

JOHN PAUL JONES, THE PATRIOT AND HERO.

A Memorial to be Erected in Paris Over the Grave of the Founder of the American Navy.

MR. SHEPPARD'S GOOD WORK.

Washington, Dec. 4.—It has already been told in this correspondence that Congressman Morris Sheppard of Texas had offered a resolution in the house directing the diplomatic representatives of the United States in Paris to look into and report the cost of properly marking the grave of John Paul Jones, the iron-hearted Scotchman who became the founder and the father of the American navy, and with whose life work and deeds every school boy in the land is familiar. Mr. Sheppard is an ardent admirer of the memory of this patriot of the nation's early days, and means to push his resolution with all the energy he can command. After Mr. Sheppard had offered the resolution several days before his departure for Paris, he learned that Mr. Wood of Illinois had introduced a similar resolution in the Senate several days before his departure for Paris. Mr. Sheppard is confident that his resolution will do more for the remains of the Revolutionary hero from their present place in the French capital than any other country he served so faithfully well. But Mr. Sheppard and others who have investigated the matter say there is absolutely nothing to tell of the remains of that all that can be done is to place a memorial over his grave to symbolize the gratitude of the people toward the man who is turning to dust beneath the soil of a foreign land. There has been a friendly sentiment toward the matter, and it is believed that the long neglected remains will be given the help to illumine American history.

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SOUTH VINDICATED.

Whereas, the president of the United States, by his recent course toward the Republic of Panama, has shown to the world his endorsement of the principles of the right of secession; and

Whereas, the people of the Northern States, by their acceptance and approval of his course have shown that they have been led by him out of the fold of ignorance to the bright realms of truth, attained by the Southern statesmen so many years ago; be it

Resolved, That we extend to the president the hearty thanks of the Daughters of the Confederacy of the State of Texas in convention assembled, for his endorsement of the principles, and his vindication of the cause for which the Southern people fought so gloriously, but so disastrously in the war between the States; be it

Resolved further that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the president by the corresponding secretary of the Texas State division, United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The above resolution was adopted by the Texas division of the Daughters of the Confederacy yesterday afternoon amid the wildest applause, the delegates springing to their feet and with waving handkerchiefs and clapping of hands declaring that the resolution was a recognition of the sentiments that were strong within them. It was stated that the resolution was presented by the R. E. Lee chapter of Houston, and no sooner had the delegate made this announcement than a sister arose and stated that it was most strongly endorsed by the members of the Oran M. Roberts chapter of Houston. There was renewed applause, and it was several minutes before the convention could be restored to order and business resumed. The resolution will be mailed to President Roosevelt at once by Secretary Lane.

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It must be admitted that the reverend gentleman stated the case in very vigorous fashion; and yet who will contend that he did not speak with authority?

With evils existing and growing all about us, who will say that we cannot serve God at the ballot box as certainly as in the church?

The man who, on the Sabbath day, sings "Lead, kindly light," and then, on election day, casts his ballot in support of policies advanced in the interests of those who oppress the weak and the helpless, is by no means discharging his duty.

Doubtless there are many conscientious Christian men who vote with the trust magnates through ignorance; and yet as much as it is the duty of the Christian to search the scriptures in order that he may not be misled, so it is his duty to observe carefully the policies advanced by political organizations that call for his vote.

As much as it is the duty of the Christian to refrain from doing evil in the ordinary affairs of life, to withhold his endorsement from questionable transactions, to hurt nobody and to give every one his just due, it is also his duty to withhold his endorsement from political parties or political candidates who would so arrange the policies of the government that the few may live in luxury while the many must struggle for bare existence. It is not only his duty to vote, but it is his duty to vote right; and voting right means that he must make an intelligent and patriotic study of the principles and policies advocated by the respective political parties and, without regard to the prejudices of the past, cast his vote with those who seem most willing to bring about the best government and to establish policies that will result in the greatest good to the greatest number.

We may, indeed, serve God at the ballot box as certainly as in the church; and when the majority of the American people come to appreciate this clear-cut statement, whenever God is as faithfully served at the ballot box as he is in the church, it may be depended upon that the era of trusts, of imperialism, of spoils politics and of corruption will be at an end, and the probability of evils in our public life will be reduced to the minimum.—The Commoner.

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Her Private Opinion.

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His Test of Greatness.

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Coughing Spell Caused Death.

Harry Duckwell, aged five years, choked to death yesterday morning at his home in the presence of his wife. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday he was seized with a fit which continued for a few minutes, but he could not breathe, and he died. The cause was a coughing spell which came on from a cold contracted a few days ago. He was buried yesterday.

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matron's footman. Patti admired it. "It's such an original idea," she said. "How did you discover it?" "Oh!" the matron replied confidentially. "It dates from my great-great-grandfather."

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"Twenty-five cents without gas and fifty cents if you take gas," said the dentist.

"I don't want any gas," said the farmer.

"I admire your courage," replied the dentist. "Most people want to take gas."

"Oh, it isn't me; it's my wife that's going to have the tooth out," explained the farmer.—New York Tribune.

He Found a Cure.

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