

Schools AT WAR

A REPORT TO THE NATION



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SCHOOL Banner Dist. # 35

ADDRESS Carrier Oklahoma

STREET

TOWN

STATE

Carrier

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 Banner Dist. # 35

Address Carrier, Oklahoma

Enrollment 19 Grades 1-8

No. of Teachers 1 No. of Classrooms 1

Size of Community _____

Cash Value of War Stamps and Bonds sold during SCHOOLS AT
WAR Program \$ 254.80

The pupils of Banner School, District # 35, Garfield County became interested in "Schools at War" when they took part in the scrap drive. After the scrap drive they started a unit on "Saving". Themes were written, posters were made, articles concerning thrift were read and reported. The lower grades contributed their bit by planning how they could save at school and at home in order to help our country on to victory.

On October 21, 1942 the children decided to save and buy stamps. Since the enrollment of our school at that time was only sixteen, they did not set a goal, but would strive to do their very best in order to help Uncle Sam.

Our Scrap Drive

One day last fall the pupils of Banner School decided to gather scrap in the community. We wrote a letter to everyone in District No 35 asking them to gather up all of their scrap.

Thursday Leland and Kenneth went to all of the farm houses, with a truck, and brought the scrap to the school yard.

Then the army trucks came out and took our scrap to Enid.

We had eight tons of scrap. The money we received was given to the Red Cross.

Jackie Easterly
Grade 2

Dear Friend,

The schools are asked by the National Commissioner of Education and the State Superintendent of schools to assist with the canvassing, collecting and disposing of Scrap metal to provide our War Industries with metal.

Your cooperation is essential to the success of the campaign.

The principal scrap materials needed now are:

Iron and steel

Rubber

Copper, brass, bronze, aluminum, zinc, and lead

Old rags

If you have any scrap to contribute please designate by writing on this paper the approximate amount you have.

Transportation will be provided for collecting the scrap.

The scrap will be collected Thursday or Friday.

Let's give our armed forces a big boost for victory with our scrap.

Yours truly,

Banner School

Receipts for Scrap

SCRAP IRON

30,510 pounds

287 1/3 BATTERIES

or approx. 11,493 pounds

42,003 pounds

ENID, OKLA., 1-4- 194 3

RECEIVED FROM

Banner School from sale of
scrap iron

DOLLARS

\$

49⁰⁸

Donation

American Red Cross
CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK

BY

W. J. Thompson
Treas.

Southwestern Steel & Metal Co.

Date 10-16 1942

Name _____

Address.....

[illegible]

RECEIVED

All Claims and returned goods Must be accompanied by this bill

Received by.....

Southwestern Steel & Metal Co.

Date 10-15 19402

Name _____

Address.....

[illegible]

RECEIVED F

All Claims and returned goods Must be accompanied by this bill

Received by _____

Treas

PHONE 597-RES. PHONE 5775

Southwestern Steel & Metal Co.

Buyers of
Waste Material, Pipe and Supplies
302 East Randolph Enid, Oklahoma

Date 10-7 1942

Name _____

Address.....

[illegible]

RECEIVED

All Claims and returned goods Must be accompanied by this bill

Received by.....

194 3

49⁰⁸

OPA—Newspaper Scrap Campaign

Date Oct. 12, 1942.

Received from F. A. Miller
(Name of Individual, Firm or Organization)

Address Carrier Banner School

1490 lbs. of Scrap Metal; _____ lbs. of Rubber, for which I paid \$ _____

If donated, please check square ☐

M. Singer
(Authorized Scrap Depot Agent or Dealer)

OPA—Newspaper Scrap Campaign

Date 10-13, 1942.

Received from Ed Riffel
(Name of Individual, Firm or Organization)

Address Emd P 2

2800 lbs. of Scrap Metal; _____ lbs. of Rubber, for which I paid \$ 260

If donated, please check square ☐

Singer Met Co
(Authorized Scrap Depot Agent or Dealer)

OPA—Newspaper Scrap Campaign

Date Oct. 15, 1942.

Received from Banner School
(Name of Individual, Firm or Organization)

Address _____

810 lbs. of Scrap Metal; _____ lbs. of Rubber, for which I paid \$ _____

If donated, please check square ☐

M. Singer
(Authorized Scrap Depot Agent or Dealer)

OPA—Newspaper Scrap Campaign

Date 10-9, 1942.

Received from F. F. Riffel
(Name of Individual, Firm or Organization)

Address Carrier

2530 lbs. of Scrap Metal; _____ lbs. of Rubber, for which I paid \$ 208

If donated, please check square ☐

Singer Met Co
(Authorized Scrap Depot Agent or Dealer)

OPA—Newspaper Scrap Campaign

Date Oct. 8, 1942.

