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FULTON, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 1945

NUMBER TWENTY-SIX

Elbert R. Mills Asks Representative's Seat

CITIZENS and VOTERS
Of Fulton County and Vicinity
When You Vote For
REPRESENTATIVE

Be fair about it. If you think incumbent Harry Lee Waterfield has done enough for Fulton and Hickman counties the 3 Terms he has had the office to deserve a Fourth Term, vote for him.

If, however, after you have examined the Records, you don't know of any special benefits he has gained for Fulton and Hickman counties, why not vote for—

ELBERT R. MILLS

for REPRESENTATIVE

I should like to have the honor and chance to make it possible for more people in this section to have All-Weather Roads by their homes, a Better and Larger Share of the Welfare Funds, Improved Schools and other public benefits.

I do not expect to get any of these benefits by going to Frankfort and harrasing and fighting the Administration, but by reasonable co-operation. That is the only way.

I am not making a hand-shaking, card-passing campaign. These newspaper appeals are my only request for any person's vote.

I am a life-long citizen of the First District and a descendant of the Mills who settled Hickman at Mills Point. I am a college graduate and have had special studies in Government and Legislative Procedure, which together with my business experience and pride in my home section, should enable me to get as much in one term as incumbent Harry Lee Waterfield has done in three terms he has had the office. (And confidentially, voters, I don't have one thing on my list that Harry Lee Waterfield has done except be a habitual "aggressor" to help delay legislation at the expense of the taxpayers. Do you????)

It took a month for the Special Session to pass a small appropriation for the needy—until July 1—when five days was sufficient. This extra time cost the State unnecessary money. In fact, I firmly believe that the time used and the pay drawn for that time in trying to legislate on matters foreign to the Governor's call was unconstitutional. A good Representative should have the highest respect for the People's Constitution in trying to pass laws or otherwise; I have always been a respecter of Constitutional Law, and if you elect me your Representative, I shall continue to respect the Constitution.

Among other matters that will come before the 1946 General Assembly will be those concerning our returning soldiers. I am a Veteran of World War I and have a young son who was in the German offensive, and is still in Germany—(From the Bulge to the outskirts of Berlin and back to the Elbe)—so the public can rest assured that I shall be very sympathetic with any legislation concerning World War II Veterans.

Thanks, for your vote.

ELBERT R. MILLS

For Representative from

Fulton and Hickman Counties

10 IN FAMILY ARE 4-H CLUB MEMBERS

Ten of the fourteen children of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Craft of Magoffin county have helped on the farm by enrolling in 4-H club projects. This year Delena Mae, 17, is taking: garden, canning and sewing projects; Herbert, 16, labor; Lillian Grace, 14, canning and sewing; William, 12, calf and hogs, and Beddie, 10, canning and sewing. Of the five older children, Harold, 19, is in the South Pacific; Anna Kathleen, 21, is in defense work in Jackson, Mich.; Melvin, 27, is in Belgium, and Abbot, 29, is at Fort Patrick Henry, Virginia. The other four children, Dallas, 8, Robert, 6, Oakley, and Judy 2, are prospective 4-H club members.

Our gifts and attainments are not only to be light and warmth in our own dwellings, but are also to shine through the windows into the dark night, to guide and cheer bewildered travelers on the road.—H. W. Beecher.

Health Officers Focus Attention On Kentucky Lake Health Status

"There is a matter of importance to all people interested in out-of-door recreation, such as camping, fishing and picnicing," states Paul A. Wright, Fulton-Hickman County Health Officer. "With the completion of the Gilbertsville Dam and the Kentucky Lake, we in Western Kentucky have at hand one of the most promising recreational centers in the land. This beautiful vacation spot can be easily ruined and the entire lake area become a menace to the health of all who visit there if we do not plan for the future and institute the proper sanitary regulations for public and private camps in the lake area."

"Anyone planning on opening a camp on the Kentucky Lake should consult their local health department or that of the county in which their camp will be located and secure plans for their camp. Particularly is this true if a commercial camp, tourist rooms, swimming, boating and food-handling is contemplated.

"A copy of the Kentucky State Health Laws that pertain to camps and tourist camps may be obtained by application to your county health department, or directly to the Kentucky State Health Department, Frankfort, Ky."

Nephew Of Fulton Man Is Prisoner Of War In Japan

Ensign Edward Lee Anderson, USN Reserve, nephew of Edward Heywood of Fulton, is a prisoner of war at the Zentsuji War Prison Camp, Japan, on the Island of Shikoku. Cards, letters, and a recorded broadcast from Tokyo have been sources of news from him.

Ensign Anderson, after receiving his commission at Annapolis, Md., May 15, 1941, in a V-7 class, he was selected for a special course in gunnery. He went to sea in July, 1941. In February, 1942, he was assigned to the armed guard aboard a tanker, which was sunk June 14, 1942. He was picked up by a German raider, and taken to Japan. Altho reported missing October 30, 1942, he was not heard from until June 15, 1943, when it was revealed he was a prisoner of war in Japan. The first mail from him arrived in August, 1943, from a camp in Osaka. He was transferred to the Zentsuji camp between that time and January, 1944. His last message to his parents was dated July 4, 1945.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS VISIT NEWS OFFICE

A pleasant visit was paid THE NEWS on Thursday of last week, George W. Crowson, assistant to the vice president of the Illinois Central System, of Chicago. He was accompanied by R. H. Carter, superintendent of the Mississippi Division, Water Valley; and J. O. Vance, traffic service agent, Jackson, Tenn. J. Paul Bushart, editor of THE NEWS, dined with the group at Mr. Crowson's private car during the noon hour.

AL GARDNER DIES SUDDENLY AT MARTIN

Al C. Gardner, 70, veteran business man of Martin, died suddenly Tuesday morning at his place of business in Martin. He opened his store, turned on a fan, walked back to the front of his store and collapsed.

Mr. Gardner was born and reared near Gardner Station where a brother, John Gardner, lives. He is also survived by his wife, a sister, Mrs. Harvey Jeffress of near Martin.

SQUIRREL HUNTING SEASON OPENED AUG. 1

With the season on hunting squirrels having opened on August 1st, Earl Wallace, director of the Division of Game and Fish, calls to the attention of squirrel hunters that it is unlawful to sell or buy squirrels at any time in Kentucky.

There is no evil in the world without a remedy.—Sannazara.

Official Primary Ballot Appears in News This Week

This Saturday, August 4, the official primary election will be held, when the various county, district and city officials will be elected at the hands of the people. All voters are urged to turn out, and go to the polls and vote. An inside page of this issue of THE NEWS carries an official educational ballot of the primary election.

The official ballot carries the following list of candidates for the various offices:

For State Representative—Harry Lee Waterfield, Elbert R. Mills.

For Circuit Judge—Clyde Burnett, Elvis J. Stahr.

For Circuit Court Clerk—J. E. Attebery, Mrs. Mary Cowgill Shaw.

For County Judge—Homer Roberts, unopposed.

For County Attorney—Wood Tip-ton, James H. Amberg.

For County Court Clerk—C. N. Holland, Guy Barnett.

For Sheriff—Almus G. Wynne, Irby W. Hammond, J. B. Sanders.

For Jailor—Will T. Shanklin, Earl Tibbs.

For Magistrate First District—C. J. Bowers, unopposed.

For Magistrate Second District—Clyde Corum, Hugh E. Garrigan, Sr.

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Farm Labor Shortage Means Critical Food Production Ahead

"It appears that a new serious farm labor shortage is developing," said J. E. Stanford, Louisville, executive secretary of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation, in commenting on a letter to county organization presidents he released today. "Draft boards are again calling up badly needed farm boys for service in the armed forces according to numerous reports from various counties," he added.

Very few of the men released from the armed forces and war plants are applying for farm jobs. They are obtaining work in those plants that are now producing for civilian consumption or are converting to the production of civilian goods, Stanford declared.

Although there is a shortage of some food supplies at present, unless farmers can obtain sufficient help to harvest this year's crops, the situation will become worse. The production of this year's crops has been seriously handicapped by weather conditions and if a shortage of labor is piled on top of this at harvest time plus more unfavorable weather, the food situation could become more critical.

Stanford's letter follows: "It appears there will soon be a new crisis in the drafting of farm help. So far, the draft situation has not been eased by the end of the war in Germany, and the farm worker crisis has not been solved by the release of men from the armed services. Few men released from military service and from war plants are applying for work on the farms, therefore, the chances very much favor a new serious farm labor situation this fall.

"Reports reaching us show that many farm workers, including some tenants and farm owners, who were deferred to get this year's crop planted and cultivated are now being inducted into the service. Reason given by draft boards for this spurt induction of farm manpower is that new men have to be called to replace those being discharged under the point system.

