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SUPPORTING HJR 18

Texas voters who go to the polls on November 7 should not allow their enthusiasm and interest in the presidential election to detract from the importance of the two constitutional amendments to be voted upon at this time. Too many good citizens show an indifferent attitude toward proposed changes in our constitution—in many instances they do not even take the time to acquaint themselves with the amendments, and, therefore, cannot cast an intelligent vote.

One Amendment, HJR 18, would change up our present tax structure and bring it up-to-date. Constitutional tax limitations enacted more than half a century ago are still in effect. Post-war work can be greatly enhanced by the adoption of this sensible change in our present out-moded system. At present we face an emergency with two alternatives. Re-allocation of our tax money as provided by the amendment or an increase in valuation of property for tax rendition.

The Constitution of Texas limits county tax levies to 80c on each \$100 as follows: 25c for the general fund; 25c for the permanent improvement fund; 15c for the road and bridge fund; and 15c for the jury fund. This structure was set up when the constitution was adopted. It has had three amendments, the last in 1906.

The proposed amendment provides that by countywide ballot of property owners, officials of any Texas county can be authorized to reallocate tax money to meet today's rapidly changing conditions, such as

ity to be limited to a period of six years, when new property owner permission would be necessary to continue the program in effect. The constitutional total limit of 80c is retained. Herein in the possibility of financing future activities which might require funds not now available, and definitely unavailable except through an increase in rendition of taxable property.

An example: Any county facing distress in its general fund might increase the present statutory limit of 25c to 40c and compensate by reducing the levy for other funds, if necessary, to remain within the legal limit of 80c.

The plan is optional with all counties. The proposed amendment does not mandate an readjustment or re-allocation. It merely authorizes such action where it is desirable. The tax structure of no county is involved except by special vote of authority from each county's property owners.

Not one dissenting vote was cast in either house of the 1943 Texas Legislature when this constitutional amendment was authorized.

Gems of Thought

COMBINED ACTION

When Crew and Captain understand each other to the core,

It takes a gale and more than a gale to put their ship ashore.

—Kipling.

The great and the little have need of one another.—Thoms Fuller.

Men will find that they can prepare with mutual aid far more easily what they need, and avoid far more easily the perils which beset them on all sides, by united forces.—Spinoza.

Individuals, as nations, unite harmoniously on the basis of justice, and this is accomplished when self is lost in Love—or God's own plan of salvation.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The greatness of modern, as compared with medieval or ancient civilization is that it possesses a larger stock of demonstrated truth.—J. R. Seeley.

We are coming to see that there should be no stifling of Labor by Capital, or of Capital by Labor; and also that there should be no stifling of Labor by Labor, or of Capital by Capital.—John D. Rockefeller.

An Emergency Operation on Bougainville Island



In a dugout surgery deep in the jungle of a South Pacific island, Army doctors (left to right) Captains Charles E. Trowland, Baltimore, Maryland; William G. Watson, Baltimore; and Harold G. Shulman, Binghamton, New York, perform an emergency operation on a wounded American soldier, Sergeant William J. Marsden (right), Medical Department soldier from New York City, watches the patient's condition.



I GIVE YOU TEXAS

by BOYCE HOUSE



This column is dedicated to Texas fighting men abroad.

Today's column is dedicated to a home-front campaign that is supporting their fight for democracy and freedom—the National War Fund.

I know of no better way to show our appreciation for our men abroad than by all-out support of the statewide campaign for the fund that provides aid for our own men in service, for their allies, and for suffering war victims throughout the world.

In every Texas county this week, local leaders are in the final stages of their campaigns for the war fund. Some have already surpassed their goals; others are working hard in order to go "over the top" before the drive ends.

Each county has its war fund quota and its campaign goal. The campaign goal, however, is merely something to shoot at—a point toward which to strive. The real goal is all-out support of the war—a nice contribution by every man, woman and child.

The campaign goal is the "floor" not the "ceiling" of giving. Humanity knows no limit. Every county should contribute to the limit of its ability to the fund that backs up the efforts of our fighting men on every front.

Let's look for a moment at the record and see where the money goes. More than 43 per cent of every war fund contribution goes to our own fighting men, through USO and USO Camp Shows. This service goes to our men at both home and abroad, following them even to battle areas.

Seven and a half per cent of your contribution goes to our own men in enemy prison camps, in the form of books, games, sporting and athletic equipment, study courses and other morale-building supplies. Thus your gift helps combat the dread "barbed wire sickness," through aid to our own men who have been captured in battle by the enemy.

