

Schools AT WAR

A REPORT TO THE NATION



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SCHOOL *Washington Elementary - Grades 1-6.*
ADDRESS *723 N. College, Blackwell, Okla.*
STREET TOWN STATE

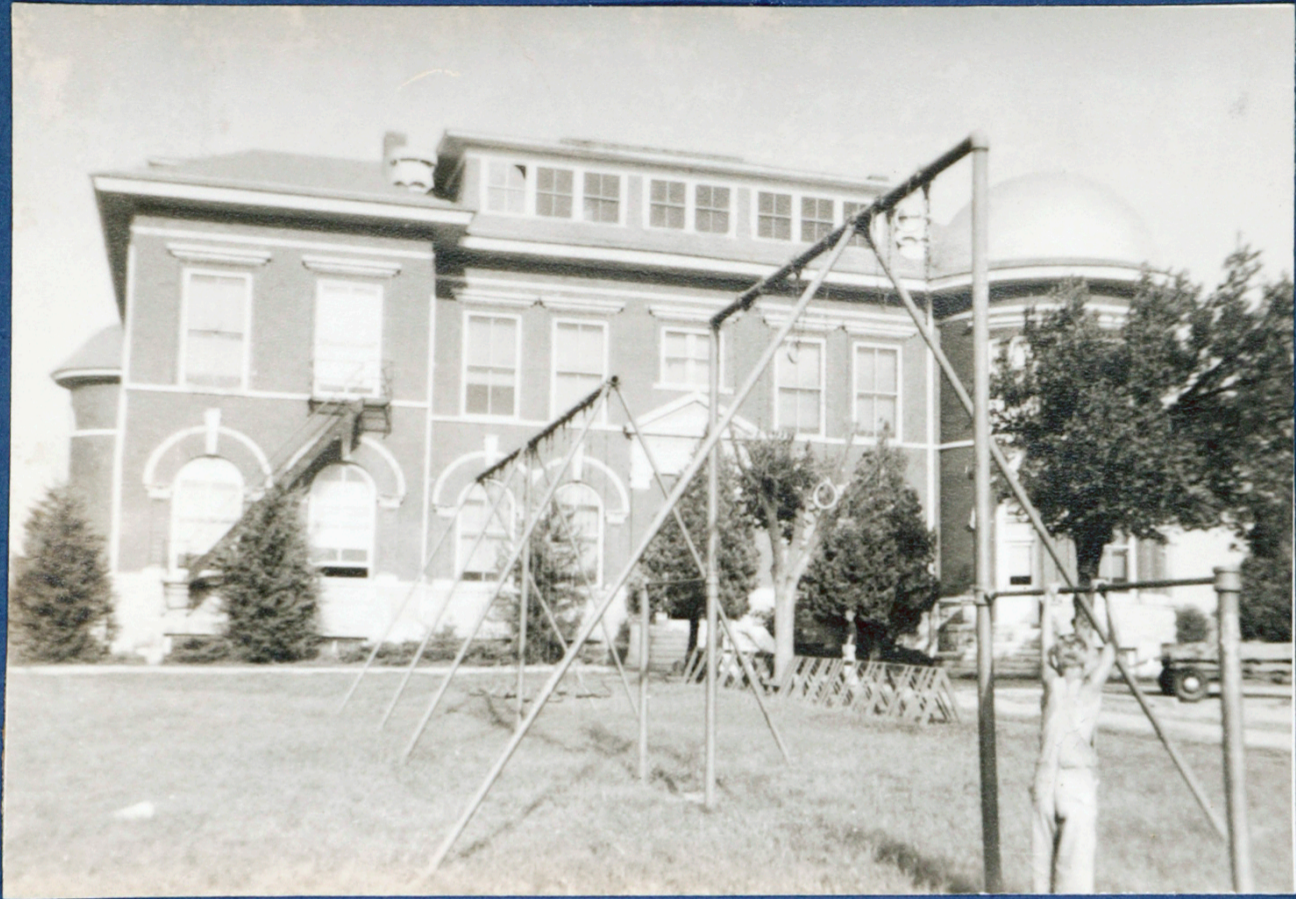
Blackwell

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 Washington Elementary
Address 723 N. College
Blackwell, Okla.
Enrollment 325 Grades 1-6
No. of Teachers 6 No. of Classrooms 6
Size of Community 9,000
Cash Value of War Stamps and Bonds sold during SCHOOLS AT
WAR Program during Month of Jan, 1943.
Stamps \$108.90 Bonds \$300.⁰⁰

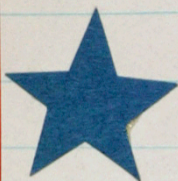


Washington Elementary School
Blackwell, Oklahoma



A small part of the scrap collected.
Many loads had been sold when this
picture was taken.

