

## WOMAN FOLLOWS SAFE PLAN

Saves and Buys and Holds Her Investments—Estate Grows by Accumulating Safe Bonds.

This is the story of Miss Mary E. Hallam, who for forty-five years preceding her death worked in a Chicago department store.

When Miss Hallam began to earn her living she had the same qualifications for success that everyone has—average health and average intelligence. Capital she had none. But she had something else as good if not better—an appreciation of the advantages of thrift and an unwavering ambition to succeed.

Department-store salaries are not generally regarded as the best stepping stones toward prosperity. Yet Miss Hallam prospered. She saved a part of her wages each week and invested them well. She never speculated. She put her money only into such investments as would yield a sure interest return. Upon her death she left an estate valued at \$70,000.

Had Miss Hallam, during the earlier years of her progress toward prosperity, had the advantage of investing in Liberty bonds, her path would have been still more rapid. In her younger days there were no government bonds available. In order to be sure that her investments were safe she carefully studied the investment field and accepted a comparatively low rate of interest. But she succeeded in spite of that.

American men and women, starting out today, have a great advantage. The war has for the first time since 1905 made government bonds of the United States available to the small investor. Before 1917 the small government issues were shipped up by the banks for their own special use. But now Liberty bonds may be bought by everyone and at a higher rate of interest than would ever have been possible had it not been for the war. The government's own motto after the people one more chance to participate in a great loan. So that time the nation will have contracted a floating debt of more than \$5,000,000,000, which must be provided for.

Miss Hallam's story shows that anybody can save and accumulate. And common sense shows that everybody who is saving can find no investment quite as good as Uncle Sam's Victory Liberty bonds.

—HELP "FINISH THE JOB."

## SAVE NOW FOR OLD AGE

Where Will You Stand at Sixty-five—What You Do Now Provides for the Future.

Do you want to be dependent on friends, relatives or charity when you are sixty-five years old? If not, get ready to buy Victory Liberty bonds to the utmost of your present ability, and pay them away against old age.

This advice is founded upon the resources of the statisticians employed by the life insurance companies. They have devoted much study to the problem of dependency, and they know. They have found that of one hundred healthy average young men who start out in life at the age of twenty-five years:

Thirty-six will be dead before they reach the age of sixty-five, most of them leaving families unprovided for. Of the remaining sixty-four men, at the age of sixty-five years:

One will be rich.

Four will be fairly well-to-do.

Five will be supporting themselves by working.

FIFTY-FOUR will be dependent upon friends, relatives or charity.

IF YOU DO NOT WANT TO BE NUMBERED AMONG THE FIFTY-FOUR, FORM THE HABIT OF SAVING AND THRIFT. THE BEST AND SAFEST INVESTMENT FOR YOUR SAVINGS IS IN UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BONDS.

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Get Behind the Victory Liberty Loan. "Peace must be financed as well as war, and the initial stages of peace may be found ever more expensive than war. Therefore, get behind the Victory Liberty Loan when it comes."

—Secretary Glass.

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THE MISER AND THE WOMAN.



A miser, born in a land afar,  
Who'd raised a fortune over here,  
Where Liberty is the guiding star,  
Looked up from his gold with a bitter leer.  
"I got it by pinching and going without;  
They call me greedy; I am," said he,  
"The Nation's call to lend I doubt.  
For bonds they'll get no gold from me."

A woman gazed on a star of gold.  
She'd given all she hid to give,  
And sacrificed to lend, 'twas told,  
That Liberty and Love might live,  
And I'll lend again and again," she said.  
"To help to remedy war's ill;  
And to keep true faith with our brave dead  
By helping pay our wartime bill."

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## DOMESTIC SERVICE

## COURSES PLANNED

## Trained Home-Maker Is to Have an Eight Hour Day and Standard Minimum Wage.

Courses for training home assistants, who will go into the home by the day, hour or week and work on a schedule of hours and fixed wages, have been inaugurated by the Young Women's Christian Association as a means for meeting the problem of domestic service.