Four per cent of your gift goes to merchant seamen, who have so bravely stuck to their dangerous posts, carrying men and supplies to invasion points. Eighteen per cent is spent on behalf of war refugees in combat zones, easing the suffering of millions of helpless men, women and children. Five per cent goes for relief in occupied zones, and another five per cent for service to United Nations armed forces, other than our own.

Other small amounts are expended through National War Fund agencies to alleviate suffering brought on by the war, and a very small percentage is set aside as a contingency fund for use of all agencies in case of emergency.

Less than three and a half per cent of the money you give is expended in campaign costs. That is important, for it means that there is no wastage, that your contribution actually does the job for which you gave it.

The National War Fund—represented locally by your own county war fund—is the nation's great agency for support of the war. It represents the conscience of America, and America's answer to the call of humanity.

Our boys are fighting on a dozen fronts for all the things we hold dear. We can't let them down now!

Help make your county campaign a success by giving, and giving generously. Answer the call in the words of the campaign slogan:

"Sure, I'll Give a Texan's Share!"

The wise man conceals how much he thinks of himself; and how little he thinks of others.

Medical Technicians Needed By Army; Wacs Seek Enlistees

Women of Knoxville who have a personal interest in the success of our Armed Forces and have been seriously wondering what they can do to help our soldiers in the fight toward victory can learn how they may find their place in the scene by contacting Mrs. B. B. Campbell of Knoxville. Mrs. Campbell, civilian recruiting aide for the Womens Army Corps, has new information on women's service with the Medical Department, as well as with other branches of the Army.

Right now there is a vital and urgent need for medical and surgical technicians who can care for wounded soldiers returning home from the battlefield. For those women who are already trained in such a necessary field, there are many vacancies awaiting them so that, immediately upon completion of their basic training, they will step into a job where they can know they are working for the fighting men who have been in the thick of the struggle; on the other hand, women who have had no training in hospital work can receive valuable education that will enable them to take their place in the war effort right now, as well as training them for post-war jobs and future opportunities.

Knox City women can now serve as a Wac with the medical department working in an Army hospital. They will wear the uniform of their country; and their insignia will be the Caduceus, emblem of the medical department, Army of the United States. Here is the chance for women of this community to help mend the war-torn bodies and restore the minds of soldiers who have been on the firing lines. The need for women in the Army is greater than ever, especially the need for medical and hospital technicians in Army hospitals.

Join The Red Cross—Do Your Bit

ODT Aids Buyers of Used Motor Vehicles

Information from the Treasury Procurement Division in regard to sale of used army motor equipment is being distributed by the Office of Defense Transportation to would-be buyers in this area. The ODT does not participate in sales in any way other than to certify to the treasury division the eligibility of a purchaser.

If a truck is sought for farm use, the applicant should get a letter of recommendation from his local County Farm Transportation Committee. With such a letter he then should obtain assurance from the ODT that he is eligible for a Certificate of War Necessity.

If the buyer is seeking a truck for commercial usage, he should contact the district office of the ODT for a certification that he is eligible for a Certificate of War Necessity. If the purchaser is seeking to institute a new operation, it will be necessary for him to show it is essential to the war effort or civilian economy and file formal application with the ODT to inaugurate the service.

Treasury Procurement advises that the purchaser should contact a retail dealer and make known his needs. The dealer takes his customer with him to view the available vehicles. The dealer also may buy vehicles and take chances on selling them later.

Dealers are notified of dates and places of sales. All sales are subject to OPA ceiling.

Recent notices from Treasury Procurement include a sale at Camp Livingston, Alexandria, La., and one at Camp Howse, Gainesville, Texas, October 30.

Two pints makes one quart.

There must be not a balance of power, but a community of power; not organized rivalries, but an organized common peace.—Woodrow Wilson

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Health Letter

Pellagra, even though not a communicable disease, is of concern to public health officials in Texas since many people die of pellagra in this state every year. The disease is caused by the lack of certain essential foods and since it comes on slowly may not be recognized until the victim begins to have the more serious symptoms such as sore mouth, stomach trouble, and reddening and scaling of the skin.

"When these symptoms appear, the disease has been present for some time," says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "The longer a person has pellagra the harder it is to cure. Consequently it is well to watch for the early symptoms such as nervousness, indigestion, and burning of the hands and feet. In its advanced stages pellagra may become so severe as to seriously affect the mind."

Pellagra is not contagious. Dr. Cox pointed out, and he emphasized that it can be prevented entirely by including the right kinds of foods in the daily diet. These essential foods include milk, fresh meat, whole wheat products, brewer's yeast, salmon, tomatoes, and other fresh fruits and vegetables. By including these foods in the daily diet, any individual can rest assured that pellagra will not constitute a menace to his health.

