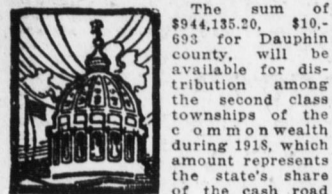


\$10,693 FOR STATE ROAD AID HERE

Second-Class Townships of State Have Total of \$944,135.20 Available



The sum of \$944,135.20, \$10,693 for Dauphin county, will be available for distribution among the second class townships of the commonwealth during 1918, which amount represents the state's share of the cash road tax bonus due these townships for the year 1911. The State Highway Department is now making arrangements to certify to the Auditor General the amount of this road money that is due to each township and certifications will be made just as rapidly as the townships in each county file the proper papers with the Bureau of Township Highways of the State Highway Department. To become eligible for a share of the 1911 road bonus fund, by the terms of the general township act, each second class township must file its 1911 annual report, its 1918 agreement and a certified copy of its treasurer's 1918 bond with the department.

Many miles of township roads may be improved by means of this township road bonus money, as the rules of the State Highway Department specify that it may be spent for the construction of brick, concrete, waterbound macadam, bituminous macadam, slag, gravel and flint roads; for the township's share of the cost of constructing a state-aid road; for concrete or cement masonry retaining walls to support roads; for permanently widening roads; for permanently improving grade of roads; for the permanent improvement of alignment of roads; for the purchase and installation of concrete, cast iron or corrugated culvert pipe; for construction of concrete or cement masonry culverts and bridges built in accordance with plans approved by the Township Highways Bureau, and for the construction of steel bridges, plans for which have been approved by the Bureau.

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Liberty Editorial

By HENRY B. McCORMICK Member Board of Directors Dauphin Deposit Trust Co.

AMERICA SHALL WIN

AMONG many excellent pledges which have been drawn up and suggested is the following:

"America Shall Win This War" "Therefore, I will work, I will save, I will sacrifice, I will fight cheerfully and to my utmost—as if the whole issue of the struggle depended on me alone."

Do we not find in these words what should be, in these days, the chief purpose of every red-blooded American? Not everyone in America can fight in the trenches.

EVERYONE CAN WORK

Tens of thousands can serve and are serving in the Red Cross. These different lines of activity are so familiar they need not be mentioned. A few sick and wounded soldiers have returned from the war front to the homeland. These soldiers are coming home every day. The care which they will receive and the financial assistance and other kinds of help for their families will offer splendid opportunity for service for those working in the Red Cross organization. There are other kinds of service. Many home fires must be kept burning. Churches must be supported and enabled and encouraged to keep at floodtide the spiritual life of those connected with the churches. Hospitals and other charitable organizations must be supported and kept to a high point of efficiency.

Let us never be unmindful of the fact that the everyday work of the world must go on. We of the army at home must go about and do our bit and our best with brave hearts. It sometimes requires courage of a higher order to do this than it would to take our places in the trenches and face the enemy.

EVERYONE CAN SAVE

The American people have not yet begun to do this. In England they are only really waking up to what can be done. It has been said many times that Americans are a wasteful people. There is waste in the home, waste in the factory and waste everywhere. There is waste in buying as well as in using. There is waste of material, waste of money, waste of strength and waste of time. This war will doubtless teach wonderful lessons along these lines.

EVERYONE CAN FIGHT

Most of us cannot carry rifles or stand behind machine guns, but all of us can fight by proxy and support our fighting men. It is we who are at home who must clothe and feed those who are fighting for us. We must provide them with cannon, machine guns and rifles and ammunition. We must build and equip ships and stand behind the men who "fight them." We must provide ambulances and build, equip and maintain hospitals over seas and at home.

EVERYONE CAN HELP

During the first bond campaign, we occasionally heard people say that they could not give anything for Liberty Bonds. In these days we do not hear this misstatement so often. Most Americans now realize that in buying bonds and war stamps, they are only lending on the best security in the world and are lending to the best nation upon which the sun shines for the prosecution of a war against a nation which has forfeited the right to be regarded as humane or civilized. Every American has a barbarous act of which this nation has been guilty, and such acts have been innumerable, is or should be an argument to every American for buying bonds. Some can buy large amounts of bonds, others only baby bonds, but every home can have war stamps.