"We offer two suggestions that may prove helpful in meeting this serious situation: (1) Have your county Farm Bureau urge the local draft board carefully investigate the actual farm labor situation instead of being satisfied with Washington statistics about theoretical replacements for farm labor. (We have been unable to find a single Kentucky efficient farm labor.) (2) Farmers about to be inducted, or whose help faces induction, should be sure to use their right of appeal. This is very important, yet farmers have frequently neglected their rights in this matter very much to their own harm. If you have a real case, take it to the appeals board by all means."

Plans For New Bank In Fulton Nearly Complete Now. Stated

For some time a group of local business men have been working on plans for the organization of a new bank in Fulton. Now plans are nearing completion and the new bank building will open just as soon as possible in the building occupied by the Atkins Insurance Agency. The old National Bank once occupied this building.

The new bank has been capitalized at \$50,000, and organization of the bank has been approved by Hilliard H. Smith, state banking director at Frankfort. Incorporators are: W. S. Atkins, Ira Little, Frankwell McDade, R. H. White, Frank Beadles, Roy Latta and G. D. Latta of Fulton and James F. Duncan of Nashville.

BILLY HOMRA FALLS FROM BICYCLE AND SUFFERS HEAD INJURY

Billy Homra, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Homra, fell from his bicycle while riding it on cemetery hill Monday afternoon, and sustained painful head injuries. He was taken to the Fulton Hospital, where four stitches were required to close a gash on his head. But he is getting along nicely.

MEN IN SERVICE

Lt. James W. Campbell is expected to return to the States shortly. He has been in the South Pacific for ten months, and has seven battle stars for New Guinea, Bismark Archipelago, Northern Philippines, Southern Philippines, Formosa, China and Western Pacific. He is a pilot of a B-24, and has been awarded an Air Medal with 3 oak clusters, the Philippine liberation ribbon and the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon.

Lt. Wallace Shankle, Jr., arrived at San Francisco last Saturday, and is expected home shortly.

S. Sgt. Frank W. Romine has been honorably discharged from the Army under the point system. He had 103 points, and served 52 months. He has been awarded the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon, with 4 bronze stars, American Defense Service ribbon, Philippine liberation ribbon with bronze star, and the good conduct medal. He is now at home with his wife in Fulton.

Pvt. Homer Weatherspoon has been transferred from Sheppard Field, Texas to Scot Field, Ill. He was an employee of Swift and Company before he entered the service.

Herschel Hawkins, USN, is spending a leave with his mother, Mrs. Emma Hawkins, in this city. He will report to Nashville August 26, for further duty.

Pfc. George Weaver, who was wounded in Germany and recently returned to the States, visited his brother, Luther Weaver, here the past week end. He returned to the Kennedy hospital at Memphis.

Capt. Carl Fortner is back in the States after flying from Scotland to Washington. After reporting to Camp Atterbury, Ind., he will be home.

Davis Sounds Alarm Against "Red Menace"

Asserts Communism Has Seized
England; Calls for War
on FEPC

"Call it what you may, it is nothing more than Communism which has taken over the English government since the election," Representative Davis of Memphis stated this week at a Rotary Club meeting. "Communism has swept into France, Russia, China and, unless we are on guard, it will take over America. "This is one country where the seeds of Communism must not be planted," Mr. Davis declared. "When our boys come home, they must return to a great Nation where they will be able to do all we have failed to do. They must perpetuate the traditions of freedom and the ideals of America."

Mr. Davis insisted every real American should stand together and defy the FEPC, which he termed "un-American." He advocated the establishment of schools to train diplomats so representatives of the United States in foreign countries would stand out as Americans.

EPH P. SMITH DIES MONDAY IN MARTIN

Elder Eph P. Smith, 71, died Monday night at his home in Martin, after an extended illness. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Martin Church of Christ by N. B. Hardeman of Henderson and J. E. Green his pastor.

He is survived by his wife and adopted daughter, Katie Belle. Mr. Smith was the principal of the public schools at Martin 21 years and an ordained minister of the Church of Christ. He was born in Gibson county near Trenton and had been a resident of Martin for 40 years.

CUBS HELD PICNIC TUESDAY NIGHT

The Cub Scouts of Fulton held a picnic at the Country Club Tuesday night. Nelson Tripp, scout leader, awarded Eisenhower medals to the Cubs who had earned them during the recent waste

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canning peaches, drying apples, Mrs. T. W. Weems has been very sick on tonsillitis for several days.

Marion Yates left for induction center Monday. Good luck, and God bless you.

Cloy Yates and family left for Detroit last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hendley, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Taylor and other relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kooztz and Miss Betty Lou Foster arrived Friday night from Detroit, where Betty has been spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Foster had for dinner Saturday the following: Mrs. Lochie Hendley, J. T. Hedge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kooztz and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Jones and sons, Jimmy Jack and Betty Foster.

Mose B. Foster was honorably discharged from the Army after serving seven months.

Edd Gordon continues very ill.

ATHLETES FOOT

Make This 10 Minute Test

Successful treatments must reach the germ. Powders, ointments and mild solutions do not penetrate sufficiently. Get a strong mobile liquid. One containing at least 80 per cent alcohol is good. We suggest Te-ol. It contains 90 per cent (1) PENETRATES. REACHES MORE GERMS. Most druggists now have the test size. Small lot just arrived at Bennett Drug Store.



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—For—

Elbert R. Mills

CANDIDATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE

From Fulton and Hickman Counties

A Man With Legislative, Governmental and

Business Training and Experience

and death is expected any time G. L. Foster is unimproved, growing weaker these hot days.

E. C. Lowry and wife visited Mrs. Grace Cavender Sunday afternoon and saw Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bowden and son, who is on furlough from overseas.

Willis Jackson and family of Clinton visited B. H. Lowry and wife Sunday. Mrs. Owen Jackson is here for a visit with B. H. Lowry and Mrs. Lowry.

Those attending the show in Fulton Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Hester Bennett, P. J. Brann and wife, Dean Williams and wife, Richard Lowry and Miss Martha Lou Williams, also Mrs. Theron Jones and Jerry Foster.

Mr. Marshall Lowry spent Friday night with Chester Bennett and wife.

Pvt. Hoyt Bruce and wife went to Dyersburg Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. T. Hedge and wife gave a fish fry Thursday night of last week for Marion Jones.

Marion Jones, wife and son spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones.

Johnnie Kooztz enjoys frog hunting. It's hard to say which he likes best, fried frog legs, fried chicken or ham.

Mrs. R. S. Gosson and children spent Sunday with Barkley Parrish and wife.

Miss Peggy Brann was home this week and of course, Jimmie was too.

I can see the corn tassel from here. Can almost taste the good sweet corn, bacon and tomatoes. Yes, the old farmers have the advantage when it comes meal time, but they deserve it.

WEST STATE LINE

Mrs. Robert Watts is visiting her daughter and family, Pvt. and Mrs. Mack Burrow at Camp Shelby, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Yates spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Grissom.

Mrs. Richard McCallister and little Paula Lee and grandmother, Mrs. Underwood of near Enon church spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gambill, and son, Michael.

Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Roper have returned home after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gambill. Rev. Roper conducted a series of meetings at the Church of Christ at McConnell, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice Spence spent a while Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Griffin and little daughter, Ann.

The crops are looking fine since the good rains Wednesday afternoon and Friday afternoon of last week.

Master Tommy Brown spent Saturday afternoon with Ralph Dale Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Little spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. George Worrell.

Edgar Grissom received a letter from his brother, Pvt. Arthur Grissom, who is in France, stating not to write him any more that he would probably beat the letter home. Pvt. Grissom has been in service six years, 14 months overseas.

PALESTINE

Cpl. Lewis W. Browder of Harlingen, Texas is spending a 15 day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Browder.

Mrs. Milton Horton and baby of Malden, Mo., is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mobley.

Norma Holmse and Lillian Harrison spent the week end with J. C. Harrison in town.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Browder and family were Mrs. George Woodrow, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodrow, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkes, Mr. Lawrence Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reed.

Mrs. Leslie Nugent spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pewitt and family.

Mrs. Allie Browder visited her sister Mrs. Ione Alexander near Rives the past week end. Mrs. Alexander accompanied her home and entered the Fulton Hospital Monday for treatment.

The homemakers who attended the county picnic at Sylvan Shade school last Friday were Mesdames Ed and Robert Thompson, Roy Bard, Harvey Pewitt, W. D. Inman, Bob Evans and Joe Bazzell.

Mrs. Vinson McFadden of Paris was a week end visitor of Mrs. R. H. Pewitt and Mrs. Will Leonard. Mrs. McFadden was the former Edna Earle Diggs.

Mrs. Elmer Hixson of Madisonville, Ky., spent the week end with parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wesley Owen and family visited Mr. and Mrs.

Perry Browder last week and returned Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Eston Browder's accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Perry Browder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Brown attended the funeral of Mr. Dave Brown at Harmony church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. John Verhines has returned from Detroit, Mich., his daughters Joan and Janet accompanied him home.

Mrs. David Berryhill has returned from Alton, Ill., after spending several days with her husband who is employed there.

