

★  
*What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**  
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Wishful thinking will not halt Hitler's tyranny, nor will "spare-change" financing give us the money necessary to win this war. So start today investing in your country's **War Bonds** with **ten percent** or more of your earnings.



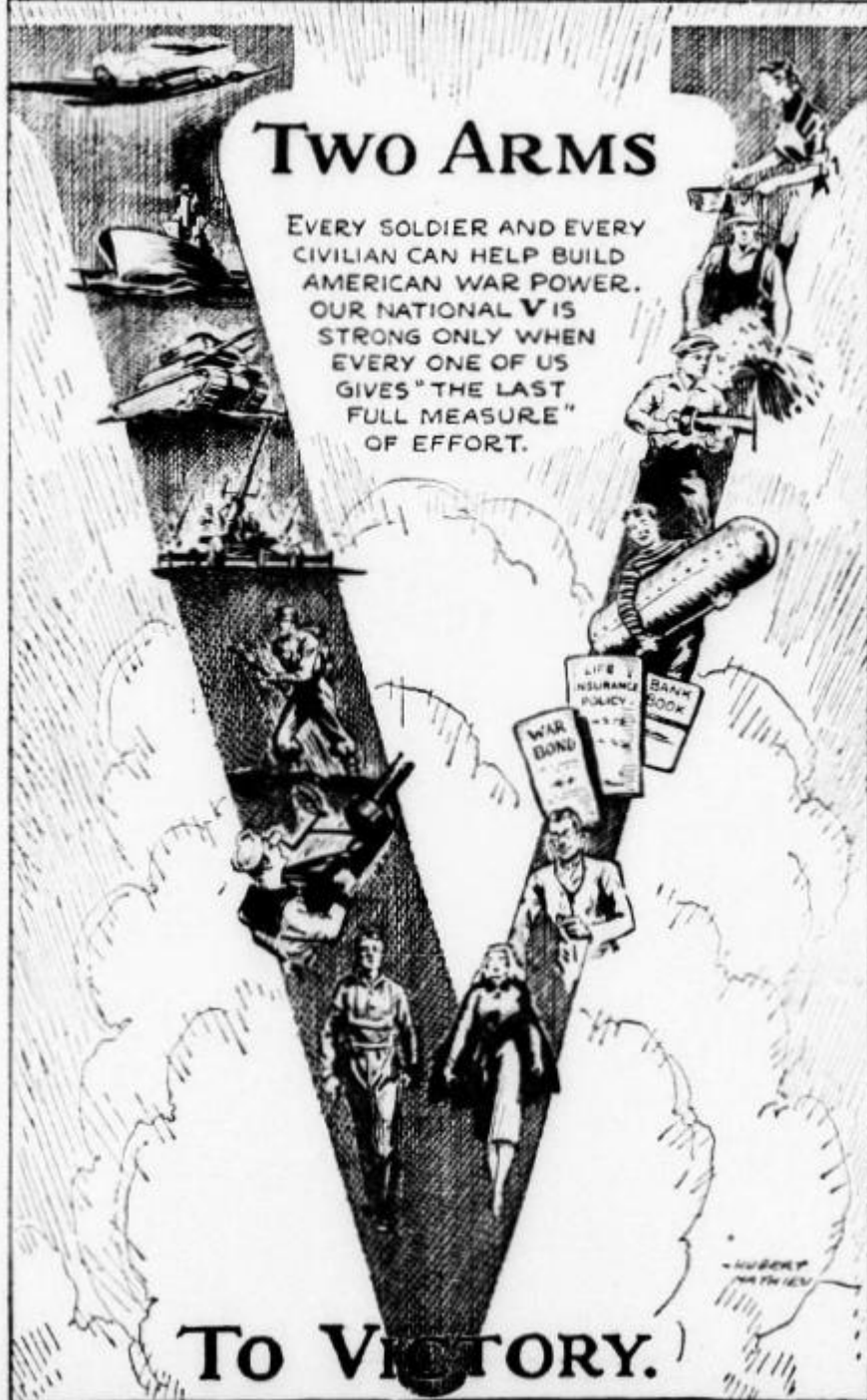
Wishful thinking will not help you to buy that new furniture when the war is won. But your money saved in War Bonds will. Join the **Payroll Savings Plan** at your office or factory. Let's "**Top that Ten Percent.**"

*U. S. Treasury Department*

## TWO ARMS

EVERY SOLDIER AND EVERY  
CIVILIAN CAN HELP BUILD  
AMERICAN WAR POWER.  
OUR NATIONAL V IS  
STRONG ONLY WHEN  
EVERY ONE OF US  
GIVES "THE LAST  
FULL MEASURE"  
OF EFFORT.

TO VICTORY.





# New Air Raid Signals

**ORDERED BY THE ARMY**

**EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. FEB. 17, 1943**

When you hear **ONE LONG STEADY BLAST** on the air raid sirens and factory whistles, it means that enemy planes probably are coming our way.

All Defense Units will mobilize quickly.  
Immediately blackout all lights.

If you are in an automobile, be sure your lights are on low beam, proceed with caution, and start thinking about getting to a safe place.

If you are walking, continue but start thinking about where you will go if a raid signal follows.

When you hear a **SERIES OF SHORT BLASTS** on the air raid sirens and whistles, it means enemy planes are overhead.

Again be sure all lights are blacked out.

If you are riding in an automobile, stop by the side of the road and turn off all lights. If there is an air raid shelter near, get out and go into the shelter.

If you are walking, get into a shelter as quickly as possible. The warden on the post will direct you.

When the airplanes are no longer overhead, you will again hear **ONE STEADY BLAST**. This does **NOT** mean "All Clear."

Enemy planes may return. Keep alert. All Defense Units must remain on duty. All lights except automobile lights must be kept blacked out.

If you were in your automobile prior to the air raid alarm, you may proceed slowly. If you were walking you may resume walking.

Until further notice the only "All Clear" signal will be the switching on of street lights or an announcement transmitted by radio, telephone, police, wardens, couriers, or other methods.

**HAROLD S. FULLER**, Defense Director

**NOTE:** The air raid sirens are tested every Saturday noon at 12 o'clock. One short blast is sounded.

2-12-43

*Gift Wrapped*

# **TOTAL WAR MAP**

*for*

**Every Service Man's Family**

*Personally Autographed*

**Only 50 cents**

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NOW ON SALE AT THE

**WINCHESTER STAR**



**Filene's**  
IN WINCHESTER

***Give !***

. . . until it hurts, to the Winchester Chapter solicitors,  
**AMERICAN RED CROSS, 1943 WAR FUND DRIVE.**

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

**DO YOUR SHARE TO KEEP THIS GREAT WORK GOING!**

2-19-43

# STATE BLACKOUT TEST

**SUNDAY, FEB. 28**

The First Service Command of the Army has ordered a State Blackout test on Sunday, Feb. 28 from 7:55 p. m. to 8:30 p. m.

One long blast of the sirens and whistles at 7:55 will be the first warning. All lights including hand operated street lights (but not centrally controlled street lights) must be blacked out. Traffic may continue until the sounding of a series of short blasts at 8:10. Then all traffic with the exception of emergency vehicles must be stopped. All street lights will be extinguished. At 8:29 another long blast will be sounded permitting resumption of traffic and the lighting of street lights (other than hand operated lights).

Houses and other buildings must remain blacked out until notified by wardens or police.

All Defense Units must report at their Posts and remain until released by Headquarters staff.

HAROLD S. FULLER, Defense Director

2-26-43

## *Smilin' Jack says—*



*"You know, it's swell of the folks at home to buy War Bonds the way they're doing. I understand everybody is going to be signed up for 10% of their pay by New Year's!"*

**Joe Palooka says—**



*"Hey, you'se folks, don't forget to go over th' top with that 10% by New Year's!"*

**10% for War Bonds every pay day!**

**Andy Gump says—**



*"OH, MIN—We're going to buy more War Bonds. Like everyone else we're going to 'top that 10% by New Year's'."*

# Winchester "Blitz" Day

*All Over The World*



**Keep This Flag Flying**

## NEXT SUNDAY

## February 28th

630 of your fellow citizens will  
visit every home in Winchester  
on this day for the

## 1943 WAR FUND

**BE HOME SUNDAY AND GIVE EVERY CENT  
YOU CAN**

This is not the usual peace-time solicitation for \$1 memberships in the American Red Cross.

This is WAR. The American Red Cross must raise \$125,000,000, of which \$68,000,000 is needed NOW for use among our fighting forces all over the World.

WINCHESTER'S QUOTA THIS YEAR IS \$21,306. Of this amount \$8380 will remain with the Winchester Chapter for the relief of Winchester people here, and with the fighting forces.

So, when a Winchester Chapter solicitor calls at your home on Winchester "Blitz" Day, next Sunday, please be ready to contribute. AND, GIVE EVERY CENT YOU CAN. In fact, give until it hurts in this most necessary war-time fund.

Gilbert H. Hood, Jr.

General Chairman, 1943 War Fund Drive

**Winchester Chapter**

**AMERICAN RED CROSS**



### THIS IS WAR

**A FEW OF THE WAYS IN WHICH  
THE AMERICAN RED CROSS  
HELPS FIGHT IT**

Direct help given by 444 chapters to 1,000,000 service men or their families.

Direct help by local chapters to 225,000 service men or their families.

436 canteens and most centers established anywhere.

125 U. S. Army and Navy hospital recreation buildings founded in Feb. 20, 1935.

228 trained Red Cross workers serving with the armed forces as of Feb. 26, 1943.

Blacks reported by the U. S. Army and Navy from the Red Cross in last year of the war 2,380,000 guns.

1,045,000 prisoners of war parcels shipped to Dec. 15, 1942.

10,000,000 surgical dressings produced by the Red Cross in 1942.

Millions of dollars in Europe, Asia and Africa sent by the American Red Cross.

**ALL THIS AND MUCH MORE  
BUT IT ALL COSTS MONEY**

**GIVE TO THE 1943 RED CROSS WAR FUND.**



PRISONERS OF WAR SUPPLIES—Cases of Red Cross food and comfort articles shipped to American prisoners of war and civilian internees in Japan and other areas of the Far East are packed with their destinations by a Red Cross volunteer in an Eastern Seaboard trainhouse.



SUPPLIES FOR SOLDIERS—Two members of Cooke Town's women's group at a garage here are shown here as they load a case of Red Cross supplies destined for American fighting men shipped to the Southwest Pacific.

## **Important Notice**

The official Air Raid Test, scheduled for sometime between March 9 and March 16 has been cancelled, due to the fact that approval by the Army has not been granted.

Harold S. Fuller, Defense Director

3-5-43

# ***“It Takes Both”***



It takes an Isbell and a Hutson . . .  
a Sammy Baugh and a Dick Todd to  
form a forward pass combination. It  
takes both . . . War Bonds and Taxes  
to provide the necessary finances to  
win this war—a war for freedom and  
humanity. Are you doing your part?  
*U. S. Treasury Department*

3-19-43



***Want***

**A CARTON OF BUTTER?**

***Want***

**100 GALLONS OF GASOLINE?**

***Want***

**A CARTON OF CHEESE?**

***Want***

**TWO AUTOMOBILE TIRES?**



*You can get these (and many other things)  
without ration coupons and without  
Spending a Cent if you attend the*

## **Buy a Bomber for Winchester War Bond Auction**

**at the Winchester Theatre, Tuesday April 13, 1943**

"SPEED" HIGGS, FAMOUS AUCTIONEER OF  
THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY (IN  
PERSON) WILL BE THE AUCTIONEER.

More than 100 valuable and hard-to-get articles will be auctioned off  
at the theatre this evening under the direction of the Winchester War  
Bond Staff. You simply bid on the articles in multiples of War Bonds.  
You get the article your bid wins and you also get your money right  
back in U. S. War Bonds.

"Speed" Higgs will take your bid on any article in multiples of \$10.00;  
\$20.00, etc. (the price of \$20, \$50 and other U. S. War Bonds.) Each  
article will go to the highest bidder in bonds.

Admission to the auction is strictly limited to 375 persons. There  
will be Five Door Prizes of One \$200 Bond and Four \$100 Bonds.  
Every Ticket Purchaser has an opportunity to win one of the door  
prizes no matter whether they buy Bonds.

Tickets of admission (and a chance for one of the 5 door prizes are now on sale  
at \$1.00 cash (including tax). All seats are reserved.

**Tickets may be secured at Mary Spaulding's  
Book Shop. Get yours immediately.**

The purpose of the auction is to sell \$275,000 in War  
Bonds during the evening so that a bomber bearing  
the name "Town of Winchester, Mass." may be purchased  
and presented to our fighting forces.

**GET YOUR TICKETS NOW. ONLY 375 WILL BE SOLD. ATTEND THE AUCTION—ENJOY  
AN EVENING OF FUN—WIN VALUABLE PRIZES—HELP BUY A BOMBER FOR WINCHESTER.**

**Winchester War Bond Staff**

Marion C. Bird, Chairman

# ★ *What You Buy With* **WAR BONDS** ★

The tradition of **American cavalry** threads back to Indian warfare days and although modern armies are largely motorized today, the cavalry still plays an important role. Sturdy, well trained horses and excellent equipment and trappings are necessary.



When men are in the saddle for hours, their saddles, saddle rolls and other equipment must be made to stand the wear. Complete with carbine and helmets, the equipment for the cavalryman runs into **hundreds of dollars**. You can help provide this with your **War Bond** purchases. If you have not done so, join the **Payroll Savings Plan** and put **ten percent** of your income into War Bonds. *U. S. Treasury Department*



*They Give Their Lives*  
*You Lend Your Money*

**SECOND WAR LOAN**

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**WINCHESTER SAVINGS BANK**  
26 MT. VERNON ST. WINCHESTER, MASS.  
BUSINESS HOURS 8 A.M. TO 3 P.M. SATURDAYS and WEDNESDAYS 8 A.M. - 12 M.

INCORPORATED 1871

4-2-43

# Free Nylon Stockings

## FOR

# 18 WINCHESTER WOMEN

In addition to free gasoline, free automobile tires, and over 100 other articles, the Winchester War Bond Staff have now secured 36 pairs of first-grade Nylon stockings for the Buy A Bomber For Winchester auction to be held at the Winchester Theatre on April 13.

Eighteen lucky women (or you can be present and get two pairs for your wife) will have an opportunity of getting these almost-impossible-to-secure limb adornments, by bidding for them at the auction.

And they are actually FREE. It works this way. Over 100 hard-to-get articles, a few of which are listed in this advertisement, will be offered for auction by "Speed" Riggs, famous American Tobacco Company auctioneer who is coming to Winchester to handle the hammer at the big event.

You bid on the Nylon stockings (which will be offered two pairs at a time) or you bid on any of the other prizes. Bids will be taken in multiples of \$18.75, \$37.50 and on other denominations of bonds. For instance if your bid of \$37.50 on two pairs of Nylon stockings is the top bid on that particular article you get a \$50 United States War Bond AND the stockings, all for \$37.50. Thus, of course, you get your money back and the stockings to boot.

There'll be all sorts of fun at the auction, too. Tickets are going fast. Get yours today before they are all gone. Over two-thirds of the available tickets (\$1.10 each, including tax) had already been sold up to Friday noon. Each ticket holder also can win a \$250 War Bond or one of four \$100 War Bonds, given away as door prizes.

Don't miss this opportunity to get free Nylon stockings.

#### GET YOUR TICKETS BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE

Only 874 tickets (the seating capacity of the Winchester Theatre) will be sold. More than 500 have already been purchased. All seats are reserved.

Buy yours TODAY at Mary Spaulding's Bookshop on Thompson Street.

Price \$1.10 (including tax) and each ticket gives you a chance on the door prizes—one \$250 War Bond and four \$100 War Bonds.