A Victory Scrap Drive



In the month of October Washington School began a Victory Scrap Drive. It lasted for two weeks. We spent some time every afternoon gathering scrap for the Victory Drive. Some of us spent two or three hours.


Most of the girls straightened and weighed paper. The boys took wagons and gathered scrap. When the wagons were full of scrap they brought it to the schoolhouse.

We got enough scrap to fill a room about 30 ft. by 50 ft. Trucks had to come and take it to the junk yard. In a few more days we filled the room again. More trucks came to take it to the junk yard.



We got hundreds and hundreds of pounds of scrap. We worked very hard to get all of that scrap to help win the war against the Axis. We would hate it very much to be ruled by the Axis, for we love our freedom and peace. To keep it we gathered scrap.

Our Scrap Drive




The students of Washington School had a glorious time collecting scrap. We went from house to house gathering pots, pans and other old metals that would be useful to our nation. We also collected rubber and paper.

Boys brought wagons and other things which were available to carry the scrap.

It lasted for 2 weeks.

We, the children of Washington School, think that we have helped to beat the Axis Powers.



One thing we can all do, even though ~~you~~ haven't any scrap, is to buy War Bonds and Stamps. If we do this, you can be sure to know that our Uncle Sam will be very happy. So let's all help to win this war and let freedom ring all over the World.

By
Wanda Jean Poston



Safety

One important part of our War Program is the promotion of safety. We realize that any accident means the loss of energy, time and money from the war effort.

To help in this safety program, we have our Safety Patrol Group, chosen from the fifth and sixth grade boys. They patrol the street crossings as children come and go. They are on duty on the playground and have prevented many accidents by being alert.

During the Scrap Drive, this group also played a major role in collecting, loading and delivering the scrap.

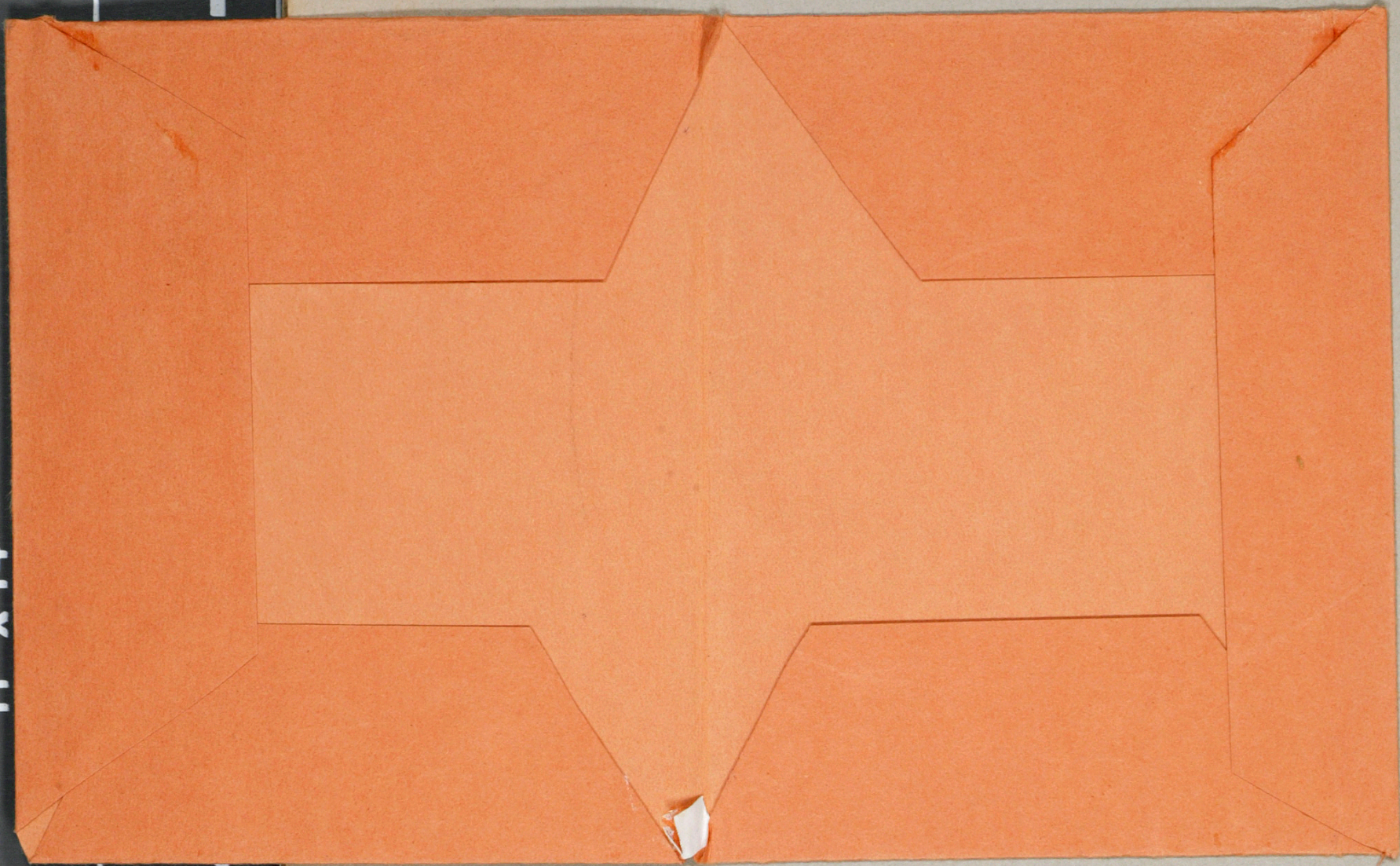
They are always ready to help in any way they can. While doing a great service to others they are developing in themselves leadership, ability to take responsibility and a positive consciousness of safety.