The homemakers club enjoyed a picnic Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson.

BENNETT HOMEMAKERS

The three representatives from the Bennett Homemaker Club, Mesdames O. E. Nanney, Wales Austin and H. G. Butler, who attended the annual picnic and International Day at Sylvan Shade last Friday, were well repaid for the trip.

Each individual present greedily devoured the story of Lt. Howard Campbell's life while in German captivity for over a year. While describing his trip from Verona, Italy through the different camps of imprisonment, he cheerfully referred to his good fortune in not being wounded nor being impaired physically from the uncouth experiences. May all the blessings of the future follow our service men as compensation for the experience, expense of our soldiers, sailors, Civilians have experienced at the aviators and marines many benefits in financial ways.

MURRAY STATE'S FOOTBALL CARD

Roy Stewart, athletic director and head football coach at Murray State College, today announced he had scheduled seven grid games for the 1945 season and is looking for another home game.

The schedule to date:

Oct. 5—Arkansas Tech of Russellville, Ark., at Murray (night).

Oct. 13—Eastern Kentucky State at Richmond, Ky., (afternoon).

Oct. 19—Tennessee Tech at Cookeville, Tenn.

Oct. 26—Kirkville (Mo.) Teachers at Murray (night).

Nov. 3—Ohio University at Athens, Ohio (afternoon).

Nov. 9—Illinois Wesleyan of Bloomington, Ill., at Murray (night).

Nov. 17—University of Chattanooga at Chattanooga, Tenn. (afternoon).

(Following week—game desired at Murray.)

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, August 5, 1945.

The Golden Text is: "We have known and believed the love that God hath to us. God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth God, and God in him." (I John 4.)

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is: "Beloved, let us love one another; for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth

God. He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love." (I John 4.)

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CRUTCHFIELD

Mr. David Brown passed away at his home in Memphis on Thursday, July 26, and was brought back to Klapp and Kaler funeral home and funeral services were held at Harmony Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Those attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams, Misses Allene and Pauline Yates, and Mr. Hollis Strother, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Moore and Winnie Veatch.

Eva Seat spent Sunday with Mrs. Della Strother here and visited Mrs. Inez Foster of Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sadler and sons have moved back to their place after staying with Mrs. Sadler's father, Allen Noles, since Mrs. Noles

passed away in March. Mr. Noles moved over with them for the present.

Mrs. Myrtle Randle and daughter, Elsie B. of Fulton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Herschel Elliott. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Elliott of Rock Springs were there Sunday. Eugene O'Neal of Chattanooga spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van O'Neal returning to Jackson, where he will be working for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Batts and sons, Harry and James, went to visit his sister, Mrs. Eldon Glisson and Mr. Glisson near Wingo Sunday.

Mrs. Ruthie Moore is some better, and able to be up some.

Miss Jessie Wade came home from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Murdaugh at Selmer, Tenn.

School started here Monday, and all over the county. Sure hope the poor kids don't get too hot.

Mrs. J. R. Elliott is feeling better after carrying out doctor's orders by staying in bed several days.

The doctor put Mrs. John McClanahan to bed for a short rest. Hope they are both better soon.

WHAT HOMEMAKERS CLUB HAS MEANT TO ME

Having become a member of Homemakers Clubs a year ago, I find that this affiliation has meant everything to me from all angles of normal, free democratic home-life. There is no organization that could quite take the place of the enjoyable association with the members in the furtherance of the homemakers' welfare. We are uniquely advised by our home agents, who has factual data from our State College on all practical problems homemakers may meet. The very latest in science, literature, philosophy, recreation, athletics, with all that goes to make home desirable is constantly presented in simple, understandable terms. Often we see the spirit of the love and learning, the ability to solve life's problems, radiating abundantly from members of Homemakers Clubs; knowledge coupled with experience has endowed these women with confidence and determination to work to the bitter end for human decency and justice for all.

The Fulton County Clubs have been especially blessed the past year with a comprehensive program of study in legal questions and money matters in addition to regular subjects. From the experiences gained in working with our neighbors in the study and solution of federal, state and local problems and in family responsibilities, women think and act.

By improving methods and technique, homemaking is becoming less burdensome because of the evident accuracy and speed with which the work is done. No doubt, many of the greatest values wives and others get from club work lie dormant, only awaiting the chance or need for use in services to be rendered.

Besides the definite profits Homemakers Clubs have to offer, educational, mental, moral, physical and spiritual benefits are derived. Ethics, current events and social contact likewise play a part in developing better homes, better citizens, a better nation and ultimately a better world. All citizens should support the program of the clubs no less than our agricultural program.

All this and even more, Homemakers Club has meant to me. (A Bennet Club Member)

Fat salvage slogan: "Fill a tin and turn it in."

Lime and phosphate on pastures are as basic as arithmetic.

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Neighborhood cooperation is one way to solve farm labor problems.

When America was being settled the average depth of topsoil was about 9 inches of productive topsoil. Today the U. S. Department of Agriculture says the average depth of topsoil across the country is only about 6 inches. In many places the topsoil is gone altogether.

Feathered Interlude

By BILL DOWSETT
McClure Newspaper Syndicate.
WNU Features.

TOM Rafferty gazed at the stuffed duck mounted over the mirror in Casey's Bar. He turned to Tim Eagan. "Wurra, Eagan," he declared, still eyeing the bird, "there's sittin' a terrible waste o' a timptin' dish. Och, how I'd love to be layin' me lip o'er a tinner slice o' roast duck."

"Rafferty," Eagan said smugly, "ye're mintonin' duckin's to a bucko who's after knowin' his habits. Faith, lad, me shootin' success was the invy an' toast o' Dublin." He grinned confidently and plunged into a detailed recital of his prowess. "An' this bein' duck season," he continued, "I'll drive 'round early in the mornin' an' take ye huntin'. From a master ye'll be larnin' the fine pints o' the sport."

That night high winds swept down the coast and it was raining and cold when Eagan pounded vigorously on Rafferty's door. Rafferty's head popped from an upstairs window. "G'way!" he bellowed. "I'm after changin' me mind. The Lord's givin' a duck too many brains to be flyin' a night the likes o' this."

Eagan insisted that the lull after a storm always made for good hunting. "Tis to a pond tin miles from the sea I'm takin' ye," Eagan explained as they climbed into the car with boots and hunting equipment.

The car safely parked in a narrow lane, Rafferty and Eagan splashed through the marshland and into a natural blind on the rim of the pond. "Keep yer face outta sight," Eagan ordered as he knelt in the reeds. "Tis gittin' daylight an' 'twould be scarin' the birds."

Rafferty growled and squinted, then stepped to one side. His roar shattered the silence as he slid hip deep into the mire of a sinkhole. Eagan demanded silence and gazed upward into the drizzle and fog.

"May the devil take the wither man," he sputtered in disgust. "The air's after havin' hairs on it."

He laid his gun against a pole and reached for his pipe. At that moment a duck, quacking softly, settled on the pond and glanced curiously about. Rafferty, spellbound, stopped shivering and stood motionless. The duck dipped daintily into the water and then, while Eagan scrambled for his gun, took off and disappeared into the blanketed sky.

Eagan squinted at Rafferty. "Me dear frind," he said softly, "whin huntin' 'tis the object to be shootin' the bird—not charmin' him." His voice rose. "Why wasn't ye shootin'?" he thundered.

Rafferty shook his leg. "Twas a hin duck," he muttered weakly. "An' I'm shootin' no mother." Eagan examined the loads in his gun and glowered at Rafferty. Then suddenly a graceful form swooped low. Eagan's gun barked. The duck wheeled sharply and, as Eagan fired the second shot, with an impertinent flip of its wings and the duck disappeared into the mist. "Faith, he's after flyin' up, spittin' in ye face, an' flyin' safe away," Rafferty gloated.

It was then Eagan noticed the stranger. He stood on the edge of the pond examining a dead bird he'd picked up in the reeds near the base of an overhanging tree. "Och, the spalpeen's stealin' me duck," Eagan whispered to Rafferty. "But I'm the lad who'll make the bucko hand him over."

The man looked up astonished when Eagan, in a belligerent voice, demanded the bird. "Can you identify it?" he asked mildly. "I'd like to be certain this is the bird you killed."

Eagan peered through the fog. "Tis him!" he affirmed promptly. "Sure, I'd be knowin' the shape anywhere."

The stranger moved closer. "Then," he said sternly, "actin' on your admission of guilt, as game warden I place you under arrest. This county protects its sea gulls."

The warden held out the bird and Eagan had his first good look. "Wurra, me eyes is after lyin'," he sputtered, moving away. "Tis niver the bird I thought. Mistakin' identity."

His eloquent pleas of innocence fell on deaf ears. "Just tell it all to the judge," the warden said coldly. Then he paused and studied Eagan's face. "Of course," he finally admitted, "there are, perhaps, extenuating circumstances. I am also chairman of the county Red Cross and should you care to make a donation of, well . . . er . . . shall we say a pint of blood . . ."

