

STATEMENT OF COKE STEVENSON
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Jack Porter F

JACK PORTER, A TRUE FRIEND OF THE OIL INDUSTRY

At the outbreak of the war, crude oil prices were frozen at a price far below the cost of finding and producing. June 14, 1944, Lyndon Johnson cast his vote against an amendment to an O.P.A. Bill (see Congressional Record, June 14, 1944, page 5920) permitting the price of oil to be raised to a price within 80 per cent of a parity price of other commodities as reported by the U.S. Dept. of Labor. He was the only Congressman from Texas who voted against this amendment. If he had voted with all the other Texas Congressmen in the first vote taken, the result of the vote would have been a tie instead of the amendment losing by two votes.

Inasmuch as Texas produces about half of the oil produced in the United States, he was not voting for the welfare of the people of the State of Texas and, as the stimulation of oil production was so badly needed for war use, he was not voting for the war effort. It is not known what influence dictated his vote, but it is difficult to find a wholesome influence that would cause him to cast such a vote. This vote was a vote against the oil field workers and their wage raises which have subsequently attended the increases in the price of crude oil. It was a vote against the royalty owners and oil producers. It was a vote against every person who owns an acre of land, every person who makes a living in Texas and neighboring states. Since this amendment was so manifestly fair, find out who Porter's opponent was voting for.

This shows the kind of friend Johnson would be to the oil industry in the Senate. Texas nearly always re-elects its Senators for life unless they voluntarily retire, as Senator O'Daniel did.

It is to the interest of everyone who is affected by the welfare of the oil industry to do whatever he can to help in Jack Porter's campaign. Call to the attention of your friends in Texas the significance of Johnson's vote on this amendment and ask them to study his entire record as a Congressman and as an office seeker — ask them to work for Jack Porter, a fine man, a clear thinker, and a constructive worker for the welfare of the oil industry and all the people of Texas. He will be a Senator similar to Ed Moore of Oklahoma, a Democrat elected on the Republican ticket, and Jim Eastland of Mississippi. He will be a statesman of whom the nation will be proud.

DEMOCRATS FOR JACK PORTER — Reuben Williams, Chairman.

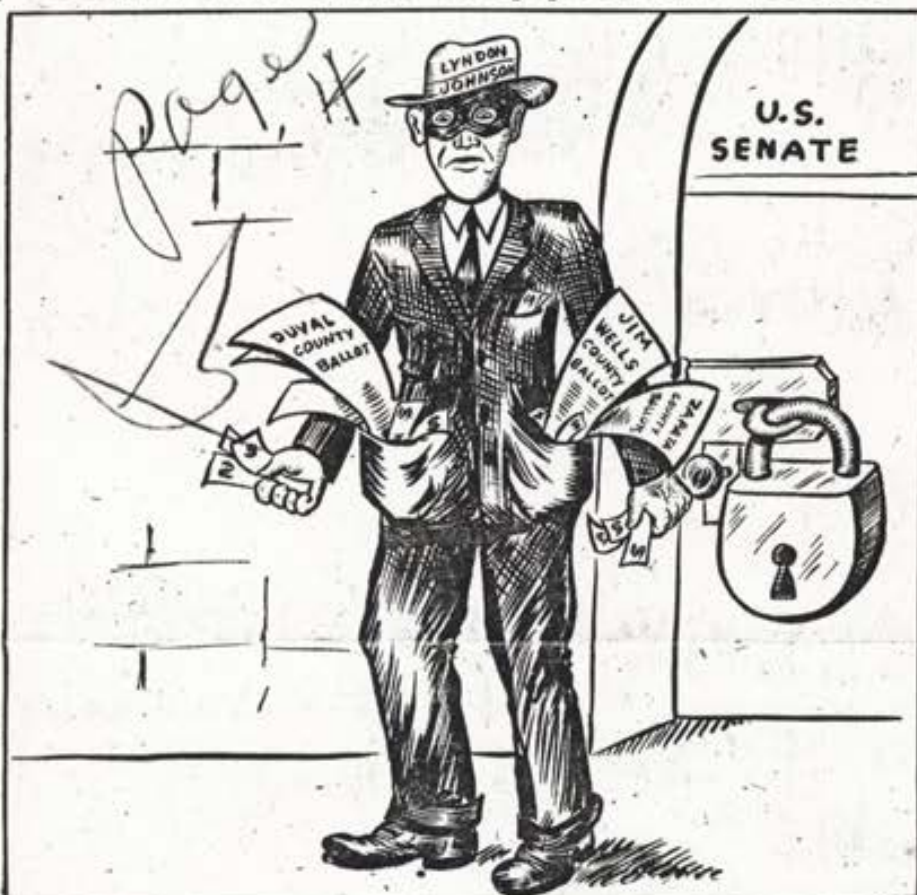
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HUGE PROTEST VOTE INSURES PORTER VICTORY

Don't Let This Happen in Texas



Anti-Johnson Sentiment Grows Throughout Texas

The Jack Porter for U. S. Senator boom started fast in Texas and it has grown to such a point that it is now certain that Lyndon Johnson will be beaten in the General Election on November 2 just as he was beaten in the voting (but not in the counting of the 'votes') in the Democratic primary.

Never before has a public crusade spread so fast in Texas. The people of the State, angered by the obvious irregularities in the counting of ballots in South Texas, and certain in their minds that Lyndon Johnson has no right to his place on the ballot, have switched to Jack Porter as their Senatorial choice.

Porter Has Big Lead In Dallas

Porter, a Democrat until 1949, is the ideal man for a crusade of this nature. A successful businessman who was born on a farm, of humble but highly respectable parents, he has fought his way to the top by sheer American courage and intelligence. He is a fighter from the word go and his militant crusade up and down the State has fired the imagination of the people.

Press Support

Thirty-two major newspapers in Texas have risen to his support. Led by Coke Stevenson, thousands of Democratic leaders throughout the nation have rallied round his standard. The rank and file, certain in their minds that the only salvation of democracy is the honest ballot, have made up their minds to "throw the rascals out" by voting for Jack Porter rather than to allow flagrant and widespread election frauds to succeed in this State.

The fact that Lyndon Johnson fought with might and main to prevent any investigation of the frauds in Jim Wells, Duval and Zapata counties has turned his former friends against him. Former Johnson leaders everywhere in Texas have announced their disgust at the candidate's efforts to win at any price and have declared themselves for Fighting Jack Porter, the only legal nominee in the race.

Never Be Tested

The fact that Lyndon Johnson, if he were elected, would never be seated in the United States Senate has influenced many. They reason that a vote for Lyndon Johnson is a vote thrown down the gutter. A vote for Jack Porter will be counted. It represents a voice in the selection of our Senatorial representation from Texas. A vote for Lyndon Johnson is a vote condoning ballot-box stuffing and the voting of dead persons and fictional persons in those counties where this was practiced during the runoff election.

When the people of Texas found out that everybody listed in one box in Jim Wells County as 'voting', who was asked if he had indeed voted, answered a firm "No" to the question, they became enraged. They also became enraged when political bosses in South Texas be-

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MEET JACK PORTER

Jack Porter was born on a farm in Parker County on February 21, 1896, the youngest of seven children. He was only four when his father died and he worked his way through school delivering meat for his brother's butcher shop.

He attended the public schools at Weatherford, helping to maintain his mother by working during the summers as a ranch hand and as a roadmaster's clerk on the T & P railroad.

When he was graduated from high school in 1915 he went to work as a bookkeeper in a country bank. After two years he went into business for himself and has been his own boss ever since.

He enlisted in the U. S. Army in 1918 as a private and he served his time in uniform as an enlisted man. He did not seek a cushy office job in the Army. Jack Porter knew the U. S. Army needed riflemen and that's what he was.

When he got out of service—and he did not get out until the shooting had stopped and the job was

IMPORTANT!

You did not take a pledge to vote for the Democratic nominees in the General Election.

Even if you had, the State Supreme Court has held such pledges would be illegal and not binding.

Lyndon Johnson, in any case, is NOT the legal nominee of the Democratic Part. His so-called "nomination" was secured by illegal and fraudulent methods. To vote for him would be to allow those methods to succeed.

There is nothing to stop you from voting as your conscience dictates on November 2. The choice is between Jack Porter, the champion of clean elections, and Lyndon Johnson, the announced defender of the Jim Wells, Duval and Zapata county manner of holding elections.

Let your conscience — and nothing else — be your guide.

completed—he returned to Texas and went into the oil business in a small way. He has gone up the ladder in the great American tradition—step by step—always showing leadership and courage—never forgetting his humble beginnings.

He has served as President of the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners for two years

and he has been an acknowledged leader in the industry which has formed the backbone of the prosperity and progress of Texas.

Jack Porter married Ilena Campbell, of Weatherford, in 1917 and on October 4 the Porters celebrated their 31st wedding anniversary. They have one son, Jack Jr., and two grandchildren.

Jack Porter will carry Dallas County by 17,000 votes, according to a recent poll conducted along scientific lines in fifteen carefully selected precincts in the county.

Fifteen hundred telephone calls showed the following results:

PORTER	763	59.9%
Johnson	578	37.2%
Undecided	269	11.9%

Clear Majority

These figures give Porter an undisputed majority. However, it is also the experience of those taking the polls that the great majority of those answering undecided are members of normally minority parties. Thus, approximately 70 per cent of the undecided responses are presumed to come from people who are going to throw off the brass collar and vote against Lyndon Duval County Johnson.

Harris County, Too

Indications are that Porter will also carry Harris County by a tremendous margin. (Some experts place it as high as 25,000. The least encouraging estimate is 15,000.) Bexar County and Tarrant County will also return large Porter majorities while the "Stevenson counties" in West Texas have already indicated large anti-Johnson majorities. It is expected that the East Texas counties, angered by the negro infiltration in the Democratic convention in Fort Worth and the violent left-wing leadership which took over at that fiasco will also rise in their wrath against Duval County Johnson, the man who engineered the Fort Worth "deal" with the Reds.

The CIO bosses say Lyndon Johnson is their favorite Congressman. Vote for Jack Porter for U. S. Senator.

Porter vs. Johnson Which Is the Texan?

Jack Porter stands for the Taft-Hartley law and will oppose all attempts to weaken or destroy it. (Lyndon Johnson carries the endorsement of the CIO. His candidate for president is pledged to throw the Taft-Hartley law out.)

Jack Porter stands for States Rights and will fight any attempt to destroy those rights. (Lyndon Johnson has been endorsed by Henry A. Wallace, the most rabid enemy of States Rights in America today. His candidate for President is violently opposed to States Rights.)

Jack Porter stands for clean elections. (Lyndon Johnson had his name put on the Democratic ticket because of fraud and deceit perpetrated in his name. Lyndon Johnson resisted violently any attempt to make certain of an honest count in Duval, Zapata and Jim Wells counties.)