Everyone of us can have a part in furnishing money to carry on this war. Our government has wisely and is now wisely appealing to the patriotism of America to not only buy bonds but to buy bonds and stamps when it means sacrifice. We are asked to buy and buy and keep on buying until it hurts.

Our boys are giving themselves and risking their lives. When the command comes to go "over the top," our boys do not hesitate and they will consider and see what they can do.

LET US BUY BONDS.

Kharas Gets Pardon After Third Attempt

For the second time yesterday the State Pardon Board recommended a pardon for Theodore Kharas, of Harrisburg, convicted on statutory grounds, after a rehearing. This is the third time Kharas' application was up. The following recommendations for pardon were announced: John King, Montgomery county, burglary; Spencer Carr, Montgomery county, felonious entry; James Hafer, Jr., Union county, burglary; Harry Spencer, Beaver county, felonious rape; Theo Kharas, Dauphin, adultery, former recommendation re-approved on second hearing; Matthias Adamcheski, Lackawanna county, burglary; Harry Clark, alias Harry Hyman, Philadelphia, burglary; Charles W. Meels, Jr., Philadelphia, embezzlement as agent; Alvin Mack, Philadelphia, robbery; Benjamin Baxter, Perry county, burglary.

The following applications were refused:

James Pittenturf, Adams county, larceny; Frank Caruso, Washington, second degree murder; Edward Windomaker and George Geesey, Cumberland county, malicious injury to railroad and larceny; William Shurtle, Berks county, and William Barnes, Franklin county, voluntary manslaughter; Bergreen, Philadelphia, robbery, assault and extortion; Tony Pettitt, Philadelphia, manslaughter; Carl Nadezka, Philadelphia, second degree murder; Sylvester A. Walsh, Montgomery county, burglary.

Petitions for rehearing refused: James A. Brown, Philadelphia, aggravated assault and battery; Antonio Viola, Lackawanna county, second degree murder.

The following cases were held under advisement:

Samuel Levin, Montgomery county, receiving stolen goods; Harry C. Burman, alias Harry C. Casper, Montgomery county, larceny; Gerry Vanderpool, Bradford county, burglary; Cora Dayton, Cumberland county, malicious injury to railroad; larceny; Frank Latzer, Philadelphia, first degree murder; Louis Di Berardino, Philadelphia, assault with intent to kill.

The case of C. E. Ebersole, Berks county, was stricken from the list, and that of Charles Rolantia, Schuylkill county, second degree murder, was continued, as was the application of William Gordon, Philadelphia, burglary.

A rehearing was granted in the case of Giacchino Contardi, Allegheny county, voluntary manslaughter.

If We're Going to Keep The Home Fires Burning



We've Got to Look This War Situation Squarely In the Face

- This war must be fought to a finish on European soil.
- If isn't it will be fought out over here.
- There's no counter-argument to that.
- No use saying "Germany will be too exhausted to come over here—and besides Germany could never get her troops here."
- Germany WILL come over here, if she is successful over there—it's part of her big program for world domination.
- Germany said "The United States couldn't get its troops over there, with German submarines guarding the seas."
- But they are over there, and if Germany wins the fight in Europe she WILL come over here.
- These are pretty frank statements—but this is not the time for mincing words.
- We must look this situation squarely in the face.
- We must think what it will mean to our women and children if the Prussian army marches up Market Street as it marched through Belgium.
- We must think of what it will mean to us if the Kaiser dictates the freedom (?) of the United States.
- We must think of what it will mean to us if the United States is stripped of its democracy.
- We must think, more than ever before, of the necessity of bringing this war to a successful conclusion on European soil.
- Our boys are over there ready to die to preserve our liberty—they need guns—ammunition—airplanes—and every implement of war that will help them achieve their purpose.
- All these things require money.
- We must see that it is provided.
- Uncle Sam doesn't demand it as the Kaiser would.
- He asks us to loan it to him—

WE MUST BUY LIBERTY BONDS

Every man, woman and child must do their utmost—a "bit" won't do any more. Every one must dig down deep—till it hurts—and buy Liberty Bonds to the last dollar. Do that and our boys over there will "keep the home fires burning" over here. But we've got to look the situation squarely in the face! This space donated to the Government in the interests of the Third Liberty Loan by

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