

Schools AT WAR

A REPORT TO THE NATION



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SCHOOL Hayes Elementary [☆]

ADDRESS 15th + Mississippi Ada Okla.
STREET TOWN STATE

Ada

WE REPORT TO THE NATION

We herewith submit a bird's-eye view report of our
SCHOOLS AT WAR Program. It includes factual and pictorial
accounts of our War Savings Program and other outstanding
war activities. It is tangible proof of the resourcefulness, skills,
activities and the will to win of every student, teacher and
parent enlisted in our SCHOOLS AT WAR Program.

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Name of School Hayes Elementary
Address 15th and Mississippi
Ada, Oklahoma
Enrollment 225 Grades 1-6
No. of Teachers 8 No. of Classrooms 8
Size of Community 15000
Cash Value of War Stamps and Bonds sold during SCHOOLS AT
WAR Program \$10890.00 (Jan. 1)
\$12825.55 (Feb. 1)

KEEP 'EM FLYING



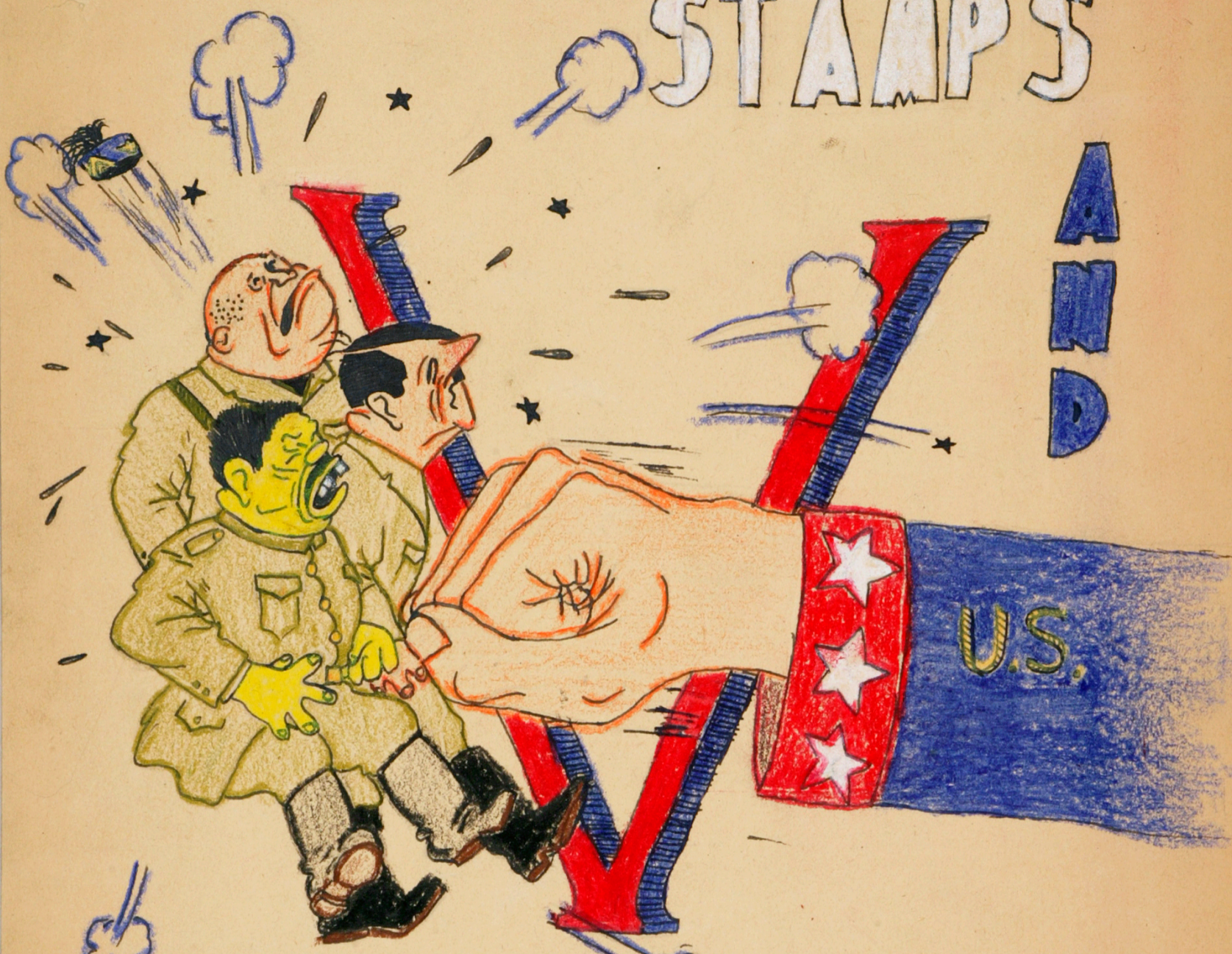
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On December 8, 1941 (the Monday after the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor) War Stamps went on sale in Hayes school and there has not been one time since then that pupils cannot buy them at anytime.