Holder for Sugar Ration Book

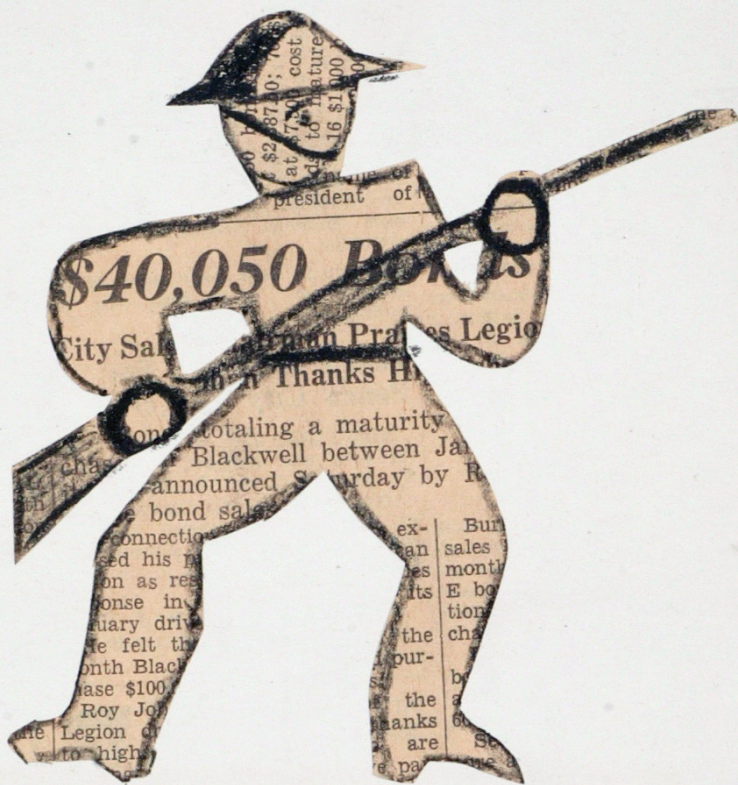
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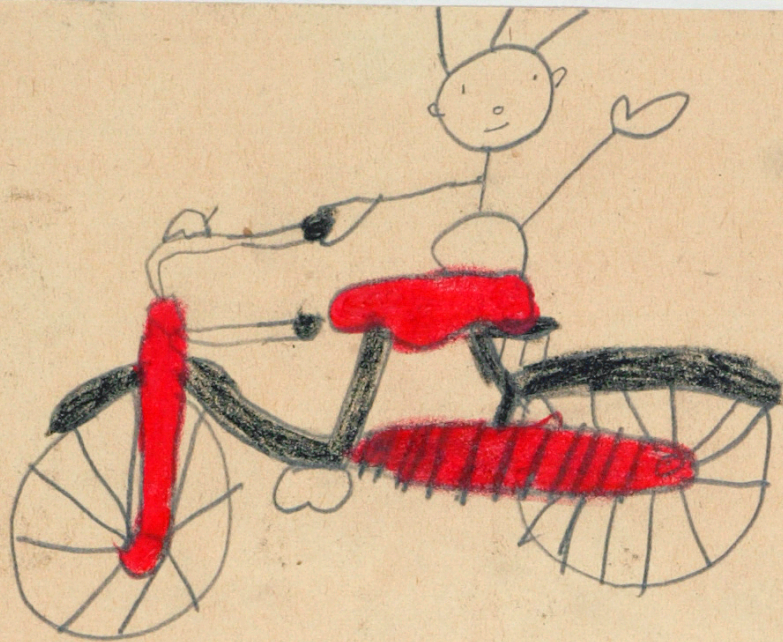
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BUY DEFENSE BONDS