Jack Porter has pledged himself to throw the Communists out of our Government. (Lyndon Johnson has NEVER voted against the Communists in Congress. He has voted alongside Vito Marcantonio and other Communist-line Congressmen upon three occasions on behalf of the Reds in our government. The Communist spy-ring was born and flourished in Washington right under Lyndon Johnson's nose and he never lifted a finger to do anything against it.)

Jack Porter is thoroughly opposed to any attempt to steal the precious Texas tidelands away from the school children of this State. (Lyndon Johnson has promised to "uphold the Democratic platform in every regard" and that platform pledges the Democratic party to the seizure of those tidelands.)

Jack Porter is for reduction of your taxes. He claims good business methods can eliminate hundreds of unnecessary bureaus and cut other bureaus down to an efficient minimum without hindering in any way the power and effectiveness of the nation. (Lyndon Johnson voted THREE TIMES during the latest session of Congress to KEEP YOUR TAXES HIGH. He is an old line New Dealer, a member of the tax and tax, spend and spend, elect and elect school of politics. He has consistently voted AGAINST all economy measures in Congress and has never once voted to reduce your taxes.)

Jack Porter is for a continuation and extension of the bipartisan foreign policy. (Lyndon Johnson has declared himself as opposed to this policy. He says Republicans should not have a share in our foreign policy, presumably because the Republicans are too unfriendly toward Russia.)

Jack Porter comes to the people of Texas with clean hands. WHEN ELECTED HE WILL BE SEATED. (Lyndon Duval County Johnson's hands are at least tattle-tale grey. The best legal minds in Texas and in Washington have said LYNDON JOHNSON WOULD NEVER BE SEATED IN THE SENATE if, by any chance, he were elected to that office. The Senate is not in the habit of seating men whose nomination has been secured by fraud.)

Why Reds Support Lyndon

Some people have been puzzled as to why the Communist Party has thrown its support so strongly behind Lyndon Johnson. The answer is not hard to find.

Lyndon Johnson has NEVER ONCE voted against the Communists in our Government during his twelve years in Congress. On three occasions he voted right alongside Vito Marcantonio and other left-wing radicals to help the Communists. The Communies would be downright ungrateful to do anything less than support him.

Pro-Moscow Vote

On April 18, 1946 Lyndon Johnson voted AGAINST allowing the Judiciary Committee of the House investigate espionage charges in connection with the theft and possession of secret State documents. This was at a time when the Russian Spy Ring was operating full blast under Lyndon's nose in Washington. He voted AGAINST trying to prevent them from undermining our Government.

Jack Porter would have voted for this measure. Jack Porter is pledged to throw the Reds out of our Government.

Against Spy Hunt

On May 17, 1946 Lyndon Johnson voted AGAINST an appropriation to allow the Congressional Un-American Activities Committee to continue its investigations of the Communist methods. The disclosures made by the committee were becoming too embarrassing to the fellow-traveler and radical politicians in Washington and Lyndon wanted those disclosures stopped, just as he wanted the disclosures of voting frauds in the Valley Counties stopped during the recent primary.

Jack Porter would have voted for this appropriation. Jack Porter believes the Un-American Activities committee is a potent watchdog against the infiltration of a Red Fifth Column in this country.

Against Supervision

On April 30, 1947 Lyndon Johnson voted AGAINST a bill which would limit the distribution of American relief to Russian dominated countries to those Governments which would allow Americans to supervise that relief. This bill was planned to prevent the Russians appropriating this relief for themselves. It was also planned to prevent another situation such as existed at Pearl Harbor, when American-manufactured bombs were dropped upon decent, upstanding American boys in the famed sneak-attack. Lyndon Johnson voted with Vito Marcantonio on this bill to make the stealing of American relief safe for the Russians.

Jack Porter would have voted for this bill. He does not believe in allowing the Russians to pull another Pearl Harbor on this country.

Share with Stalin

Lyndon Johnson, while on the Atomic Energy committee of the House, voted to SHARE OUR ATOMIC SECRETS WITH THE RUSSIAN COMMUNISTS! That was a little more than a year ago. Jack Porter would have fought any such proposal to the death.

It's no wonder the Communists are all out for brother Lyndon. He's their bright haired boy.

Oh yes, one other thing. The type of election Lyndon favors—the kind of elections they hold down in Duval, Zapata, Jim Wells and Starr counties—is exactly the kind of election the Communists like best. In those counties the boss votes for the people and we-betide the poor devil who tries to cast a vote

COKE SPEAKS HIS MIND

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Porter Victory

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gan "finding" extra Johnson votes as soon as it became apparent that their man was losing the election. They grew angrier still when stories of intimidation and brow-

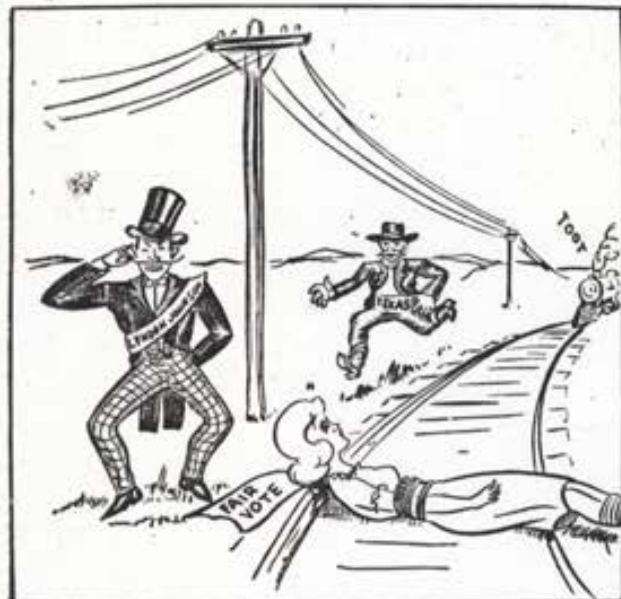
against the boss. That's the Moscow way—and that is the Lyndon Johnson way.

It is not Jack Porter's way and it is not the Texan way of practicing democracy.

beating came to light.

But, what made them maddest of all was the fact that Lyndon Johnson went screaming to the courts to prevent any further embarrassing disclosures concerning his 'election'. The fact that Lyndon ordered the Iron Curtain slammed down so the people of Texas could not know to what lengths his 'supporters' had gone in certain counties was the straw that broke the camel's back and turned the electorate against him.

Just in Time



Porter States Veteran Plan

Next Senator From Texas



JACK PORTER... fighting Houston businessman gives out with his victory smile as reports from all over the State show conclusively that his crusade against the Lyndon Johnson form of politics is succeeding. Porter, who has fought his campaign on the basis of a crusade for clean elections and against the Pendergast-Boss Hague type of politics in Texas. He is now the acknowledged favorite to win the race.

Lyndon Begins New Campaign

There has been some foolish talk going the rounds (spread by the New Deal gang) that Lyndon has this election in the bag. They are saying it will be close, but the boss-ridden counties of the Rio Grande Valley will elect Lyndon Johnson on November 2. They say Lyndon can just take it easy.

But Lyndon doesn't think so. Lyndon has bought seven statewide radio programs for a whirlwind campaign. Lyndon is making speeches against Jack Porter all over the State. Who says Lyndon isn't scared?

Really Scared

He is just as scared this time as he was scared of having a proper investigation of the voting frauds in Duval, Zapata and Jim Wells counties.

It's purely a matter of mathematics. He knows more people voted against him in the primaries than voted for him and that the same people are going to vote against him this time. He knows that tens of thousands of his former supporters have left him because of the voting frauds and his sudden reversion to the left-wing radical politics which he practised in the past.

And, above all—he knows that the bosses in the Rio Grande Valley are not going to steal for him this time. This is a Federal election and vote-stealing will mean a long stay in Leavenworth for the fellow who gets caught. The boys in Duval,

Jim Wells, Starr and Zapata counties will be watched like hawks this time. They know they have a good chance to be sent to jail for what they did in the primary. They are not going to stick out their necks again.

No wonder Lyndon is scared. No wonder he is campaigning like fury again. He's on his way out and he wants to go down fighting.

Absence Makes CIO Fonder

During the last Congress Lyndon Johnson was the MOST ABSENT member of the House in the entire Texas delegation, with the single exception of Milton West, from the Rio Grande Valley, who was so desperately ill during most of the session that he did not run for reelection this year.

Dodged Issues

Lyndon was absent seven times out of a possible sixteen times when the vote was on controversial issues. Each time he was absent he was ducking a 'hot potato' thrown at him. The seven Lyndon Johnson absenteeisms occurred on the bill to weaken the Labor Department, the Gearhart Resolution on Social Security, the Reed-Bullwinkle Act, the Anti-Poll Tax bill, the Mundt-Nixon Bill (to outlaw Communists), the TVA Steam Plant Bill (a showdown on Socialistic control of public utilities) and the Three-Year trade pact dispute.

On the same sixteen issues, Senator Tom Connally was absent only once. Senator O'Daniel was absent only once. (Both were relatively

JACK PORTER SAYS:

By JACK PORTER

Don't look for any helicopters in my campaign. I am touring the State at the grass-roots and I'm not interested in putting on any circus side-shows along the way.

I am for the Taft-Hartley law, States Rights, retaining possession of our precious tidelands for the school children of Texas, a strong Army and Navy, a bi-partisan international policy, and lower taxes for the people.

Taxes can be lowered if we use common business sense in our Government and throw out the hundreds of useless bureaus we now have in Washington and cut down the other bureaus to an efficient minimum. This will make our Government more rather than less efficient. It will eliminate only the deadwood that has accumulated after 16 years of New Deal rule.

I am for clean government and clean elections. I shall not accept a single questionable vote and I shall be the first one to demand an investigation if there is any evidence of a fraudulent ballot cast on my behalf. The ballot must be kept sacred and clean if our Democracy is to survive.

I shall co-operate with President Dewey to throw the Communists out of our Government when I go to Washington. There will be no pussy-footing on this important subject with me as your Senator.

I am also for an intelligent program of vocational training for our new draftees so they will never be demobilized again without proper education in their desired life-work. We have been very negligent along these lines and it is high time that this country realizes fully its responsibility and debt toward these fine young citizens. I have made an intensive study of this subject and I have been greatly pleased at the enthusiastic reception my plan has been given by veterans and veteran leaders throughout Texas and the nation. Your sons will not be let down again if I am your Senator from Texas.

After the Democratic State Executive Committee stopped switching votes around right and left over at the Fort Worth convention last month they finally decided, by a vote of 29 to 28, that Lyndon Johnson was the Democratic nominee for Senator. When the election's "honesty" was upheld by one vote, an observer likened Lyndon's position to that of the man who could prove he was honest because he had been acquitted of burglary six times.

minor bills.) J. Frank Wilson was absent once. Gene Worley was absent twice. Sam Rayburn was absent twice. Wright Patman was absent once. Ed Gossett was absent twice. Congressmen Pickett, Beckworth, Fisher, Mahon and Teague were not absent at any time.