War Stamps in the denominations of 10¢, 25¢, and \$5 are on sale in the office of the principal at all times and each classroom teacher has a supply on hand for the smaller purchases.

During the summer vacation of 1942, stamps were offered for sale in the school building each Wednesday morning. The plan worked quite effectively for several weeks and then the children seemed to forget to come. A few bought consistently during the summer, but the sales lacked the zest that accompanies the group approval so obvious in classroom buying.

Posters were made in art classes to motivate sale of stamps and honor

MUZZLE
MUS SOLINI!

By Billy Joe Todd



roll schemes have been used to a good advantage in some classrooms-

We have used a thermometer type poster to show the increase of stamps and bonds bought by pupils and teachers each week.

(-) At the beginning of school in September, 1942, each teacher totaled the stamps and bonds owned by the group at that time; the sum was \$ 7471.70 at the end of that first week of school.

Each Friday, a check is made to find the amount of stamps and bonds bought by pupils and teachers that week. The teacher sends a report to the office for her room and these amounts are totaled for the whole school. The thermometer is then raised accordingly and the poster is displayed in a prominent place where all pupils can see it and get an inspiration to help "the mercury climb" to

11" x 14"

AXE THE AXIS



Charles Howard

a new victorious height.

When school closed for the Christmas vacation December 23, 1942 the total amount of stamps and bonds owned by the pupils and teachers of Hayes school totaled \$10890.00, an increase of \$3418.30 since school began in September.

A record was kept of daily sales beginning Dec. 7, 1942 and is quite indicative of amount sold during the entire year.

The record follows:

Dec. 7	-----	\$ 11.75
" 8	-----	6.50
" 9	-----	6.50
" 10	-----	21.50
" 11	-----	72.50
" 14	-----	26.25
" 15	-----	16.45
" 16	-----	19.20
" 17	-----	17.10
" 18	-----	35.25
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	10	\$ 233.00

Average daily sales ----- \$ 23.30

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With the reopening of school following the Christmas vacation, our sale of stamps and bonds started off with unusual interest. The record for the first three days is:

Jan. 4	-----	\$ 117.25
" 5	-----	24.85
" 6	-----	<u>75.95</u>
		3 \$ 218.05

Average daily sales ----- \$ 72.68

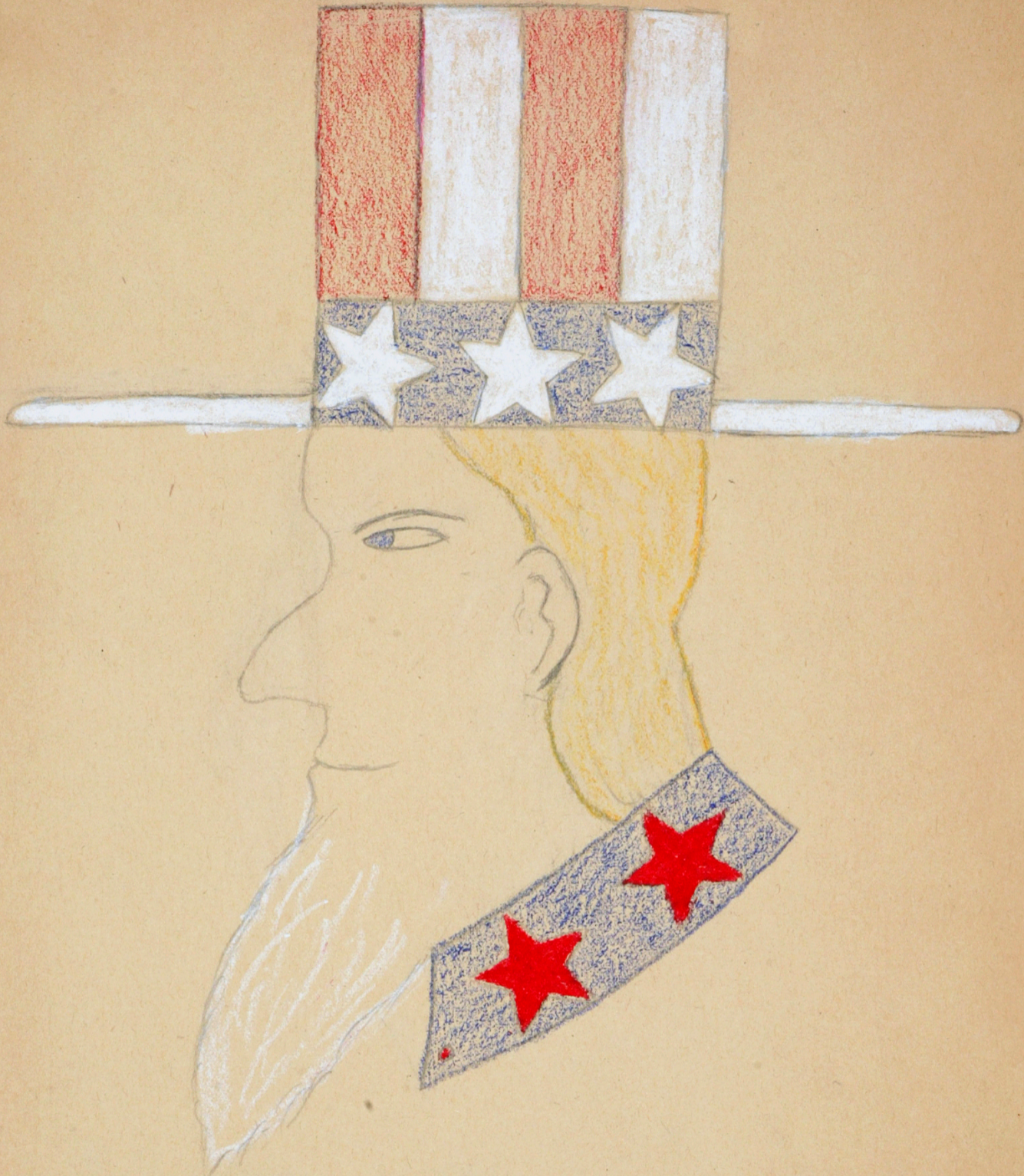
With such an excellent beginning in the New Year, we hope to reach our goal of \$12,000 by the close of the school year.