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Over-Age Men Being Reclassified Rapidly By Local Draft Board

The following official changes have been made in Selective Service classifications. All registrants over 38 yrs. of age will be classified in Class 4-A as rapidly as Local Boards can make the changes. Registrants who have been discharged from the service will be classified 1-C(Disc) as rapidly as the changes can be made. Registrants in military service passed 36 yrs. of age and classified in Class 1-C(H) will be reclassified in Class 1-C.

The following registrants were reclassified by the Knox County Local Board at their regular meeting on Tuesday, October 24.

1-A—Askelon J. Stogner, Robert T. Capps, Rupert V. Williams.

1-C(Inducted)—Charlie Keck, Verne L. Rabe, Joseph T. Nunley, Sherman Colley (enlisted), Alston M. Morrow.

1-C(Discharged)—William W. Moorhouse, Carl Harlan, Glenver Draper, Danasiano Fernandez, Carl Womack, Oscar McNulty, Hassell L. Hill, Manuel E. Davilla, Jr., Billy Cheek, Louis Dowd, William Pack, Frank Riley, Rufus P. Eason, Kelton Kemp, David Huddleston, Julius Moore, Jim M. Blackburn, Clifford C. Cluck, Willie Napper, Leslie Darr, Johnnie Wolfe, Alton Robinson, Marlon Robertson, John Reynolds, James T. Randolph, Robert Lee, James Culley, Joe Richards, Ben Browning, Raymond Jones, Marion Hanson, William Boggs.

2-B—Wilburn McMurry, Woodrow Thompson.


2-C—Robert McPhearson.

2-C(F)—Fred Broach, Jr.

4-F—Stanley Speck.

4-A—Eugene Payne, John Stilwell, Robert Norman, Coy Phillips, George Kirkland, Ross Griffith, Thomas P. Lowry, William Lankford, John A. Smith, Krespin Ybarra, Lonny, John Vernal, Burnison, Hoyle Sullins, John Trainham, Alois Duesterhaus, James Forrest, Emmet C. Wallace, Preston Henry, Turner Batv, Howard Hickson, Charlie Lane, William Ray, Henry Chaffin, Charles Partin, Carl Dawson, Ray Martin, Clifton Moorman, Henry Followill, Gillie Neal, Grady Jenkins, William Pierce, Riley Harrell, Melvin Beach, Murval Jackson, Mervall Hallmark, Terry L. Harrison, Walter Napcer, Onie Smith, John M. Bradberry, Joe Brown, Lee Perdue, Reginald Walling, Claude Booe, Harold Erickhouse, Marrion Wood, Jodie Parks, Roy Dodson, Thomas Wright, John Brown, Sam Stone, Claude Denham.

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Lutheran Church Stays With Boys At Front


Most of the folks "back home", including nearly all churches, are interested in both physical and spiritual welfare of the boys who are "giving the most" for the cause of freedom. That is especially true of the Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod). Acting through a trained personnel, each and every soldier whose name is placed upon the files of the Army and Navy Commission (221 North LaSalle St., Chicago) receives a complete weekly service, printed complete with hymns and sermon. Upon request, any soldier may obtain free of charge a New Testament and a special Service Prayer book, along with other literature of a spiritual nature. That this service is appreciated by the service men is shown by the many letters of appreciation mailed to the commission in Chicago.

Anyone who knows of a soldier who wants more to read may send the name and address of that soldier to either: The Army and Navy Commission of the Lutheran Church, 221 LaSalle St., Chicago 1, Ill., or to Rev. H. G. Lohrmann, Sagerton, Texas, and that soldier will receive the requested literature which has gladdened the heart of many a service man.

Incidentally, the above mentioned Commission deals directly with Army officials and thus anything mailed through those channels will reach the men more surely and quickly than if sent by an individual.

(Consult church directory of this newspaper for time and place of the Lutheran services held in Knox City.

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Now Is Time for Peach Borer Control Says County HD Agent

In many cases the peach tree borer causes serious injury and the premature death of many fruit trees whenever treatment is neglected. Peach and plum trees that are weakened by the attack of peach borers are susceptible to attack by other insects, such as hot hole borers and lesser peach tree borers, and scale. When the trees become heavily infested with these borers, there is little that can be done to save the trees or make them productive again. The presence of dark brown, moist sawdust and exuding gum, two to three inches below the ground or eight to ten inches above the ground, is a good indication that borers are working in the tree.

The control of borers is simple, effective, and not expensive. Paradichlorobenzene crystals (PDB) are commonly used to control peach tree borers. Use one ounce PDB crystals per tree for mature trees, one-half to three-fourths ounce for immature trees, and one and one-half ounces for extremely large trees. Before the PDB crystals are applied around the tree, they should be rolled or crushed to a fineness about the size of sugar grains.