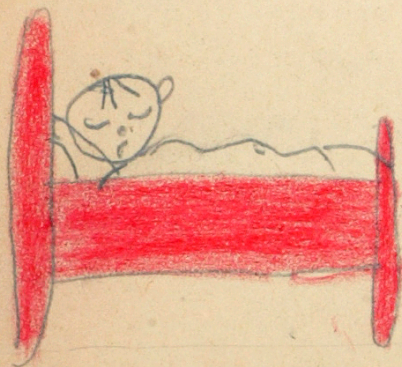


AND STAMPS

Keep strong and well
Play in fresh air



Keep clean.
Sleeps ten hours every night.



Grade #

We aren't old enough to be a

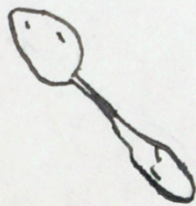
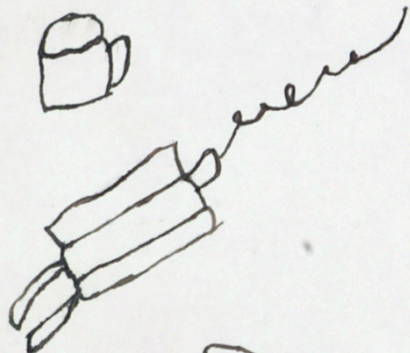


soldier. sailor or marine,
but boys and girls can
help win the war,
We must learn to obey,
Take care of our things
and not be wasteful,
save money and
buy stamps.

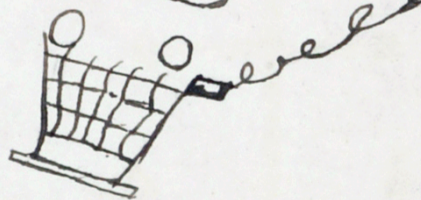
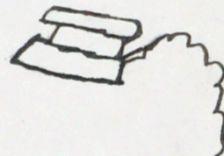
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To the tune of "Deep In the Heart
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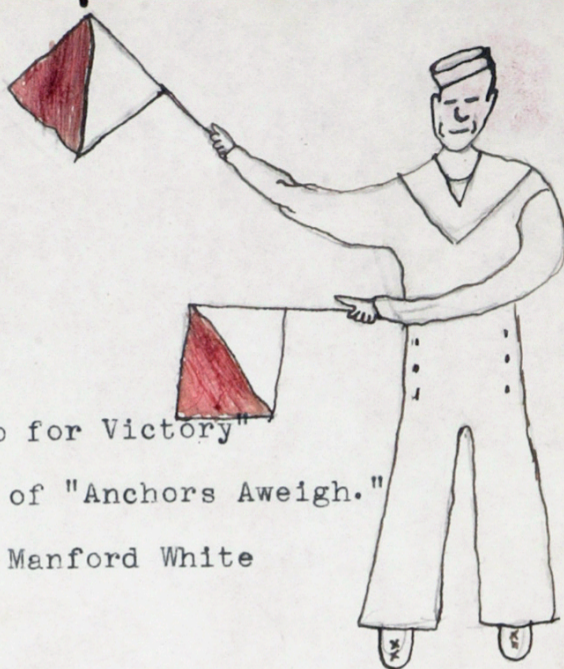
By Billie J. Clements.

We want some good old scrap
To whip those Japs;
Deep in the heart of Tokyo.
Give us some Yanks
To drive those tanks;
Deep in the heart of Tokyo.



Give us a map
To lead us to the Japs;
Deep in the heart of Tokyo.
We want some tin
To help our men;
Deep in the heart of Tokyo.





"Scrap for Victory"

To the tune of "Anchors Aweigh."

By Manford White

We want some scrap
To whip those Japs.
We want some pots
And pans to fight
For Uncle Sa-a-a-a-am.

We want some scrap
To build some ships,
We want to show those
Nips how we can fight
For dear old Uncle Sam.



John wanted to buy an army rifle, which cost 100
10 cent war stamps. He only had 30 war stamps,
How many more stamps does he need?
and how much will they all cost?