Received from F. F. Riffel
(Name of Individual, Firm or Organization)

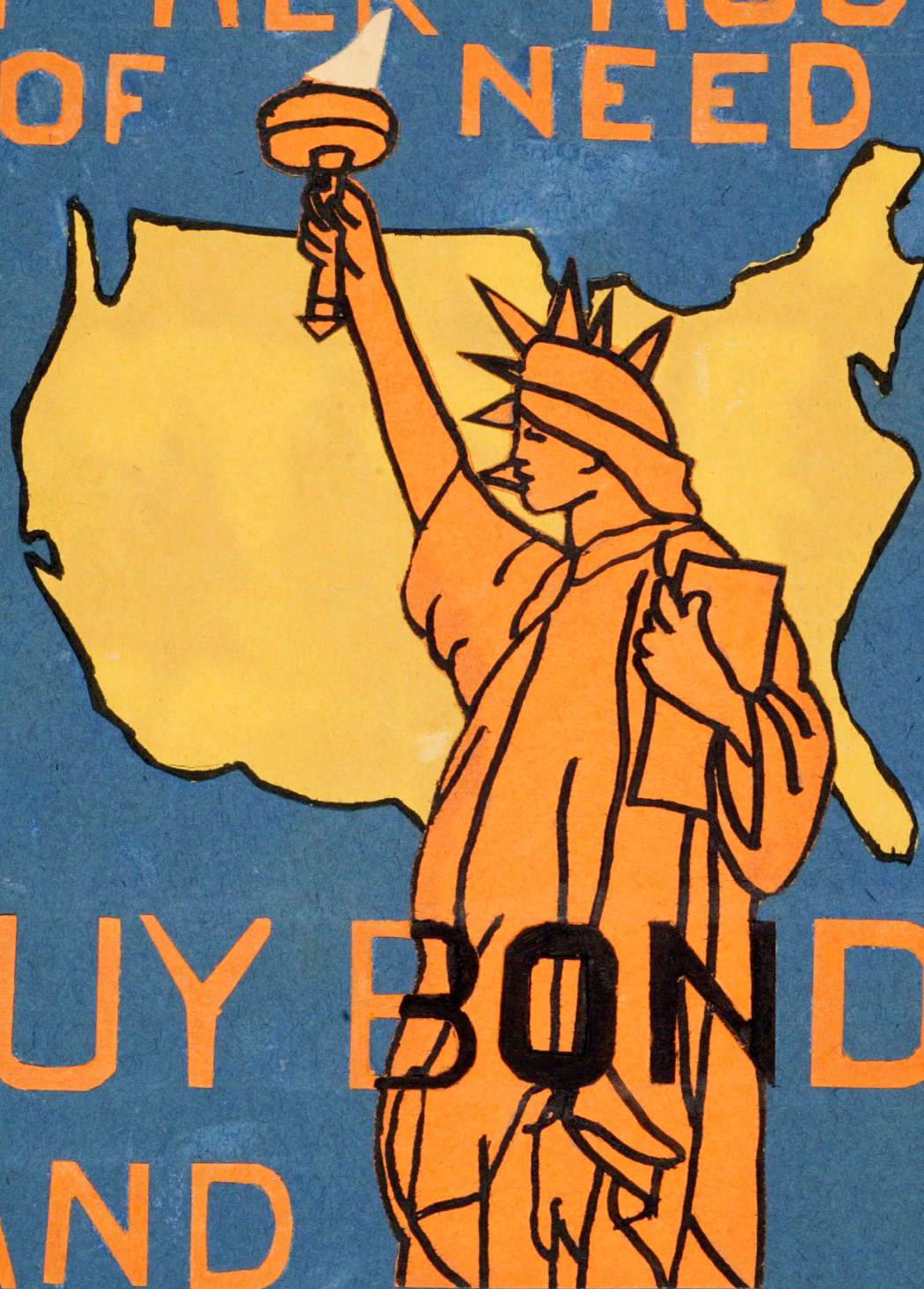
Address Carrier

2160 lbs. of Scrap Metal; _____ lbs. of Rubber, for which I paid \$ 76

If donated, please check square ☐

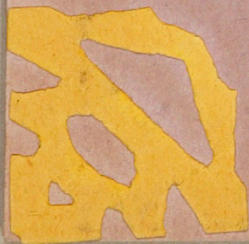
M. Singer
(Authorized Scrap Depot Agent or Dealer)

HELP YOUR
COUNTRY
IN HER HOUR
OF NEED



BUY BONDS
AND
STAMPS

S E V I N G



Saving

Saving is a way you may save and spend. you may go buy a bottle of jam. you spend money. When you spend money you should only spend money for only what you need some people spend money when they do not need two. Some people buy drinks they do not need that.