It's all to help WIN THE WAR. Attend the

### BUY - A - BOMBER AUCTION



### WINCHESTER WAR BOND STAFF

Maurice C. Bird, Chairman

#### Here's Some of the More than 100 articles to be given away to bidders at War Bond Auction.

36 pairs of Women's Nylon stockings.  
A live pig (meals for a family of six for a week)  
\$25 worth of groceries.  
Two 600x16 pre-war Automobile Tires.  
A \$50 suit of clothing.  
Two tons of coal.  
Enough paint to paint a house.  
A case of assorted canned food.  
60 pounds of cheese.  
A whole carton of butter.  
A \$15 Mahogany Salad bowl.  
100 gallons of fuel oil.  
A \$25 women's dress.  
\$50 worth of milk delivered at your house.  
Elgin wrist watch  
A pedigreed cocker spaniel.  
Pair of \$6 shoes.  
\$20 toilet set.  
\$40 stocking machine.  
Combination Victrola and Radio.  
(and scores of other valuable articles)

## Leather Ration Books

Safety Pins? Yes In Three Sizes

White Aprons, With and Without Bibs

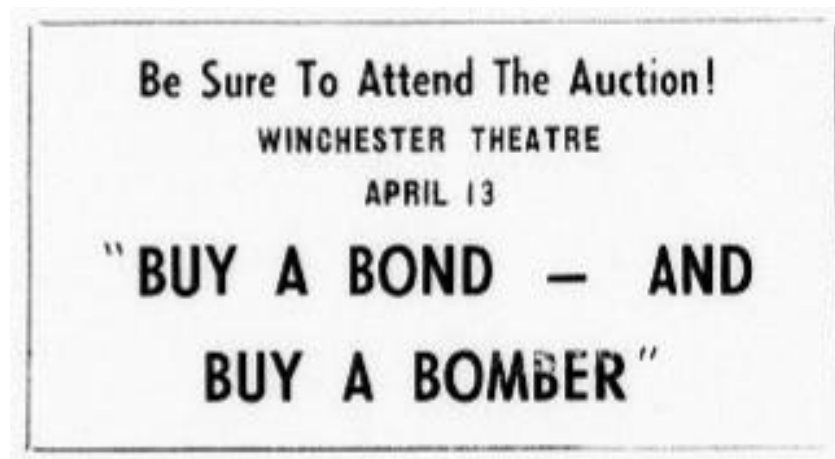
Single and Double Sheets - and Bed Spreads

Part and All Linen Plain and Fancy Towels

**Franklin E. Barnes Co.**

Open Wednesday Afternoons

Tel. 0272



4-9-43

# FURTHER War Restrictions ON Telephone Service

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All telephone service installed or reconnected on and after April 15th will be on a temporary basis, according to a War Production Board order, dated March 25, 1943.

This means that in the case of such temporary services, the Telephone Company may find it necessary to change a customer's grade of service (for example, as from a private to a party line), or to remove the telephone entirely. Naturally, such action would generally be taken only if it became necessary to recover facilities required for essential needs of persons in direct defense, or responsible for public welfare or security.

The order also limits the number of telephones that may be installed within certain areas. This automatically stops installations in such areas as may have reached already the prescribed limit of telephones. As telephones now in service in such areas are removed, new installations may replace them from waiting lists which will be maintained.

Further installation, or reconnection, of residence extensions is prohibited, and when an instrument on the premises cannot be reconnected, it will be necessary to remove it.

Further restrictions are imposed on the installation of dial switchboards and teletypewriters.

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*These restrictions will inconvenience some people. It will be part of their sacrifice for Victory. If you should be affected, we know we shall have your understanding co-operation as we continue our own effort to hold telephone service to the highest possible standard.*

NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY



# Winchester War Price and Rationing Board

NO. 346

## NOTICE

AS OF MONDAY, MAY 10, 1943, THE HOURS DURING  
WHICH THE OFFICE WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC WILL  
BE AS FOLLOWS:

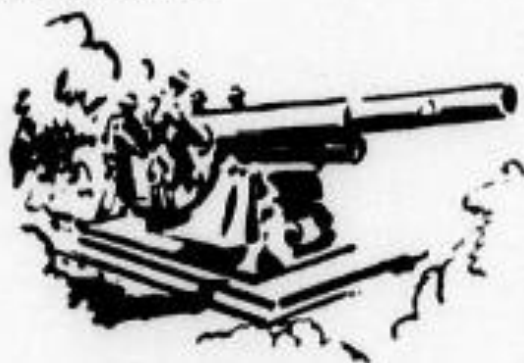
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 1 to 5 P. M.

SATURDAYS 11 A. M. to 12 M. — 1 to 4 P. M.

5-7-43

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The biggest field gun in the Army. That's the **240-mm. howitzer**. It's twenty-feet of barrel and must be pulled into position by tractors. After it is rolled into place, its own wheels are removed and the Big Bertha is set upon its emplacement ready to fire at its target some twenty miles away.



The cost of these huge guns runs into **thousands of dollars** but we can assure the Army of obtaining them by our purchases of **War Bonds**. **Ten percent** or more of your income is necessary. The easiest way is to join the Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory. Let's "**Top that ten percent.**"

*U. S. Treasury Department*

## **Defense Work in Winchester**

We would like to interview girls for immediate and near future openings in our plant. Should be between 16 and 34 years of age and have good eyesight.

Those now employed in essential work will not be considered.

A P P L Y

### **J. H. WINN'S SONS**

NORTH WASHINGTON STREET

WINCHESTER

## Aid to Enemy

"Any American who wilfully neglects to pay his taxes on time or to invest every cent he can in War Bonds is surely giving aid and comfort to the enemy . . . We have a job to do and we are all called for service to our country. Our dollars are called to service too. Let us all ask ourselves, **'Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?'** " — Secretary Morgenthau.

## **To Hasten Victory**

**No American wants this war to go one minute beyond the time we can bring it to a victorious end. To hasten that victory—to save possibly the lives of millions of our boys on our far flung fronts—it is imperative that every American do his part in the Second War Loan. There is an investment to fit every purse. The most you can do is little enough compared with the sacrifice offered by our boys in service. They give their lives—you lend your money.**

## Our First Acid Test—War Bonds and War Taxes



In Los Angeles Examiner

You've Done Your Bit—Now Do Your Best

5-14-43



*"The BANK  
for Me,  
in '43"*

*"For my money -*

The Co-operative Bank plan helps me save a definite sum regularly each month from my pay.

"I can't lose — my savings are insured in full, under Massachusetts laws and, at the same time, with regular dividends, they seem to accumulate much faster than in any other way.

"Try saving in a Co-operative Bank. You'll like the way their plan makes you save."



**BUY**

**MORE WAR SAVINGS BONDS and STAMPS**

**Winchester Co-operative Bank**

19 Church Street, Winchester

Member Massachusetts Co-operative Bank League

**CO-OPERATIVE BANK**

*Friendly Services Since '77*



## **“It Takes Both”**



It takes both . . . two fingers to give the Victory sign. It takes both . . . War Bonds and Taxes to make that Victory come true. Continue your purchase of War Bonds, at least ten percent of your income. Pay your Victory Tax and your income tax cheerfully and gladly. Both are in lieu of an Occupation Tax to Hitler.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

# **NOTICE**

## **To Our Customers**

DUE TO THE SHORTAGE OF HELP AND THE LARGE  
AMOUNT OF WORK ON HAND  
WE WILL NOT TAKE IN ANY CLEANSING FROM

**Mon., May 24 to Sat., May 29**

SHOP WILL REMAIN OPEN FOR CUSTOMERS TO CALL  
FOR THEIR CLEANSING NOW AT OUR SHOP

REGULAR SERVICE RESUMED JUNE 1

# **RUSSO'S**

280 WASHINGTON STREET

WINCHESTER

5-21-43



## WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

### OFFICIAL BULLETIN

#### OFFICE HOURS

Monday Thru Friday 2 to 5 P.M.

Monday Evenings 7.45 to 9 P.M.

CLOSED SAT. & SUN.

#### *AIR RAID SHELTERS*

Shelters for persons in or near the Center during a raid are located in the Public Library, Post Office, Edison store, and empty store next to Woolworth's on Main Street.

#### *TANK EXTINGUISHERS*

The tank extinguishers now being distributed to the Wardens' organization are the property of the Federal government and must be carefully protected. Use is restricted to practice drills and real raids.

#### *COURIERS*

Couriers who have not been officially sworn in must take the oath at once if they are to serve in the defense organization.

6-4-43

# **GIRLS WANTED**

**18 to 40**

**Must be United States Citizens**

**Wonderful Opportunity to Help Win the War  
and Make Good Wages**

**MINIMUM STARTING WAGES**

**\$26.00 FOR DAYS**

**\$31.20 FOR NIGHTS**

**With Excellent Chances for Rapid Advancement in Pay According  
to Your Particular Skill — 48 Hour Week**

**Lawson Machine and Tool Company**

**120 MOUNTAIN AVENUE**

**MALDEN, MASS.**

**ep-28-22**

# Don't bet your life on a "Maybe"

**T**HE NAZIS have boasted that they'll bomb us this summer.

Maybe they will. Maybe they won't. But let's not depend on "maybe's".

An air raid could come today—tomorrow. And you can help us be prepared—ready to meet and defeat enemy bombers if they come.

You can volunteer for part-time work in one of the Army Information or Filter Centers. Here

you'll work directly with Army Officers—assist in plotting the course of all planes that fly over this area—aid importantly in defending this country against aerial attack.

Both men and women are needed for this work now. Don't wait, volunteer today!

WHERE TO APPLY:  
Room 807, 18 Tremont  
Street, Boston

## You're needed in the "Nerve Center" of Air Raid Defense

**AIRCRAFT WARNING SERVICE • 1st FIGHTER COMMAND**

# NOTICE

Due to the acute shortage of gasoline, this company is making every effort to further restrict the use of its transportation equipment. You can assist in this effort by giving as much notice as possible for meter installation and general service work. Your co-operation will be appreciated.

ARLINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY

6-18-43

## CAN WE BE BOMBED ?

**R**EALIZE THIS—Nazi airfields in France are only a few short hours' flying time from where you sit.

Some day they're bound to try a raid here.

How successful that raid will be depends upon how alert our Aircraft Warning Service is.

For the Aircraft Warning Service spots enemy planes and tells our fliers exactly where to find them. Its "nerve centers" are the Information and Filter Centers.

Today more women are needed to help man these Centers—to work directly with the Army in plotting the course of every plane that flies over this area—to help send our Fighter planes straight to the enemy if he comes.

If you can give just a few hours a week we need you—now!

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**AIRCRAFT WARNING SERVICE • 1st FIGHTER COMMAND**





## **PROUDLY WE HAIL**

**The Citizens of Winchester are invited to visit our store at 2 Mt. Vernon Street during the next few days to view a window display presented in honor of one of our own boys who has been cited for Gallantry in Action.**

**Two Years ago Lieutenant Walter J. Burns was in the Woburn Division at our Transmission and Distribution Department. Today he is one of America's Heroes, a member of the mighty army of American Youth which will win the battle for freedom.**

**Proudly we hail our fellow employee—**

**Lieutenant Walter J. Burns**



**Winchester Edison Shop**

**BOSTON EDISON COMPANY**



6-25-43

## QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

ABOUT THE

# WAVES

AND

# SPARS



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**Q.** If I should fail the aptitude test, can I take it again?

**A.** No.

**Q.** If I have no special training, will I be eligible?

**A.** Yes. In addition to women with specialized training, the WAVES and SPARS definitely want women of high calibre but no special training.

**Q.** Am I on active duty as soon as I am sworn in?

**A.** Not necessarily. You may be told to report home on inactive duty to await further orders or be ordered to proceed to a training school immediately.

**Q.** When does my pay begin?

**A.** The day you report to training school.

# WOMEN AT WAR



## Margaret

Margaret turned off the humming vacuum cleaner, and straightened the slipcovers of the armchair and the daybed that she had pushed up to go over the rug. Then she stood quite still in the doorway and looked at the small bedroom with its southern exposure. It was as neat and impersonal as a pin. It might never have been lived in. The door stood open on the clean, bare closet. There was not a pennant, not a team picture, not even so much as an old



Arithmetic book left to show whose room it had once been.

Margaret stared at the walls, the furniture, and deeply, slowly, she realized that no matter what lodgers with their own trinkets and pic-

tures might occupy it, she would always see it the old way. It was the old way that she saw it now. A pair of hard-worn gray pants lay on the floor where they had been dropped. Three baseball bats were stacked with a fishing rod in the corner. A battered red cap with a letter on it lay on the bed. And through the bed, as though it were transparent, Margaret saw another bed, smaller, and with high slatted sides.

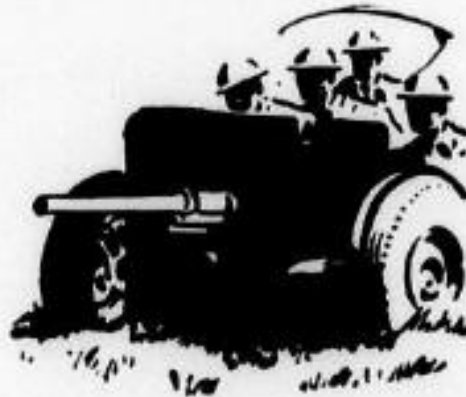
She put the vacuum cleaner away and went down to her desk in the sitting-room. She took the fifteen dollars rent that the new lodger had paid that morning in advance for the room, and added to it, from her purse, three dollars and seventy-five cents more. Then she drew out a sheet of paper and began to write on it, slowly, gravely.

"To buy a bond to help train a young man to replace Don, Jr.—killed on June 6th in the Battle of Midway."

(Letter from an actual communication in the files of the Treasury Department.)

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Uncle Sam's lighter 37-millimeter **anti-tank guns** are dubbed "tank killers." They are attached to the infantry, not the field artillery, and cost approximately **\$6,500 each**. They have proved particularly effective in anti-tank warfare.



They are mobile, mounted on automobile tires and can be rapidly whisked from place to place. Your purchase of **War Bonds** will help pay the cost of these field pieces so necessary for our Army in this War. Join the **Payroll Savings Plan** at your office or factory and let's "**Top that ten percent**" by investing at least **ten percent** of your income in War Bonds. *U. S. Treasury Department*

# Announcement

We have built a business that is too large for our building and equipment. To give service to our customers, who have been so kind to us the past seven years we have tried several experiments in an attempt to give fair service. We have not varied the quality of our cleansing or finishing, nor have we increased our prices despite the tremendous increases in supply and labor costs as well as taxes since 1936. Cutting our delivery service entirely outside Winchester and Woburn, not accepting new work while struggling to finish properly what accumulates in our plant in the short space of a week or two does not seem to regulate our service. We are up against "Too much too soon."

We have suffered some personnel losses. We are tied up with gas rationing and all kinds of red tape. Our problem of supplies is not too bad, but we have found that unlike plants run on government funds and contracts two arms, two legs and a social security number do not make an indispensable man with us.

Consequently, rather than face the fact of bad delivery service and probable poor quality cleansing, we have decided to suspend operations for the duration of the war, or until we can assemble our organization so that the best quality service at comparatively low prices can continue as has been the case up to now.

We gave you fine quality cleansing. You reciprocated by making us happy to serve the most kindly, friendly clientele any concern ever had the pleasure to serve.



## Fitzgerald Cleansers

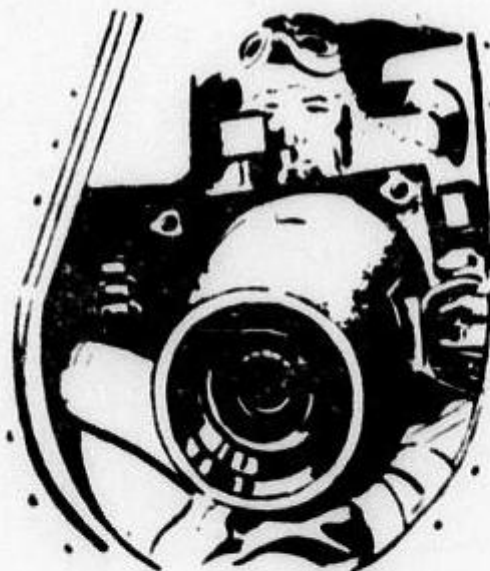
959 MAIN STREET

WINCHESTER

7-16-43

★ *What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS** ★

Our military forces must depend upon **aerial photographs** for an accurate mapping of enemy territory. So the aerial camera is a vital necessity for our scout observation planes. These cameras cost up to **\$8,000 each** and will make excellent pictures from tremendous heights.



A poor map may mean the difference between **victory** and **defeat**. So help your Boys towards **victory** with your purchase of **War Bonds**. Join the Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory. Let's "**Top that ten percent.**"

*U. S. Treasury Department*

## Class With Glass



Massachusetts housewives might well follow the example of this movie star and collect and return all deposit bottles so there'll be plenty of cool drinks this summer.