Eagan quickly agreed. An' devil a bit o' punishment that," he muttered sourly as the warden handed the bird to Rafferty and wrote directions to the blood donors' headquarters on the back of a card. With a smile and thanks, the warden walked away.

Suddenly Rafferty stared closely at the bird in his hand. A wide grin split his blunt features. "Arragh," he chortled, "tis a day I'll niver forget an' I'm thinkin' the lads at Casey's 'll be lovin' this tale."

Eagan squinted. "Twas but a mistake o' me keen shootin' eye," he growled.

Rafferty glanced at the tree and his grin widened. "Eagan," he chuckled, "there's devil a shot in the gull. He's after broodin' his nick flyin' against the tree at the night's storm. Faith, 'tis me who's declarin' ye'd best be stickin' to yer lyin' huntin' in Casey's."

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Retonga is receiving more and more praise from happy and grateful men and women who have



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PILOT OAK

Mrs. Dessie Coletharp attended the teachers meeting at Union City Wednesday of last week.

Miss Constance Jones of Sedalia visited here Friday of last week.

Mrs. Edith Yates and Mrs. Allene Lowry went to Mayfield Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Naomi Redden of Cuba visited her mother, Mrs. Wadlington, Thursday afternoon of last week.

We had a downpour of rain Friday

day afternoon of last week which was very much appreciated.

Mrs. Dot Williams is convalescing at her aunt's, Mrs. Roy Emerson, we wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Steele moved here Thursday of last week.

Bary Catherine Yates visited Mrs. Allie Morgan and Mrs. Effie Earl Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Malston and Gene Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collom from Brandon, Miss, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Raines and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rhodes, Mrs. Evelyn Bond and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mount, Mrs. Violet Bushart and son, Gale spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Bushart.

Mr. Pern Grissom is very poor at this time and he is inviting all his old friends to come in and visit him.

Mrs. Allie Earl left Sunday afternoon for her home near Water Valley to attend the Mt. Zion meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jackson of near Water Valley spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Allie Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nelson, Mrs. Ida Grissom, Mr. Willie Grissom and Mr. Balam Pettei, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Cathey and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grissom and two sons, Pearl Caldwell of Detroit were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Pern Grissom.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie U. Morgan and son spent Sunday night with Mrs. Allie Morgan.

Elsie Wadlington is visiting Mrs. Kate Wiggins.

Mrs. Allene Lowry visited Mrs. Mary Nell Gossom in Fulton Saturday afternoon.

Eddie Gordon's funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waggoner and son Robert Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walston, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Raines and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collom and Gene Hart took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall.

AUSTIN SPRINGS

Pfc. Sam Mathis left this week for Akron, Ohio, where he will visit a brother, Joel Mathis and family.

Hay-saving seems to be the order of the day, and much is being cut and baled, and many farmers are laying away corn.

Housewives are busy canning and storing a variety of foods in their larder. Peaches are at their best in many seasons. Tomatoes are ripening and are being canned and made into tomato juice. Grapes are plentiful too, and it seems all will be saved for future use.

Mrs. Walter Pettit was honored with a nice birthday dinner Sunday, honoring her 73 birthday. Many relatives and friends gathered and enjoyed the day with this good woman. A bountiful meal was served at the noon hour, and since time was had by the honoree and guests.

Mrs. James Glass and twins, James and Janice of Memphis have moved here with parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson for a visit with relatives and home folks. Mrs. Brown's husband, Pfc. Bill Brown, has been in the Philippines for many months.

Chief Petty officer James T. Glass has been transferred from Millington to San Francisco where he expects to sail soon.

Pfc. Robert Richman, who has served with the AA En. U. S. Army in New Guinea is now in the Philippines.

SAILOR'S LETTER

The following excerpts from Seaman 1c Charles M. Arnn to his wife Juanita, of this city, tells about some of the things that go on among the Navy lads in the Pacific.

"It being liberty time, a buddy and I caught a ride into the village. It's about 12 miles from where we are anchored. The Red Cross has a nice club house there for the enlisted men. They had a band yesterday, and served cokes (of course it was just syrup and water). But tasted pretty good. It's a pretty nice place considering where it is, and the time they have had to get it started. There are three or four American Red Cross women there. The house is built of wood (there aren't any other wooden houses out here), and they have decorated it with thatch and palm leaves. I found some Phillipino cigars, they are long, crooked and as black as a negro, and so strong they can almost stand alone. You have to puff your head off to get them lit.

I think that I can smoke one a day and still live.

It only rains here about 15 to 18 hours a day, so you can imagine how dry it is. The natives all raise roosters, and gather together on Sundays and bet on which rooster will kill the other. Rooster fighting is the chief sport.

The natives wear all kinds of clothes, and many of the children their birthday suits, up until they are 4 or 5 years old. Then some of them may wear something around their upper bodies.

Of course there is every branch of service here on this island—sailors, marines soldiers, natives everywhere. Mud up to your ankles everywhere, vehicles such as jeeps, ducks, trucks, etc., and aircraft of every description. Along the roads that run from different bases you can find Red Cross canteens where you can stop in and get a cup of coffee. I saw a movie last night. It was one of those flag-waving musicals, "Doughboys in Ireland." They get pretty disgusting out here. They have movies scattered around in different locations. They consist of a booth and most of the screens are made of two or three hammocks sewed together between two trees. There are no seats in most of them. Boy, will it be nice to sit down in a good movie house again, and soon, I hope.

Charles

A FREE COUNTRY
by Ruth Taylor

This is a free country. Sure it is—but free for what? It is free for work. No man has to be what his father was before him. No man has to work where his father worked. In time of emergency we may voluntarily regulate our man power but it is done, under the laws we ourselves made, which are to be abrogated when the need is over.

It is free for knowledge. No man need stay ignorant if he has the will to learn. The history of the country has proven that. Of course, there are differences in educational opportunities—but the man who truly wants to learn, who is willing to work at the job of getting ahead, can do so. No man need stay ignorant.

It is free for courtesy. Where each man is counted as one, there need be no servile scrapping nor condescending nod. Each man is free to accord to every other man the same courtesies of behaviour to which he is himself entitled. It takes but one person to be polite.

It is free for friendliness. We are all equals under the law, bound by the same rules and regulations. We can therefore accord the comradeship of citizenry to our neighbor, regardless of his class, creed or color.

It is free for integrity. No man wears the yoke of another as his slave. Each man can stand alone, incorrupt, and loyal to the finest ideals.

It is free for thought. The unfettered mind of man is the secret of the advancement of the nation. Here no man need be told what to think or when to think it. He blows not hot or cold as he is ordered. He can be for or against and, provided he can think and act as he pleases, it is free for belief. No man need

worship at the behest of his master. Each man is responsible to his own conscience and to his own concept of God. Strong in his faith, he can stand or fall by what he believes. His beliefs are his own.

This is a free country—founded upon freedom and free to grow with the times to a newer and iner fulfillment of the law of liberty—which is the law of righteousness.

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Mrs. Tom Howell has returned to her home on College and Green Streets after a visit in Denver, Colo., as house guest of her son, Maurice.

Mr. and Mrs. William McDade Millie and Bettye, are at Reelfoot for an outing for a few days.

Mrs. J. J. House returned Sunday from a visit in Waco, Texas, house guest of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Riley and children.

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A Personal Message

TO ALL DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF FULTON COUNTY

It would have been a pleasure to see each of you personally during this campaign but my duties as Circuit Court Clerk have prevented me from contacting many voters so, I am taking this opportunity to solicit your vote on August 4th.

I know you are acquainted with my record and the business-like manner in which I have conducted the office and when you return me with your vote I assure you that it will continue to be a pleasure and my policy to extend all personal favors, honest and fair dealings that you have received in the past.

I have conducted this campaign in a gentlemanly manner, refraining from mud throwing and unfair tactics to obtain votes. I am not allied in any manner with any political group, candidate, or group of candidates in an effort to benefit my candidacy and help theirs. Please brand any reports untrue that are circulated in attempting my defeat, and accept this as my personal solicitation of your vote.

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Words cannot express my appreciation for your vote Saturday, August 4th.

Sincerely, your friend,

IRBY W. HAMMOND
Candidate for Sheriff

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James H. Amberg..... <input type="checkbox"/>	John H. Lattus..... <input type="checkbox"/>
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C. N. Holland..... <input type="checkbox"/>	G. B. (Red) Riley..... <input type="checkbox"/>
Guy N. Barnett..... <input type="checkbox"/>	Walter Darnall..... <input type="checkbox"/>
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I, C. N. Holland, Clerk of the County Court of the County and State aforesaid, do certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Official Primary Ballot to be voted on in the Democratic Primary Election to be held on Saturday, August 4, 1945.

Given under my hand this 20th day of July, 1945.

C. N. HOLLAND,
Clerk, Fulton County Court

TO THE VOTERS OF FULTON COUNTY

At the end of hostilities in Europe I was attached to the 45th Division of the Seventh Army in the Munich area of Germany.