When Lyndon can't help the CIO or the Commies he is just naturally not around when time for voting comes.

Jack Porter, the legal candidate for United States Senator, startled Texas this week with the most forward-looking program for returned veterans offered thus far in the entire United States.

The program calls for an extensive vocational training course which will enable every veteran desirous of the opportunity to be trained extensively and exhaustively in the career he wants to follow in civilian life.

Probe Puts Lyndon on Hot Spot

Does the State of Texas want a Senator who has done everything in his power to prevent an honest count in the election which put his name on the ballot?

That's the question Texans must answer on November 2—and every indication so far is that they will answer it with a resounding NO!

Want Answers

The people of Texas want to know why Lyndon Johnson was afraid of opening those ballot boxes down in Jim Wells County? What was in those boxes—and what was NOT in those boxes?

Several of the boxes were opened by court order. One was found to be completely EMPTY. Several were found to be lacking poll lists and tally sheets. At this point Lyndon's lawyers screamed for help and Supreme Court Justice Hugo Black obligingly told the Federal authorities to stop getting nosy about Lyndon's nomination. The investigation was getting downright embarrassing.

All Trucks Used

The sanctity of the ballot box is the foundation of our democracy. Lyndon Johnson, by using every legal trick in the entire bag to prevent the investigation of palpable frauds in Jim Wells, Duval and Zapata counties, was saying in effect: "The public be damned. I want to get into the Senate, period. I don't care if I am elected by fraudulent ballots. I don't care if someone stole it JUST SO LONG AS THEY STOLE IT MY WAY!"

A man who will not stand up for honest elections regardless of their outcome is not a fit man for the U. S. Senate. And he is a man who will never be seated in the United States Senate if he is elected.

When Judge Whitfield Davidson opened his investigations of the charges of fraud in the primary run-off he said: "If there is fraud, let us open the door and let the sunlight in." Whereupon Lyndon Johnson said: "Let's shut the door and keep the light out."

When Judge Davidson said he considered the best solution of the problem was to run the entire race all over again, Lyndon Johnson said: "NO!" That was an admission that he knew his boys could never steal enough votes again to put him at the head of any ticket, any where (except Duval, Jim Wells and Zapata counties), or any time.

The people of Texas do not want the Kansas City-Pendergast type of politics. They have shown they are willing and eager to throw the rascals out. The only way they can do this is to elect Jack Porter to the U. S. Senate. And that is exactly what they are going to do.

Elect the LEGAL Candidate for U. S. Senator. Protect the sanctity of your ballot. Vote for Jack Porter. He will be seated.

"There are no two ways about it," the smiling Houston businessman says. "We just haven't done right by the splendid boys who fought World War II. Thousands of these boys came out of the armed services poorly prepared for civilian life. Many of them went into uniform without any training in a skilled trade and then, after spending years in service, came out a mature adult with no wish to return to school and with no specific vocational background. This situation must be made better for the thousands of boys going into service today!"

Taught Thoroughly

The Porter plan calls for a vocational training course to be spread over the last few months a boy spends in uniform. This program would be an integral part of the boy's military service. He would be paid as a soldier but he would be learning the trade of his choice under the best available instructors and using the best available equipment. "In this way," Porter adds, "a boy comes out of service a man who can take his place immediately in the industrial life of the nation."

Porter, who fought as an enlisted man in World War I, pointed out that the need of industry for men well-trained in certain specialties is just as great as the need the men have for that training.

"I shall not make Texas the kind of Senator who merely mouths fine phrases and does nothing about them," Porter said. "I shall make a constructive Senator dealing with action rather than with words. And I believe that is the kind of Senator Texas wants."

Wallace Still Backs Lyndon

In 1941, when Lyndon Johnson was running for the Senate for the first time, he proudly announced from the stump that he was endorsed by Henry A. Wallace. He defended Henry Wallace as a business man and scoffed at criticism of Wallace's left wing tendencies.

During his campaign in 1948 Lyndon Johnson never denied the Wallace support and endorsement he had received.

Three weeks ago Henry A. Wallace, now the political candidate of the Communist-dominated Progressive Party, spoke in Houston. He lambasted Coke Stevenson and every other prominent Texas Democrat, with ONE EXCEPTION. He did not have ONE WORD to say AGAINST LYNDON R. JOHNSON!

Henry Wallace is not known for supporting conservatives, or even mild pink left-wingers. The folks he supports are the blood-red Communist line fellow travellers like Paul Robeson, Vito Marcantonio and Glenn Taylor. He no doubt is supporting Lyndon Johnson today because he REMEMBERS that Lyndon NEVER ONCE voted against the Communists during his twelve years in Congress and three times voted right alongside Vito Marcantonio in favor of the Communists.

CIO STILL FOR LYNDON

Will Give Help Again, Nov. 2

On August 11, 1947 the CIO News published an official blacklist of every Congressman in Washington who voted AGAINST the Taft-Hartley law. That blacklist made only one omission—and that omission was Lyndon B. Johnson, who now holds a highly questionable place as the Democratic "nominee" for U. S. Senator from Texas.

The CIO does not endorse candidates directly in Texas because that would be the kiss of death. It endorses candidates indirectly, by omitting their sweethearts from the official blacklist. Lyndon Johnson was omitted. That means he was endorsed by the Political Action Committee of the CIO.

Endorsement Effective

Did the endorsement work? It looked like magic.

Lyndon Johnson carried every CIO box in Texas by an overwhelming majority. Wherever the CIO Political Action Committee tells its members how to vote, Lyndon got those votes. The 15,000 CIO votes in Texas added to the several thousand stolen votes in South Texas put Lyndon's name on the ballot. He is the CIO's private little nominee for Senator.

What do you think he is going to do when the Taft-Hartley Law comes up for re-consideration next year? His vote in the House didn't matter. The Reds had a lost cause on their hands there. But in the

Senate the vote was close. A SWITCH OF THREE VOTES WOULD HAVE UPHELD THE TRUMAN VETO.

Wouldn't it make sense for the CIO to tell Lyndon to act like a Conservative in the House where his vote wouldn't count and then, when he is serving a six year term in the Senate, he could really give the people of Texas the good old double cross?

What Do You Think?

Don't you think that is the way the CIO has acted before? And don't you think that's the way it acted this time?

Lyndon Johnson's candidate for President has sworn, in the unlikely event he is put back in the White House, to have the Taft-Hartley Law destroyed. Do you think he would have publicly endorsed Lyndon in Dallas if he hadn't been assured that Lyndon would back him in his destruction of the Taft-Hartley Act.

The CIO blacklist is the roll-of-honor of American Congressmen who put their country above the inducements of the Red labor bosses in the North. Lyndon Johnson was not placed upon that roll-of-honor.

WHY IS THIS SO? WHY? WHY? WHY?

Look at Henry Wallace's endorsement of Lyndon Johnson. Look at the President's endorse-

LYNDON TOP CIO SOLON

The CIO News, the Communist-dominated organ of the left-wing union leaders in the North, lists, in its July 19, 1948 issue, the voting records of Texas Congressmen. It turns out that Lyndon Johnson is THE ONE CONGRESSMAN FROM TEXAS who comes closest to the CIO ideal.

The News lists the votes of Congressmen as wrong (for the CIO), right (for the CIO) or absent. Out of a total of 16 possible votes, Lyndon Johnson was judged to have voted wrong (according to the CIO) only three times.

Contest with Wilson

This red record is contrasted with that of Frank Wilson, Congressman from the Fifth District, who voted wrong (according to the CIO) ten times out of the sixteen. Pop-

ment of Lyndon Johnson. Look at the Railroad Brotherhood's endorsement of Lyndon Johnson. Look at Lyndon's pro-Communist voting record.

Look at all these things and then answer the question for yourself.

Remember—the Political Action Committee never forgives an enemy nor forgets a friend. When it endorsed Lyndon Johnson it knew exactly what it was doing. The endorsement was given because the CIO-PAC knew Lyndon was a boy who would do exactly what they wanted him to do.

ular Congressman Ed Gossett voted wrong nine times.

Even Sam Rayburn, who has been accused of following the Administration CIO line to the letter, voted wrong (according to the CIO) six times, or twice as often as the man who could conceivably be the next United States Senator from Texas.

No wonder Lyndon Johnson carries the endorsements of the CIO and of Henry A. Wallace. He is the STAR PUPIL of the CIO in Texas.

The CIO says it is starting an all-out drive to elect its ticket in Texas on November 2. Because of his voting record, Lyndon Johnson leads that ticket. He is the favorite son of the Political Action Committee of the CIO, because he has consistently voted alongside Vito Marcantonio, the Harry Wallace Progressive leader from the East Side of New York City.

Fewer than Twenty

Fewer than twenty Congressmen from the entire House (of more than 400 members) have voting records more in accord with the dictates of the Political Action Committee of the CIO.

In contrast, Senator Tom Connally of Texas has a record of having voted wrong (according to the CIO) eight times, while Senator W. Lee O'Daniel has the record of having voted against the CIO 15 times, while being absent one time. (A perfect score.) This is why the CIO wants Lyndon Johnson in the Senate as a replacement for Senator O'Daniel. By effecting the change, they would substitute for an implacable enemy of the Red labor bosses, the best friend the Commies ever had in Texas.

Be assured that Jack Porter will

Bosses Of CIO Listed

You know the Political Action Committee of the CIO is running Lyndon Johnson for the United States Senate in Texas. Perhaps you would like to know who is running the CIO-PAC.

Here is the line-up, as announced in the CIO News of July 19, 1948. Under the title "Men Who'll Lead" PAC in '48 Campaign" are listed: Philip Murray, the boss man himself; Walter Reuther, President of the Auto Workers; Jacob Potofsky, the bearded leader of the left-wing Clothing Workers; Emil Rieve, top man of the Textile Workers Union; David McDonald, of the United Steelworkers; Frank Rosenblum, of the Cloth-Workers, and Emil Mazey, of the Auto Workers.

Those are the boys who are plotting to take over Texas next year by electing Lyndon Johnson to the U.S. Senate by hook or by crook.

fight the Communists and the Political Action Committee of the CIO with the same vigor that Senator O'Daniel has shown. He has sworn to do battle against all subversive elements in our Government and he is a man of his word.

HOW TO SPLIT YOUR BALLOT

It is perfectly legal to split your ballot any way you want. There is no law against it. Your vote will be counted no matter which way you split the ballot.

The sample ballot printed on this page indicates merely ONE way in which your ballot can be split. If

you want to support the Democratic ticket and still vote FOR clean elections and AGAINST Lyndon Johnson, mark your ballot in this way.