Refrigerators are out for the duration. Manufacturers have now tooled their plants for production of war materials. Common-sense folk, however, are saving now, not spending, and building up a fund for purchase of refrigerators and other domestic needs through investment in **U. S. War Bonds.**



Your Money put into **War Bonds** today will bring you back **\$4 for \$3** at maturity. So start saving for those domestic needs when you will be permitted to buy them. Join the **Payroll Savings Plan** at your office or factory and let's all "**Top that Ten Percent.**" *U. S. Treasury Department*



★ *What You Buy With* ★  
**WAR BONDS**

**Mosquito Bar**

Among the casualties returning to the United States from the Solomons are men who have lost their hearing, not from injury, not from shock, but from attack by insects upon men who have been without mosquito bar protection.



We'll never know how many lives this mosquito bar has saved and you probably never will know just how much good your purchases of War Bonds have done, but you should know that regular and increasing purchases are necessary.

## *Molly Pitcher Tag Day, August 4*



The modern Molly Pitcher will greet you throughout the nation on August 4th when brigades of Mollys will tag every buyer of War Bonds and Stamps. They will carry on the tradition of the Revolutionary War heroine who has gone down in history because she aided her fighters at the battle of Monmouth in 1778.

7-23-43

★ *What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS** ★

**Wags!**

No quadruped of the K9 contingent used by the Marines, the Army or the Coast Guard is purchased. They're strictly volunteers for the duration, loaned by their masters and mistresses. These dogs are taught to hear and smell and see enemies where humans cannot. They are invaluable at night.



Several K9 training stations are maintained by various branches of our fighting services.

You may not have a dog to send to war but you can send your money. Buy War Bonds.

# ★ *What You Buy With* **WAR BONDS** ★

***Prevents the "Bends"***

Before our fighting pilots take to the air for stratosphere flying they must be "suped-up." To do this the pilot just before he takes off pedals a stationary motor driven bicycle to reduce the amount of nitrogen in his blood. Otherwise gas bubbles would collect in his blood stream.



The stationary bicycle is an inexpensive piece of equipment, but the vast quantities of this and other materials of war make it imperative for all of us to keep our fighting men well supplied by greater and greater purchases of War Bonds.

★ *What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS** ★

***Battle of the Atlantic***

A sinking smokestack, a great air bubble, an empty lifeboat, all that is visible of a torpedoed tanker, all that is evident of the hard work, the savings we put into War Bonds to build this tanker, to load it with 50,000 gallons of high octane gas.



Our money is still safe but the tanker is lost forever. Another and another and another must be built to take its place.

The men who sail the seas are giving their lives to win the Battle of the Atlantic. We are asked only to lend our money.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

## Helpful and Patriotic



Massachusetts housewives, like movie stars, are adopting unique methods to collect deposit bottles (milk, beer and carbonated beverage) and return them. These bottles will be sterilized and used over again to slake the thirst of Massachusetts families this summer.





As you are reading this paper, fellows from our town are fighting in mud and malaria-filled swamps. That isn't a startling new thought is it? You have seen the news reels and you have read the headlines in the paper. You know there is a war going on! But think for a moment what it actually means. If the situation were reversed and if you were lying huddled to the ground praying with clenched teeth that the folks at home, reading the newspapers, hadn't forgotten you. Somehow it doesn't seem to make the purchase of War Bonds such a sacrifice at all. Buy one today for the fellows at the front, won't you?

## Winchester Co-operative Bank

19 Church Street, Winchester

7-30-43

★ *What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS** ★

**Wigwag**

Frequently the Navy, the Coast Guard and the Signal Corps finds it expedient to relay messages without benefit of telephone, telegraph or radio. That is when the semaphore system is employed.



Like a single flag in the "Wigwag" system, the purchase of a War Savings Stamp or Bond, in itself has an infinitesimal effect upon the entire war effort, but when 130 million determined people set their minds to make our War Bond drives successful, the result is anything but infinitesimal.

*U. S. Treasury Department*



★ *What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS** ★

Electric equipment is scarce because the raw materials are going into the **War Effort**. But you can save now and get back **\$4 for every \$3** you invest in **War Bonds** so you can buy that range or whatever you want after the war is won.



Join the army of 30,000,000 who will be in the **Payroll Savings Plan** for regular **War Bond** Purchase by New Year's Day. Stop spending and save, and let's "**Top that Ten Percent.**"

*U. S. Treasury Department*

8-6-43

# ★ *What You Buy With* **WAR BONDS** ★

## ***Torpedo Junction***

"Awash amidship!"

"Sparks," the radio operator, has sent his final message from another U-boat victim. The lifeboats are pulling away from the doomed vessel as millions of dollars' worth of food, supplies and munitions settle to the ocean bottom in another allied catastrophe in the Battle of the Atlantic.



Millions of dollars' worth of material that was paid for by the dollars we saved and invested in War Bonds. Thousands of man hours have been lost.

We can have but one answer: work harder, save more and invest more frequently in War Bonds.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

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*What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**  
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Stop Spending, and **Save for the future.** That has been good advice since biblical days. You cannot buy tires today, but you can **start saving** to buy that new set of tires when they go on the market again.



Your regular investment of **ten percent** or more of your earnings in **War Bonds** through your **Payroll Savings Plan** will provide the necessary funds to buy those tires later and help win the war now. Let's **"Top that Ten Percent."**

*U. S. Treasury Department*

# ★ *What You Buy With* **WAR BONDS** ★

## **Beans**

So long as a soldier can eat and think up disparaging names for his equipment the Army will do all right. Food is either "beans," or "chow."



"Chow" may consist of a well cooked meal or if circumstances demand our fighting men have learned to subsist on "Ration K," the concentrated food that all of them carry into battle.

With millions of men and women in the services it will require a lot of War Bond buying on our part to keep them happy.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

★ *What You Buy With* ★  
**WAR BONDS**

**5 Ocean Navy**

When Pearl Harbor burst upon us our great expanse of territory was protected by a one ocean navy of about 350 first line ships with an addition of an approximate number building.



Now we are in a five ocean war and we are required not only to pay for the building of enough ships of the line but also for hundreds of Liberty ships and auxiliary craft. The amount of money you invested in War Bonds when we had a one ocean navy was all right then, it isn't enough now. Buy more and more War Bonds.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

# ★ *What You Buy With* **WAR BONDS**★

## ***Battle Wagons***

When Japan attacked at Pearl Harbor we had 17 battleships in service and 15 building. We were making preparations but the war did not wait. These 32 battle wagons cost American taxpayers three billion dollars for a two ocean navy. The war seemed far away then.



Now fifty million Americans have a personal stake in this war. It has been brought home to them. That's why everyone is increasing purchases of War Bonds.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

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*What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**

***"Smoke Eaters"***

A battlegwagon loaded with various explosives, bombs, torpedoes, oil and gasoline is not the safest place to be with a fire raging, so all but the smaller ships of our Navy are equipped with elaborate fire fighting apparatus.



It may be that this equipment never will be used during the entire course of the war, but it must be paid for out of the War Bonds and Stamps that we are setting aside each payday. *U. S. Treasury Department*

# ★ *What You Buy With* ★ **WAR BONDS**

## **Pig Boat**

At sea on a submarine isn't exactly the "life of Riley." In the Battle of the Atlantic, or on the great stretches of the Pacific these sailors know the hazards of their work.



One of the spots aboard these "Pig Boats" that all crew members enjoy is the galley, or kitchen. Space limitations prevent an elaborate set-up, but cooks aboard these vessels are justly proud of the meals they prepare for their crews. Your increased purchase of War Bonds helps make submarine life as pleasant as possible.

*U. S. Treasury Department*



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*What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**

***Free the Seas***

Before we win the final battle with Hitler's Nazis all navy men are agreed we must win the battle of the Atlantic; that is to free the sea lanes of the German U-boats.

A year ago we were building 54 cruisers and nearly 200 destroyers or just about enough for a two ocean navy.



Now we have come to realize that this war is to the finish, "winner take all," and our Government is building a five ocean navy.

That is why we are being asked to increase our subscriptions for War Bonds. That is why we must do it.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

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*What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**

**V Mail**

When a soldier or a sailor is low in spirits there is nothing that will cheer him up as much as a letter from home, so the War and Navy Departments have devised a method for getting "the word" to its fighting men with the greatest dispatch. This is the microfilm method of transmitting letters, known to all of us as V-mail.



Any news from home is bound to please our soldiers and our sailors but the news they want to have most is the news from our production front and news that we are winning our fight against inflation by our savings and investment in War Bonds.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

8-13-43



*They are happy*

## **WHEN YOU DON'T BUY WAR BONDS**

**A**NY ENEMY propaganda agent would tell you not to buy War Bonds. Buying War Bonds only helps to get the war over that much faster. The boys at the front don't want to come home. They like the mud and disease. They find that getting an arm shot off or losing a leg adds zest to their daily living. It's fun to be homesick. Fun to have the thought of mother and dad and that girl bring tears to your eyes as you huddle in a fox hole. They like to see their buddies shot to death or captured because of lack of ammunition and guns. You salute three evil forces in the world today when you don't buy Bonds. Help stamp out these three war mongers—Buy your extra War Bond **NOW!**



## **Winchester Co-operative Bank**

19 Church Street, Winchester

FIFTY YEARS OF SERVICE IN THIS COMMUNITY

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## **Services**

On Sunday morning as you sit in church and see the vacant places in the choir and wonder where the war has taken the young people from your community you may feel certain that they are attending divine services if circumstance permits.



Chaplains and choral leaders are found on the larger ships and even abroad in the Army centers.

Millions of hymnals have been distributed to the men and women of all services and you may rest assured that a portion of the savings you are placing into **War Bonds** is used for their spiritual welfare.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

★ *What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**

**Powder Monkey**

On board ship and in the artillery their buddies call them "powder monkeys." Not disrespectful, just a personal, intimate term between friends. Civilians call them gun crews. During a battle the crews of "powder monkeys" must work like trojans bringing the ammunition to the guns.



The gun may fire an anti aircraft .50 calibre shell or a broadside from the 16 inch guns of a great battleship, but in either event the "powder monkey" must pass millions of dollars' worth of ammunition to make the gun effective, and your savings in **War Bonds** are necessary to supply the financial ammunition that provides the shells.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

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*What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**

**Booby Trap Detector**

In the snow, in the sand, on the beaches, on the roads, in the woods, everywhere the Axis soldiers hide "booby traps," to slow the movement of oncoming fighting men of the United Nations. The detector does the same work on land as the mine sweeper does at sea.



Like buying **War Bonds**, the soldier operating the detectors will never know just how much they have aided in the success of their campaign, but he knows his work is necessary and must be accomplished. If more Americans on the home front will come to realize this, the success of our **War Bond** campaigns will be assured.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

8-20-43



## WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

### OFFICIAL BULLETIN

Office Hours: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 2 - 5 P. M.

# 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ Tons of Fat

During the first six months of this year, Winchester housewives salvaged over 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  tons of kitchen fats. Although this is a fine record, this total is only 90 per cent of the quota assigned to Winchester.

In June, the Block Leaders contacted housewives urging them again to save every teaspoonful of this important war material, with the result that 121 per cent was turned in that month. Special commendation is due the Block Leaders and housewives who co-operated in this effort of the War Services Division.

The saving of fats must continue. The scarcer meat becomes, the more careful housewives must be to save the fat.

8-27-43

# **GIRLS AND WOMEN OVER 18 TRAINEES**

**WITH YOUNG EYES AND NIMBLE FINGERS**

Electronics is the secret weapon defeating the Axis. You are needed to help produce more for our boys.

**NEEDED NOW Trainees For All Work**

**ALSO SECRETARIES AND OFFICE MACHINE OPERATORS**

There is a Reason Why Women Prefer Working at "Raytheon" — You Should Investigate the Reason

Women who have never worked before or who have not worked for years are joining "RAYTHEON" every day, after talking with our counselors.

Come In Now For That Interview — Good Pay and Pleasant Working Conditions

Day Nursery Facilities at Low Cost — Recreation for your leisure time

Come In Any Week Day for Pleasant Interview — Arrange for Working Time to Suit Your Home Conditions

There is an Extra Advantage if You Have Your Own Transportation

## **RAYTHEON MANUFACTURING CO.**





*Calling All Americans*

UNITED STATES TREASURY

## THIRD WAR LOAN

Starting Date — September 9, 1943



**WINCHESTER NATIONAL BANK**

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM. FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

7-9 CHURCH STREET

TEL. WIN. 1320 - 1321

9-3-43

## **SURPRISE AIR RAID TEST**

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There will be a surprise Air Raid Test for Region 5 sometime during the 13-day period beginning at midnight Sunday, Sept. 12.

All Winchester Defense units should be on alert and prepared for full mobilization when the signal sounds.

On a long blast, the Defense personnel should report at their posts and all lights except those on automobiles should be extinguished. Traffic may continue.

When the series of short blasts sound, all traffic must stop, all civilians, except defense personnel must be in doors, and automobile lights must be off. Emergency Defense vehicles may proceed slowly with lights.

A second long blast permits traffic to resume, but lights except those on automobiles must remain extinguished.

Defense personnel remains on duty until the "All Clear" signal of one short blast has sounded, then lights may be turned on.

Harold S. Fuller, Defense Director

9-10-43

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*What You Buy With*  
**WAR BONDS**

**Water Camel**

Thirst is one enemy of armies and navies that may be frustrated by a generous supply of water. Typhus, another dreaded plague is another enemy that must be subdued in Africa, in the jungle islands of the Pacific.



So the "Lister Bag," more often called the "water camel," or just "camel," is used. The "Lister Bag" is a khaki colored canvas bag having a capacity of about 30 gallons.

It will require many War Bonds to provide enough "camels" for our fighting forces at home and abroad. Yours too! **"Back the attack with War Bonds."** U. S. Treasury Department

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**WAR BONDS**

**No More Brass**

On land or at sea our fighting men do their many chores by the sound of a bugle. All sorts of uncomplimentary epithets are used to designate the bugler, but nobody has yet been able to provide a satisfactory substitute for a bugle although recordings are used at some permanent bases.



Aboard ship the men fall in at the order of "Pipe muster." On land the bugler sounds "Assembly!" But no matter where the bugle is used thousands must be bought out of the money we are investing in War Bonds. **Back the attack with an extra \$100 Bond in the 3rd War Loan.**

*U. S. Treasury Department*

## **Proclamation**

**The setting aside next week, Sept. 19-25, by Governor Saltonstall as State Guard Week prompts the Board of Selectmen to remind the community once more of the important work which this vital organization is doing in the defense of the Commonwealth, and to urge all able-bodied male citizens who can do so to enroll in the Winchester Company.**

**The Board of Selectmen**

**By William J. Speers, Jr., Chairman**

**James A. Cullen**

**Alfred J. Higgins**

**Daniel A. Murray**

**Philip P. Wadsworth**

9-17-43

# **NOTICE**

**This Bank will be open on Monday, Sept. 27, 1943  
from 5 P. M. to 9 P. M.**

**for the purpose of selling Defense Bonds and Stamps  
for the THIRD WAR LOAN**

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**Winchester Co-operative Bank**

**19 Church Street**

**Winchester, Mass.**

9-24-43

# Proclamation

The annual observance of NAVY DAY will be held on October 27th this year. In this War Year it is particularly appropriate for the people of our community to turn their attention especially on that day to our Navy and the services it renders.

Schools, civic clubs and all individual citizens are urged to join in paying respect to the United States Navy, the Marine Corps, the Coast Guard and the Merchant Marine on Navy Day.

William J. Speers, Jr.

Chairman

James A. Cullen

Alfred J. Higgins

Daniel A. Murray

Philip P. Wadsworth

Selectmen of Winchester

**FREE TICKET IF YOU BUY A WAR BOND NOW !**

**WINCHESTER WAR BOND**

**THEATRE PARTY**

*at*

**WINCHESTER THEATRE — 8 P.M. THURSDAY**

**SEPTEMBER 30 — DOORS OPEN AT 7.15**

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★ Special showing of "STAGE DOOR CANTEEN"  
for this night only

★ Prize award to Winchester organization which  
has sold the most War Bonds

★ 24 piece Royal Marine Band

**all Winchester War Bond solicitors will receive tickets**

**NO PAID ADMISSIONS**

Each bond purchased between Sept. 24 and Sept. 30 inclusive  
entitles purchaser to a complimentary ticket.



# ★ *What You Buy With* **WAR BONDS** ★

## **Sick Bay**

In this war our wounded fighting men have a greater chance for recovery than in any previous conflict because of the medical aids and services that have been developed by the War and Navy Departments.

One of these aids is the Hospital Transport Plane service that has been bringing our wounded back from Africa.