The object of this course, now being tried out in New York City, is to place domestic service on the same dignified basis as clerical work, trained nursing or other professions open to women.

The home assistant will work eight hours a day for a salary of \$15 a week. She will not live in the home of her employer or take her meals there. She will have an hour for luncheon, when she can go to a restaurant or eat a lunch which she has brought with her just as she would were she employed in a factory. The employer will not address the home worker by her first name. She will be Miss Smith or Mrs. Brown, as the case may be.

Applicants for the course are carefully selected, and registrants are appearing in large numbers. With the same independence as to recreation, home place of eating and living as the factory girl, house-work has a greater appeal, as being a less monotonous and more interesting work to the average woman.

The course is a thorough one in plain cooking, waiting on table and door, chamber work, plain sewing, care of children, making of menus and the washing and ironing of light clothing. Heavy work is to be done by outside workers. On graduation the student receives a certificate which proves her qualification as a dependable home worker capable of attending to all ordinary duties in a home.

The Young Women's Christian Association has been interested in the problem of domestic service both from the standpoint of the employer and from that of the employer for some years. The first commission on Household Employment made its report at the fifth national convention of the Young Women's Christian Association held in Los Angeles, Cal., in May, 1918.

The difficulties of attracting capable women in this field of work were laid to the long hours, lack of independence in arranging recreation, being lack of opportunities for growth and progress and lack of social standing.

Girls have acquired a distaste for the conditions which govern household work since the freedom they have experienced in working in munition factories. By standardizing domestic service it is believed by the Young Women's Christian Association that a higher type of worker may be attracted to the necessary work in homes.

The American Y. W. C. A. has opened a Hostess Home in Germany, which will serve as a residence house and social center for American women war workers who have advanced to the rank of Red Cross and Service Corps work with the Army of Occupation.

Every farm should have a business office, if it is no more than part of a desk. Here should be kept all stationary, records, accounts, orders, and reference books. Come in and let us fix you up with suitable letter heads, envelopes, business cards, etc.

## From All Over:

Two village tickets at Orion, one all men and the other all ladies, some of the latter being opposed to their husbands for the same office.

Walter G. Parker, a mail carrier for the past 14 years on route 2 out of Davisburg, was instantly killed last Monday morning when his car was struck by a freight train on the Grand Trunk at Clark's crossing, about a mile and a half east of Davisburg.

Daniel Sipperly, an Oxford resident for the past 78 years, was gored to death by an angry bull last Saturday at the farm of his nephew, James Kintz, near Metamora, while he was attempting to take the animal out of its stall in the barn. Mrs. Kintz, who went to Sipperly's assistance was pinned against the stall and received injuries which may prove fatal. Later, Mrs. Kintz also died from her injuries after suffering until Monday.

## Novi Items,

Mrs. Will Hazen is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. C. C. Rie visited Mrs. Selden in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Ella Spencer returned home from Flint Thursday for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garlick and children visited at A. Atkinson's Thursday.

Mrs. Lee West was called here by Ypsilanti by the death of Mrs. Hammond.

Mrs. Will Hicks, of Northville, spent the last of the week at Lee Hammond's.

George and Kenneth Atkinson visited in Marlette from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Lena Atkinson and Marjorie visited at Fred Garlick's in Farmington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell, of Toronto, Can., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Guy Banks and family.

Mrs. Buffington, an old pioneer of Walled Lake, died Monday noon, after a two days' sickness.

Mrs. C. H. Walter and little girls went to Hastings and Grand Rapids last Friday for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor are on the sick list. Their daughter, Mrs. Pearl Briggs, of Detroit, came out Saturday to care for them.

Mrs. Olive Hammond, wife of Lee Hammond, died Thursday evening of influenza. She had not been well for some time. She leaves beside her husband, three daughters to mourn her, besides many friends. She was buried Saturday afternoon at Walled Lake cemetery.