Summary

Dec. 8, 1941	--- Stamps are offered for sale	
		\$ 2455.40
Jan. 2, 1942	-----	5642.60
May 22, 1942	(Close of school)-----	7471.70
Sept. 18, 1942	(Beginning of school)-----	10890.00
Dec. 18, 1942	-----	12000.00
May, 1943	-- Goal for this year---	

our motto { Keep on buyin',
 Keep 'em flyin',
 Keep democracy from dyin'.

Dicky Buchanan



BUY WAR BONDS

AND

STAMPS

Emergency Food Shelf

In cooperation with the Red Cross, we have prepared a store of food. We have about 150 cans of a wide variety of foods. This store room opens off our "air raid shelter" and is accessible from rest rooms, gas, and water.

A committee is available, whose duty it is to report to the building immediately should any disaster occur.

First Aid Equipment

This plan has been worked out in accordance with the standards set up by the Red Cross. The members of this committee have had at least the minimum requirements for first aid. Several teachers in this building have also had first aid courses.

We have one room equipped as an infirmary. The equipment for the War Program is, of course, separate from the school supplies.

Uncle Sam

**HAS
OUR
SCRAP**



OPA—Newspaper Scrap Drive

— Scrap Drive —

Hayes school participated most enthusiastically in the nation-wide salvage drive. More than 50,000 lb. was collected and turned over to the official station.

— Button Drive —

"Button, button, who has a khaki button?" That was the slogan for the recent plan, sponsored by the "Junior McDouglas Club," to collect the ever scarcer buttons for the service men. Hayes pupils collected 1012 buttons of khaki color, and they were sent to men in camp.

— Immunizations —

In keeping with the chief executive's suggestion, all children are offered by the school nurse typhoid, smallpox, and diphtheria immunizations —

— Block Mothers —

In connection with a nation wide movement, Block Mothers have been named to cover our ward. Forms have been prepared for a city-wide census to make a complete file in the school office for every man, woman, and child in the community. Plans are being made to secure a mother in every block to care for children in any emergency.

— Air Raid Drills —

Plans have been worked out and put into practice for an "air raid shelter" which has no outside wall, has two exits, and gives access to boys' and girls' restrooms, drinking fountains, and emergency food shelves.

Fire drills are also practiced.

— Books for Service Men —

Many books were brought to school and turned over to the proper authorities to be sent to camp libraries.

We sent two "best sellers" directly to the recreation center in Fort Sill.

— Junior Red Cross —

For many years Hayes school has been a member of the Jr. Red Cross, but this year we more than doubled the minimum amount to qualify each classroom for membership — we sent in \$8.76 for eight rooms.

— Knitting —

All girls are encouraged to learn to knit and, if interested, are taught by the teachers. A group of third

grade girls recently bought some khaki yarn and are knitting a nice warm scarf for some service man.

— For Disabled Soldiers —

The art classes prepared and attractively mounted dozens of crossword puzzles for convalescents.

Many clever place-cards have been made and sent to hospitals to bring a ray of cheer to the table or tray for special occasions.

Christmas cards were collected and sent to disabled service ^{men in} time for them to address and mail them to their friends and loved ones.

— Donations —

Hayes pupils have gladly contributed to U.S.O., Navy Relief, and other worthwhile causes which have been brought to our attention.

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