If, on the other hand, you want to vote FOR the States Rights ticket and AGAINST Lyndon Johnson, leave the names of J. Strom

Thurmond and Fielding L. Wright unmarked under the column STATE'S RIGHTS PARTY and then strike Lyndon Johnson out.

Remember—you can split your ballot any way you choose. You are not bound by any pledge. Your ballot is a sacred heritage. If you vote

blindly for Lyndon Johnson—in the face of all the evidence of fraud in the Democratic Primary—you are selling that heritage down the river.

Jack Porter will be seated in the U. S. Senate. In the face of the

evidence, it is certain that Lyndon Johnson will never be allowed to take his seat to represent Texas in the U. S. Senate.

Don't throw your vote away. Vote FOR Jack Porter for U. S. Senator and AGAINST Lyndon Johnson.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY	REPUBLICAN PARTY	STATE'S RIGHTS PARTY	PROHIBITION PARTY	PROGRESSIVE PARTY
For President: HARRY S. TRUMAN	For President: THOMAS E. DEWITT	For President: J. STROM THURMOND	For President: CLAUDE A. WATSON	For President: HENRY A. WALLACE
For Vice President: ALBEN BARKLEY	For Vice President: EARL WARREN	For Vice President: FIELDING L. WRIGHT	For Vice President: DALE H. LEARN	For Vice President: GLEN H. TAYLOR
For United States Senator: LYNDON B. JOHNSON	For United States Senator: JACK PORTER	For United States Senator:	For United States Senator: SAM MORRIS	For United States Senator:
For Governor: BEAUFORD H. JESTER	For Governor: ALVIN K. CARR	For Governor:	For Governor: GERALD OVERHOLT	For Governor: HERMAN WRIGHT
For Lieutenant Governor: ALLAN SHIVERS	For Lieutenant Governor: TAYLOR CARR	For Lieutenant Governor:	For Lieutenant Governor: IRA R. LOWE	For Lieutenant Governor: REV. STACY ADAMS
For Attorney General: PRICE DANIEL	For Attorney General: W. R. BRANT	For Attorney General:	For Attorney General: C. V. COMPTON	For Attorney General: MORRIS BOGDANOW
For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court: J. E. HICKMAN	For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:	For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:	For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:	For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:
For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 1: FEW BREWSTER	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 1: H. L. MOORE, SR.	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 1:	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 1:	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 1:
For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 2: JAMES P. HART	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 2: DUDLEY LAWSON	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 2:	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 2:	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 2:
For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 3 (Unexpired Term): W. ST. JOHN GARWOOD	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 3 (Unexpired Term): LEO N. DUBOIS	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 3 (Unexpired Term):	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 3 (Unexpired Term):	For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 3 (Unexpired Term):
For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals: HARRY N. GRAVES	For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:	For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:	For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:	For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:
For Railroad Commissioner (Regular Term):	For Railroad Commissioner (Regular Term):	For Railroad Commissioner (Regular Term):	For Railroad Commissioner (Regular Term):	For Railroad Commissioner (Regular Term):

STRIKE LYNDON JOHNSON OUT!

Austin Report

A quick-change act was needed when a group of San Antonio men decided to get into statewide politics.

It started when they organized an educational, non-political, non-sectarian and non-profit corporation called Common Honesty Inc. Col. Neill E. Bailey was president of the corporation. Norman McCurdy, Bart Moore and William C. Clegg, also all of San Antonio, were listed as the other organizers.

Through a Dallas advertising agency, the corporation placed small ads in weekly newspapers urging Texans to vote against Lyndon Johnson. The ads were signed, Common Honesty Inc.

Attorneys for a number of newspapers advised them that they would be liable to \$1000 fine, one year imprisonment, or both, if they published the ads as sent out. The law quoted was Public Law No. 455, dealing with advertising in elections for federal offices. The law provides that no ad can be published in such a race unless it carried the name of the person responsible for its publication. And it adds that if an association, committee or corporation publishes an ad, it must carry the names of all of the officers of the corporation.

CHANGE NAME

After the ads had run in some papers, they received telegrams and special delivery letters from the advertising agency instructing them to change the name in the ad from Common Honesty Inc., to Common Honesty league. The corporation was dissolved Tuesday in the secretary of state's office.

Austin newsmen, interested in a corporation with such a short life and interesting name, called some of the officers.

Col. Bailey said it was an organization of a few San Antonio citizens interested in good government. He said they didn't think they were getting that from Johnson and therefore they were urging Texans to scratch his name. They weren't suggesting a choice between the other two candidates on the ballot.

Jack Porter and Sam Morris, the prohibitionist, he said.

Col. Bailey referred the interviewer to L. B. Clegg, whom he described as the moving spirit behind the organization. Clegg wasn't at his office at Clegg Co., but his son, William C. Clegg, a vice president of the dissolved corporation, was.

He said that the Common Honesty League was set up and financed by a group of San Antonio citizens "to investigate all types of reported dishonesty in public office and to report to the public its findings."

Clegg added, reading from a letter, that the league's first investigation was into the run-off primary between Coke Stevenson and Johnson.

Clegg read:

"It is the opinion of the league that Johnson is not the true nominee of the party."

He continued, urging Texans to scratch Johnson and vote for one of the other candidates or write in a true Democrat. The quotation closed by announcing that other investigations are under way.

Asked what the investigation had shown about the run-off primary, Clegg said that the league does not make private reports on its findings. They will be made public through the press and radio, he said.

Scratch
~~LYNDON JOHNSON~~
Common Honesty League

by Norman McCurdy, Treas.
Paid Pol. Adv.

San Antonio
Light, Oct. 30

San Antonio (Tex.) Express

Date OCT 13 1948

Group Formed to Seek Senate Probe of Election

The "Citizens' Committee Against Political Fraud"—soon to open state headquarters in San Antonio—is preparing to circulate a petition for 1,000,000 signatures asking a U.S. Senate investigation of the Lyndon Johnson-Coke Stevenson runoff primary. R. Neil Campbell, representative of the organization, announced plans for the statewide petition Tuesday following a conference in Austin. He denied any interest in who is elected, but pointed out the petition will ask the Senate to refuse to seat Johnson until the inquiry is completed.

John T. Spann, State Rights party advisory committeeman, also announced Tuesday that his organization is taking a hand in the Stevenson-Johnson squabble. He said the movement has no present connection with the Campbell organization, however.

Spann said States Righters have asked U.S. Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel, whose term expires in January, not to vacate his seat until the Stevenson-Johnson row is settled.

Inquiry Favored

He added that he believed thousands of people throughout Texas would insist on a thorough investigation of what happened in three South Texas counties in the Democratic primary runoff.

Campbell said the Citizens Committee Against Political Fraud will open its state headquarters here as soon as office space is found. The committee already has received limited financial backing, he said.

Contractor W. B. Bacon accompanied him on the trip to Austin where they conferred with unidentified persons on the petition campaign.

Time Is Short

"We don't want to interfere with the election next month, but time is so short we had to start this campaign for signatures before the election," Campbell stated.

The petition form, he said, will ask "an inquiry of the actions and policies of the candi-

dates for senator." He called special attention to the fact that "candidates" was used in the plural.

Campbell said the petition will state that the constitutional guarantee of the right of citizens "of a free and unmolested form of government" was abridged in the U.S. Senate race, which should be investigated under provisions of Sec. 3, Art. 14, dealing with insurrections and rebellions.

Campbell said the petitions will be circulated from headquarters in each Texas county.

COMMON HONESTY OFFICERS

Common Honesty, Inc.

Col. Neill E. Bailey, president

Norman McCurdy, Bart Moore, and William C. Clegg, organizers.

(All of these men are from San Antonio)

On the advertisements, McCurdy was generally listed as
Treasurer of the organization.

San Antonio
Sept. 1930



MEMBERS'
SERVICE BULLETIN
#23
10-26-48

PRESS ASSOCIATION

Driskill Hotel

AUSTIN 1, TEXAS

Telephone 7-2023

ATTENTION WEEKLIES--Your TPA Central Office mailed you for publication this week a 3-column by 10-inch advertisement sponsored by DEMOCRATS FOR JACK PORTER, Al Buchanan, chairman. It was the intention of the authors of this ad that a line be drawn through the name LYNDON B. JOHNSON and the name SAM MORRIS, appearing in column one and column four, respectively, of the sample ballot used in the center of the ad. They would still like to have this done and there are two ways you can do the job for them.

FIRST--If you haven't cast the mat, a heavy line drawn with a hard lead pencil across the two names where they appear in the mat will cause the names to appear "scratched." The same effect may be obtained by a light tap with a chisel across the mat where the names LYNDON B. JOHNSON and SAM MORRIS appear.

SECOND--If you have already cast the mat, please take your chisel in hand and give it a light tap over the face of the cast where the names LYNDON B. JOHNSON and SAM MORRIS appear. This will give the effect of a white line through these two names.

Naturally the name JACK PORTER, about whom the ad is written, is to remain in the ad INTACT, as is.

Sorry to put you to this much trouble, but it is one of those oversights that occur in a hurry in the last-minute rush of a political campaign. We are depending on you to do the job, as it is the definite desire of the sponsors that the two names be SCRATCHED on the ballot. Thanks.

-tpa-

COMMON HONESTY, INC.--Texas weeklies have received a 1x1 advertisement from the Rominger Advertising Agency of 303 Southland Building, Dallas -- reading "Vote Against Lyndon Johnson" or "Scratch LYNDON-JOHNSON." The ads are signed "COMMON HONESTY, INC."

We wish to call your attention to page three of TPA MEMBERS' SERVICE BULLETIN #10 sent you on March 12, which cites Public Law #455 relating to political advertising. As mentioned in this bulletin, it is a violation of federal law for any person to publish or distribute any political statement relating to a candidate for election to any Federal office which does not contain the name of the person responsible for its publication or distribution. The law specifically states that "if an association, committee or corporation is responsible for the publication or distribution of the same, there shall be attached the names of the officers of such association, committee, or corporation." Therefore it is mandatory that COMMON HONESTY, INC. advertisements carry the names of the officials of the corporation who are, according to the Secretary of State, as follows: Norman McCurdy, Bart Moore, and Wm. C. Clegg, all of San Antonio. Col. Neill E. Bailey of San Antonio is president; Clegg and Moore are vice-presidents.

For your protection, as well as the protection of your customers, we suggest you obtain information as to ad-sponsors from the parties placing such advertising with you, before making publication, and insert the names in the advertisements. Failure to do so makes you liable for the penalties of the law as outlined in section two which are: A \$1,000 fine, or one year imprisonment, or both. Your association has already turned down several advertisements because the sponsors would not identify themselves in the ad itself. This for your protection.