Anticipating an early return to the States and discharge from the military service under the Army's point system, I authorized my announcement as a candidate for the office of County Attorney. It is my hope and desire to take up again the practice of law after the interruption of more than four years. The office to which I aspire would be a great help to me in this undertaking.

While I am now enroute home, I regret that I have been absent during the campaign and thus unable to call upon you and personally solicit your vote and influence.

If by your votes on Saturday you honor me with the office of County Attorney, I pledge to you four years of honest, courteous effort with the best service I am capable of rendering.

Respectfully yours,

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Candidate for County Attorney

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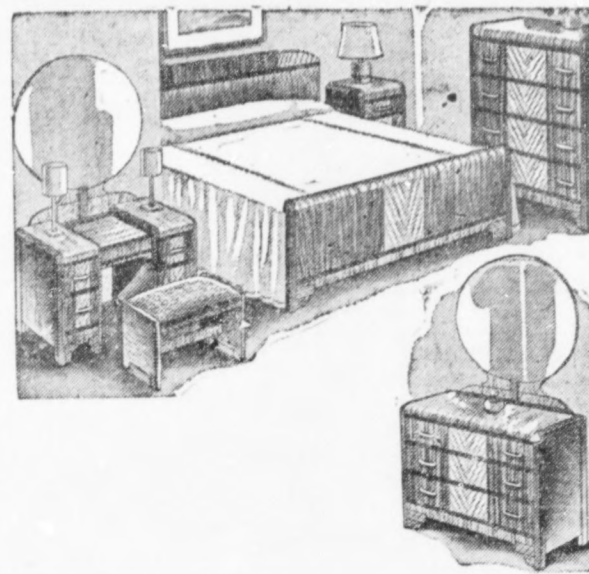
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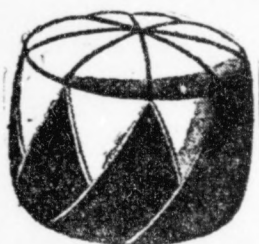
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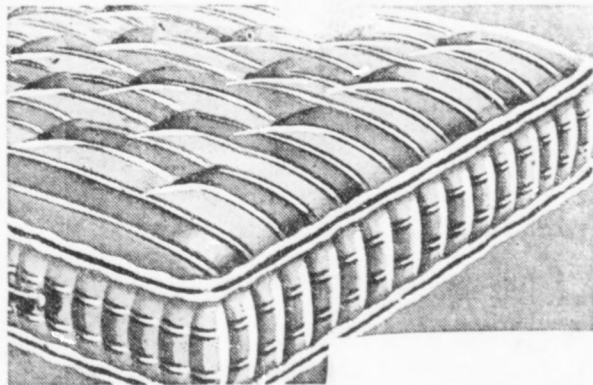
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Political Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following as candidates for election, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election to be held Saturday, August 4, 1945

State Representative
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For County Court Judge
HOMER ROBERTS

For County Court Clerk
GUY BARNETT
CLARDIE N. HOLLAND

For Circuit Court Judge
ELVIS J. STAHR
CLYDE BURNETT

For Circuit Court Clerk
J. E. (Justin) ATTEBERY
MARY COWGILL SHAW

For County Jailer
WILL T. SHANKLIN

For Tax Commissioner
ELMER MURCHISON

For County Attorney
JAMES H. AMBERG
WOOD TIPTON

For Sheriff
J. B. SANDERS
ALMUS G. WYNNE
IRBY W. HAMMOND

For Magistrate District No. 2
CLYDE CORUM

For Magistrate First District
of Fulton County
C. J. BOWERS



Interest in the primary election in Fulton county has been rather dull. But this shouldn't be, for every citizen should be deeply interested in who the men shall be that serve in the various offices. Every eligible voter should turn out on election day and vote, if they expect to preserve the democratic way of life. If the voters should have this right taken away from them, they would be up in arms, so why should they neglect their duties and fail to vote.

If there should be a light vote, it might mean the defeat of our able, efficient Circuit Court Judge, E. J. Stahr. Let's don't let this happen, but go to the polls and vote. Take some of your neighbors.

National politics must bow to reality. One of the incomprehensible traits of our country is its political practice of seeking to hamper or obstruct or even destroy, through government action, private industries on which its prosperity and economic well-depend. Such practices are always distinguished by their proponents as in the interest of the people.

The free thinking people must awaken to the dangers that our country faces. Our boys are fighting abroad to preserve the freedom we all love so dearly. Let us at home not forget our obligation to fight to preserve our way of life ourselves and to them, and fail to while they are gone. The Communists are pledged to wage a new campaign to gain strength in this country by invading the labor unions further, with special emphasis to be placed upon Dixie or the Southern states. True and faithful Americans will not fail in their duty, but will go to the polls Saturday, August 4, and vote for men whom they believe will honestly and sincerely represent the wishes of the majority of the people, and recognize the obligations that the Constitution of Our Country places upon them.

"TVA has been called the greatest social experiment of all time. It represents the first step toward state socialism in the United States. TVA has been the sparkplug for a Federal power development program in line with the Russian idea of socialized industry. With the full power of government propaganda behind it, TVA has been able to publicize its activities in such a way as to make the public think it is a financial success, provides effective flood control and dependable power supply from the same dam, and contributes its share of tax funds necessary to maintain government.

"If government can go into the power business as it has done in TVA, charge itself practically no interest and only one-fourth of its share of taxes, and then sell power below the true cost of production, why not do the same in the dairy, bread, shoe, or any other business? If we are to have state socialism, why stop half way?

"If TVA paid interest and taxes equally with private enterprise, it would be a gigantic financial failure. If government is to finance a string of TVA's, the initial cost and the annual loss to taxpayers will be staggering at a time when government should practice every possible postwar economy, and encourage in every manner taxpaying enterprises.

"In 1944, the private electric light and power industry paid \$7000,000,000 in taxes, and the Federal government, which is urged to build tax-exempt socialized plants to destroy the highly-taxed private industry, took \$480,000,000 as its share. Aside from the iniquity of establishing state socialism in a land of free enterprise, the tax question alone should block further development or tax-exempt power plants."—Exchange.

In the past 169 years America has grown from a few struggling colonies meagerly established on the Atlantic Coast, to the greatest power in the world. The roigina colonies were largely tired of oppression and tyranny. The trip across the Atlantic Ocean in those days was a much greater and more hazardous undertaking than it is now—only those people got across who were willing to exert themselves.

Thus we had two things—we had people who wanted something (freedom), and who were willing to exert themselves (work) to get it. The Declaration of Independence shook off the shackles (taxes) of government, and a free and determined people started to build a new world. Production, trade, transportation, communication, and the unlimited resources of a new combined with the determination of a free people built the greatest nation in the world.

When there were differences of opinion (and there always are when people are free) they convoked and voted, and followed the will of the majority. The minority was not prosecuted or liquidated, but remained to criticize the actions of the majority. In a nutshell, that is the story of America, and how it grew.

However, in the course of these 169, the insidious disease of government has grown on us again. Get out your copy of the Declaration of Independence and read it again. Your will find that many of the that the colonist complained of are with us again. The disease of too much government is not geographical, it can happen here, and it is happening here.

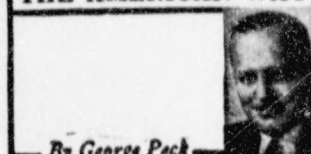
If you want to keep America free from the shackles of too much government (tyranny and oppression), do things for yourself, make your living, provide for your old age, keep a little money in the bank to provide for emergencies, cooperate with your neighbors to build your own roads and churches. If you shift your responsibilities to some appointed bureaucratic in Washington, just as surely will you surrender your freedom. Freedom is not one of the packages in Santa's bag, and if you look around the world you will find that free people eat better than slaves do.

If America will keep freedom as a watchword, and stay away from government promises of security in exchange for freedom, then America is less than half way, and has before it a wonderful future. If we create a paternalistic totalitarian government, we are finished—look across either ocean for an example.

It is said that the following note was found in a mail box by a rural carrier on his route:

"Dear Mailman: Attached is a check for \$5 for which will you kindly get me a stamp to make our flivver a legal means of transportation for the purpose of going to the ration board for a permit to get gas to have our machine inspected so that we may visit the ration board to get authority to buy a new tire so that our car may be in suitable condition to go pay our withholding tax?"

THE AMERICAN WAY



By George Peck

ALL WET!

The carping Communists and the prating "planned economy" proponents are going to have one heck of a time pinning a charge of war profiteering on the steel industry. Recently released statistics of that industry reveal that its stockholders have far from enriched themselves as a result of our participation in the war. Don't let the "hate business" boys trick you into believing otherwise. They have the dishonest habit of quoting profits before Uncle Sam gets his "cut," in order to create the false impression of swollen profits. There is a whole of a difference between profits before taxes and what actually remains for the stockholders. Here are the real facts regarding the steel industry:

Dividends paid to the nearly half million stockholders of the steel industry in 1944 represented 41-2 cents for every dollar paid to employees. In 1943 steel company stockholders received 51-2 cents in dividends per dollar of payrolls disbursed, while in 1937 stockholders got 131-2 cents per dollar of payrolls.