Your increased and continued purchase of War Bonds is required to help the Treasury Department finance this hospital transport service. **"Back the attack with War Bonds."**

*U. S. Treasury Department*

10-1-43

★ *What You Buy With* ★  
**WAR BONDS**

**4 for 1**

U. S. destroyers and other anti-submarine vessels of the Navy are equipped with quadruple tubes, meaning they are capable of firing four torpedoes simultaneously, making it more difficult for the target to escape.



Modern warfare is the most expensive destruction the world has ever experienced both for the destroyed and the destroyer. There is no point where we can stop in this war this side of peace so all of us will be required to **buy an extra \$100 Bond in the 3rd War Loan.**

*U. S. Treasury Department*

***ANNOUNCING***

**A New Modern Banking Service**

**Protect your War Bonds against loss by fire or theft**

**by opening a**

**WAR BOND SAFEKEEPING ACCOUNT**

**with this bank**

**This service is available to all owners of registered Treasury War Bonds for a service fee of \$3.00 per year for the first twelve bonds and 10c per year for each additional bond.**



**WINCHESTER NATIONAL BANK**

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**7-9 CHURCH STREET**

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**10-8-43**

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**WAR BONDS**

**"Smoke Eaters"**

A battlewagon loaded with various explosives, bombs, torpedoes, oil and gasoline is not the safest place to be with a fire raging, so all but the smaller ships of our Navy are equipped with elaborate fire fighting apparatus.



It may be that this equipment never will be used during the entire course of the war, but it must be paid for out of the War Bonds and Stamps that we are setting aside each payday. U. S. Treasury Department

LINK TRAINER INSTRUCTOR



Join the **WAVES**



**OUR DEMOCRACY** ————— by Mat

## **GOOD-WILL AMBASSADORS.**

OUR FIGHTING MEN ARE GAINING THE CONFIDENCE  
AND FRIENDSHIP OF MANY PEOPLES ALL OVER THE  
WORLD... THEY ARE AMERICA'S AMBASSADORS  
OF GOOD WILL — *MILLIONS STRONG...*  
*THEY ARE DEMOCRACY IN ACTION.*



THEY ARE CARRYING AMERICA'S MESSAGE OF  
FREEDOM AND JUSTICE... THEY ARE RENEWING  
THE HOPE OF PEOPLE EVERYWHERE —  
*TO LIVE AND WORK IN PEACE, — FREE TO  
DETERMINE THEIR OWN DESTINIES...*  
**THEY ARE SOWING THE SEED OF  
A JUST AND LASTING PEACE.**



## **WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

**572 MAIN ST.**

**TEL. WIN. 0207**

### **OFFICIAL BULLETIN**

Office Hours: 2-5 P. M. Week Days, except Saturdays.

## **AIR RAID TEST OCTOBER 21**

There will be a Regional Blackout and Air Raid practice exercise Thursday evening, Oct. 21. The first audible signal (one long blast lasting 1½ minutes) will be sounded about 8.35 p. m. All Defense personnel will mobilize on this signal. All lights shall be extinguished, but traffic may continue.

The second audible signal (a series of short blasts for two minutes) will be sounded about 8.55. On this signal all traffic except emergency vehicles shall stop. All pedestrians shall seek shelter and all lights must be extinguished.

The third signal (one long blast for about 1½ minutes) will sound about 9.05. On this signal traffic may resume, but all lights must remain out.

The fourth or "all clear" signal (one short blast about 15 seconds- will sound about 9.15. Lights may go on but incident practice will continue until completion which should be approximately 10 p. m. Personnel not involved in an incident may be dismissed on the "all clear" but others should remain on duty until incidents have been cleared.

### **TIN CAN COLLECTION**

There will be no tin can collection this month. Persons desiring to do so may take their tin cans to the salvage box at the fire station. Waste paper may also be deposited there.

10-15-43



## OUR DEMOCRACY——by Mat

### SHARING THE JOB.

MOLLY PITCHER WAS THE FIRST AMERICAN WOMAN SOLDIER. WHEN HER HUSBAND WAS KILLED IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, SHE MANNED HIS GUN, FOUGHT IN THE BATTLE OF MONMOUTH, - WAS MADE A SERGEANT BY GENERAL WASHINGTON.



THE SPIRIT OF MOLLY PITCHER IS STRONG TODAY.  
WOMEN IN THE ARMED FORCES—ARMY AND NAVY  
NURSES, WAFS, WACS, WAVES, SPARS, MARINES...  
WOMEN IN HOME AND FACTORY...  
ALL ARE CARRYING ON THE PIONEER TRADITION—

**SHARING THE JOB—  
GETTING INTO THE FIGHT.**

# NOTICE

The New Gasoline "A" coupons become effective after midnight on Nov. 9, 1943.

10-22-43



## **WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

**572 MAIN ST.**

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### **OFFICIAL BULLETIN**

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## **WASTE PAPER NEEDED**

Has your Block Leader explained to you the necessity of saving waste paper? If not, please contact her at once and learn what is needed and why and how it should be prepared for collection.

When you have saved 50 pounds or more, call Civilian Defense Headquarters, Win. 0207 week-days, except Saturday, between 2 and 5 p. m. to arrange for some one to collect it. Waste paper is needed NOW!

10-29-43



WINCHESTER GIRL SCOUTS AND BROWNIES COLLECT TONS OF  
NEWSPAPERS AND WASTE KITCHEN FAT

# **PHOTOGRAPHY**

**IS PLAYING A MAJOR ROLE  
IN THE WAR AND ALL RELATED MATERIALS ARE SCARCE**

**PHOTOGRAPHS FOR XMAS DELIVERY MUST BE  
TAKEN BEFORE THANKSGIVING**

**This Year No Sittings Will Be Made in December  
CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAYS DUE TO SHORTAGE**

## **CAMEO STUDIO**

**WINCHESTER 1412**

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***MEN and WOMEN!***

**BETHLEHEM  
STEEL CO.**

employment interviewers, assisted by the  
U. S. Employment Service, are "moving  
right into"

**WOBURN**

**Saturday  
OCTOBER 30**

to make it easier for **YOU** men and  
women to hire in for essential work at either

**HINGHAM or  
FORE RIVER Yards**

***No experience necessary. Must have state-  
ment of availability from YOUR local U. S.  
Employment Service Office.***

**Offices open from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.**

**Apply at**

**U. S. Employment Office, 25 Montvale Ave.**

## **BONDS OVER AMERICA** \* \* \*

At Green Bay, oldest settlement in Wisconsin, there is a heroic statue depicting an Indian, a missionary and an explorer. Nicolet, Perrot, Marquette, Joliet and Black Bird, a Sauk Chief, are all remembered.

### **Spirit of Northwest**



**Keep On  
Backing the Attack  
With War Bonds**

Many people from distant lands live at peace here in America making it a better place to live. Read for yourself what Naziism has meant for Norway, Denmark, Holland, Greece.

11-12-43

# AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



On the far side of a knoll exposed to enemy guns in the Solomons, one of Pfc. Rondell Lyons' comrades was wounded. Marine Private Lyons brought him in. Another man was hit. Lyons brought him, too, to safety. The injured men were thirsty. But all canteens were empty, and the Japs had the only water hole covered. Lyons went out in the face of continuous Jap fire and brought back water for his comrades. For this he wears the Silver Star. He risked his life for his fellows. The least we can do is buy more War Bonds for them.





# Filmes

## IN WINCHESTER

BRIGHT WITH  
Christmas Gifts

Of course you're looking for  
gaily, newsworthy Christmas  
gifts . . . and you'll find them  
in our Gift Shop a-sparkle with  
handsome cocktail glasses, decora-  
tive California pottery, por-  
celain cases . . . and hosts of  
other gift ideas to make this a  
festive Christmas!

### TOYLAND TOPICS

Step right in to our Toy Shop youngsters and old-  
sters and see the super toys . . . every last one a  
Christmas tree topic! Doll houses, dolls, cuddly  
animals, wagons, jeeps, guns . . . noisy toys, toys  
for quiet hours. Come in and catch a bit of early  
Christmas spirit!



THE WAR FUND NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT  
GIVE BECAUSE YOU CARE!

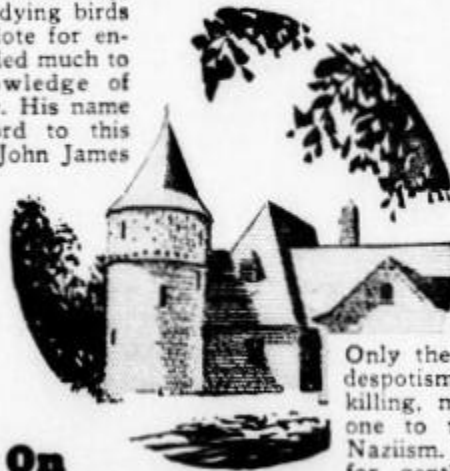
11-19-43

## **BONDS OVER AMERICA**

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Early in the 19th century a storekeeper and gristmill operator at Henderson, Kentucky, took to studying birds as an antidote for ennui and added much to man's knowledge of ornithology. His name is a byword to this day. It is John James Audubon.

John Audubon



**Keep On  
Backing the Attack  
With War Bonds**

Only the knowledge of despotism, destruction, killing, maiming brings one to the surface of Nazism. It has no place for gentle souls; only Himmlers, Schleichers, von Papens, Heydrichs.

11-26-43

## **Discarded Clothing and Rags Needed**

The President's Relief Control Board and Lehman's United Nations Relief Group have joined in an appeal for discarded clothing to protect the peoples of our Allies and those of liberated countries from cold and exposure. All clothing will be acceptable even if ragged and it need not be cleaned. Headwear, footwear, and articles containing rubber should be omitted. The need is urgent.

At the same time there is an acute shortage of all kinds of rags for cleaning weapons, guns, engines, and other equipment of the Army and Navy. Their needs are tremendous.

Therefore the Salvage Division of the War Production Board has requested all communities to conduct immediately a combined drive for discarded clothing and rags.

Winchester will do this in one day.

Bring your rags and everything that you can spare which can be worn by men, women, and children to the Town Hall on Saturday, Dec. 18, open from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.

If you have no transportation, ask your neighbor to help you. This is a neighborly act for our allies and our own Services.

For further information all Civilian Defense Win. 0207 from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. week-days except Saturdays.

12-10-43

# Winchester Fails

## WAR BOND DRIVE

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\_\_\_\_\_ Subscribed 120% Over

## UNITED WAR BOND DRIVE

\_\_\_\_\_ QUOTA

\_\_\_\_\_ Subscribed 107% Over

## BLOOD DONATION

\_\_\_\_\_ QUOTA

\_\_\_\_\_ Failed by 66 2 3%

Winchester has exceeded its War Bond Quota.

Winchester has exceeded its United War Fund Quota

Winchester has not met its Blood Donation Quota

We must not fail in our blood donation.  
Will you give a pint of blood and save a life?

Tel. Winchester 2327 from 10 to 4 o'clock  
and complete arrangements will be made.

Transportation furnished if needed.  
See your friends and make a group party.

This advertisement sponsored by the Rotary Club of Winchester

12-17-43

# **Filene's**

## **IN WINCHESTER**

Store Hours 9:30 A. M. - 9:00 P. M.  
Daily Through Dec. 23



JOHNNY JUNIOR'S PLAY-  
ING SOLDIER  
SO GIVE HIM A

### **U. S. ARMY HELMET**

### **\$1.19**

Rejects of Regular U. S. Army plastic helmet liners, olive drab color with adjustable head and chin straps to fit any head size. Every boy will shout for joy if he discovers one for him on the tree Christmas morning!





## JUST SUPPOSE

you gave a pint of blood and it was possible  
to tag that particular package and follow it  
across the ocean to a battlefield in Italy or  
the South Pacific and there see it given to a  
wounded soldier and see it save his life.

## ISN'T THIS

The Finest Christmas  
Present

He (and his mother) could  
get ?



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12-24-43

# **+ THIS + IS OUR PROBLEM**

The Armed Forces ask the Red Cross for  
the amount of blood plasma actually needed

Winchester's share is 320 pints a month.

During November we gave 85 pints.

In December we gave 45 pints.

There are 7555 people in Winchester  
between the ages of 21 and 60 years.



In order to give our share

**We Must Have a Minimum of 1300 Blood Donors**

giving blood three times a year

This is but one in five of our 1300 eligible  
number. Our records show that we have only  
264 donors in Winchester. So you see we have  
a major problem.



**We must not fail in our blood donation.**

**Will you give a pint of blood and save a life?**

Tel. Win. 2327 or 2300 from 10 to 4 o'clock  
and complete arrangements will be made.

Transportation furnished if needed.

See your friends and make a group party.



This advertisement sponsored by the Rotary Club of Winchester

12-31-43



## WAVES in Action ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Recruiter



OFFICIAL U. S. NAVY PHOTOGRAPH

WAVES assigned to recruiting duty spend some of their time traveling about the recruiting district to which they have been assigned. It is their job to advise and assist young women who are interested in the WAVES, and to answer their questions about the duties, pay, social life, opportunities for advancement, uniforms, etc. In the photo, the uniformed girl — a Specialist (R), Third Class — is assisting an applicant. "R" indicates she's a recruiter. She and other Navy representatives in the recruiting service are anxious to talk about the WAVES to thousands of young women between 20 and 36 years of age.

1-7-44

## WAVES in Action ★ ★ *Link Trainer Instructor*



OFFICIAL U. S. NAVY PHOTOGRAPH

This WAVE—and hundreds like her—helps keep 'em flying. She's an important cog in the machinery which makes Navy fliers. As a Link Trainer Instructor, her job is to give directions to fliers, seated in cockpits of stationary training planes. The instrument in front of her, called a "crab," records how well the pilot carries out those directions. As a result of this kind of training, hazards are greatly reduced for pilots when they go aloft. The inset shows a rating badge worn by Link Trainer Instructors, the "T" meaning teacher. A new booklet about the WAVES is available at Navy Recruiting Offices.

**— GIRLS WANTED —**

**16 years old and over**

**DAY SHIFT**

**Essential Work in Winchester**

**Excellent Working Conditions**

*Apply Now*

**UNITED STATES**

**EMPLOYMENT SERVICE**

**25 Montvale Ave. — Woburn**

1-14-44

# **WASTE PAPER**

**IS CRITICAL ITEM NO. 1**

**Mills Are Closed Down for Lack of It**

100 lbs. of waste paper will make: 650 cartons for Army "K" rations; or 2911 cartons for cartridges for inflating life rafts; or 2041 cartons for one life preserver, or 200 containers for Blood Plasma, or 50 containers for 75 M.M. shells.

By saving all the waste paper you have you will be saving the lives of many of our fighting men.

Call Winchester Civilian Defense Headquarters Win. 0207 week-days except Saturdays between 2 and 5 p. m. for a collector.

**1-21-44**

Do not submit this form to the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston  
 UNITED STATES TREASURY WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS  
 APPLICATION FOR UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FOURTH WAR LOAN  
 (Use a separate form for each issue purchased)

To Post Office or Any Winchester Bank  
 (Name of bank or issuing agent)

Address Winchester, Mass

Please enter my subscription for the following United States Government securities:

War Savings Bond Series E  
 (Description of security)

No. of pieces	Maturity value per piece	Issue price per piece	Accrued interest, if any	Total cost
1	\$100.00	\$75.00		\$75.00

REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

Please have such securities registered as follows: (Leave blank if securities are to be issued in coupon form)

Mr.

John S. Doe  
 OWNER (First name) (Initial) (Last name)

200 Blank St.  
 (Street address of registered owner(s))

Winchester, Mass  
 (City, town or village, and state)

Mr.

Mary L. Doe  
 CO-OWNER (First name) (Initial) (Last name)

(Optional)

Mr.

Mrs.

Miss

BENEFICIARY (First name) (Initial) (Last name)

(Optional—Payable to beneficiary on death of owner)

METHOD OF PAYMENT

☒ Hereby check to order of bank or issuing agent.

☐ Charge my account.

☐ Will pay bank or issuing agent on or before February 15, 1944.

DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS

Hold Bonds to be called for, ~~on~~

Jan. 18 1944  
 (Date)

200 Blank St.  
 (Purchaser's street address)

John S. Doe  
 (Signature of purchaser)

Winchester, Mass  
 (City, town or village, and state)

UNITED STATES TREASURY  
 WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE  
 FOR THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS

This will acknowledge an order from

(Name of purchaser)

for the following United States Government securities:

(Issue price) (Description of security)

to be entered by:

(Bank or issuing agent)

☐ Check received

☐ Account to be charged

☐ To be paid for in full before February 15, 1944

(Date)

(Signature)

## **DON'T BURN ANY PAPER**

## **DON'T THROW ANY AWAY**

Your old newspapers, magazines, broken down paper boxes, paper bags and wrapping paper are the waste paper materials which are ground into pulp to make paper board from which are manufactured containers for "K" Rations, other foods, shells, plasma, life preservers, practice bombs, parachute flares, medical kits and other necessary war supplies.