-tpa-

ROMINGER ADVERTISING AGENCY--This agency, which placed the above mentioned schedule for Common Honesty, Inc., is a man and wife agency in Dallas, not a member of the AAAA and as far as we can determine, the agency is not recognized by any of the publishers' organizations, and is not listed in the Editor & Publisher International Year-book for 1948. It is our suggestion that, before accepting copy, or check, from any agency which does not carry full recognition from the American Association of Advertising Agencies, you check with your central office FIRST.

-tpa-

WARNING--Information concerning Harvey Thorne is wanted in Alabama and in West Virginia. Authorities believe they have traced him to Texas. He's a tramp printer, age 29, social security number 223-10-4691, blue eyes, brown hair, height about 5 feet 10 inches, weight about 150 pounds. Claims Bluefield, West Virginia, as home. Information concerning Thorne should be sent to the Alabama Press Association or to W. E. Brooks, Jr., The Standard, Brewton, Alabama.

-tpa-

Cordially and fraternally,

Vernon T. Sanford
Vernon T. Sanford, Manager





VOTE AGAINST
LYNDON JOHNSON
Common Honesty, Inc.
PAID POLITICAL ADM.

Switch
LYNDON JOHNSON
Common Honesty, Inc.
PAID POLITICAL ADM.

1964-1968
Common Honesty, Inc.
PAID POLITICAL ADM.

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable symbol above or preceding the address.

WESTERN UNION

A. N. WILLIAMS
PRESIDENT

1204

SYMBOLS

DL = Day Letter

NL = Night Letter

LC = Deferred Cable

NLT = Cable Night Letter

Ship Radiogram

The filing time shown in the date line on telegrams and day letters is STANDARD TIME at point of origin. Time of receipt is STANDARD TIME at point of destination

Pd Dallas Texas 358 pm Oct 26th 1948

Leader Round Rock Texas.

pls change name on ad to common honesty league

Rominger advertising agency 1011--am.

Foned to Leader At 10012-am.

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

Our Column

Now what you goin' to say?

Main political news of the week is the report of the Grand Jury in Duval county. Thorough investigation found not one irregularity in the August primary voting; and that body on its records commended the election heads on the clean election held. But, of course, that won't stop Coke Stevenson and the Dallas News from going right on making misleading statements, and that republican candidate from copycatting them.

The Dallas News displayed on its front page damaging but false propaganda against Johnson; but the Duval Grand Jury report, which is of vital importance to all Texans but upsetting to Johnson's enemies, it carried on the back page. We move the Houston Chronicle a notch above the News; it did carry the Duval news on front page at the very top, although we're sure the editor didn't relish that.

And, "the Dixiecrats are getting secret financial support from the Dewey backers", and we doubt not from Porter supporters too.

Main thing, Texas Democrats, is to come out and vote on Tuesday, November 2. Are we going to let the enemies do us any further damage with their wrecking crews organized under various titles over the state at work, one of the dirtiest of which we have read calling themselves "Honesty Incorporated." Well, Stevenson boasted his honesty in the speech the other night; said it was his very nature, but we don't believe he made anybody believe he has a corner on that virtue.

Wednesday p.m. October 27

OCT 28 1945

Dear Lyndon: Here's the letters from that agency authorizing the two ads, which letters also refer to checks accompanying each; and mats of the two 1-inch ads to run 21st and 28th. And, mainly the telegram received this morning ordering the word (name as he called it) Incorporated changed to league, making it read "Common Honesty League" instead of "Common honesty Incorporated." I also have the air mail special delivery letter, same order.

From this I gather that "Common honesty Incorporated" was an illegitimate child and they changed the bastard's name. JHK

I am also enclosing a yellow sheet from Texas Press agent (recently moved to Austin) with it was an order for a 30 columns inch ad for Porter, this supposedly having no connection with the two "honest?" small ads, but on reading it down, it too refers to the "commonest---homesty", or is it, "communist/honesty" bunch, which seems to identify it with the other. With the Texas Press letter also, is insertion order for the three col x 10 inches ad.

May and I are refusing this ad, (30"O), also refused the quarter page from the Evans agency, and I am today returning to Rominger agency at Dallas, their checks for the two 2-time ads.

The enclosed clipping from our column might possibly had something to do with the name change; anyway I sent them the Leader with the paragraph marked. In a rush. Yours, JHK

Advertising Insertion Order



Order
Number

133

10-23-48

TO— ALL WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS IN TEXAS

Please publish the enclosed advertisement in your newspaper in keeping with the instructions appearing below.

Advertiser	Ad No.	Insertion Date	Size of Ad
DEMOCRATS FOR PORTER	1	<u>ONE INSERTION ONLY</u> Week of Oct. 24 to 30.	3 col. x 10 inches (3x10) Mat enclosed

BILLING AND CHECKING COPY INSTRUCTIONS: Immediately following publication, please send the Texas Press Association, as a checking copy and by first-class mail, a tearsheet of the ENTIRE PAGE on which this advertisement appears. Printed on the page must be the name of the newspaper, the name of the town and the date of issue of publication. A clipping of the ad alone WILL NOT serve as a checking copy. Kindly enclose a statement with your tearsheet.

VERNON T. SANFORD, Manager
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION
~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
Driskill Hotel — Austin

ROMINGER ADVERTISING AGENCY
303 SOUTHLAND BUILDING ANNEX
DALLAS, TEXAS

TO THE PUBLISHER:

Enclosed is check covering the cost of two inches of advertising for our client, Common Honesty, Inc. Also enclosed is mat with the two one inch ads.

BOTH OF THESE ONE INCH ADS ARE TO APPEAR ON DIFFERENT PAGES IN YOUR PUBLICATION OF

OCTOBER 29, 1948

We are placing this advertising at the political rate shown for your newspaper in the 1948 edition of the American Press Association listing.

Very truly yours,

ROMINGER ADVERTISING AGENCY

ROMINGER ADVERTISING AGENCY

303 Southland Bld'g Annex -- Dallas, Texas

TO THE PUBLISHER:

Enclosed is check covering cost of inserting the enclosed
advertising for our client - You will notice
that there are two (2) one inch mats. BOTH OF THESE ADS ARE TO
RUN ON DIFFERENT PAGES IN YOUR EDITION OF

OCTOBER 21, 1948

More advertising is planned for the following week, so
if this copy reaches you too late for this week's insertion,
please return check and mats. New copy will be furnished for
your edition of OCTOBER 28, 1948.

ROMINGER ADVERTISING AGENCY

**Now! ELECTRONIC SCIENCE
TIMES YOUR
WATCH**



*See This
New Wonder
In Action*

**CONTROLLED BY
QUARTZ CRYSTAL**

Timed to the accuracy
of the stars.

PRINTS THE TICKS OF WATCH

Kenneth M. Cowan, Jewelry

Eastland Appellate Court Has Splendid Record of Achievement

By BOYCE HOUSE

A remarkable record has been made by the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals, which sits in Eastland during

QUICK RELIEF FROM Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID

Free Book Tells of Home Treatment that
Must Help or Will Cost You Nothing

Over three million bottles of the WILLARD TREATMENT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers due to Excess Acid — Poor Digestion, Sour or Upset Stomach, Gasiness, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, etc., due to Excess Acid. Sold on 15 days' trial! Ask for "Willard's Message" which fully explains this treatment—free—at

City Pharmacy

DEMOCRATS... STATES' RIGHTERS ... REPUBLICANS

WE ALL WANT TO VOTE FOR

Jack Porter

WE CAN!

Article 2981 of the Laws of Texas (Enacted 1905) specifically provides for the voting of a split ticket in a GENERAL ELECTION.

Scratch all candidates for U. S. Senator except the name of JACK PORTER. Your vote will be counted, and your choice for Senator, JACK PORTER, will be seated.

The so-called loyalty pledge does not apply to the election on November 2. It is a GENERAL ELECTION all over the United States. It is NOT a state primary.

This has been so held by our courts and by the Texas Attorney General's Department for years past.

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Porter for Senate Committee, Lloyd Wheelock, Chairman.)

1x5 Advertisement
TPA MEMBER WEEKLIES ONLY
10-21-48

This makes the FIFTH straight week PAID

Ads of have TURNED DOWN from the Texas Press Association Adv. Bureau. Told them to quit sending them. Several were DOUBLE THIS size. Just wanted you to see what they are doing. I have also REFUSED ALL NATIONAL REPUB
~~ICAN ads. What are your plans. Sam~~

OCT 19 1948

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NEWS---From The Texas Press Association
SUBJECT---Split Ticket Voting in General Election
RELEASE DATE OF NEWS STORY---Week of October 17-23, 1948
ENCLOSURE---1x5 Advertisement for Jack Porter for U. S. Senate.

HOUSTON ATTORNEY EXPLAINS
HOW TO VOTE SPLIT TICKET

Lloyd Wheelock, state campaign manager for U. S. Senatorial Candidate Jack Porter of Houston, said that state headquarters in Houston had received thousands of requests for information on voting the split ticket in the general election.

According to Wheelock most of the requests came from Democrats and states' righters who wish to vote for Mr. Porter but also support some candidate on their own ticket.

Wheelock said he had conferred with Steve Pinckney of Houston, prominent Texas attorney, who is active in Porter's campaign, and that Mr. Pinckney gave him the following information: "It is possible for any citizen of Texas who is qualified to vote in the general election to cast that vote for the candidate of his choice, regardless of party affiliation. Article 2981 of the civil statutes of Texas, which was enacted in 1905, specifically provides for the voting of a split ticket in a general election. To vote for Jack Porter, or any candidate of your choice, it is only necessary to scratch the names of every other candidate on the ballot except those you wish to vote for."

Pinckney went on to say, "The so-called loyalty pledge does not apply to the election which will be held on November 2. This election is a general election which is held all over the United States on the same day. It is not a state or party primary. Our courts and the Attorney General's department of Texas have held this to be so for many years past."



FLORESVILLE CHRONICLE-JOURNAL

SAM FORE, JR., PUBLISHER
FLORESVILLE, • • TEXAS



U.S. Senator Elect Lyndon B. Johnson

Austin, Texas

FLORESVILLE PEANUT FESTIVAL, FRIDAY-SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24-25

ALBERT EVANS ADVERTISING

909 DAN WAGGONER BLDG. • TELEPHONE 2-3371 • FORT WORTH 2, TEXAS

Jack Porter File

October 14, 1948

OCT 16 1948

Advertising Manager:

Here is an opportunity to sell easily and quickly a 5 X 18" ad. Your publisher or editor can give you the name of men active in your county supporting Jack Porter for United States Senator. Such committees are looking for good copy to use. If no committee is active, there are several business men who know Porter and who would like the privilege of paying for this ad.

The Fort Worth papers are carrying this copy on October 14, 15, and 18th.