When To Control Peach Borers
For North Texas applications may be made between October 1 and October 20. For South Texas applications should be made between October 20 and November 15, or in other words make treatment before temperature drops below 65 degrees F. and remains there for several days.

How To Apply PDB Crystals
Remove all the grass and weeds three or four inches from the tree trunk, and if the borers are working above the ground, build the ground line up above where the borers are working. Apply the crystals in a one-inch band, one to one and a half inches from the trunk, then cover the crystals with a few shovelful of dirt and pack it down. (Caution: soil should be fairly dry.) In about four weeks go back and remove mound and crystals from the tree.

The lesser peach tree borer works in the upper part of the tree trunk and also in the scaffold branches. This pest causes considerable damage in much the same way as the base borer or the true peach tree borer. Treatment for the control may be given at the same time that they are given for the peach tree borer. Dissolve one pound of PDB crystals in one-half gallon of crude cottonseed or linseed oil. Paint with a small paint brush on the infested parts only, after removing the exuding gum and grass.

"Achievement Day" Exhibit On October 28

An Achievement Day exhibit will be held in the building formerly occupied by Bonnie's Beauty Shop in the Lowrey building, October 28. This exhibit will be sponsored by the Sunset, Brock and Union Grove Home Demonstration Clubs. The exhibits will be on display during the entire day.

The club women will have on exhibit the phases of work, food, clothing and home improvements carried out this year in club work.

Members of the clubs have worked hard this year under the leadership of Miss Lucille King and have made good advancement in their work. The exhibit is being put on for the public benefit and the clubs are anxious to have each and every one visit the booths during the day.

—Reporter.

The Family Altar

By Rev. Violet Byers
Co-Pastor, Foursquare Church

It is indeed a privilege to be able to gather around the Family Altar to worship a true and living God, one who is ever mindful of His children, and who has provided for our every need just as we as parents provide for our children, and in turn expect our children to obey our commands. Surely our Father God expects us to obey Him also.

Many times as a small child I willfully disobeyed my parents, and because of the disobedience had to sacrifice some pleasure or perhaps be denied some special treat that had been promised for obedience. There are many instances in the Bible where something had to be sacrificed because of disobedience. King Saul learned after he had lost his kingdom that it would have been much better to obey the Lord than to sacrifice his position as king. When God says in His word that if we will do what He commands then He in turn will do certain things for us. God means exactly what He says.

Many farmers today are complaining because their crops have failed, perhaps because of lack of rain or again sudden frosts have killed the crops. Some farmers have insurance on their crops and again others do not. But if we will turn in our Bibles to Malachi 3:10 we will find God's promise for our crops if we will obey Him. It says in this scripture, "Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse that there may be meat in mine house and prove Me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of Heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it. And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes, and he shall not destroy the fruits of your ground; neither shall your vine cast her fruit before the time in the field, saith the Lord of hosts."

Truly, dear ones, that is the greatest insurance that anyone could possibly have. Many people do not understand what God means when He says to bring the TITHE into the storehouse. The TITHE belongs to God. It is His share of your crop. One tenth is His, and God says if you will bring your tithe into HIS STOREHOUSE or CHURCH that there might be meat in His house, god is talking here of SPIRITUAL MEAT. He has promised to protect your crop and pour you out a blessing that you will not be able to contain.

Surely it proves to each one that the loving Father is concerned about His children and asks us to pay our tithe that others may be fed; and truly, obedience is much better than sacrifice. Always remember that Jesus loves you and is concerned about you. God bless you all.

Rev. Violet Byers and the FAMILY ALTAR (Paid)

Tech Homecoming Day, November 25th

Annual Homecoming day at Texas Technological College has been set for Saturday, November 25. That afternoon the Tech Red Raiders will play a football game with Southern Methodist University Mustangs in Tech stadium.

The Tech Alumni and Ex-Students association has planned a noon buffet luncheon for all alumni and ex-students at the 1944 Luncheon from 11:30 to 1. This event is sponsored by the Texas-New Mexico Oklahoma Coaches and the Lubbock Bus Co. Probably 1000 exes are expected to attend this luncheon.

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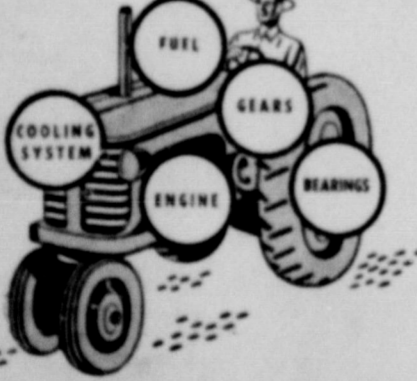
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