This is what Webster said about saving "1. The act of restoring delivery ect; as the saving of lives 2. Something saved; especially money saved through a period of years; as to lose ones saving. Delivering making safety or salvation; as saving grace 2. Economical thrifty; as a saving cook",

now our nation is in war and we need to save more. We must save and buy defense stonks and bonds. We must save paper, iron, rags and tin.

Children like toys. once there was a boy who had a pocket of copper. He went in a toy show. He saw a whistle and he bought the whistle. He paid too much for the whistle, more then it was worth. He was not spending his money wisely

The amount that is saved is not so important but something of what one earns or gets should be saved regularly. andrew

Teresa Sweetwood
Grade 7

Carnegie said, "The best way to accumulate money is to resolutely bank a fixed portion of your income no matter how small the amount." It is the setting aside of a definite sum at regular intervals that forms the habit of economy which is very valuable.

The only certain way in which a family or an individual can save money regularly is by budgeting income expenses.

Some good rules about thrift

1. Educating in the principles of saving and economy
2. Inquiry into, and discussion of, thrift

During National Week, each day is dedicated to a different object closely related to thrift

A man who gets \$20,000 a year income does not get ten times as much satisfaction out of spending it as the man who has only \$2,000

On the other hand, poor families will spend so much on the bare necessities of life rent, food, clothing, lighting, coal and household goods that they will have very little left for luxuries.

Teresa Sweetwood
Grade 7

In order to help our country at the present time it is necessary to save as much as possible and buy stamps and bonds.

Teresa Sweetwood
Grade 7

SAVE



FOR

HUMANITY

SAVE

FOR

VICTORY

Spending and Saving Can Do Many Things
to Help Win the War.

Spending is a thing that does not need much explanation. The way we spend our money and how we spend it is more important to us than anything.

When we have money in our pockets, we should spend it for something we can eat or use, don't buy sweets, when you buy something, if not worth it, don't pay too much for it. put your money in United States Defense Stamps to help win the war. If you've saved a lot of money, you don't want to spend it for pop, candy, shoes, gum and toys, take what you spend for foolish things and put in Defense Stamps.

When you get through paying your rent and buying foods, clothing give the rest to the Red Cross or buy Defense Stamps. In this way you are saving and the government gets to use your money.

Wanda Hoskins
Grade 8

Some things people and schools can
save.

Paper
Rubber
Tins
Rags
Tires
Pencils
Shoes.

Every school child should save their
pennies, dimes, and nickles and buy
Defence Stamps

Every family should have a family
budget. If this were practiced not nearly
so much money would be spent foolishly.
This means keeping a record of your in-
come and what you spend.

If a man dont have a car and
is walking to work, the man who owns
a car, if he is going his way pick him up
and take him as far as you can.

Wanda Hoskins
Grade 8

If two neighbors live close together they can take turns taking each others car to work or important places. This practice helps to save tires and gasoline.

People can plant a lot of vegetables and can them. They can also sell them and help feed the soldiers, sailors, and marines who are fighting to win the war.

It has been said that thrift is the wise use, without abuse, of human and material resources, the mere hoarding of money to no useful purpose constitutes mischance and is called laziness.

The amount that is saved is not so important, but what one earns, or gets, should be saved regularly. The best way to accumulate money is to resolutely bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount. There are several facilities for the systematic saving of money. The most important ways of saving is

Wanda Hoskins
Grade 8

to have a bank account, building and loan association, and insurance companies.

At this time, however, all of us can put our savings into war stamps and bonds and help Uncle Sam.

Wanda Hoskins
Grade 8

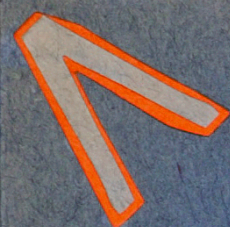
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How to Save for Victory

Kenneth Sweetwood
Grade 7

How to Save for Victory

We can all do our bit by saving things that are used to make ammunition, guns, airplanes tanks, and ships that must be made.

There are lots of items we use every day that we can use less of and in that way help.

Our country is calling for waste fat from the kitchen. Waste fat will make glycerine. Glycerine will bring victory.

It is necessary to save waste scrap from the farm yard. we can do this separately and collectively. No item is too small to save even a rusty nail when there are in with a bucket full of more rusty nails will do its bit.

The housewife can save by saving the old aluminum lids and jar rubbers.

We must save gasoline so

our boys can use it to learn
to fly airplanes

We must save tooth paste
tubes and tubes from other things.
They are almost pure tin and
very useful in the war effort.

The farmer can save for
victory by raising cattle, hogs,
and poultry in order to feed
our fighting army and allies.

people can do their own
canning. In this way they
can have their own vegetables
and fruits. They will not
have to buy these needs in tin
cans. This will save tin.

The money that is saved
can be used in order to
buy stamps and bonds.

SAVING

AND

SPENDING

Saving + Spending

Spend your money for things you need, don't spend it foolishly.