Please use the enclosed postal card to indicate whether you do or do not want additional proofs or mats of the ads in this series.

This letter is being sent to you at the suggestion of our client, the Democrats for Porter Club of Tarrant County.

Sincerely,

ALBERT EVANS ADVERTISING

Floresville, Texas, October 14, 1948

Dear Lyndon: I just answered this outfit as follows: "Not interested in the least. I am a DEMOCRAT, voting for the nominee, Lyndon Johnson, and the entire Democratic ticket from President Harry Truman down to Public Weigher." I am getting "fed up" on this damnable trash. I wired Morris Roberts a long message after he BOLTED and I shall send you this full correspondence later. Let's give 'em H---. They are asking for it in a big way. Stveneson CUT THE MASTER GUT in my opinion. I really think his worksippers here are plenty sick--it looks that way. But we must take nothing for granted. I am passing this Fort Worth "tripe" on to you so you can keep up with their doings. Your REAL friends are stronger than ever for you here. Keep me advised on your plans. I am for you stronger than ever, old friend---. Love to the rinefamily

ESTABLISHED IN 1924 As ever *Sam*

ALBERT EVANS ADVERTISING

200 DALLAS COUNTY BLDG. • TELEPHONE 2-2771 • FORT WORTH 3, TEXAS

October 11, 1962

Advertising Manager

Dear Sir: In response to your letter of September 28, 1962, we are pleased to inform you that we have accepted your offer of \$100.00 for the purchase of the rights to the "The Great American Novel" by John G. Gribble. We will be in contact with you again in the near future regarding the details of the purchase.

Very truly yours,
Albert Evans

Enclosed you will find a check for the amount of \$100.00. We appreciate your interest in our work and look forward to future business.

The letter is being sent to you by the express of our agent, the Postoffice for Fort Worth, Texas.

- 1. Mr. Council
- 2. Mr. Council
- 3. Mr. Council
- 4. Mr. Council
- 5. Mr. Council
- 6. Mr. Council
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and HONEST ELECTIONS**

JACK PORTER WILL BE SEATED

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by DEMOCRATS FOR JACK PORTER, Al Buchanan, Chairman)



**Vote for
JACK PORTER
For
U. S.
SENATOR**

Jack Porter is opposed to the so called CIVIL RIGHTS program of both parties and will fight to prevent any such Federal Legislation being enacted.

Jack Porter will fight to protect the oil-rich Tidelands for the school children of Texas. The Democratic Party is pledged to take them away.

Jack Porter will have no suspicion of fraud attached to his name when he goes to Washington as our Senator.

Jack Porter is a native-born TEXAN who believes in our free institutions and will fight to keep them free.

Pol. Adv. Paid for by a Georgetown friend

Here is How You Can Fight

ELECTION FRAUD

Scratch

Lyndon B. Johnson

Do Your Part to Repudiate the

STUFFED BALLOT BOX

Pol. Adv., paid by Clint Small, Jr., Leander, Texas.

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4 col x 10"
Total: 40"

DON'T WASTE YOUR VOTE!

VOTE FOR

JACK PORTER

and Clean Election in Texas!!

The pledge on the ballot in the Primary Election to support the nominees of the Primary is not binding.

You have the right and it is your duty to vote in the General Election on Tuesday, November 2, as your conscience dictates. The Supreme Court of Texas in *Love v. Wilcox*, 119 Texas 256, citing earlier cases states the law as follows:

1. A qualified elector who participates in the primary and takes the statutory pledge is legally free to vote as he chooses in the general election.
2. As to how he votes is to be determined by his own conscience.
3. That any moral obligation assumed in taking the statutory pledge, is binding no longer than it can be conscientiously performed.

If Coke Stevenson received the majority of the votes in the second primary, his name should be on the ticket as the nominee.

Lyndon Johnson's name appears as the nominee through the smoke of burned ballots. He is NOT the legal nominee.

You are not legally or morally bound to vote for him. Can you conscientiously vote for him?

Ask for instructions at the different polling
boxes if you want to vote a split ticket.

VOTE FOR

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THINK IT OVER, FOLKS!

**DO YOU KNOW THAT YOUR PRESENT
CONGRESSMAN VOTED:**

AGAINST cutting the Budget (H.R. 20).

AGAINST making available to Congress information
from executive departments (H.J.R. 342).

AGAINST investigating executive departments includ-
ing the selling of industrial, chemical and
military patents to Russia (H.R. 118).

FOUR TIMES AGAINST the anti-inflation bills.
(H.J.R. 378; S.J.R. 167; H.R. 711 and
S.J.R. 157).

AND SEVEN TIMES AGAINST

Income tax reduction, which when finally
passed increased the "take-home" pay of
every wage-earner in the Panhandle. (H.R.
1—3 times; H.R. 3950—3 times; H.R. 4790).

**REMEMBER THIS RECORD WHEN YOU
GO TO THE POLLS TUESDAY!**

**Do you want to continue this kind of representation in
Washington? If not, vote for your neighbor**

**J. EVETTS HALEY of Canyon
for Congressman**

AND

JACK PORTER for Senator

**They will work WITH the new administration and
FOR the people of Texas.**

(Paid for by friends of Haley and Porter)

*2 col x 10"
Total images: 20"*

Sunday October 24, 1948

Why Real Democrats Should Vote For JACK PORTER

On October 13, the Brownwood Bulletin had a front page editorial in which Governor Coke Stevenson was viciously attacked because of his decision to vote for Porter for United States Senator, charging him with feeling "mighty low" in violating his pledged word to support the Democratic nominee, and insinuating that all Democrats who voted against Lyndon Johnson were likewise low.

If Lyndon "Duval" Johnson had received a majority of the votes in the second primary there might be some basis for criticism of Governor Stevenson's action, and that of thousands of other outraged Democrats. These are the facts:

One of the best citizens of Jim Wells County made oath that his vote, numbered 843, was the last vote cast in Box 13, at Alice. The County Executive Committee canvassed the vote and reported 843 votes cast at said election, and the same was published in the county paper. Nevertheless, some five days later, 202 other votes were reported, 201 of which were for Lyndon Johnson. The tally list was in the same ink and the same hand up to number 843, but the 202 votes later added to the tally list were in different ink and different handwriting. Sixteen citizens of Alice, who were listed on the supplemental tally list made oath they did not even vote in the election.

We submit that the above facts were enough to arouse suspicion, and when Coke Stevenson and his friends undertook to make further investigation, a District Judge, who owes his election to the Parr machine, granted an injunction restraining any further investigation. This closed the State courts against further investigation. Previously, Lyndon "Duval" Johnson had suggested that the FBI and Attorney General investigate the voting frauds in the three southwestern counties.—Lyndon Johnson, not Coke Stevenson. . . . Then it was that Coke Stevenson's friends filed suit in the Federal Court in an attempt to make an honest investigation of Jim Wells and other counties, and two Commissioners were appointed to conduct the examination.

In spite of the fact that all of the election officials in the counties in question fled to old Mexico, and Box 13, at Alice, and many other boxes were as empty as the tomb . . . evidence of widespread, fraudulent voting was rapidly accumulated until Johnson and his henchmen flew to Washington, and obtained a ruling from Justice Black of the Supreme Court, staying any further proceedings.

The conclusion is inescapable that Johnson and his henchmen did not want an investigation because they knew Johnson did not receive a majority of the votes, and he was hell-bent on claiming the nomination by "foul means or fair."

Johnson backers say you signed the pledge to vote for the nominee of the party, and that your pledge binds you to support the work of crooks and criminals, in padding the election returns. This is a crooked idea, and such conduct deserves the sternest of rebukes from the voters of Texas, regardless of how they voted in the second primary, and a vote for Jack Porter is our only way of registering this rebuke. Shall such conduct be rebuked or endorsed?

Instead of branding Coke Stevenson a "turn-coat," "traitor," "ingrate," and "low-brow," as some newspapers in Texas are doing, the honest Democratic Voters should follow the lead of Coke Stevenson, and rise up in their indignation and repudiate this man who has so stubbornly resisted the light of full investigation; and this should be done for the future integrity of politics and elections in Texas.

E. M. DAVIS,
ROBERT R. HOLLOWAY,
R. QUINCY LEE,
W. Z. CHAMPION,
A. D. BARNES,
DR. H. L. LOCKER,
DR. C. C. BULLARD,
DR. NED SNYDER,
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DR. A. HILLMAN,
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E. P. WOODRUFF,
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And 200 other life-time democrats.

*2 col X 15
Total 30 words: 20*

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NOTES ON ADVERTISING FOR JACK PORTER:

1. Al Buchanan is listed in various ads as Chairman of two different organizations:
 - a. Democrats for Jack Porter -- on the three column by ten inch ad placed in weekly papers, for the week of October 28.
 - b. Dewey-Warren-Porter Club -- on four column by eleven inch ad placed in San Antonio Express for November 2.
2. Similarly, the Democrats for Jack Porter ads in the dailies listed co-chairmen, J. W. George and L. E. Douglas. Al Buchanan was never shown to be a chairman or officer on ads in dailies.

**Your Vote is Needed to . . .
Blot Out Texas' Blackest Ballot Scandal!**

VOTE TODAY... VOTE THIS WAY!

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	For Governor:	For Governor:	For Governor:

SCRATCH JOHNSON

VOTE PORTER

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YOU CAN DO YOUR PART: Before Lyndon Johnson, so-called Democratic nominee, is seated as United States Senator he must gain the approval of the Senate. If you vote for Jack Porter for Senator, the good name of Texas will not be soiled by the sordid record of burned ballots and lost tally sheets. Jack Porter, never questioned as to ballot honesty and ideals, will be seated!

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ALBEN BARKLEY

For United States Senator:

~~LYNDON B. JOHNSON~~

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for U. S. SENATOR

(Political Advertisement paid for by Democrats for Jack Porter)

Fort Worth Nov. 2,
STAR-TELEGRAM

Scratch
LYNDON JOHNSON
Common Honesty League
Pol. Ad Paid for by Norman McCurdy, Sec.