These are needed now and two million additional tons of waste paper are needed now, also.

The school children are doing a splendid job in collecting much of this waste paper. Give them all they will take, but if you need a collector, call Civilian Defense, Win. 0207 on week days except Saturday between 2 and 5 p. m.

Bundles of newspapers or magazines 12 to 18 inches high are easily handled and weigh enough for a collector's call. Paper is needed now. Don't wait until you have a cellar full.

1-28-44

# **Save Waste Paper**

**Call Civilian Defense Win. 0207 week-days except  
Saturdays between 2 and 5 p. m. for a collector. The  
salvage of paper is vital to the war effort.**

**2-4-44**

**+**  
**WHAT**  
**Is Our Obligation**  
**To The Boys**

**Who Are Fighting For Us ?**

**1 st: To furnish all necessary im-  
plements of war On Time.**

**2nd: To furnish Blood Plasma  
On Time.**

**+**  
We have made some progress during the past month but we must keep going as we are still below our quota and the need is increasing.

If you give to the Boston Blood Bank through your Boston office or in any other way please clear through the Winchester Red Cross Office so that we may know what Winchester residents are doing.

**+**  
**Call win. 2327 or Win. 2300**  
**for transportation anytime**

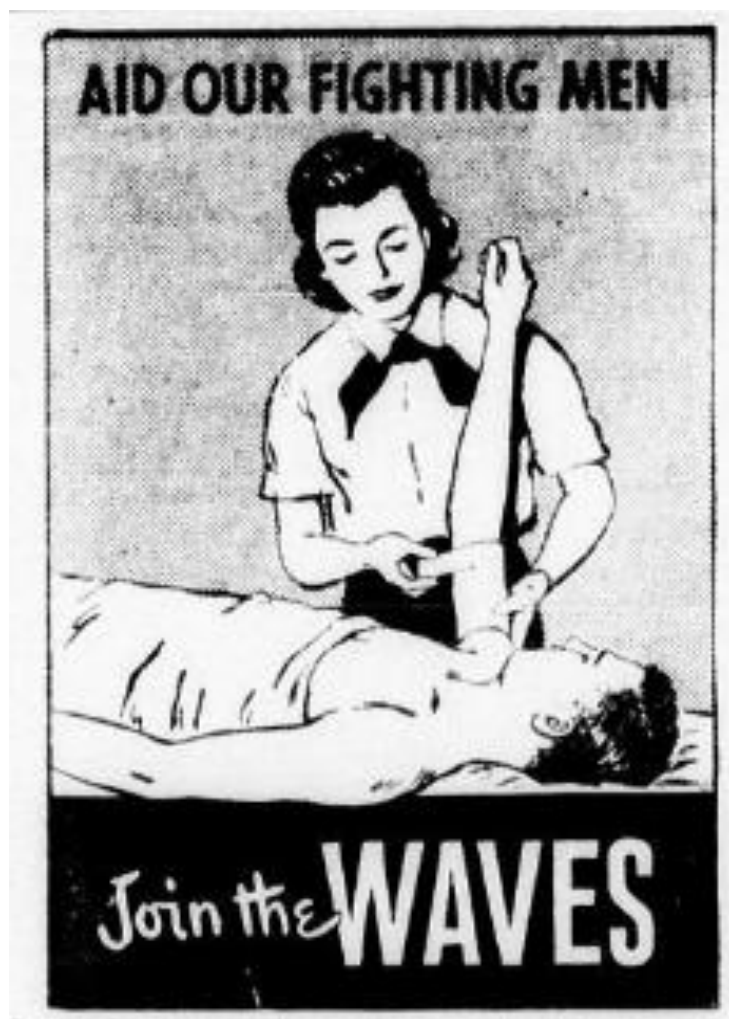
**Monday thru Friday**  
**9 a.m. to 8.30 p.m.**

**Saturday 9 a.m. to 6.30 p.m.**

**+**  
This adv. sponsored by Rotary Club of Winchester

2-11-44





2-18-44

## **Owners of Commercial Vehicles**

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**Mr. Eldridge of the Office of Defense Transportation will be present at the office of the Local War Price and Rationing Board on Saturday, March 11, 1944 from 1 o'clock to 5 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of taking up with owners of commercial vehicles the question of appeals and any other truck problem. It is essential that operators bring to the meeting a month-by-month record of their operations for the past six months.**  
**Winchester War Price and Rationing Board. No. 136.346**  
**Feb. 22, 1944**

2-25-44



**1944 WAR FUND**

**WINCHESTER RED CROSS  
WAR FUND DAY, SUNDAY, MARCH 5**

*Filmes's*

**528 Main Street, Winchester**

3-3-44

### **BOAT CLUB BACKS RED CROSS DRIVE**

Through an unfortunate error the Winchester Boat Club was omitted from the list of organizations supporting the Red Cross War Fund Drive appearing in this issue.

The Boat Club has always been strongly Red Cross minded and is behind the present drive 100 percent.

Robert A. Drake,  
Publicity Chairman, Red Cross  
War Fund Drive

# **Change In Banking Hours**

**EFFECTIVE MARCH 15, 1944**

**8:15 A. M. to 2 P. M. Daily**

**except**

**WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY 8:15 A. M. to 12 NOON**

**In any week in which a holiday occurs, the Wednesday hours will be 8:15 A. M. to 2 P. M.**

**TO ALL OUR CUSTOMERS:**

The commercial banks of Winchester are adopting the above hours in order to relieve the current heavy burden on the banks' employees arising from the unusual war-time activity, especially ration banking and the sale and issuing of war bonds, which requires more time for the closing of the day's business after banking hours. The new hours will conform more closely with those in other suburban communities.



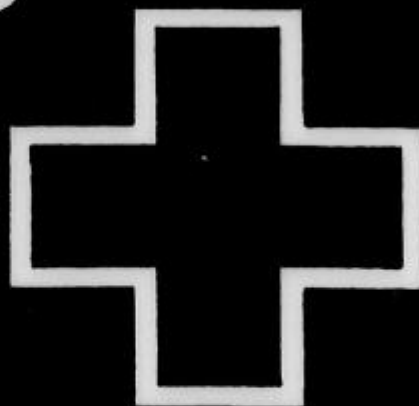
## **WINCHESTER NATIONAL BANK**

**7-9 CHURCH STREET**

**TEL. WIN. 1320 - 1321**

**MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM, FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION**

*Let's Give*



**RED CROSS  
WAR FUND**

**WINCHESTER WAR FUND DAY, MARCH 5**

**BOSTON EDISON CO.**

**2 Mt. Vernon Street, Winchester**

## **SPECIAL NOTICE**

Every citizen of Winchester, who has any photographs, personal views excluded, of the following countries: Japan, China, Philippine Islands, Northern Italy, The Balkans, France, Austria, Hungary or Germany is earnestly requested to loan them to our government for examination by officers of the armed forces.

The photographs will be returned with appreciation after they have been thoroughly studied for information, which might possibly save the life of a Winchester boy.

Kindly wrap all such pictures in a bundle with your name and address and send the package at once to Dr. Charles H. Tozier, 21 Ridgefield road, Winchester.

3-10-44



## IT'S UP TO YOU

★ Some kids out there need guns . . . and planes . . . and ammunition.

It means the difference between a gold star in the window . . . or a fellow coming home.

Sweeping Mom off her feet and hugging Dad . . . and knocking a few tears away while he pummels the kid brother.

He needs the stuff, Mister, and you can give it to him . . .

Are you going to buy an extra War Bond today?

*This Ad Sponsored by the*

## Winchester Co-operative Bank

19 Church Street, Winchester

FIFTY YEARS OF SERVICE IN THIS COMMUNITY

3-17-44



## **VICTORY GARDENERS**

**Copies of Vaughan's 1944 Seed Catalogue and Victory Garden Guide are now available at our Stores. Get your copy now, and place your orders early.**

**NEW CROP SEEDS NOW AVAILABLE**

**We Have Leading Varieties in Stock**

**C. H. SYMMES CO.**

**WINTON HARDWARE CO**

**mh3-64**

## MARCH 26 PRACTICE BLACKOUT REGULATIONS

1. **WARNING SIGNAL—STEADY LONG BLAST. (1½ MINUTES) TIME: ABOUT 8:50 P. M.**
  - a. Street lights turned out.
  - b. All house and other building lights visible from outdoors turned out or blacked out.
  - c. All plants except those doing war production work black out.
  - d. Automobiles continue to travel with lights on low beam. (This does not mean parking lights).
  - e. Pedestrians may move but should keep an eye out for nearest available shelter when the ALARM signal is sounded.
  - f. Workers may remain at their jobs.
  - g. All branches of Civilian Defense Mobilize.
2. **ALARM SIGNAL—SERIES OF SHORT BLASTS. (2 MINUTES) TIME: ABOUT 9:05 P. M.**
  - a. All traffic must stop except vehicles carrying Civilian Defense pennants and vehicles belonging to the Army, Navy, State Guard, Police, Fire, etc., generally referred to as emergency vehicles. These may continue with lights on low beam and should move without challenge.
  - b. All plants doing war production work, must black out for the entire ten minute ALARM period.
  - c. Buses will stop and extinguish all lights.
  - d. Members of the Federal and State Armed Forces, F. B. I. agents, Police personnel, essential Public Utilities personnel, private Plant Guards, under orders to report to their stations in case of an alert must be allowed to proceed during the ALARM period upon proper identification.
  - e. All other persons, except authorized Civilian Defense personnel on duty and wearing their proper armbands, should immediately take shelter during this period.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** The handling of vehicular traffic and buses is the responsibility of the Police and Auxiliary Police and NOT THAT OF THE WARDENS.
3. **WARNING SIGNAL—STEADY LONG BLASTS. (1½ MINUTES) TIME: ABOUT 9:15 P. M.**
  - a. All lights including street lights, house lights, store lights and those in office buildings continue out. (See "F" below for industrial plants).
  - b. Pedestrians and workers by leave their shelters and resume activities.
  - c. Householders remain indoors.
  - d. All automobiles may resume driving with lights on low beam, (not parking lights).
  - e. All civilian defense remains mobilized.
  - f. Only Industrial plants doing war work may re-light.
4. **ALL CLEAR SIGNAL—STEADY BLAST. (10 SECONDS) TIME: ABOUT 9:30 P. M.**
  - a. Blackout ends. All lights previously extinguished may now be relighted.
  - b. Civilian Defense may demobilize when their duties have been fulfilled.

HAROLD S. FULLER,  
Director of Public Safety



## **WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

### **OFFICIAL BULLETIN**

Office Hours: 2-5 P. M. Week Days, except Saturdays.

#### **APPLICATION FOR TOWN PLOTS FOR VICTORY GARDENS**

Anyone desiring a town plot for a Victory Garden may leave their name at Civilian Defense Headquarters, 572 Main street, open from 2 to 5 week-days except Saturdays. Tel. Win. 0207. In order to obtain a plot the applicant also must sign a lease with the town representative who will be at Civilian Defense Headquarters on Saturday, April 1 and Saturday, April 8 from 2 to 5 o'clock. Persons who had town plots last year and desire same this year must advise Headquarters before March 30 and must sign new contract on April 1.

#### **AIR RAID TEST MARCH 26**

See regulations elsewhere in this paper.

3-24-44

# **RANDALL'S**

## ***ANNOUNCES***

**OWING TO WAR-TIME SHORTAGES, OUR STORE WILL**

**CLOSE DAILY AT 6 P.M.**

***Commencing April 1***

**11 Mt. Vernon Street**

**Tel. Win. 0515**

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### **TOWN PLOTS FOR VICTORY GARDENS**

A person desiring a town plot for a Victory Garden may leave his name at Civilian Defense Headquarters, 572 Main street, tel. Win. 0207.

In order to obtain the same plot as last year a person must sign new contract with a representative of the Town at Civilian Defense on April 1 between 2 and 5 p. m.

Others may sign contract on that day or on April 8, same place, same time.

3-31-44

**A YANK**

**and**

**WAR**

**BOND Q11768121E**

**THANKS to you!**

**He has a fighting chance!**

*How about backing him up with  
some more equipment?*

*BUY another Bond today.*

**Winchester Co-operative Bank**

19 Church Street, Winchester

FIFTY YEARS OF SERVICE IN THIS COMMUNITY

4-7-44



4-14-44

# HELP!

**WE NEED MORE  
MEN 18 YEARS  
OR OLDER**



**ABOVE AVERAGE PAY  
STEADY WORK - OVERTIME  
ESSENTIAL WAR INDUSTRY**

*Experience not necessary*

**Also: PART TIME  
WORK!**

We can use your  
spare time. Apply at

**JOHN P. SQUIRE CO.**

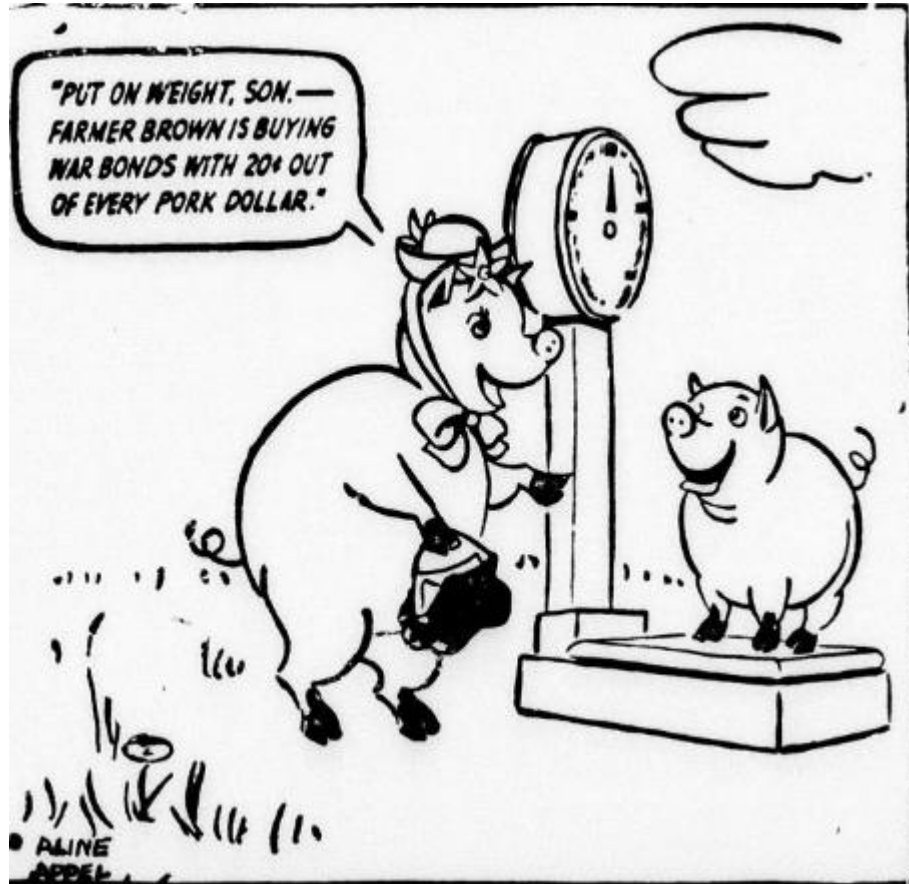
**165 GORE ST., EAST CAMBRIDGE**

*Near Lechmere Sq.*

or U. S. Employment Service of the War Manpower  
Commission, 10 Holyoke St., Cambridge

4-21-44







## WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

OFFICIAL BULLETIN

Office Hours: 2-5 P. M. Week Days, except Saturdays.

# 65 Tons of Waste Paper

Boy Scouts and other High School and Junior High boys working with the Town trucks and their drivers collected 65 tons of waste paper last Thursday and Friday. This paper was a contribution of the citizens of the Town to the war effort and is another example of the fine spirit which prevails in Winchester. More and more paper must be saved so Call Civilian Defense Win. 0207 between 2 and 5 p. m. weekdays except Saturdays if you wish it collected.

4-28-44

WHAT KIND OF A HOME WILL  
I LIVE IN AFTER THE WAR?

