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### THE FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN

The campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan begins September 28 and closes October 19. While the amount has not yet been announced, it is generally conceded it will be a larger amount than any of the preceding loans. The American people, therefore, are called upon to raise a larger sum of money in a shorter length of time than ever before. There is need, therefore, for prompt action—prompt and efficient work and prompt and liberal subscriptions.

We have a great inspiration or a great effort. The news from the battlefield inspires every American heart, not only with pride and patriotism but with a great incentive to do his or her part. There is no shirking, no shifting of the individual burden, no selfishness by American soldiers in France; there should be none here. We are both supporting the same country and the same cause—our Army in one way, ourselves in another. There is the harder part, but at least we can do our part as promptly and loyally and efficiently as they do theirs.

### PLAY FAIR WITH UNCLE SAM

"They have learned how to use coal economically in Europe—through having to pay all the way from twenty to ninety dollars a ton for it. The man who is paying that does not need any fuel administration to urge him, on patriotic grounds, to stop wasting coal. He develops the keenest interest in that subject without prompting; and he saves the coal.

If our government took its hand off the fuel situation today there would be no wasting of coal next winter. The price would go to such a height that every man who burned a ton of coal would make it his personal business to see it was burned to the best advantage.

"The Government will not take its hand off. It wants the poor people to have a chance at fuel too. It gives the people the benefit of a not exorbitant price. They ought to show their appreciation by using the coal just as carefully as though they were paying the European price."—Saturday Evening Post, July 20, 1918.

South America is using alcohol to drive automobiles. We have seen automobiles at night that appear to have derived their motive power from the same liquid.

We learn via Holland that German civilians are painting their ankles black to simulate socks. Not a bad idea in the hot weather.

Promotions are being made clear down the line. Copper has been advanced until it now ranks with precious metal.

With care, says a government expert, there is timber enough to last the United States 444 years. "With care"; but who will care in 444 years?

It's nothing when you get used to it, says Ludendorff and Hindenburg, but they tacitly concede that in the meantime it's—well, something else again.

### YEOMAN WITHDRAWS FROM TREASURER RACE

The Zion City Vote, on Which He Had Depended, Has Been Pledged to Another

Edward J. Yeoman Friday issued the following statement: To the Voters of Lake County: I entered the contest for the nomination for the office of County Treasurer with the promise I was to have the support of the Voliva faction



in Zion City, and based my campaign upon that promise made to me by Wilbur Glenn Voliva in the presence of two other persons. My close friends have known of that promise made by Mr. Voliva and felt confident it meant my nomination.

On Wednesday of this week Mr. Voliva broke that promise and endorsed another candidate.

I now believe it for the best interests of the people of Lake County that I withdraw from the contest, and so I hereby ask my friends to support Roy W. Bracher, who, in my opinion is the strongest candidate, and who is the only candidate whom I can consistently support.

In taking this position I respectfully ask the voters to read Mr. Bracher's platform.

Thanking my friends for the splendid work they have done in my behalf, I am,

Sincerely yours,  
EDWARD J. YEOMAN.

### DRAFT BOARD MAY GET \$200.00 A MONTH

News of the Prospective Salaries Will be Welcomed by Members of the Draft Board

Waukegan and Libertyville Draft Board members probably will receive a salary of \$200 a month, the maximum, if the agreement reached between Secretary Baker and Provost Marshal General Crowder, told in a recent issue of the Waukegan Gazette, is ratified.

The agreement provides salaries ranging from \$50 a month in districts of 1,000 or fewer registrants up to \$200 a month in districts with 6,000 or more.

There are already 3,591 registrants under direction of the Waukegan board and 5,000 more are expected under the 18 to 45 registration. This makes a total of 8,591 or 2,591 above the 6,000 limit for the \$200 salary. News of the prospective salaries will be welcome to draft board members, all of whom have made great business sacrifices to serve their country—and uncompensatingly.

Libertyville, with about the same number of registrants, or a few more, also will benefit.

### GOVERNOR LOWDEN ENDORSES SHURTLEFF

Says He is of Incomparable Usefulness to the State as Member of the General Assembly

Mr. T. R. Quayle, Superintendent Lake County Law and Order League, Highland Park, Illinois.