In actual cash, dividends paid to "990'8118 01234 567890123 456789012 3456789012 123456789012 0123456789012 1944, about 23 million dollars or 16 per cent less than in 1943. This was 20 per cent less than in 1937 and 50 per cent less than in 1929.

In 1944 the steel companies earned about 4.7 per cent on investment, the lowest of any of the war years. In 1941 earnings were the highest for the war period, 8.1 per cent on investment which compared with 6.2 per cent in 1937, 5.6 per cent in 1942 and 5.1 per cent in 1943.

In 1944, the greatest steel production year on record, net income of the steel industries was \$178,250,550 as compared with approximately \$230,000,000 in 1937, or 30 per cent less—and this, despite the fact that steel output was 37 per cent greater in 1944 than in 1937.

Uncle Sam took a beating along with the steel stockholders. For 1944 the total tax bill of the steel companies was \$464,997,000, including social security taxes, a decline of \$110,000,000 from the 1943 total. This falling off was, of course due to the reduced profits of the industry.

The tax cost of the steel industry for each sales dollar for 1944 was 7 cents against 9 cents in 1943, but despite this decline, the 1944 tax cost still remained substantially above the level of the years preceding the start of the war. In 1940 about 61-2 cent of each sales dollar went for taxes, and in 1929 the industry paid only 4 cents for that purpose.

Labor in the steel industry, however, continued to hold its own. Payrolls in 1944 amounted to \$2,640,954,000 as against \$2,653,504,759 in 1943 and \$1,124,444,552 in 1937.

Resolved into percentages, the employees got 401-2 cents out of each sales dollar in 1944, compared with 40 cents in 1943 and 37 per cents in 1937.

A lot of dry figures, I hear you say. Well, perhaps, but those "dry figures" serve to prove beyond any shadow of doubt that the "socialistic schemers" are "ALL WET" in their contention that American industry unpatriotically has seized on the war emergency to extract its "pound of flesh." Definitely these figures demonstrate that the steel industry stockholders, at any rate, have a clean bill of health in that respect.

MAJORITY OR MINORITY

By RUTH TAYLOR

I wish it were possible to eradicate these two words from the English language—but fortunately, if one could do this, other words

would be thought up to express the same idea.

There should be no place for such discriminatory words in a democracy. And, mind you, they are discriminatory, and of themselves are creating bad feeling and prejudice.

Majorities feel that their very numbers entitle them to supreme power, that their interests as a group must come first. Minorities too often place the privilege of their group before the rights of all citizens. In both cases far too frequently those rise to the top, to positions of power, who seek personal aggrandizement and who by their actions hurt the group which they claim to represent.

The majority looks upon the minority as not quite as they are—as something different from the herd—and they don't like that. Minorities for their part too often have a chip on their shoulder. When banded together for "self-protection" they become a powerful pressure force which is irritating to the majority. And much too frequently both sides forget that they are Americans, governed by the same laws, and subjects to the same responsibility. The labor bloc, the public utility bloc, the farm bloc, etc., when they put their own individual ambitions to the front and forget the nation's needs, are un-American.

This is equally true whether the difference be of political party, class, religion or color, what is more, in each of those groups there are minorities and majorities.

Summer Welles called the term "racial or religious minority" accursed. And he was right, though he could have added class to the list. It is the whole idea of segregation and separation of people into groups, treating them generally, not individually that we have been and are fighting. In the brave new world for which we hope, let us guard against group thinking. Let us remember that we are all citizens of a nation, and citizens of a world of United Nations.

Let us—majority and minority—work together as individuals regardless of the group from which we come. Let us accept our personal responsibilities and fulfill them before we start fighting about our rights. Let us prove what we are, forgetting whether we be minority or majority. Just let us only be Americans all.

THE COMMON DEFENSE

THEY ALL HELPED MAKE AMERICA

By the Honorable Augusta W. Bennett, United States Congressman, 29th District, New York

Most of the racial and religious animosities which exist in our country would disappear if our people had a better knowledge of American history.

Anti-Catholicism would not thrive on a diet of pamphlets describing the laws guaranteeing freedom of religion established in what is now Maryland under the leadership of Lord Baltimore, a devout Catholic.

We would hear less about "Polacks" if Americans knew more of their debt to Thaddeus Kosciuszko for his help to our revolutionary armies.

Italians like Columbus and Cabot played a large part in opening up the New World and another Italian, Amerigo Vespucci, gave our hemisphere his name.

Every schoolboy has heard of Lafayette, but how many give credit to a German, Baron Von Steuben, for making an army out of a rabble?

Scots like John Paul Jones, Irishmen like General John Sullivan and, of course, people of English descent like George Washington all pitched in and worked for the common cause. At a later period a Swede, John Ericsson, and a part-Spaniard, Admiral David Farragut, were to prove the heroes of the Union Navy in the Civil War.

Whenever permitted to do so, our Negroes have cheerfully borne their full share of the obligation of citizenship both in war and in peace.

Least understood and appreciated by all, perhaps, is the role played by a Jew in keeping the Continental army in the field. An occasional student knows of the heroic efforts of Robert Morris to raise money for that purpose—but who ever heard of the equally patriotic and effective work of Haym Solomon? For a task which broke his health and fortunes, Haym Solomon got two rewards—the knowledge that he had helped mightily to create a great new nation, and death in a pauper's grave.

They all wanted to help—white and black, Jew and Gentile, Protestant and Catholic, native and

foreign born. They all did help. Their descendants want to help today, but too often they find themselves thwarted by prejudice based on ignorance of American history. Let us all pledge ourselves to end that ignorance by every possible means and to bring into full fellowship all these peoples who each have something of value to contribute!

Agricultural bags are short according to a report from the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. Save the sacks and sell'em. Don't hold bags you don't need, lest someone be left "holding the bag" for the lack of one.

Enough food, if properly distributed, to supply the dietary needs of all civilians, but not enough of everything to please all consumers, is the way the National picture is summed up by officials of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

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BUSINESS CONDITIONS IN THE UNITED STATES

Further steps in the readjustment from a two-front to a one-front war have been taken in recent weeks, states the current issue of the Guaranty Survey, published by the Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Additional cutbacks in war orders have been accompanied by a continuing trend toward relaxation of restrictions on output for civilian use. The Survey continues. It still appears, however, that tangible results of these changes are likely to be delayed by shortages of manpower and materials and by the tremendous transportation load incident to the movement of troops and supplies to the Pacific.

Indicative of the scale of military cutbacks is the announcement that reductions in procurement orders totaling about \$5.5 billion were approved by the Production Readjustment Committee of the War Production Board in May and the first week of June.

Reports indicate that there has been a minimum of disagreement on the allocation of cutbacks within in committee, which is charged with the responsibility of spreading the reductions so as to cause as little industrial dislocation as possible. The supply of manpower in various localities has been the principal

governing factor in changes made by the committee after receiving the recommendations of the procurement agencies, with the broad aim of placing cutbacks, where possible, in areas of labor stringency. In general, the procurement agencies have consented to such changes although in a few cases other considerations, such as price, dependability, and location in relation to ultimate destination, have been deemed more essential.

The latest revision in the procurement program of the Army Service Forces will result in a total cutback of 27 per cent, by next December and one of 42 per cent by December of next year, it has been announced. A principal cause of the revised estimates is a special survey of so-called "secondary" items which shows that production can be reduced substantially without interfering with the war effort.

Outstanding among the cutbacks ordered recently are cancellations of orders for military tanks of the "General Sherman" type, existing supplies of which are deemed sufficient. The reductions will affect nearly 7,000 workers employed by prime contractors in the Detroit area, together with employees of several hundred subcontractors. As a result of current and anticipated cutbacks, Detroit has been placed in the "balanced or slight surplus" labor-area category, according to the War Manpower Commission.

Notwithstanding these and other signs of contraction in the volume of war output, official statements continue to stress the need for sustained effort in supplying our armed forces. In a special message to Congress, President Truman declared that "until the expanded pipe lines for the Pacific war are filled, and until equipment arrives in substantial amounts from the European theatre, war production must continue at a high rate."

The Navy procurement program, the President pointed out, will remain practically unchanged; and for an "indefinite period" there will be little alteration in the demand for food, clothing, petroleum products, lumber and certain chemicals, all of which are expected to remain on the critical list. Leather and textiles also, according to the President's forecast, will remain in tight supply; and there is a definite shortage of clothing fabrics. "Accordingly," the President concludes, "production for the Japanese war cannot be taken as a matter of course. It will require a high percentage of our resources."