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San Marcos Record, Oct. 29,

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HOMECOMING RALLY
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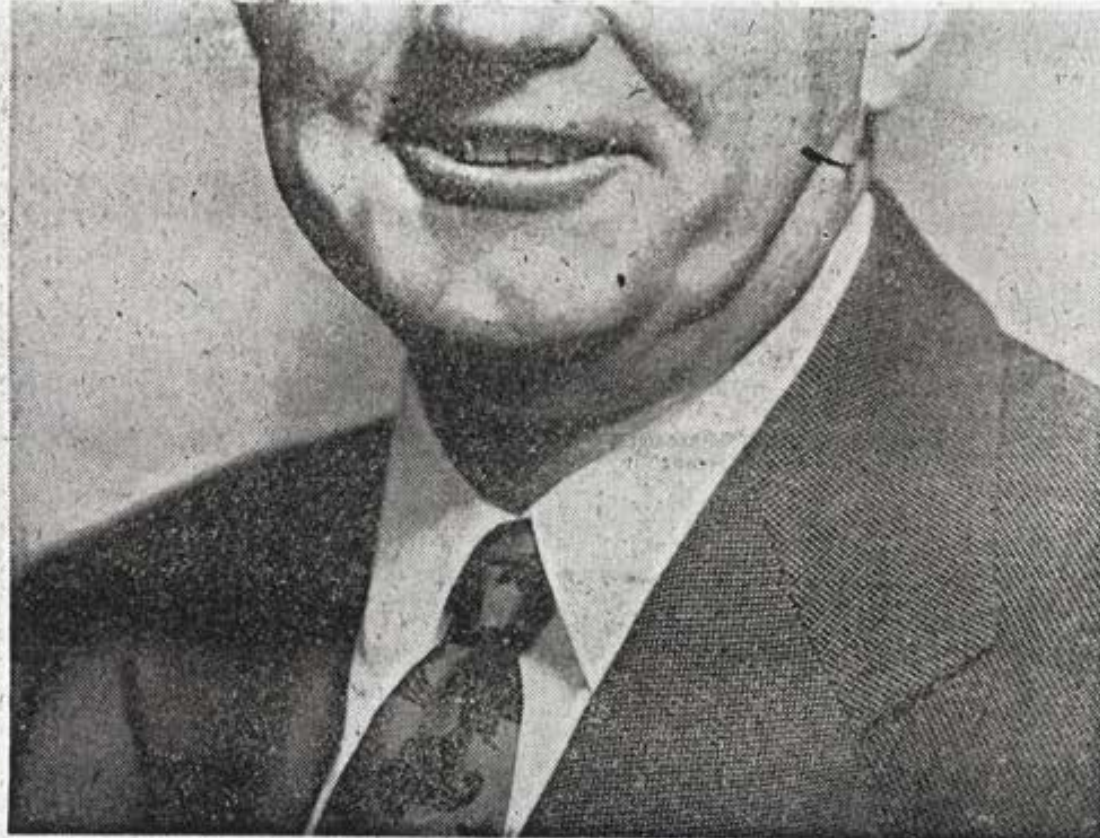
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Austin American, Oct. 29

**TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE
VOTE THE DEWEY-WARREN SLATE!**



THOMAS E. DEWEY

The Next

PRESIDENT

of the

UNITED STATES

EARL WARREN

The Next

VICE-PRESIDENT

of the

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VOTE 'ER STRAIGHT IN '48

JACK PORTER—U. S. SENATOR

ALVIN H. LANE—GOVERNOR

CHARLES B. ZUBER—COMMISSIONER, Dist. 1

J. C. MUSE 3rd—JUSTICE of the PEACE, Prec. 1

ELECTION RETURNS

CRYSTAL BALLROOM—BAKER HOTEL—7 P.M.

Celebrate With Us This Great Victory for America

Paid for By Walter Rogers, Chairman, Dallas County Republican Executive Committee

Dallas News, Nov. 1

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JACK PORTER

Republican Candidate
for

U. S. SENATE

Headquarters: Rice Hotel, Houston

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Placed in wallet

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Placed in weeklies

Star-Telegram
Oct. 29.

ported the Republican nominee Porter, it is natural to assume that his grievances would get far greater attention from Senate Republicans than otherwise might be accorded them.

Another point is that the names of senators are called alphabetically.

LISTEN

Tonight 6:30

FACTS ABOUT

why Texas Democrats are supporting

Jack Porter

A Democratic Texas business man
running on the Republican ticket for

U. S. SENATOR

KFJZ

**WEST TEXAS
STATIONS**

Abilene KRBC 6:45 p. m.
Big Spring KBST 6:30 p. m.
Midland KQRS 6:30 p. m.
San Angelo KGKL 6:30 p. m.
Brownwood KBWD 6:30 p. m.
And Wichita Falls, KWFT,
daily 6:30 a. m.

**Democrats for
Porter**

Paid Political Advertisement

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Houston Chronicle, Nov. 2

SPEAKING OF FACTS

The editor of a reliable publication stated in an indorsement of the candidacy of Lyndon Johnson: "He has proven himself in more than eleven years in Congress. Fair-minded Republicans and admiring Democrats alike will testify to his ability as a statesman . . . His record is an open book. Some may not agree with all his votes in Congress but he did vote. He always stood up to be counted . . . As a Democratic Congressman, Johnson has voted with two Democratic presidents who have served with him in the national administration . . . He has defied certain powerful interests that have threatened to purge him. His personal affairs have been clean and above reproach . . . Texans who hold to heart the best interests of their dominion will not be influenced in this campaign by the poison pen of prejudice."

The facts do not bear out these nice-sounding statements. The circumstances with which they deal are not very favorable to the candidate if the facts are applied.

"Statesman" means to us a man rendering great and noble service for the nation. The man must be right in nearly all of his actions.

"His record is an open book"—The things the candidate says about himself must bear out this conclusion. However, there is a conflict between what the candidate says he has done and the record of what he has done.

". . . but he did vote."—Here the editor must be quoting the candidate and not his record. The Tidelands issue must come first in what any Congressman could deal with as far as Texas is concerned; it is first in the hearts of Texans.

The Congressional Record shows that House Joint Resolution 225 was a measure to give the States undisputed title to their tidelands. On the first vote taken on the Resolution, Lyndon Johnson says he voted for it. This was before Administration pressure was fully brought to bear against the Resolution.

On July 27, 1946, in the final vote of the House before the bill went to the President for his signature, Mr. Johnson is registered as "Not Voting." Statesman Johnson acted as a statesman for his party label which he is pledged to follow and not as a statesman for the school children and school teachers of Texas.

Again, August 2, 1946, after the President had vetoed the Resolution which would have saved the income from the tidelands of Texas for the school children and the school teachers (see Congressional Record, Volume 92, pages 10,803 et seq.), a vote was taken to override the President's veto. Congressman Johnson did not vote.

In a radio broadcast, October 28, Johnson stated, "I had led the fight for Texas to keep the title to the tidelands." From this we must assume that he was sufficiently interested in the outcome of this measure that he could have been found on the floor of the House or lurking in a cloakroom. Now, this was final as far as anything a Congressman could do about the tidelands. For whom was Statesman Johnson acting as statesman at that time and what consideration would he be requiring to induce him to throw overboard the school children?

"He always stood up to be counted."—The Congressional Record of the 80th Congress shows Johnson was the most absent member in the entire Texas delegation with the exception of the late Milton West, who was desperately ill all during this session. Johnson's score: Absent seven times out of a possible sixteen on measures concerning which there was controversy. He was absent on the Gearhart Resolution on Social Security; the bill regarding the duties of the Labor Department; the Anti-Poll Tax Bill, which was one that his constituents were vitally interested in; the Reed-Bulwinkle Act; the Mundt-Nixon Bill outlawing Communists; the Three-Year Trade Pact disputes; and the TVA Steam Plant Bill.

On the same issues, Senator O'Daniel was absent once, Senator Tom Connally once, Congressman J. Frank Wilson once; and Congressmen Beckworth, Pickett, Fisher, Teague and Mahon voted on every one of these issues. Of all of these men it could be said they "always stood up to be counted."

It may be that Texas would have been much better off if Johnson had never voted. Here are a few of the cases how he did vote on some of the measures on which he voted very badly from the standpoint of Texas. These are taken from the record of prior years:

April 30, 1947, he voted against a bill providing that only Americans supervise American relief behind the Iron Curtain.

April 18, 1946, he voted against allowing the Judiciary Committee of the House to investigate espionage charges in connection with the theft and possession of secret documents.

May 17, 1946, he voted against an appropriation for the Un-American Activities Committee to continue its investigations of the Communist menace. The continuance of this committee led to the recent sensational spy disclosures.

These as a fair sample of Johnson's voting record bear out that he was not helping much when he did stand up to be counted.

He is complimented for voting with the Administration. Statesmanship must rise above party label.

"He has defied certain powerful interests that have threatened to purge him."—Let us inquire what powerful interests and the nature of the purge. Then we can ascertain whether these are catch-words or facts.

". . . poison pen of prejudice."—Perhaps more catchwords.

"His personal affairs have been clean and above reproach."—From what this editor has shown to know about Johnson's Congressional record, how much would he know about Johnson's personal affairs?

On the official ballot, note that under Progressive Party, Henry A. Wallace and Glenn H. Taylor appear above the space for United States Senator. Other candidates appear below. The Progressives have no candidate for Senator. Can this be construed that the Progressives prefer their voters to make their choice between Lyndon Johnson and Jack Porter?

Guess whom they would choose, and make up your minds if you want to vote with them.

Your Party Pledge went up with the smoke of the burning ballots in Duval County.

VOTE FOR JACK PORTER FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR.

LYNDON JOHNSON WILL NEVER BE SEATED IN THE SENATE

**Don't make Texas get along
with only ONE Senator**

The Dallas Times Herald, which is supporting Lyndon Johnson, admits in a Washington story published last Friday that it "just isn't in the political cards" for Lyndon Johnson, in the face of the evidence and the burned ballots in Duval County, to be seated in the United States Senate. The Times Herald states that Johnson will be made to stand aside and adds "The Republicans also are certain to elect enough new Senators to prevent the later seating" of the Austin Congressman.

JACK PORTER

will be seated in the U.S. Senate

They burned the books in Germany. Now they're burning ballots in Duval County. A sizable portion of our Democratic heritage went up in smoke in Duval County—if we let them get away with it. Don't let the Duval County smoke get in your eyes. Vote for clean elections.

JACK PORTER

**the lawful candidate
for U.S. Senator**

**BALLOT BURNING MUST BE
STOPPED IN TEXAS!**

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D. News, Oct 71

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F. W. Staley Oct. 29

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Lyndon Johnson didn't do anything about the Communists during his twelve years as a Congressman. He voted alongside Vito Marcantonio three times during the last two years to help the Communists both in our government and in Europe. Do you want that kind of Senator from Texas?

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Lyndon Johnson didn't do anything to protect your ballot in the Democratic primaries. He fought to prevent an honest count of the "votes" in Jim Wells, Duval and Zapata counties. An honest vote is your only assurance of the preservation of democracy. Without it you are laid wide open to another Huey Long or Pendergast-Kansas City machine. Do you want that in Texas?

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Star-Telegram, Nov. 1

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FINDINGS OF FACT

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Justice Hugo Black of the U. S. Supreme Court said Judge Davidson had no right to pass on this matter. NO COURT HAS EVER SAID THAT JUDGE DAVIDSON'S FINDINGS OF FACT WERE INCORRECT.