## Fairview Items

Volney Blumhard has had his house wired for electricity.

Frank Smith and family are spending the week in the city.

Miss Sadie Turner is slowly recovering from an attack of the influenza.

Carl Becker received the sad news of the death of his father last Tuesday.

Those who attended the milk meeting Monday evening report a very good time.

Charles Walling and wife were in Salem Friday, attending a Gleaner meeting.

Will, Ella and Howard Page; also Miss Leola Thayer were Detroit visitors one day last week.

Harold Oldenberg took his sister, Mrs. Spranger, to a hospital in Detroit last week, and Winnifred is caring for her there. Friends wish her a speedy recovery.

## West Farmington Items

Mrs. Judson Jones spent Tuesday at Pontiac.

Mrs. Ada Button is visiting friends at Walled Lake.

Gage and Lee Halsted are on the sick list this week.

Hamilton Jones spent the week-end visiting relatives at Northville.

Marcella, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bachelor, is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Button and children, Ronald and Ada, have the influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green visited Wednesday with H. N. McCracken and family.

Miss Mona Gow of Imlay City, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gow.

Arthur Schroeder returned on Saturday last from Harper hospital, where he has been for the past two weeks recovering from appendicitis.

## Northwest Farmington

Howard Schlusler is on the sick list.

Mrs. Clara Browning is spending a few days with Mrs. Nellie Green.

Charles Heliker, of West Bloomfield, was a Pontiac business caller Saturday.

Ruth Squire spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Arthur Green and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green and Calvin Green were Pontiac business callers Monday.

Mrs. Fred Daines and son Mark spent Sunday at the home of A. Prindle, of Clarenceville.

Miss Ethel Seeley was called to Northville, to care for Mrs. Cook. She will be gone indefinitely.

## AUCTION

## FRANK J. BOYLE, Auctioneer

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Having decided to quit farming, will sell at public auction on the premises, 2 1/4 miles east of Waterford, or 2 1/4 miles west and one mile north of Livonia Center, on the Waterford road, on

**Tuesday, March 4, 1919**

AT 10 O'CLOCK SHARP

## Horses

1 Horse, 11 years old, wt. 1100 lbs

1 Span Work Horses, 9 and 10 yrs. old, wt. 2700 lbs.

## Machinery

1 Hocking Valley Hay Loader.

1 Little Willie Gale Cultivator, nearly new.

1 Deering Mower

1 Three Section Spring-tooth Drag, nearly new

1 Syracuse Plow, nearly new

1 Champion Potato Digger, nearly new.

1 Corn King Manure Spreader

1 McCormick Grain Binder, nearly new

1 Wide-Tire Wagon

1 Stoneboat

1 Wagon Box, nearly new

## Cattle

1 Cow, 8 yrs. old, due April 1st

1 Cow, 6 years old, due April 15th

1 Cow, 5 years old, due October 20th

1 Cow, 5 years old, due October 24th

1 Cow, 7 years old, due October 31st

1 Cow, 6 years old, due August 31st

2 Farrow Cows, giving milk, 8 and 9 years old

1 Beef Cow, seven years old

## Hay and Grain

800 bu. of Oats, more or less

125 bu. of Corn

Quantity of Clover Hay

Quantity Shredded Corn Fodder

18 bu. Seed Potatoes

23 bu. Good Seed Corn

## HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of \$10 and under cash. Over \$10, 6 months credit will be given on good approved bankable notes, with interest at 6 per cent.

## ERNEST W. ROSSOW

nately.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green and Mrs. Clara Browning were guests at the home of H. N. McCracken Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Howard has returned to her home in Detroit, after several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Howard.

Starr Graham, and Mr. and Mrs. William Graham are recovering from the flu. Elizabeth Graham is back in school again.

The Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Martha Seeley this week to work on pajamas, and tie off a comfortable, it making five comfortable pieces and tied off by this circle, for the Red Cross.

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