wright, J. F. Uvity.

ville with this and also in a few of the consiler towns field Tilghman, W. H. Bishop, G. E.

Loan Fing, which o me to be die Any one securing four subscribers to Jarrell J. Milton Hunter. G. Harri- later means that the material and ly out of those engaged in the manufac checribing them son Tracey these bonds and seives is entitled to use of these but-

Honor Plag by outpersons more than

clusively that the big business people trenches, or who are in cantonments. Several big cities are among those individually have the opportunity by time will mean getting up, not accord of the county are awake to the nec- preparing themselves for this wonder- which have sent word privately that saving to make our determination the ling to the clock, but according to the essity of floating these loans, while ful ordesi, are giving up more than they hoped to "go over the top" with more effective to translate our patri sun, at 4 30 to 5. At the other end of the rural communities sit idly by as those who put every dollar they pos in two weeks, and eventually to douthough this war were nothing of mo- seas in Liberty Bonds, and they are ble their quotas and thereby win the man life, and bring victory to our clock time, means going to bed at 9 doing it cheerfully from a patriotic third Liberty Loan honor flag with arms do their duty in this crisis undoubted best security on the face of the earth, tions earlier in this campaign than in

agency which can be brought into the to be subscribing freely

Committees Appointed.

Lowe, R. W. Eddins, C. Percy Tucker, H. W. Chambers, W. Freestate, J. M. Hopkins, R. C. Keith James P. Kest-

Ocorge O. Calloway, Chairmen; James in their actions, and there must be no E Kirwan, John P. Roe, E. Granville occasion for doubt in Germany as to Tolson, T. Roland Carville. John F. what that sentiment is. The time has Ruth. Dr. Chas E. Snyder. John M. | come for each one of us to take part. Norman, W. F. Breeding, J. B. Hop- Less than ten million people subscribkine, Dr. John R. Benton, H. C. Norris, ed for the first two loans. It is not but in all Dr. Wm. T. Henry, Chas. B. Downes, a questions of furnishing money it the business day than they previous-

Willison, Wm. Lane, J. Griffin Embert, M. M. Price, J. B. T. Roe, Thos. E. the scale necessary for final victory. bond, and Chance, Jas. F. Boyles, Jos. S. Boyles, space for C. M. Melvin.

each home man; J. M. Arringdale, Earle R. Bishnecured by Cannon, Jake Morgan, Fred Jump, W our purchases. the bonds B. Hollingsworth, Isaac Dolby, Chas.

tons, which to very besuttful of de Chairman; Cooper Tarbutton, James leased that much sooner to increase tion that the reason the English work collect, each coun Clement, Joel T. McGinnis, Spencer allable for war purposes. These are the French was because they got up ty and Baltimore elly to offered the Merrick, W. F. Fowler, Robt. H. Orem, the things which the Government too late. Hence the idea that the

the duty of every person to buy Lib by free from taxes of all kinds and de to earning the honor star after the first goal is reached

Aiready Mrs. J. Scott Muir, chair. So far reports have been genuine. as much their duty to lend their cred- man of the Women's Liberty Loan by encouraging. Although definite re

This is a distinct contrast to conditions of the last loan, when big cities [were the reliance to a much greater the two previous campaigns, in that The bank presidents and cashiers extent than this time. Officials recthe personal solicitation feature will will act as vice-chairmen in their re- ognize even now that it is the cities. be exercised to a very great degree, spective districts as heretofore, and, such as New York, Chicago, Boston, Heretofore the banks have simply besides these. Chairman McKenney Philadelphia, San Francisco, Baltisubscribed the quota of the county has appointed the following commit- more and other financial centres that and have sold what they could of these tees in each district of the county, and will supply the bulk of the subscripsubscriptions, carrying the balance in these committees will be asked to tion figures, but the evidence of small their vaults. On December 31st, 1917, work uncessingly from now until May town and rural competition indicates

Every Buyer a Booster.

ond loans now are busying with ac-

Clayton Wright, C. H. Kenton, T. Ed. ning of the double subscription star. IS THE NEW TIME

Views of a Financier. Speaking on the importance of this third Liberty Loan, one of our wellknown financiers said:

can people to see the war through to

"The determination of the Ameri-

victory will be tested by the third Liberty Loan the first loan of 1918 "We are now past the first burst of enthusiasm and have settled down to the grim business of war. We have reached the point where the real sentiment of the people will be reflected is a question of backing the Govern. ly had, and those who worked from Maite infor District 5-W C. Connor and W. I. ment with the clear declaration that sun to sun are in no wise affected we will give everything needed to rid issue of The Observer. His purpose B. Rhodes, E. L. Dudley, W. S. Cross, the world forever of this German men- speaking, with people in small town tion unmistakably to the world, to so much infatuated with the change cheer our hard-pressed Ailies, and to as they might be Appropos of this. hasten our participation in the war on we reproduce an article from the last

the Liberty E. F. Green, G. A. Gale, C. P. Carter, ing about this third Liberty Loan and dubbed a "Fool's Paradise Proposito start saving for it. Saving that is tion." The article follows: District 6.—Chas. H. Quimby, Chair | done for it now is better than saving done for it afterward. If we have the and thereby making believe that the been pur op. William T Keating, R L. Skin- money ready to pay for the bonds in day is longer seems to us somewhat of is offered ner J. Kennard Brown, Harry Clarke, full when they are offered, then we a fool's paradise proposition. The what is known as a leastly Legion W. J. Embert, H. M. Jump. Chas. E. do not tie up bank funds to finance adoption of this time-forwarding sys-

bar, which would have been bought by ture of munitions of war Some French Harrison, that money were it not saved, is re- engineer told the English administra W the supply of labor and material ev. men did not accomplish as much as

twenty-five soldiers with two rifles more will fully equip it

SAVE FOR THE THIRD LIBERTY bed an hour earlier" Not many as

DOOMED TO FAILURE?

BALTIMORE BUSINESS MAN'S VIEW

HE HAS DUBBED THE CHANGE OF TIME AS A "FOOL'S PARA-DISE PROPOSITION" -- WORKS VERY WELL IN THE COUNTRY COMMUNITIES.

So far as we have been able to obone hour more daylight at the end of

tem in Europe was probably with the "And saving done now rather than idea of getting one hour more work

> "The theory is that if clock forward make their working day

6, and going to work at 7 o'clock clock

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