VISIT THE

# Post War Homes Exhibit

39 BOYLSTON STREET, BOSTON

**9<sup>00</sup> A. M. to 4<sup>00</sup> P. M.**

*Daily except Saturday* **UNTIL MAY 12<sup>th</sup>**

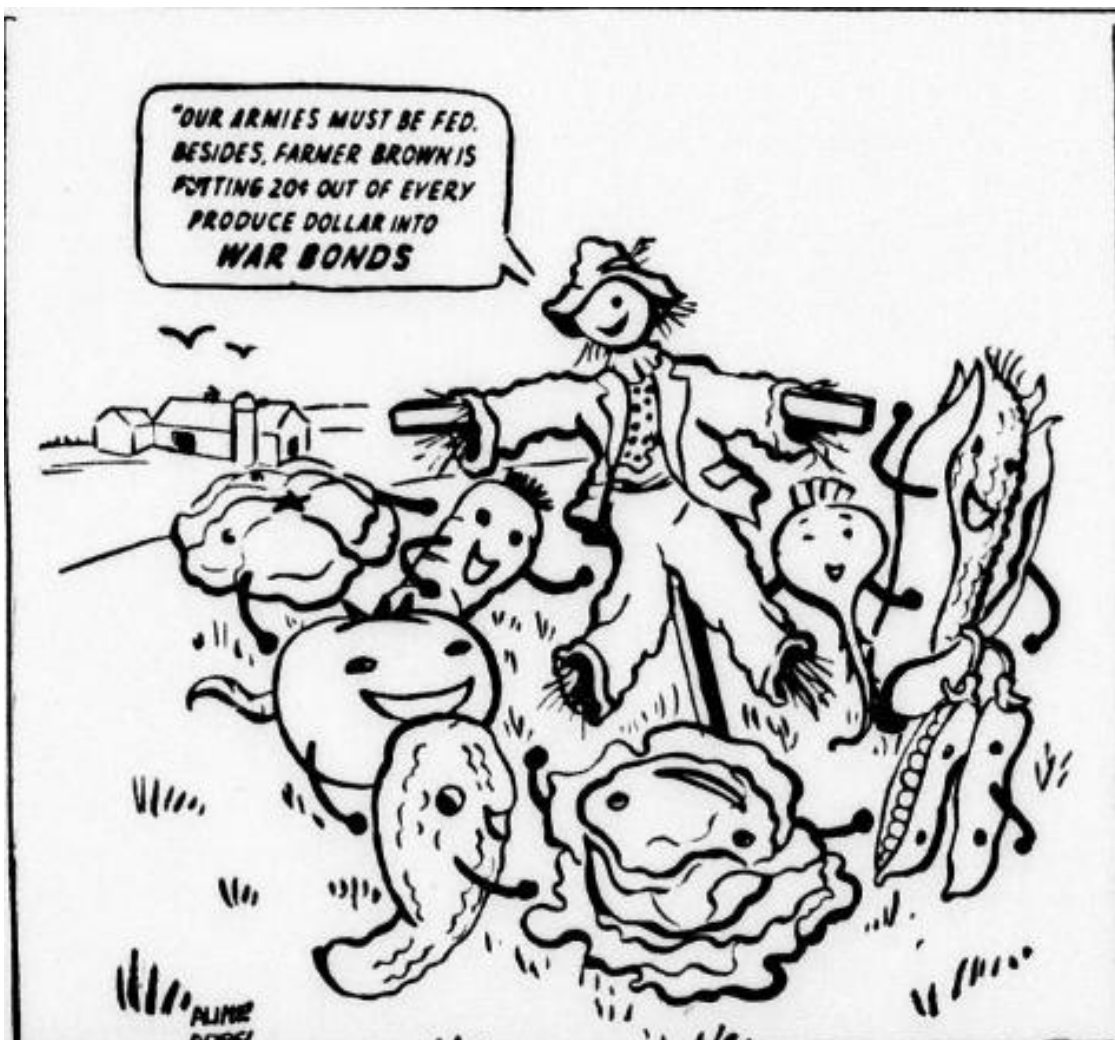


*Homes designed by* ROYAL BARRY WILLS

*One of America's foremost architects of small homes*

**ADMISSION FREE—EVERYBODY WELCOME**

**BOSTON EDISON COMPANY**



5-5-44

★ **Let's Go!** ★

**"United  
Nations  
Fair"**

EN KA SOCIETY  
OF WINCHESTER  
10th Annual Street Fair  
TOWN HALL GROUNDS  
WINCHESTER

**SATURDAY  
MAY 20**

11 A. M. UNTIL MIDNIGHT

\*MIDWAY  
\*DANCING  
\*FERRIS WHEEL  
\*BAKED HAM SUPPER  
\*MERRY-GO-ROUND

**FUN FOR EVERYONE**

**\$150.00  
VICTORY FUND**

and other Valuable Prizes

Benefit of  
En Ka Winchester Charities

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5-12-44

**Who in Winchester can cook the best Baked Bean Supper? A free trip to Winchester, Va., awaits the lucky person. Send nominations to Winchester War Finance Committee, care of The Winchester Star.**

**5-26-44**



## WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

### OFFICIAL BULLETIN

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### BULLETIN TO CANNERS

#### Boil Your Jar Rubbers

Jar rubbers are now made from reclaimed and synthetic rubber. Last year complaints were made that these rubber rings made off-flavors in the products. Tests conducted by the State College at Amherst indicate that preboiling is necessary if housewives would avoid this rubber flavor.

Here is the procedure: Scrub rubber rings in hot soapy water. Then boil ten minutes in water and baking soda. Allow one tablespoon of baking soda to each quart of water and have one quart of water for each dozen rings. Rinse well after boiling. Be sure to start with fresh water and soda for each lot of rings.

**"EVEN MORE IN '44"**



## ***She's Doing Her Part***

backing the boys on  
the fighting fronts--  
helping to keep  
prices down.  
She's working  
hard--spending  
little--saving more  
--in a friendly Co-  
operative Bank.  
Are You?

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FRIENDLY SERVICES SINCE '77  
**Co-operative  
Bank**

***The BANK for Me..***

**Winchester Co-operative Bank**

19 Church Street, Winchester

**KEEP on BUYING War Savings BONDS and STAMPS**



## **" NO FOOLIN "**

We want a typical New England woman, resident of Winchester to represent the town by cooking a "Baked Bean Supper" in Winchester, Va., some time the last of June. It's a Defense Bond publicity stunt and very much on the level. Two women will go South from Winchester. The cook will put on a supper of baked beans and brown bread with a choice of meat or fish cakes, apple pie and fixin's. She'll also make a radio appearance and be our representative in the Southern Winchester. If you know some one who can do the job right, send in her name to the Winchester War Finance Committee, care of the Winchester Star.

6-2-44



**Have YOU a son, a husband, a brother,  
a sweetheart, or a friend in the INVASION  
forces ??**

Do YOUR share to help him come home alive. Make  
YOURSELF responsible for a pint of blood in his behalf  
this week.

For appointment and transportation to the Red Cross  
Blood Donor Center call at 8 Thompson Street, Winchester,  
or telephone Win. 2327.

**The Winchester Red Cross Blood  
Donor Committee**



6-9-44



## WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

### OFFICIAL BULLETIN

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# WASTE PAPER CURB COLLECTION

**Wednesday, June 21 (West Side)**

**Thursday, June 22 (East Side)**

Collection starts at 8 o'clock each morning, rain or shine.

Do not put paper out the night before, but get it out on the curb before 8 o'clock on the morning of collection.

All newspapers should be firmly tied together.

All magazines should be firmly tied together.

All corrugated boxes should be firmly tied together.

All boxes of mixed papers should be firmly packed and tied.

If you need help in tying up your paper, call Boy Scouts Headquarters Win. 2030 from 9 to 5.

6-16-44

FIFTH WAR LOAN!

# Notice

## NO!

FRIED CHICKEN  
SERVED AT  
HARROW'S  
SATURDAY.

JUNE 24th, 2 to 6 P. M.

On Saturday, June 24 from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m., our facilities have been engaged by the WINCHESTER WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE. Famed Aunt Susan Tokes, from Winchester, Virginia, will be here to supervise preparations of 1000 Southern Fried Chicken Dinners.

Remember the date: Sat., June 24th from 2 to 6 p. m. Dinners will be served BEFORE and AFTER these hours.

BACK THE ATTACK . . . .  
BUY MORE WAR BONDS

# SOUTHERN FRIED CHICKEN DINNER



Aunt Susan says:

"Effen you-all don't come to  
dat dinnah you purely misses  
some gorgeous vittles"

PRICE 99c PER PERSON

## JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC FIELD

Saturday, June 24 at 6 p.m.

### AUSPICES OF WINCHESTER WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE

Every buyer of a \$25 Bond in the Fifth War Loan Drive is eligible to purchase one ticket. The more Bonds you buy the more dinner tickets you may buy. Aunt Susan Tekes and helper are coming from Winchester, Virginia especially to put on a grand meal in true Southern fashion. Get your tickets for the dinner and your tag admitting you to the Mock Auction when you buy your Bonds, or present your Bond receipt at Mary Spaulding's Book Shop. Hurry--only 1000 tickets. They're going fast and none will be sold after June 20th.

### MOCK AUCTION

In the Town Hall immediately following the Dinner. Remember to keep your tag. It admits you and may win you one of the five \$25 Bonds given as blind prizes.

Fifty items to be auctioned for War Bond purchase bids--and many are real surprises.

MUSIC BY UNITED STATES COAST GUARD BAND

Okay.....now you attack, too!



Buy U.S. War Bonds...

Buy more  
than before  
in the Fifth War Loan



6-23-44

#### **Meats and Fats**

Good Indefinitely: Red Stamps A8 through Z8 in Book 4 worth 10 points each.

Red tokens worth 1 point each used as change.

Red stamps now become valid every four weeks instead of every 2 weeks. Thus the number of points is reduced to 15 for every two weeks instead of 30.

#### **Canned or Processed Foods**

Good Indefinitely: Blue Stamps A8 through Z8 in Book 4 worth 10 points each.

Blue Stamp A-5 of the second strip in Book 4 worth 10 points each.

Blue tokens worth one point each used as change.

#### **Sugar**

Stamp 30 in Book 4 good for five pounds indefinitely.

Stamp No. 31 good for five pounds indefinitely.

Stamp 32 in Book 4 will become good indefinitely on June 16 for five pounds of sugar.

Stamp No. 40 good for five pounds for home canning through Feb. 28, 1945.

Sugar for home canning may be granted upon application to local War Price and Rationing Boards.

Two periods, 1st period: June 1 through July 31; 2nd period, Aug. 1 through Oct. 31.

#### **Shoes**

Airplane Stamps No. 1 and 2 in War Book 3 good for one pair of shoes each indefinitely.

#### **Fuel Oil**

Sept. 30 last day for period 4 and 5 coupons. All coupons worth 10 gallons a unit.

New 1944-45 fuel oil coupons will become good for 10 gallons a unit upon their receipt by the consumer from local OPA boards.

#### **Gasoline**

Aug. 8 last day for A10 coupons good for three gallons.

B3, B4, C3 and C4 coupons good for five gallons each.

**7-7-44**

# YOUR INVASION!



**F**ROM General Bradley, leading the Invasion ground forces, right through every rank, American men now face a brutal, desperate, able enemy. For this invasion has only begun—before our fighters lies a hard and bloody task, one that demands all *their* courage, backed by *all your faith* in their ultimate victory.

That faith will be tested many times in this invasion—in grim struggles, setbacks, possibly even temporary defeats. It will be up to you to remember that

early victories usually only mean more savage opposition from a foe made more bitter, more ruthless as the shadow of his doom grows larger—up to you to keep that faith in days and nights of gloom as well as in hours of triumph.

There is little that you can do to show that you realize what *they* must face, perhaps for many months. But one thing you *can* do—back the attack with every dollar you can spare! Let the Bonds you buy in this greatest of Drives be the measure of your belief in their ultimate victory!

**Buy Your Invasion Bonds Today!**



SPONSORED BY THE WINCHESTER STAR





## **WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

### **OFFICIAL BULLETIN**

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#### **TIN CAN COLLECTION NEXT WEEK**

Tin cans will be collected next Wednesday, July 19, on the West Side and Thursday, July 20 on the East Side. They should be out on the sidewalk the night before. They must be flattened and nothing but cans should be put in the boxes for collection.

#### **WASTE PAPER**

The next waste paper curb collection will be in August, the 23rd and 24th. Persons going to be away at that time should leave their paper with a neighbor before going away or bring it to the Air Raid Shelter on Main Street next to the 5 and 10 cent store Friday afternoons—3-5 or Saturday morning 10-12.

#### **PRESSURE COOKERS WANTED**

If you have a pressure cooker which you would be willing to loan or rent for a few days at a time, please call Civilian Defense Win. 0207. These are difficult to buy and there are several housewives who would appreciate the use of one.

7-14-44

## To the People of this Community

The next time you write to your fighting man or fighting woman tell him or her what you have done about the Fifth War Loan. You can



take the word of General Eisenhower that your man or woman in uniform will be deeply interested.

Your War Bond buying is a good tip-off to them about the state of af-

fairs in your home. The headlines in this newspaper on the progress of the drive, the items about participating individuals, the character of the Fifth War Loan special events—all these things reflect the morale back home.

Do you like to read a sorry headline about the invasion fronts? Our fighting forces, made up of individuals with the same reactions to good and bad as you, will not be heartened to read: "Fifth War Loan Lags."

Your silence in your letter about your part in the Fifth War Loan will mean non-interest, perhaps non-participation to the recipients. It's up to you to make your letters cheerful. Write today. Write often. Write about your war work, your war support. Double your best previous War Bond buying record and then shout it to the housetops—just to that special service man.

THE EDITOR.

# Absentee Voting for Servicemen

Men and Women serving in the ARMED FORCES, MERCHANT MARINE or persons serving in the RED CROSS, SOCIETY OF FRIENDS, THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY SERVICE PILOTS or the UNITED SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS and attached to and serving with the ARMED FORCES, not on the voting list may NOW register and at the same time apply for an ABSENT VOTING BALLOT for use at the Presidential and State Election in November.

Persons in the above mentioned services must be 21 years of age by Nov. 7, 1944, citizens of the United States, legal residents of Massachusetts on Nov. 6, 1943 and legal residents of Winchester on May 6, 1944.

**Register with the Town Clerk at the Town Hall NOW.**

William E. Ramsdell, Chairman  
6 Summit Avenue,  
Winchester, Mass.

Political Advertisement

7-28-44

# **WASTE PAPER IS WAR PAPER NOW!**

Every boy you know who's at the front is getting his food, ammunition and medicine in boxes made of paperboard. (See Note 1).

Every lad in training on land, sea or air uses many of the 700,000 war items packaged in paperboard.

**Every Scrap of Every Kind of Paper is Needed Urgently-Now**

**Indications Are That This Need Will Continue Indefinitely**  
(See Note 2)

Cartons and Twine for making good and solid packages can be had at Air Raid Shelter, Main Street, Friday afternoons and Saturday mornings.

## **NEXT COLLECTION - AUGUST**

Note 1. Is any boy going to go short because you failed here at home to do your part? And do it well?

Note 2. Don't quit.

**Winchester Salvage Committee**

# EMERGENCY!

Donald Nelson WPB Chairman States (7 15 44) "Waste Paper of all kinds is the most critical raw material today."

## SAVE

### EVERY

### PIECE

(Including Basket Waste)



## PACK IT

### DOWN

### TIGHT

Lay it in a box as flat as you can and tread it down every time you add to it.



## TIE

### IT

### WELL

Tie Magazines and Newspapers as usual flat, unfolded.



*Question:* Why must paper be packed tight and tied so well?

*Answer:* Packed *tight* to save shipping space. Tied *well* to save labor in handling at the trucks, the cars and in the mills. It saves manpower all around.

*Our Question to You:*  
Will You Do Your Best?

*Note:* We will know your answer when the truck comes for your paper.

## NEXT COLLECTION

WEST SIDE — AUGUST 23  
EAST SIDE — AUGUST 24

WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE  
SALVAGE COMMITTEE

EMPTY CARTONS AND HEAVY TWINE CAN BE HAD AT AIR RAID SHELTER ON MAIN ST. FRIDAY P. M., SATURDAY A. M.

8-11-44

It's Not Too Late To Get A  
**WAR JOB**

It's Not Too Early To Get A Job  
**WITH A FUTURE**

**WORK AT RAYTHEON  
OFFERS YOU BOTH!**

**MEN — WOMEN**  
( 16 to 60 )

Any woman who can thread a needle—any man who has had any mechanical or electrical experience can progress rapidly at Raytheon.

