Riverhead's record during the late war is graphically set forth in the report Col. David T. Gaddis, who was appointed town historian by the Riverhead Town Board several months ago, forwarded to the State historian this week and it is doubtful if any other community of its size accomplished greater results and whose residents showed more patriotism.

Nearly 230 young men of Riverhead Town were in the different branches of the service and every one of them gave their best to their country. Nine of them made the supreme sacrifice. They were Everett Benjamin, Clifford I. Bess, Joseph Benczynski, Charles E. Clark, John Haupt, Cornelius Keenan, Van Rensselaer Skidmore, George L. Tuthill and Anton Zakas.

Riverhead's total of quotas for the five Liberty and Victory Bond drives was $2,450,000 and our patriotic people purchased $371,550 worth of bonds in excess of that amount, the aggregate sum subscribed being $2,837,850. Every quota but one was over-subscribed by many thousands of dollars. The quota for the fourth Liberty Loan, for instance, was $727,200, and the amount subscribed was $911,850.