My Dear Mr. Quayle: I am just in receipt of your letter of August 22. I am greatly interested in the nomination and election of Mr. Shurtleff, not upon any political grounds but because of his incomparable usefulness to the state of Illinois, as a member of the General Assembly. I would regard it as a very great misfortune if he should fail to return.

In the important work of the last General Assembly, I came to rely upon Mr. Shurtleff's cooperation more than that of any other man. I sincerely trust that you are doing everything in your power to see that he gets a large vote from Lake County.

Very sincerely yours,  
FRANK O. LOWDEN.

### DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES ENTER AN AGREEMENT

Candidate Receiving the Lesser Number of Votes for Representative Shall Withdraw from Race

The Democratic Central Committee failed to function this year. Happily Graham and Shea have entered into a formal agreement, the operation of which will bring the same result. Herewith the formal agreement:

Whereas the Democratic Senatorial Committee of the Eighth Senatorial District met two years ago and passed a resolution to nominate one candidate on the Democratic ticket for the State Legislature, and as the Democratic Senatorial Committee has failed to meet in the year 1918, to fix and determine the number of candidates to be nominated at the primary election to be held September 11, 1918, we, the undersigned, candidates for nomination, Herbert A. Shea and Thos. E. Graham, hereby agree to abide by the resolution as passed by the Democratic Senatorial Committee two years ago, that is, the one receiving the greater number of votes be declared nominated and we do hereby agree that the one receiving the lesser number of votes shall withdraw from the race and file his withdrawal with the Secretary of State at Springfield, Illinois, within the time fixed by law for withdrawals.

HERBERT A. SHEA,  
THOS. E. GRAHAM.

### 300 MEN EACH DAY TO LICK THE KAISER

This is the Average for the Great Naval Training Station During the Summer Months

Since May 1 Great Lakes has sent 36,605 men to vessels of the Fleet and foreign Naval bases, an average of more than 9,000 men a month, or nearly 300 men a day, including Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

These figures were computed yesterday afternoon after an announcement had been made by Lieutenant (J.G.) W. P. Jost, detail officer, that the Great Lakes quota of men for sea duty and foreign service in August had reached a total of 8,714 men.

Though the number for August was slightly smaller than the corresponding numbers of men sent out in each of the two preceding months, the work of the Detail Office was in no degree lessened, but to the contrary was made all the greater. This was due to the fact that a new record was set for the total number of complements sent out.

#### 307 Complements

This new high mark is 307. The highest previous figure was that of July, when 288 complements of men were sent from this Training Station to places of duty elsewhere. It is assumed that outgoing complements were made up each day during the month, then it will be seen that the Detail Office sent out an average of 10 complements daily, averaging 28 or 29 men each.

The additional work falling on this busy office was due to the fact that the number of complements made up daily was greater than by about one than the number of complements similarly made up in July. Men connected with this office declare that it takes no greater amount of labor to prepare one outgoing complement of 500 men than to prepare two outgoing complements of 50.

In spite of the fact that Great Lakes sent fewer men to sea in August than in July, the station must still be regarded as the principal source of man power for the American Navy, leading any other station by a wide margin.

### BIG GRAIN PLANT IS BURNED AT RONDOUT

Seven Buildings and 200 Cars of Grain Destroyed in Thursday Night's Blaze

Seven buildings, six concrete containers and 200 carloads of grain, the property of Arthur Meeker, general manager of Armour & Co., are in ruins at Rondout, Ill., as the result of fire. The burned property was the plant of the Aready Milling Co.

The fire was discovered shortly after six o'clock on Thursday night. It was one of the most spectacular blazes seen on the north shore, a series of explosions lighting the sky and shaking the country for a mile or more distant.

Mr. Meeker sent to Capt. Moffet at Great Lakes Naval Training Station and several hundred jackies and two engines were sent to the scene, but they were unable to help owing to lack of water and fire fighting apparatus.

The origin of the blaze is uncertain, but it is believed to have been caused by sparks from the grinding machinery.

The loss is estimated at \$500,000.

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## C. C. AMES

Candidate for the Nomination for Sheriff on the Republican Ticket, in the Primary Election, Wednesday, September 11, 1918.



Chester C. Ames was born in Lake county, Illinois, and has lived here all his life. He is engaged in farming on his own farm at Gage's Corners, Warren Township. He has long been identified with the agricultural organizations of the county and is well known to all farmers.

The election of Ames will mean a fair and square administration of affairs in the Sheriff's office.

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