Check these advantages  
you will enjoy at Raytheon

- |                                |  |
|--------------------------------|--|
| • Transportation Arranged      | • Convenient Shifts Arranged           |
| • Free Parking                 | • Excellent Pay                        |
| • Clean, Economical Cafeterias | • Veterans of World War II Association |
| • Recreational Programs        | • Planned help for Trainees            |
| • Blue Cross and Blue Shield   | • Full pay while learning              |

Work in one of our plants or, if qualified, as a secretary, typist, clerk, or bookkeeping-machine operator.

**Direct Bus Service to Raytheon Covering 1st and 2nd Shifts**

Leave Swanton St., Winchester 6:13 A. M. - 2:03 P. M.  
(via Willow Street)

Leave Washington Street ..... 2:10 P. M.

Leave Winchester Square ..... 6:15 A. M. - 2:15 P. M.

Returning - leave Raytheon ..... 1:15 P. M. - 11:14 P. M.

**RAYTHEON**  
TRADE MARK

Foundry Ave., off Willow St.  
**WALTHAM**

Apply to Employment Office between 8 A. M. and 5:30 P. M.

8-18-44

# **MEN WANTED**

**At Monsanto Chemical Company's  
Everett Plant**

**Experience Not Necessary**

**Next To Everett El-Station**

**Authorized by War Man Power Commission to  
Hire at Our Plants.**

## **WILL YOU HELP OUTFIT THE CANTEEN LOUNGE?**

To make our new quarters really club-like and attractive we need donations of occasional chairs, couches, tables, table lamps, college banners, sport posters. If your attic or spare room has any "extras" of this sort that are still useable and reasonably attractive (we want the place to look nice) we would appreciate having them. We'll do the trucking. Just call:

**JIM WARE, President, Red and Black Canteen**

**WINchester 2180-W**

**9-1-44**





## WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

### OFFICIAL BULLETIN

Office Hours: 2-5 P. M. Week Days, except Saturdays.

# Victory Garden Harvest Show

T O W N   H A L L

FRIDAY, SEPT. 8. 2 P. M. - 9 P. M.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 9. 10 A. M. - 9 P. M.

All Entry Blanks must be received by Sept. 6 and may be left at Civilian Defense or the Public Library or sent to Mrs. Chester Wolfe, 19 Jefferson road.

Exhibits should be left at the Town Hall on Thursday afternoon or evening, Sept. 7 and **MUST** be there before 10 a. m. on Friday morning.

There is no entry fee and admission is free.



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### **Paper To Be Shipped Home**

**Waste paper has become so badly needed that the U. S. Army is preparing now to ask the Armed Forces in North Africa and in the quieter combat zones of the So. Pacific to salvage what they can of old ammunition cartons and empty paper shell cases for reshipment back home.**

9-29-44

# **VETERANS**

For Information on

## **G. I. BILL of RIGHTS HOME LOANS**

Drop in—or Phone Mr. Trott or Mr. Phinney  
Capitol 9090

### **MERCHANTS CO-OPERATIVE BANK**

24 School Street, Boston 8, Mass.

## **"ANOTHER DAY AND NO MAIL"**



**ANDY DEVINE**

Endorsing the national Elks War Commission's "Write 'em a letter" campaign, which is being supported by 650,000 members of the B. P. O. Elks throughout the nation, star Andy Devine, in a letter to James R. Nicholson, chairman of the Commission, writes: "When we pray for the boys in the service, only we know that we are thinking of them, but when we write them, they know we are thinking of them."

Together with other stars of screen, stage and radio, who have also visited theatres of war in Europe, Africa and islands in the Pacific Ocean, Andy Devine urges that every one on the homefront write—frequently—to the members of our armed forces overseas. Mail call is the bright spot in a serviceman's day.

**10-6-44**

# **November 12th Ends War Fund Drive**

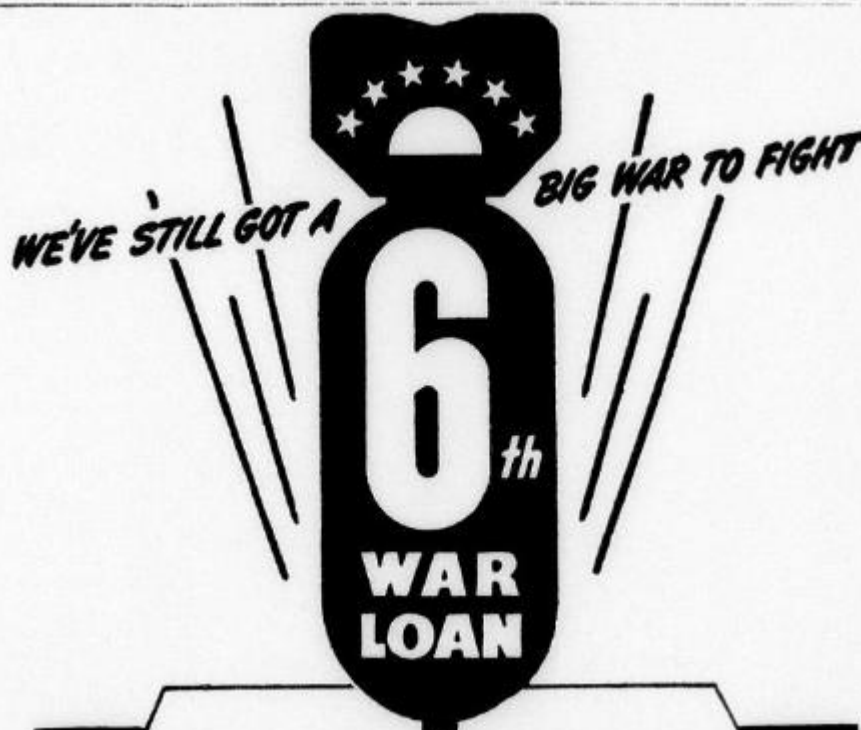
**If you aren't wearing a Red Feather, get one now.**

**The Winchester War Fund Drive closes this Sunday, Nov. 12. Unless your contributions are in by that date, Winchester might miss its chance to go over the top.**

**If you have not been solicited by 6 o'clock Sunday evening, call War Fund Headquarters at WINchester 0279.**

**Remember "You Live Here—Give Here. Show that You Care."**

11-10-44



**YOU'VE BACKED  
THE ATTACK...NOW  
SPEED THE VICTORY!**

It's not nearly over — not by a long shot. Right now we're out to finish the job at home and abroad. The 6th War Loan is part of the great national effort to win victory the quickest possible way. We know you'll do your full share by buying at least one EXTRA War Bond, now!

**ARLINGTON GAS LIGHT CO.**

522 Main St., Winchester

Tel. Win. 0142

• OFFICIAL SALES AGENCY FOR UNITED STATES WAR BONDS •

11-24-44



## WE MUST HAVE YOUR HELP TO WIN ON THE WINCHESTER FRONT

This Sixth War Loan is different. It is directed not at banks or institutions but at the American family and individual citizen. It is directed at YOU. It says plainly that we here in Winchester have no right to be proud unless every family buys Bonds to the limit of its capacity. Forego other spending. Dig deep into your pocket. Let

your Christmas presents be Bonds!

The Winchester Drive is from Nov. 24 to Dec. 16. During that time a volunteer solicitor will come to your door for your Bond application. Be prepared to do your part. Your postman will bring you, during the next day or two, a booklet explaining more about the Sixth War Loan.



WINCHESTER WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE



While one enemy  
remains, our job  
is not  
done!

**BUY AN *Extra*  
WAR BOND NOW!**



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**WINCHESTER NATIONAL BANK**

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

12-1-44



*Ford Mercury Lincoln Zephyr*

## **We Are About To Close Our Third War Year In The Automobile Business**

It has been a difficult year. Cars have needed more repairs than average. Many items of replacement parts have been difficult to obtain. We have been short of mechanics. In spite of these conditions, you have been patient and co-operative. For this, we want to "thank you."

### **Next Year**

Replacement parts are coming through much better now, and we are assured by our factory that the improvement will continue. Let's hope that during the coming year the war will be over, our boys will be back, and our company is building cars again.

**BUY BONDS — YOUR BLOOD WILL SAVE HIS LIFE. NOTHING ELSE WILL**

# **Bonnell Motors**

**666 MAIN STREET**

**WINCHESTER**

12-8-44

# Send Him A Prayer for Christmas

May the Blessings of Almighty God

Shower down upon him

Keep him free from harm

And send him safely home

BOSTON EDISON COMPANY

12-22-44



## **WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

**OFFICIAL BULLETIN**

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# **TIN CAN COLLECTION**

**NEXT WEEK**

**Wednesday, January 24—West Side**

**Thursday, January 25—East Side**

**Please have cans out on the sidewalk the night  
before collection.**

1-19-45

# NOTICE

On account of the extreme shortage of materials, the Cameo Studio will be closed Saturdays and Mondays until a reasonable amount of Photographic Supplies is again available.

Open Tuesday through Friday every week.

*Cameo Studio*

620 MAIN STREET

WINCHESTER

Jan 12-21



# **NOTICE of train discontinued!**

We regret that on orders of the Office of Defense Transportation in Washington we must discontinue, effective immediately, operation of the regular Sunday train to and from the Eastern Slope region. This Sunday train left the North Station at 8:15 a.m. for North Conway, Intervale and other stations and returned from Intervale at 6:45 p.m. Otherwise there are no changes in the regular North Conway schedule and the train on Sunday returning from Intervale and North Conway at 5:35 p.m. will continue to operate.

**BOSTON *and* MAINE**

# AMERICA IS NOW ENTERING TOTAL WAR

**HOUSEWIVES, THIS INCLUDES YOU!**

**SALVAGE MUST BE YOUR ALL OUT WAR EFFORT**

**PAPER, TIN AND FATS MUST BE SAVED NOW AS THEY HAVE NEVER BEEN SAVED BEFORE**

**PAPER**

IS NEEDED FOR SHIPPING BLOOD PLASMA, K RATIONS, MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND AMMUNITION.

IS NEEDED FOR MAKING BOMBS, WEATHER PARACHUTES, HELMETS, LIFE JACKETS, CAMOUFLAGES, AND BOMB FLARES  
HAS OVER TWENTY-EIGHT HUNDRED WAR USES.

**MORE PAPER MUST BE SALVAGED BY MORE PEOPLE**

**TIN**

ORE SUPPLY IS 90 PER CENT HELD BY JAPAN

HAS NO SATISFACTORY SUBSTITUTE

USED FOR SHIP PROPELLORS SERIOUSLY DRAINS OUR MEAGER SUPPLY

SYRETTES FOR SERVICEMEN CANNOT BE ISSUED UNLESS MORE TIN IS AVAILABLE.

**EVERY TIN CAN IN THE HOUSEHOLD SHOULD BE WASHED, DELABELED,  
FLATTENED AND SAVED FOR THE NEXT COLLECTION**

**FATS**

are urgently needed now for making medicinal supplies for wounded servicemen.

supply is low and must be augmented rapidly by kitchen waste fats.

**TAKE YOUR USED FAT TO THE MARKET STEADILY, EACH POUND IS WORTH  
4 CENTS AND 2 RED POINTS. KEEP THE SUPPLY FLOWING IN.**

**WATCH THE STAR FOR DATES OF CURB COLLECTIONS OR CONTACT YOUR BLOCK LEADER**

WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE  
SALVAGE COMMITTEE



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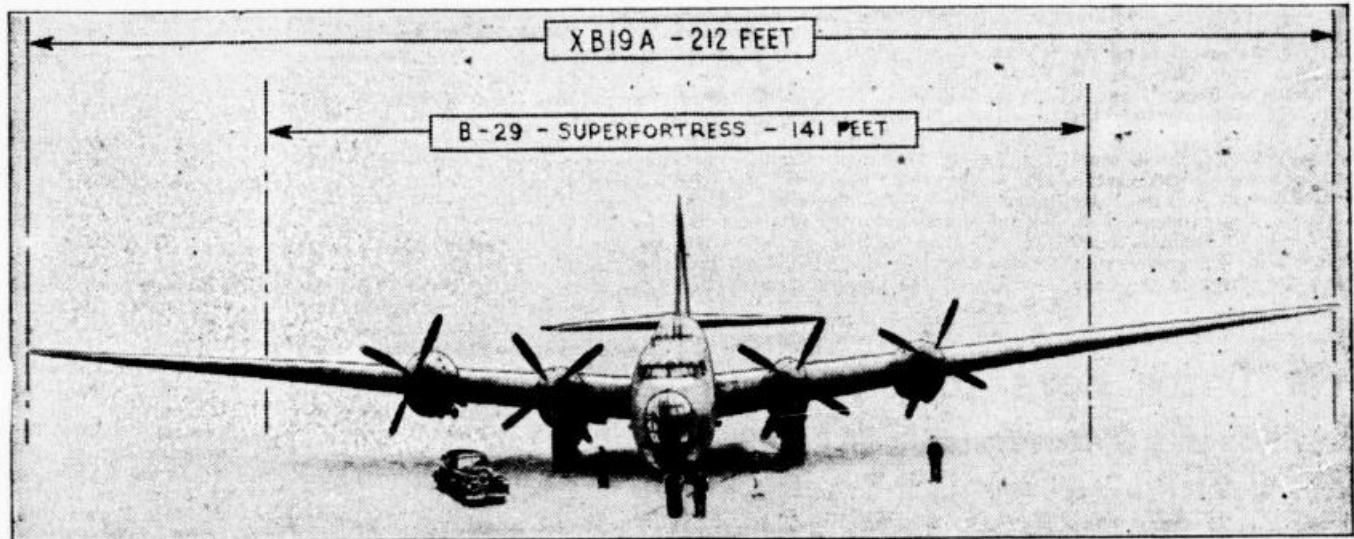
# **PAPER SALVAGE**

The National War Production Board has asked the Boy Scouts to make a nation wide collection of waste paper during the months of March and April. Prizes are to be awarded for outstanding effort.

The Winchester Salvage Committee is co-operating with this request and giving permission to the Scouts to collect paper direct from the householders during this period. A Scout's registration card will serve as his identification.

The next regular Town Curb Collection of paper will be held the latter part of April, but in the meantime anyone wishing to help the Scouts may do so by giving them their paper.

3-2-45



HERE IS the largest experimental bomber in the world—the Army's XB-19A—which has just been fitted with new, more powerful engines by the Fisher Body Division of General Motors. The plane's power, range and load-carrying capacity have been stepped up considerably by the installation of liquid-cooled Allison engines. Installation of the

engines, requiring construction of new, longer nacelles, was begun by Fisher Body at Romulus Army Air Field near Detroit and completed at its Cleveland No. 2 plant. Bigger than a B-29 Superfortress, the sky mammoth has a wing spread of 212 feet and length of 150 feet, compared with the B-29 wing span of 141 feet and length of 98 feet.





**WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

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# **Tin Can Collection Next Week**

**Wed. - March 21 - West Side**

**Thurs. - March 22 - East Side**

3-16-45



## **WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

**572 MAIN ST.**

**TEL. WIN. 0207**

### **OFFICIAL BULLETIN**

#### **VICTORY GARDENS**

There is greater need for Victory Gardens than ever before. Town plots are again available to those who are interested and plowing will be done at cost by the town.

Marshall W. Symmes, Chairman of the Victory Garden Committee may be called evenings at Win. 1926 regarding the plots and the plowing and Mrs. Frederick B. Craven, chairman of War Services may be called during the day.

Civilian Defense Headquarters, 572 Main street (over McCormack's Drug Store) will be open Saturday, March 31 from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. for the signing of contracts for plots.

3-23-45

# Army Nurses Urgently Needed Now!

Inquire Your Nearest Recruiting Station Today

A MASSACHUSETTS CO-OPERATIVE  
BANK FOR NEARLY SIXTY YEARS



*Assisting Home Owners  
in the American Way . . . . .*

in the shadow of the State House  
near the Park Street Subway entrance

Assets \$2,000,000

*The* **GERMANIA**  
CO-OPERATIVE BANK OF  
**BOSTON**

1885

1945

Member Massachusetts Co-operative Bank League Share  
Insurance Fund

Edward J. Geishecker, President

Willis Dresser, Treasurer  
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**HEAR ANTI-NAZI LEADER**

**MR. MARTIN HALL**

**"CAN EUROPE LIVE WITH GERMANY"**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 10—8 P. M.**

**METCALF HALL, UNITARIAN CHURCH**

**Public Invited—Auspices Friends Service Committee**

4-6-45

***TO ALL VOLUNTEER SOLICITORS***  
***7th WAR LOAN IN WINCHESTER***  
**ATTEND YOUR**  
**PRECINCT MEETING!**

Please make a special effort to attend the meeting for workers in your precinct so that you will be fully informed of the plans for the Seventh War Loan Drive in which your aid is needed.