Labor Conditions

Initial cutbacks in war production following the end of the war in Europe are believed to have added only very slightly to unemployment thus far. Officials of the War Manpower Commission estimated last month that since the middle of April, when cutbacks in anticipation of V-E Day began, 300,000 persons had left munitions jobs or related projects. About half of these, however, are believed to have found non-war work, or, as in the case of women, to have retired from the labor market. The net increase in unemployment, accordingly, is placed at 150,000 bringing the nation-wide total to an estimated figure of 950,000.

Officials still hold to their earlier predictions that the number unemployed by early August will total about 2 million, including some of the 300,000 veterans who are expected to be discharged before that time. By next November the number of discharged veterans is expected to increase to 900,000. By that time, however, officials believe, the civilian economy, which has as yet hardly begun to expand, will have developed to a point where a higher percentage of those released from war activities can be absorbed, with the result that only about 1.3 million will be unemployed. This decline is expected to give way in turn to another increase in later months, when discharges from war activities are believed likely to exceed the rate of absorption in civilian industries, raising the unemployment level again to the 2-million level by next May.

SILO SIMPKINS SAYS

The next few weeks should be a "peach" for home canners. We all like sugar but it is not necessary to keep canned fruit from spoiling.

Mowing pastures to control weeds increases the amount of grazing one-fourth to one-third. Keep the fat out of the fire—waste fat is needed for war purposes—save it for the Japs.

Prepare now to give your cultivated fields a blanket in the form of a winter cover.

Bumper crops don't mean much to the farmer who lost his life in a

needless farm accident.

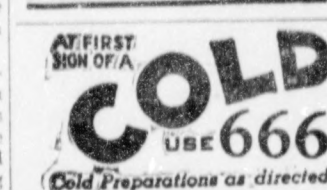
Farmers who fail to seed winter cover crops for pasture deserve a "bawling out" by their livestock.

A word to the wise—commercially canned fruits and vegetables are expected to be limited next winter.

Properly harvested corn fodder has one-fourth to one-third the feeding value of the grain which the corn crop produces.

In spite of a drop from 30 million to 25 million farm people, farm production has reached new highs each year during the war. More use of machinery, of course, helped the fewer farm people do that big

job, although many had to work longer hours.



Farm Editor Declares the TVA Plan Is a Flood Control Failure And Destroyer of Best Farms

THE fallacy of power dams serving to control floods and to conserve the soil is clearly explained in a recent article by Frank E. Watts, executive assistant of the "Farm Journal and Farmer's Wife", nationally circulated rural publication. The matter he discusses affects the welfare of city dwellers as well as farmers. Excerpts follow.

"Soil conservation has an important relationship to many problems, such as underground water levels and flood control," Mr. Watts said. "Because of erosion and surface runoff, underground water levels of the nation are receding at an alarming rate. This not only affects the farmer but eventually will have serious consequences to industry itself because of inadequate water supply."

"As for the prevention of floods, this work must start on the farm itself. If water never reached the banks of rivers we would have no serious floods. While all rainfall cannot be diverted, it can be controlled sufficiently to prevent eventually such disastrous floods as we now have. The solution therefore lies primarily in keeping the water in the soil upon which it falls," Mr. Watts declared.

Power Vs. Flood Dams

"THE building of multi-purpose dams across rivers is NOT the solution. There is much confusion and lack of understanding in the minds of the general public in regard to dams for flood control, power production and irrigation. A dam built for flood control exclusively has tunnels near the bottom for normal flow of water. These tunnels are never closed and permit only a flow of water which the river channel can carry off with safety. Excessive flow of water is held back by the dam and gradually runs off as flood waters re-

cede," Mr. Watts explained. "A dam built for power must be closed for impounding water necessary for production of firm power. To do this thousands of acres of the best farm lands are often flooded. The very acreage covered held much of the water at flood time. When a dam is filled, the danger from floods is likely to become even greater than before the dam was built."

"A TVA, an MVA, or any other VA will not solve the problem. The building of most of the great government dams — dramatic and spectacular from a publicity standpoint — often has flooded some of our best bottom farm lands. Farmers have moved to higher ground where erosion has taken place and soil must be rebuilt," Mr. Watts continued.

Dam Little Gallies

"THE place for dams is in the little gullies on the farms, caused by erosion, and in the headwaters of small streams. Contour plowing, diversion ditches, grassed waterways, strip farming, terracing, soil conserving crops planted, permanent vegetation on steep slopes, farm ponds and many other practices in farming can prevent disastrous erosion and make possible conservation of soil."

"Big dams built across large rivers can never accomplish this. It is estimated the floods from rivers cost \$200 million per year. But the little floods in the gullies and runways on farms cost \$800 million annually. This does not take into account loss of those elements in the soil necessary to produce crops having nutritious values. No one can tell what this loss is but it is estimated at several times that of loss of soil itself," Mr. Watts said.

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To the VOTERS of FULTON COUNTY

Four years ago my brother, Guy Barnett, ran for the office of County Court Clerk. He was defeated by the incumbent, Clardie Holland, who has been honored with the privilege to serve you for 12 years.

I am naturally interested in this election because my brother is in the race. I am vitally interested in the facts that the laws of a Democratic Custom are being violated when the incumbent seeks reelection for a fourth term.

It has been a political custom (and a good one) in our great country to honor a candidate with two terms if he served faithfully and well. Due to emergency war conditions we elected our great President for four terms. Had not these conditions existed there is no doubt in our minds but what he would have adhered to the old established custom. Even so, there is no comparison between the office of County Court Clerk and that of the Presidency.

Is any individual indispensable to the office he holds? We, as Democratic Citizens, know that replacements are always ready, capable and willing to serve their country and community in any capacity so desired by their constituents.

This solicitation is not written as a denunciation of the incumbent's ability. He has performed his duties well. Opposing him is a young man who has been a good citizen, faithful party follower and leader, self sustained, and well qualified to perform the duties required by this office. It is his desire to be allowed to serve the citizens of Fulton County in accordance with the laws and Democratic Customs that have made us the Greatest Nation on Earth. He will not seek perpetuation in office if so honored by your election.

It is a privilege and honor to be allowed to serve one's country and community in any official capacity. Any ACT or SO-CALLED-FAVOR performed by that official while in office is his DUTY and does not require the obligation of a VOTE. Any candidate, regardless of who he may be, violates all principles of Democracy if he solicits your vote on the premise of obligation.

This solicitation is presented for your consideration as a right and privilege of every citizen. This one request is made. Go to the polls and vote as your conscience tells you. You are NOT obligated to any candidate seeking office, whether it be for a first or fourth term. It is a right of freedom you possess which will never be taken from you in our great Democracy.

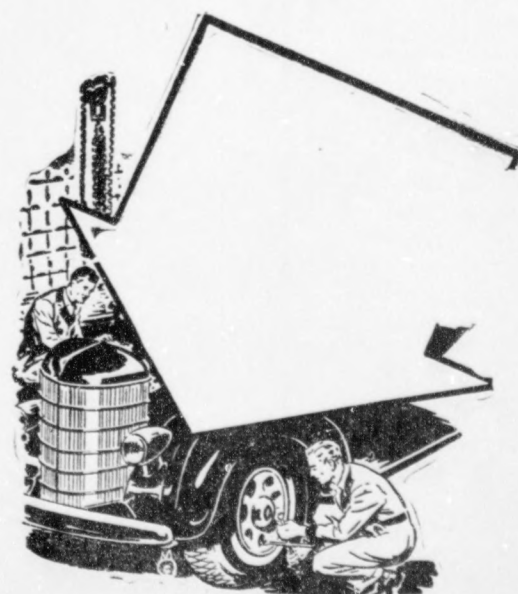
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LATHAM LATHAM-BIBLE UNION

Late reports from Mr. Lonnie Pettie, who sustained a broken back while hauling hay, and is in the Baptist Hospital at Memphis, indicate that he is improving and hopes to be brought home in two weeks.

The meeting of the Cavalry Baptist Church closed Sunday night with three additions to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Boots Barner and Margaret Hicks are on vacation in Lansing, Mich., this week.

Mrs. William Harrison, nee Jane Carney, of Nashville, Tenn., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Carney last week. She also visited the Harrisons near Palmersville.

Several from this community attended the Farm Bureau meeting at Martin last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Thomas and John, Mr. and Mrs. Chess Morrison and Dale Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Vaughn and Melva June.

Pfc. Hallas Harwood and Pete Chambers left this week for a camp in California, heading for the South Pacific.

Mrs. Bill Mansfield of Detroit, Mich., has been real sick at Mr. Jim Mansfield's.

Mr. T. T. Harris and family have moved from Duketown last week to Lavina near Milan where he is the principal of the high school.

Mr. Lonnie Pettie happened to a very serious accident last Monday

while hauling baled hay into a barn. He was caught between the hay and the barn, breaking his back. He is improving in the Baptist Hospital in Memphis. He has been given several blood transfusions.

The services at the Cavalry Baptist church were well attended last Sunday.