To the cost of the stamps altogether.

$$\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ \times 104 \\ \hline 000 \\ 100 \\ \hline \$10.00 \end{array}$$

How many he needs.

$$\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 30 \\ \hline 70 \text{ stamps.} \end{array}$$

By Billie Jean
Clements.

A Red Cross Kit which Kay wanted to
buy, cost 30-10 cent-war stamps, and
she had only 10-10 cent war stamps.
How many more will she need, and how
much altogether, would the kit cost?

30 stamps altogether.
10 stamps she has.
20 more she needs.

30 stamps $\times 10¢$
\$3.00 the total cost

By Billie Jean
Clements.

If one aerial camera costs \$33.75, how many 25¢ stamps will it take to buy one aerial camera?

$$\begin{array}{r}
 135 \\
 25 \overline{) 33.75} \\
 \underline{25} \\
 87 \\
 \underline{75} \\
 125 \\
 \underline{125} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

answer
135 twenty-five cent stamps

By
Dyrell Johnston

If one war stamp will pay for twelve bandages, how many bandages will a \$10⁰⁰ bond buy?

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \$ 10^{00} \div 25 = 40 \\
 \begin{array}{r}
 40 \\
 \underline{12} \\
 80
 \end{array} \\
 \begin{array}{r}
 40 \\
 \underline{480} \\
 480
 \end{array} \text{ bandages}
 \end{array}$$

By Peggy Cummings

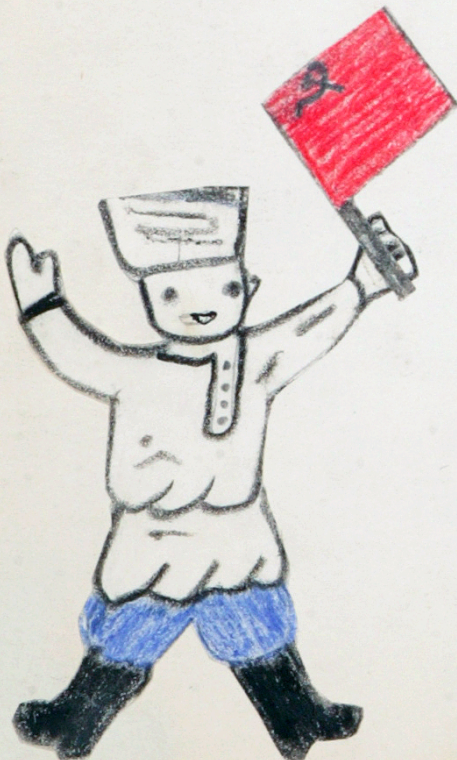


From ocean to ocean,

From shore to shore,

We're Children of Freedom

in peace and in war.





Put On Shows

To Pay For Blows

Deep In The Heart

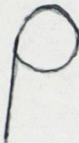
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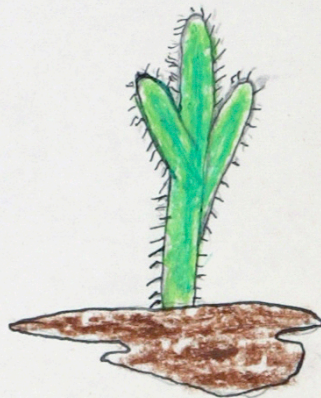
"The Way To Victory"
 To the tune of "Deep In The Heart Of Texas."
 By Peggy Cummings.



We'll save our scrap,
 And then perhaps,
 We'll win the way to victory.
 Let's show our men
 That we can win,
 A good old way to victory.



Come join our band
 To save old cans,
 And march away to victory.
 'Cause there's a demand
 To collect old pans;
 So we can have a victory.

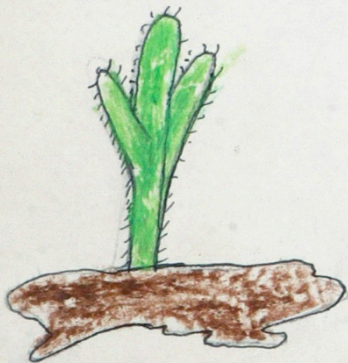


Let's don't take naps,
 And hush our yaps,
 About the price of victory.
 For that's what Yaps
 Would like us to be saps;
 And lose our way to victory.



Save old tires,
 So guns may fire;
 And gallop on to victory.
 To whip the Axis,
 We must pay taxes:
 And gain our way to victory.

Let's save our grease,
 And let us cease,
 The Axis fight for victory.
 Let's lick those hams
 For Uncle Sam;
 And march our way to Victory.



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