Following is a schedule of time, place and date for each precinct meeting:

Precinct No. 1—May 8, Washington School at 8 p. m.

Precincts No. 2 and No. 3—May 7, Winchester Public Library at 8 p. m.

Precincts No. 4 and No. 5—May 9, Wyman School at 8 p. m.

Precinct No. 6—May 10, Noonan School at 8 p. m.

Each meeting will start promptly on time and will be brief. There will be opening remarks by the Precinct Chairman, followed by the showing of the U. S. Signal Corps' especially prepared motion picture, "D Day Minus One", which has not been released for general public exhibition.

Instructions for the Drive will be given by the Precinct Chairman and Co-Chairman.

All those—but only those in each precinct—who have an active part in the War Loan Drive should attend.

**WINCHESTER WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE**

# FOOD RATION STAMPS GOOD

FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.		
<b>RED STAMPS</b>								
Y 5	Z 5	A 2	B 2	C 2	D 2	THRU JUNE 2		
	E 2	F 2	G 2	H 2	J 2	THRU JUNE 30		
		K 2	L 2	M 2	N 2	P 2	THRU JULY 31	
			Q 2	R 2	S 2	T 2	U 2	FROM MAY 1 THRU AUG. 31
Next stamps become good in June								
<b>BLUE STAMPS</b>								
H 2	J 2	K 2	L 2	M 2	THRU JUNE 2			
	N 2	P 2	Q 2	R 2	S 2	THRU JUNE 30		
		T 2	U 2	V 2	W 2	X 2	THRU JULY 31	
			Y 2	Z 2	A 1	B 1	C 1	FROM MAY 1 THRU AUG. 31
Next stamps become good in June								
<b>SUGAR STAMPS</b>								
35	SUGAR	THRU JUNE 2						
			36	SUGAR	FROM MAY 1 THRU AUG. 31			

CLIP THIS CHART FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

5-11-45

## To the Citizens of Winchester

Now that the war with Germany is ended, the state authorities feel that there is no further need for an air raid defense organization, consequently most of the units of Civilian Defense will now be completely demobilized.

The units which will still remain active are the Auxiliary Police, Auxiliary Firemen, Nurses' Aides, and all War Services including of course Salvage and the Block Leaders. Headquarters at 572 Main Street will still be maintained.

The efficient communication and air raid alarm system is now being dismantled and the Report Center closed. The several sirens set up in various parts of the Town are being taken down. The supplies and equipment in the Medical Depots will be turned over to other organizations which have need for them.

The protective units of Civilian Defense in Winchester were never called upon to act in a war emergency. Nevertheless they were organized and ready to act if the need arose, and the citizens of the Town felt much more secure because of their existence.

The Public Safety Committee is grateful to all members of these units for their co-operation, their loyalty, and their unselfish service, and takes the opportunity to publicly express its appreciation to them.

Harold S. Fuller, *Chairman*

5-18-45

## YOUNGSTERS GET ILLUSTRATED CERTIFICATES FOR WAR BOND PURCHASES

When a 7th War Loan bond is bought in the name of a child a special purchase certificate, as here shown, illustrated in color with Walt Disney cartoons may be obtained. The certificate bears both the name of the child and the name of the donor.

Mrs. Theodore H. Elliott, 11 Her-

rick street is in charge of this activity and these special certificates may be had when purchase orders for bonds are presented to Mrs. Elliott or to any Winchester bank or to the Post Office. The certificates will be issued for War Bond purchases up until the time the Winchester schools close for the season. Sample certificates are displayed by a number of our local stores.





## DEFINITIONS OF DRAFT CLASSIFICATIONS

Class 1A: Available for military service.

Class 1A-O: Available for non-combatant military service.

Class 1C: Member of land or naval forces.

Class 1C Disc.: Registrant honorable separated from land or naval forces.

Class 2A: Man supporting the national health, safety, or interest.

Class 2B: Man in war production.

Class 2A (F) and

Class 2B (F): When a registrant in Class 2A or 2B has been found disqualified for military service or qualified for limited service he shall be identified by following his classification with the letter (F).

Class 2C: Man in agriculture.

Class 3D: Man deferred by reason of extreme hardship and privation to wife, child or parents.

Class 4A: Registrant who has attained his 38th birthday.

Class 4B: Official deferred by law.

Class 4C: Alien.

Class 4D: Minister of religion or divinity student.

Class 4E: Conscientious objector.

Class 4F: Physically or mentally unfit.

6-8-45

**DON'T MISS IT!**  
**GALA WAR BOND RALLY**

**THE MIGHTY 7<sup>th</sup> CAVALCADE**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1945**

**11 A.M. TO 1 P.M.**

**MAIN STREET**

**Between Parkway and Washington Street**

**( Note Change of Location )**

**See for yourself with your own eyes**

- 
- ★ **Captured German Mark 4 Tank**

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  - ★ **Captured German 50 mm Field Gun**

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  - ★ **PT Boat Engine Cutaway to Show Working Parts**

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  - ★ **New Secret Air Force Jet Bomb**

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  - ★ **Naval Shells and Other Ordnance Pieces**

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  - ★ **Greatest Booby Trap Exhibit Yet Assembled**

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**FIRST HAND, EYE WITNESS REPORTS FROM OVERSEAS  
BY MEN FRESH FROM THE FIGHTING FRONTS**

*Sponsored by*

**SAVINGS BANKS  
of Massachusetts**

**DON'T MISS IT!**

6-15-45

*Select Awards for  
Boy Scout Gardens*



A General MacArthur Garden Medal (above) will go to a limited number of Boy Scouts in each community who do superior jobs in raising and harvesting a variety of produce in gardens of at least 400 square feet. It is provided by the National Victory Garden Institute. Boy Scouts throughout the nation are not only planting gardens but will also work on farms. The Green Thumb Certificate (below) will go to every Scout raising food and reporting it to his Local Boy Scout Council.

6-29-45

# RATION STAMPS GOOD

APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.				
RED STAMPS										
K 2	L 2	M 2	N 2	P 2	THRU JULY 31					
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			V 2	W 2	X 2	Y 2	Z 2	THRU SEPT. 30		
			A 1			B 1	C 1	D 1	E 1	THRU OCT. 31
			Next stamps become good Aug. 1							
BLUE STAMPS										
T 2	U 2	V 2	W 2	X 2	THRU JULY 31					
		Y 2	Z 2	A 1	B 1	C 1	THRU AUG. 31			
		D 1		E 1	F 1	G 1	H 1	THRU SEPT. 30		
		J 1		K 1	L 1	M 1	N 1	THRU OCT. 31		
		Next stamps become good Aug. 1								
SUGAR STAMPS										
36		SUGAR		THRU AUG. 31						
SHOE STAMPS										
AIRPLANE STAMPS - BOOK NO. 3										
1		2		3		GOOD INDEFINITELY				
GASOLINE COUPONS										
A-16		THRU SEPT. 21								

CLIP THIS CHART FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

7-13-45

**Winchester War Price and  
Rationing Board, No. 136.346**

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

**Week Days 1 to 5 P. M.**

**Saturdays, 10 to 12 Noon**

2y20-tf

7-20-45

# **Christie McDonald's**

Wishes to thank the people of Winchester and surrounding cities and towns for their wonderful cooperation during this war-time period.

We appreciate your patience with conditions made necessary by current restrictions, and assure you of our earnest desire to return to you at the earliest opportunity the sort of service and variety of fine foods to which you are accustomed.

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**DUE TO SHORTAGE OF MATERIALS**

We Will Be

**C L O S E D**  
**JULY 28 - AUGUST 20**

7-27-45

# RATION STAMPS GOOD

MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.
RED STAMPS						
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SHOE STAMPS						
				BOOK NO. 3		
1	2	3	4			
GOOD INDEFINITELY						
GASOLINE COUPONS						
		A-16		THRU SEPT. 21		
Next coupon becomes good Sept. 22						

CLIP THIS CHART FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

8-3-45



**PEACE . . .**  
**WITH VICTORY!**

War's din is hushed on land, on sea, in air,  
Earth's travail ends and tyranny is dead  
And new-born Freedom lifts her noble head  
And blessed quiet greets us everywhere  
May nations now, with Victory's flag unfurled  
Ponder the lesson, try to understand  
If PEACE shall dwell eternal in each land  
Good will and brotherhood must rule the world.

**ARLINGTON GAS LIGHT CO.**

8-17-45





## **WINCHESTER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

572 MAIN ST.

TEL. WIN. 0207

**OFFICIAL BULLETIN**

### **SALVAGE NOTICE**

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The War Production Board has just advised us that the Salvage of Waste Paper, Tin Cans and Fats must be continued.

We urge your continued co-operation.

Salvage Committee

8-24-45

# RATION STAMPS GOOD

JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.											
<b>RED STAMPS</b>																	
RETAILERS PAY 2 POINTS A POUND FOR USED HOUSEHOLD FATS																	
V 2	W 2	X 2	Y 2	Z 2	THRU SEPT. 30												
					A 1	B 1	C 1	D 1	E 1	THRU OCT. 31							
								F 1	G 1	H 1	J 1	K 1	THRU NOV. 30				
											L 1	M 1	N 1	P 1	Q 1	THRU DEC. 31	
							Next stamps become good Oct. 1										
<b>SUGAR STAMPS</b>																	
					38 SUGAR			THRU DEC. 31									
<b>SHOE STAMPS</b>							BOOK NO. 3										
1	2	3	4				GOOD INDEFINITELY										

CLIP THIS CHART FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

9-14-45

## **RATION BOARD NOTICE**

With the closing of the Winchester War Price and Ration Board Office on Oct. 15 Winchester will be served by the office in Woburn, located on the second floor of City Hall opposite the District Court.

Office hours there are daily, except Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 12.30 to 5 p. m. Applications may be mailed to the Board. The telephone is Woburn 0700.

10-5-45

When the Sergeant  
Changes  
His Stripes



It's a grand thrill to get out of khaki and back into "civvies" again. A lot more thrills are awaiting our returning soldiers—we hope they'll get a kick out of inspecting our merchandise while preparing to furnish a home of their own. We welcome all returning soldiers, whether they just want to buy. Stop in any time fellows, and girls, too, we'll be glad to see you!



Galvanized  
Wash Tub

**\$1.69**



ASH CANS

We have a few in stock and you'll soon be needing one—buy now at this low price.

**\$2.98**



12 Quart  
Galvanized  
Pail

**59c**



Galvanized  
Coal Hod

**\$1.25**



Oil Heater

**\$7.75**



Galvanized  
Garbage Pail

**\$1.69**

HARDWARE

**Fells**

HOUSEWARES

JAMES CHISHOLM  
MGR.

PLUMBING HEATING &  
BUILDERS SUPPLIES Inc.

TEL.  
0902

654 MAIN ST. — WINCHESTER, MASS.

# INVITATION

All boys displaying a vets pin will be welcome at a welcome home party at Waterfield Hall on Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Given by the Chases of 11 Webster street. In appreciation for all they have done for us here at home.

10-19-45

# **WINCHESTER VETERANS**

## **WORLD WAR II**

The Winchester War Veterans Advisory Committee located in the Public Library Building—is open Wednesday evening, 7 to 9, and Thursday afternoon, 3 to 5. The Committee composed of Winchester professional and business men, offers every veteran personal counsel regarding his rights, jobs, government insurance, G. I. loans, education, and medical assistance. Individual appointments arranged at any time to suit the veteran's convenience.

10-26-45

**DON'T MISS THE**

**V·I·C·T·O·R·Y L·O·A·N  
C·A·V·A·L·C·A·D·E  
IN ITS  
G·I·A·N·T R·A·L·L·Y**

*See for yourself with your own eyes . . .*

**Captured Jap war equipment**

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**Complete Field Hospital manned by overseas veterans  
from Lovell General Hospital**

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**Remedial Exercise Exhibits by wounded veterans  
from Cushing General Hospital**

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**Occupational Therapy Demonstrations exhibited  
by wounded veterans from Lovell General Hospital**

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**Hear from the men who are being returned to  
health and fitness by scientific care and treatment**

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**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1945**

**2.30 to 4.30 P.M.**

**MAIN STREET**

**Near High School**

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**WINCHESTER SAVINGS BANK**

# **VETERANS !**

## **ANYTHING PUZZLING YOU?**



Any questions about your benefits—jobs—GI insurance—or other problems that arise with your return to civilian life? The Winchester Veterans Advisory Committee will be glad to counsel and help you. You can see one of the counsellors at the Committee Headquarters, Winchester Public Library, on Wednesday evenings from 7 to 9 p. m. or call Winchester 1727 any time during the day to arrange a special appointment.

**WINCHESTER VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

11-30-45



# "Me... I'm staying in the Army!

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THERE ARE PLENTY  
OF REASONS...  
AND HERE THEY ARE!"



- 1 "First, I keep my present grade. That means a lot.
- 2 "By reenlisting for 3 years I can pick my own branch of service in the Air, Ground or Service Forces, and can go to any overseas theater I wish.
- 3 "I get no make-good pay, even though I'm reenlisting. Also, I get \$50 a year reenlistment bonus for each year I've been in the Army. My dependents receive family allowances for the full term of my enlistment. And I'll be eligible for full bill of rights benefits when I get out of the Army.
- 4 "My food, clothes, quarters, medical and dental care are all supplied to me. And I can learn any of 200 skills or trades in the Army schools.
- 5 "All of us who are reenlisting are going to have from 30 to 90 days' furlough at home with full pay and our travel paid both ways. And we'll have 30 days' furlough every year with pay.

6 "Any time after 20 years I can retire at half pay increasing year by year to three-quarters retirement pay after 30 years of service. And the time I've already served in active military or naval service counts toward my retirement time. Added up—reenlistment seems pretty good to me!"

## JANUARY 31, 1946

### AN IMPORTANT DATE FOR MEN IN THE ARMY

MEN now in Army who reenlist before February 1 will be reenlisted in present grade. Men honorably discharged can reenlist within 30 days after discharge in grade held or rise at discharge, provided they reenlist before February 1, 1946.

You may enlist AT ANY TIME for 1 to 3 year periods. (One-year enlistments for men now in the Army with at least 6 months of service.)

### PAY PER MONTH— ENLISTED MEN

In Addition to Food, Lodging,  
Clothing and Medical Care

(a)—Plus 20% Increase for  
Service Overseas (b)—Plus  
50% of Monthly of Flying  
Credits, Parachute, etc. (c)  
—Plus 5% Increase in Pay  
for Each 3 Years of Service.

	Starting Base Pay Per Month	MONTHLY RETIREMENT INCOME AFTER:	
		20 Years' Service	30 Years' Service
Master Sergeant or First Sergeant	\$138.00	\$89.70	\$155.25
Technical Sergeant	118.00	74.10	128.25
Staff Sergeant	96.00	62.40	108.00
Sergeant	78.00	50.70	87.75
Corporal	66.00	42.90	74.25
Private First Class	54.00	35.10	60.75
Private	50.00	32.50	56.25

SEE THE JOB THROUGH  
**U. S. ARMY**  
BE A  
"GUARDIAN OF VICTORY"  
AIR, GROUND, SERVICE FORCES

REENLIST NOW AT YOUR NEAREST  
U. S. ARMY RECRUITING STATION  
U. S. ARMY RECRUITING  
OFFICE  
55 Tremont Street  
Boston, Mass.

12-7-45



## Have You A Room You'll Rent To A Returned Veteran?

No need to talk about the housing shortage. But there is a vital need to do something about it! If you have a room that you'll rent to a veteran, will you let us know about it?

Since one of the most frequent requests which we get from returning veterans is "Where can I get a room?", the Winchester War Veterans Advisory Committee is compiling a list of rooms that are available in Winchester.

So if there is a vacant room in your house and you are willing to rent it to a returned veteran, will you call the Win-

chester War Veterans Advisory Center and let us know about it? We'll put you in touch with the boy who wants that room. It is just another way of expressing appreciation for the job he's done.

### JUST WRITE OR PHONE

the Center at the Public Library

**Winchester 2094**

Open Wednesday and Thursday 9 to 12  
—1 to 4. Evenings Monday, Wednesday,  
Friday, 7 to 9.

**WINCHESTER WAR VETERAN'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

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