Save, don't buy toys, candies, gum + ice cream but buy stamps + Bonds.

The amount spent for alcohol, in spite of all laws is enormous.

The tobacco bill of this country is very large.

Money is spent for dozens of other things which do little or no good.

Let us try to understand what saving is.

Too many people are careless about saving.

When people are wise enough to save money to construct such machines they really help the work to get plenty of good food.

Saving is thus seen to be the handmaid of invention

Save,
Rubber,
Goods,
Paper,
Clothing.

Lloyd Hoskins
Grade 5

Spending your money may be wise though it is often foolish & saving is worthy of praise while hoarding is deserving of blame.

It is true that one's forming of thrift is the saving of money - that is spent.

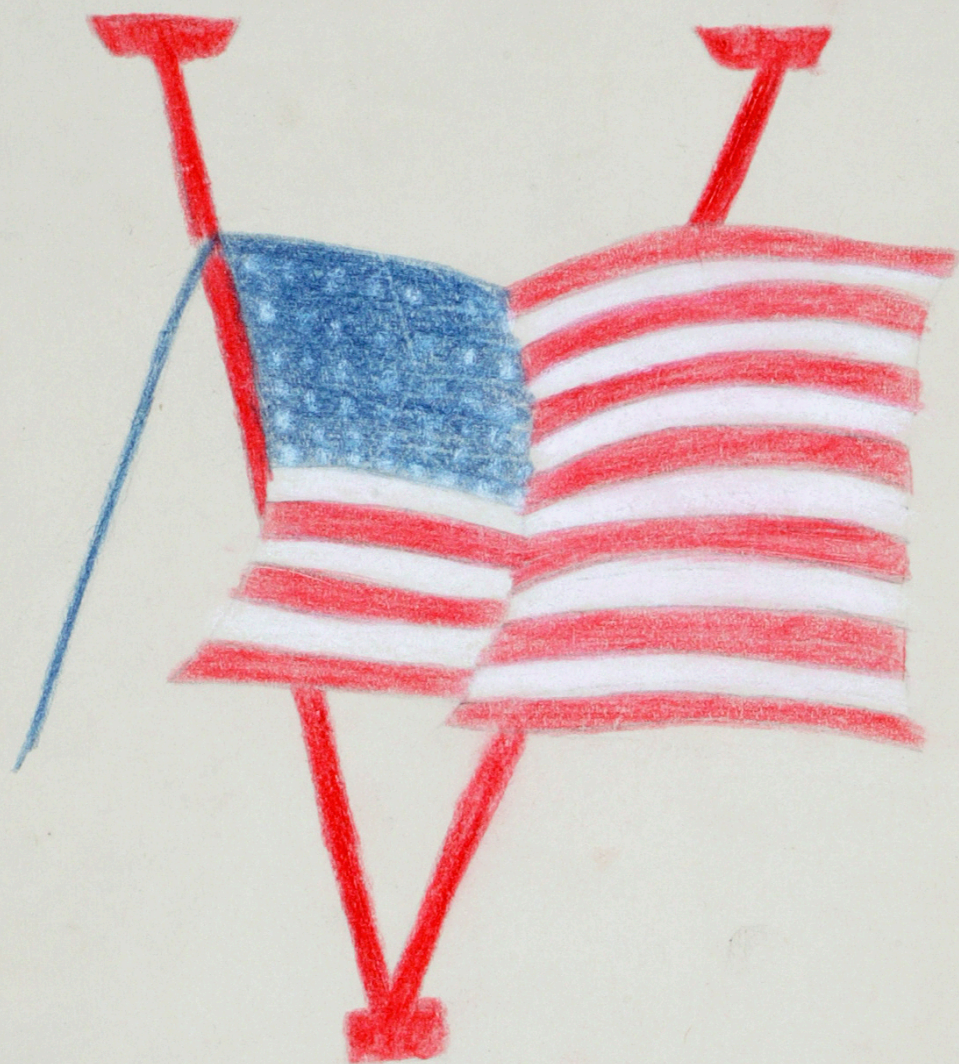
School saving banks & thrift education in the school began & have continued with increasing momentum.

It is surprising when we understand what a heavy role interest plays in the growth of saving account.

Every one should save and buy war Stamps & Bonds.

Lloyd Hoskins
Grade 5

SAVE



FOR
HUMANITY

AMOUNT OF STAMPS AND BONDS SOLD

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>STAMPS</u>	<u>BONDS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
October	\$ 5.00	\$37.50	\$ 42.50
November	20.20		20.20
December	15.60		15.60
January	43.10	75.00	118.10
February	58.40		<u>58.40</u>
		TOTAL	\$254.80

add. \$ 20.⁰⁰
worth of stamps
Feb. 11, 1948

11" x 14"

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