T. Sgt. Luke Harvey and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Art Harvey from Steele, Mo., are visiting the Pounds family of this community.

Mrs. Lula Jones and Leroy left for Georgia recently to be with her son Orval Jones who has recently been discharged from the Army, having been overseas for several months.

Mrs. Myrtle Bell Davis from Steele, Mo., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lube Blackard.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd (Red) Mansfield of Milan but formerly of this community are the proud parents of a baby girl, who will be called Glynda Sue, born at the Martin hospital last week.

Miss Robbie June Carney entertained several of her friends with a birthday party last Friday afternoon, to celebrate her 11th birthday. I failed to get the list of names.

Mrs. Clara French Price from Lincoln, Kansas arrived last Friday night at her mother's, Mrs. A. V. French who has been ill for some time for an indefinite stay. An article about her youngest son who is in the service is being sent for print. Mrs. Price has a host of friends and relatives who will enjoy reading it even though they don't know the boy.

Joyce Clark is nursing a bad hand the result of getting it caught in a hay pulley.

Mrs. Irene Griffin and Belma, the wife and daughter of the late Lesley Griffin from Humboldt are visiting her sister Mrs. Geo. Dameron attended the singing at Latham Sunday night and met several of their old friends.

Mrs. Bill Mansfield and baby from Detroit, Mich., arrived Monday to pay their first visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mansfield.

A party was given Friday night at Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chambers in honor of their son Pete who has just returned from overseas. More than 100 attended.

Well! The old school bell will soon be ringing, on August 20. Let's all make our plans to be ready. A music teacher has been added to our faculty. Mrs. Manis Parker will come to our school twice a week and give piano lessons for 50c per lesson. We are fortunate in being able to get her. So anyone interested see Mrs. Mignone Morrison any time before school begins.

SOLDIER'S LETTER

Okinawa, June 22, 1945

Dear Scout Buddy:

I am going to our Great Scoutmaster, who has just called me to His heavenly kingdom. I am prepared and happy to go, having fulfilled my mission on earth in accordance to His divine will, for the benefit of my Country and the people of the whole world, for freedom and lasting peace.

But I cannot leave this world, dear Scout Buddy, without sending this parting letter to you. Next to my parents, you, my dear scout buddy, was everything near and dear to me. Before my country called me and parted me from you, I left you, but your scout love went with me and with it all the good virtues of scouting we learned together. You were with me in the various training camps, your letters to me and my letters to you, were mostly about the scouts and Troop 885. On my arrival home on my furlough last winter, my first place to visit was you and all the boys in good old St. Al's Scoutroom. How my heart was thrilled to see you all in your scout uniform and you all looked at me in army uniform, both symbols of service to God and Country, I still can hear ringing in my ears that hearty Scout Cheer you gave me that night, a token of your affection. How I loved you for it, it gave me strength, hope and courage. My bond of scout honor and friendship became even more intensive, if such was possible.

And then I left you again, this time to places much further away from you; yes, to places I had never heard of before. But you were always with me, on the train, on the transport ship, your spirit was with me the first night I slept on the island they called Okinawa. As I lay on my bunk, I dreamed of you. I was with you on an overnight hike to St. Al's Camp in Palestine. Oh how we were together. We gathered around the woodfire in the bunkhouse. All the scouts were there, the good scoutmaster, Pete Haag, the every kind committeeman, Fred Gilson; we sang scout songs and enjoyed the refreshments. At 10 o'clock we went on a hike to the lake. The moon was shining and the air was fresh and our spirits so high. The Mad Butcher made his usual appearance and left his imprint on St. Al's scout tradition on the minds of the new scouts. What fun we had, the lesson of self confidence, the mythical power of Good Luck of the old tree stump near the path in the midst of the woods, the daring feats of scout heroism, the many traits and achievements of Troop 885.

The bugle called Reveille, and my dream ended. I was mad. I wanted to dream some more of those happy scout days. But duty called and like an honor scout I had my good deed to perform that day, as I did ever since I took the scout oath. Strange how that oath guides you on to better things in life, no matter where you are. We were very busy that time on the enemy was near at hand. Instructions, preparations, drillings, warnings and then assignment to the front lines. My patrol was assigned a special mission and we were all glad; we wanted to show off our stuff, just like a boy scout patrol, doing the task assigned to them by the scoutmaster and do it well. That night I lay out in my fox hole, waiting, waiting and waiting for the signal to attack the enemy. All was quiet and I again thought of you, my dear scout buddy. Strange, remember that Commando Raid game we played in the deep snow on the last hike in St. Al's camp near the baseball diamond. We tramped knee deep through the snow, we were so sincere in our efforts to beat the other side. And we did win that night after a terrific struggle. As I see it now, it was just sheer luck that we won, the other side was just as good as we were.

Dear scout buddy, the past weeks have been hard, full of deprivations, full of danger, but full of determination to win again. We are in the midst of battles, yes, battles that lasted for days and nights without a let-up; many of my comrades are no longer with me. But they left their message of courage and hope with us, they entrusted their unfinished task to us. On my scout honor, I will do it, strange, what a comfort that scout honor brings you; it means so much, even here in Okinawa.

I am now in a rest camp near the front lines, recuperating from the strenuous days just gone by. They were days I want to forget and never think of again. I will not write about them. You would not like it. Let me write about you and my scout buddies. What are you doing now—summer is here, Oh, I know—preparing for camp. What a contrast, preparing for scout camp and preparing for army camp. What a thrill it always was to prepare for it. We counted the months, then the weeks, then the days. Yes, hours even, and finally we were all in the busses, ready to go. Those were the real boyhood dream days. We arrived at camp, the world was ours: no worries, just fun and more fun. Baseball, swimming, hiking, earning merit badges, points, inspection, parading chow line, camp fires, scout songs, troop skits, what a world. That is the world I am fighting for and that is the world all the boys should have from now on.

Just now to call has come to return to the front lines, they need us there. And we are ready and willing; yes almost eager to relieve the other comrades. They deserve a rest just as we had it during the past few days. I am back in a fox hole, all equipped with food, guns, grenades, praying as I have never prayed before. What comfort and solace you find in prayer. I am thinking of home and my parents, they taught me those prayers, and I said them every day. My dear mother, my good father, how they did things for me, every day of my life, never getting tired, all for their Tommy. I pray for them. There is so much faith in prayer, so much hope and consolation. Remember how we prayed in a circle before every contest; prayed to the Great Scoutmaster to give us peace and confidence. Remember how it helped us. Bringing us usually first place. Yes, I know, you are holding first place again, Gilson wrote me about it. Keep that great tradition of Troop 885.

I must close, now the signal has been given Over the Top. Oh, Lord, be with me. Good bye, my scout buddy. I love you so much.

Tommy Walsh

Troop 885
EDITOR'S NOTE—Soon after the above letter was written, Tommy Walsh was killed on Okinawa. Mrs. W. M. Boydson, Fulton, Route 2, turned this letter into The News.

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NOTICE TO RECRUITING OFFICERS: If boy named Henry Lent tries to enlist, please send him home. He's only 12, but solid and husky as an eighteener, because he's always eating those energy-packing, matty-rich, sweet as a nut Grape-Nuts. H. Lent, Sr.

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Message to the Voters

Of Fulton County:

We have endeavored to see as many of the voters of Fulton County as possible, but on account of the serious illness and death of my wife's father, Charles Ruter, we have been unable to see every voter. However, we earnestly solicit your vote and support for this important office. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Earl Tibbs, Candidate
JAILER OF FULTON COUNTY

Carey Fields and Buster Webb were in Union City Monday afternoon with the Paul Nailing Implement Stores.

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TO THE VOTERS

This last minute appeal is made to all those whom I have been unable to see, and through this column a plea is made for any support you may see fit to offer.

I appreciate the encouragement and friendliness shown me by those I have met, and hope to be able to serve you in the office which I so humbly seek.

Assuring you again of my appreciation for your vote and influence.

MRS. MARY SHAW COWGILL
for CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

Lest We Forget

TO THE VOTERS
OF FULTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY:

When the call to arms was sounded back in 1941, James Amberg was one of our first boys to go in—without asking deferment.

He landed in Ireland in May, 1942, and since that time has participated in the African, Sicilian and Italian Campaigns; lived in the fox-holes on Anzio beachhead; was with the Seventh Army on its invasion of Southern France and on across the Rhine into Germany.

James is now on his way home with more than sufficient service points to his credit to entitle him to discharge under the army's point system.

He is asking the voters of Fulton County for the office of County Attorney in order that he may get a fresh start in his chosen profession of law after an interruption of four and a half years.

(Contributed by Friends of James H. Amberg)

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Has been an active practicing attorney for 25 years in County, District and U. S. Courts.

Has had varied experience as farmer, school teacher and State Senator.

Has a high conception of the requirements of the office and the ability to meet them.

Asks each voter to kindly consider the merits of his candidacy and assist him in this campaign.

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