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DEWEY AND WARREN AND THEIR RUNNING MATES

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For Congressman, Second
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DON PARKER

THE LAW GUARANTEES YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE A MIXED TICKET OF CANDIDATES OF YOUR CHOICE

The law is plain. Read it yourself—here it is: "Art. 2981. HOW TO MARK BALLOT.—When a voter desires to vote a ticket straight, he shall run a pencil through all other tickets on the official ballot, making a distinct marked line through such ticket not intended to be voted: and when he shall desire to vote a mixed ticket he shall do so by running a line through the names of such candidates as he shall desire to vote against in the ticket he is voting, and by writing the name of the candidate for whom he desires to vote in the blank column and in the space provided for such office; same to be written with black ink or pencil, unless the names of the candidates for which he desires to vote appear on the ballot, in which event he shall leave the same not scratched." (Id. Sec. 53.)

You can do this, whether you voted in the Democratic primary or not. The Supreme Court of Texas holds that the Democratic primary pledge is not legally binding. (See *Westerman vs. Mims*, 227 S. W. 178.)

ELECT DEWEY AND WARREN AND THEIR RUNNING MATES

PORT ARTHUR REPUBLICAN CLUB

(Paid Political Adv.)

C. B. HOLTER, President

The CIO and Lyndon

The Communist-dominated CIO News on July 19, 1948, listed the votes of all U.S. Congressmen on the sixteen most controversial issues during the last session of Congress. Each vote was tagged either "Right" (according to the CIO) or "Wrong" (according to the CIO)

Lyndon Johnson voted against CIO-supported bills in Congress only three times out of a possible sixteen. His record is the most favorable to the CIO of any Congressman in Texas.

No Wonder Lyndon Johnson Carried Every CIO Box in Texas at the Primaries

Let's have a Senator who was legally nominated and legally elected by the people. Don't send a man whose "nomination" is so clouded by charges of fraud and ballot-box stuffing that the U.S. Senate will never allow him a seat. Don't make Texas get along with only one Senator in Washington.

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D. News, Sund Oct 5,

Friday October 22, 1948
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For U.S. Senator

Lyndon Johnson is not the rightful nominee of the democratic party for the U. S. Senate. He only claims the nomination by 87 votes. To get these 87 votes there had to be counted for him 13,164 votes in Duval, Webb and Starr Counties that we know were fraudulent.

We therefore know positively that the majority of the legal votes were cast for Coke Stevenson. Will you and I thus permit a few ignorant Mexicans and the corrupt few who controlled them, to force us to vote for a man that we know to be unfit. We are in a life and death fight against Communism. The man we elect as Senator may be the difference between winning and losing that fight.

You can't afford to vote for a man who was politically spawned by Henry Wallace, and who is currently carried on the arm of Harry Truman, the poor buffoon who only yesterday was narrowly prevented from handing America to Joe Stalin through his private emissary, Vinson; and who daily proclaims that he will rob your children and mine of their tidelands birthright, worth fifteen millions per year; subject the people to C.I.O.—Communist control by destroying the Taft-Hartley Act; and Communize this country by socialized medicine, and compulsory price control. Your vote for Lyndon Johnson is a vote for all of those things. With the house on fire let's not waste time in debating where to throw the first bucket of water.

The undersigned, is now, always has been and always expects to be a Democrat. But I use the term, "democracy," not as used by Joe Stalin, Henry Wallace and Harry Truman; but use it as meaning that the government belongs to and is the servant of the people, instead of the people being the chattels and slaves of the government.

I believe the only way to fight for true democracy on November 2nd is to vote for JACK PORTER for U. S. Senator. Coke Stevenson says do that; hundreds of newspapers and patriotic democrats say do that; I say do that. Lets keep our self respect; lets not stultify and betray ourselves and our children, lets not be misled or intimidated by the loud braying of those jackasses who know their masters crib—lets vote for JACK PORTER.

GIB CALLAWAY

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)



HEAR U.S. SENATOR ROBERT A. TAFT

OF OHIO

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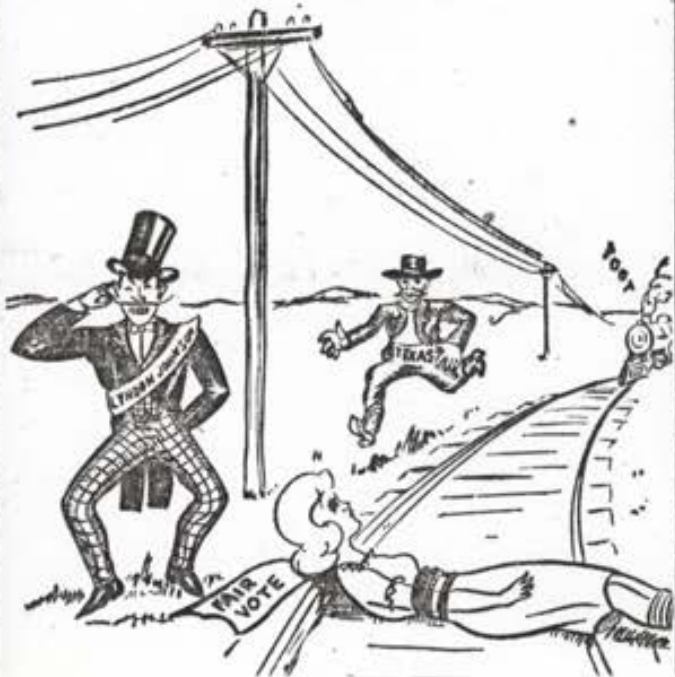
FIRE!

The ballots "cast" in Duval County at the Democratic Primary runoff have been burned. They were burned in direct violation of the Texas State election laws. They were burned just before the U. S. Senate investigating committee took them into safe-keeping.

The tally-sheets and poll lists in the famous Precinct 13 of Jim Wells County (where Lyndon "Duval County" Johnson received 200 mysterious additional "votes" five days after the polls were closed) were "missing" when the investigators came around. One other box in Jim Wells County was found to be completely empty.

All this climaxes a long campaign by Lyndon Johnson and his henchmen to prevent any proper investigation of the "election" held in the George Parr counties of South Texas in the Democratic Primaries.

JUST IN TIME



With the smell of burned ballots still fresh in the nostrils of the investigators—DO YOU REALLY THINK LYNDON DUVAL COUNTY JOHNSON IS THE LEGAL NOMINEE OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY?

AND DO YOU REALLY THINK THE UNITED STATES SENATE WOULD EVER SEAT HIM IF HE WERE ELECTED?

A vote for Lyndon Johnson is a vote thrown down the gutter. A vote for Jack Porter, the LAWFUL candidate, is a vote for clean elections. Don't let the Duval County smoke get in your eyes.

Elect

JACK PORTER

U. S. SENATOR

He is the candidate who will be seated.

(Pol. Adv. paid for by L. M. Glasco and Democratic friends of Jack Porter.)

SOCIETY—

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themums. Her picture hat was of self material.

Little Miss Pat Watson, daughter of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a frock of aqua marquette with matching picture hat and carried a pink muff with an arrangement of pink carnations and aqua ribbon.

Luther Fulton attended his brother as best man. Groomsmen were A. D. Henderson and Max T. Drury of Calvert.

Mrs. Jones, mother of the bride, wore a navy crepe dress with a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Fulton, mother of the groom, wore a slate grey dress. Her corsage was also of gardenias.

Miss Golda Adams presided over the bride's book.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception for members of the wedding party, families of the principals, and out-of-town guests was held at the home of the bride's mother, 107 Anderson street.

Mrs. Jones greeted guests. Assisting in the living room were Mrs. R. W. Kerlin and Mrs. E. T.

Jones, grandmothers of the bride, and Miss Callie Barclay and Mrs. Jim Clift. Mrs. Lucian Reed, Mrs. Jiggs Mathews, and Mrs. Odis Hoyt served the wedding cake and punch.

The bride's table was covered with a lace cloth flanked at one end by a three-tiered wedding cake and at the other by a crystal punch bowl. An arrangement of white chrysanthemums formed the centerpiece.

After the reception, the couple left for a short wedding trip to New Orleans. The bride wore a brown gabardine suit with matching accessories and an orchid corsage.

Among out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. E. T. Jones of Huntington; Mrs. R. W. Kerlin and Miss Callie Barclay of Jacksonville; Mrs. Jim Clift of Nacogdoches; Mrs. Ruby Fulton; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Henderson, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Max T. Drury; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hall and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. John Nash, Mrs. Ralph Merryman and Elsie Merryman, Rev. and Mrs. L. V. Simmonds, Mrs. O. C. Pullen, Mrs. H. C. Nash, Mrs. R. W. Waits, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Griffin and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tindall, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Book, Miss Estelle Key, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nash, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Frazier, all of Calvert; Mr. Joe Fulton and Mr.

Dan Fulton, Jr. of Austin; Mr. Dan Fulton, Sr. of Goose Creek; Mrs. Bill Henderson and daughter and Mr. Jack Miller of Houston, Miss Willie Ruth Fulton of Goose Creek.

Mrs. Lucian Reed and Mrs. Jiggs Mathews were hostesses for a rehearsal supper honoring the couple on Tuesday evening. The supper was given at the home of Mrs. Reed.

A central arrangement of orchid chrysanthemums on the coffee table added to the attractiveness of the living room. Guests were seated at attractively arranged quartet tables laid with linen cloths. Chicken salad, Ritz crackers, cheese squares, olives, cake and coffee were served to the twenty present.

Study Club Members Met With Mrs. Wilson

Sprays of Queen's Wreath decorated the home of Mrs. J. H. Wilson when the Hearne Study Club met there for its regular meeting Friday afternoon. Mrs. R. L. Suggs was co-hostess with Mrs. Wilson.

The President, Mrs. Clark Gable, presided at the meeting and extended a cordial welcome to the members-elect, Mrs. Dick Henderson, Mrs. Odis Hoyt and Mrs. Bernard Catlin.

After a short business session at which time the club yearbooks were presented, members were served delicious refreshment consisting of congealed salad, open-face sandwiches, chocolate mints and Cokes.

Some twenty members were present for the meeting.

Amoma Class Meets At Baptist Church

Mrs. J. W. McCorry and Mrs. M. E. Suggs were co-hostesses on Wednesday afternoon when members of the Amoma class of the Baptist Sunday School held their monthly meeting.

dent, presided and roll call was answered with reasons given for "Why I Am a Christian." During the business session, Miss Bertha Rouse, Mrs. C. W. Blasingame and Mrs. A. C. Browning were appointed as the committee on the yearbooks.

Mrs. W. L. Oliver, speaker for the afternoon, gave an inspiring devotional on Faith.

During the social hour which followed, refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and Cokes were served to the fifteen members present.

Three Year Old Has Party Saturday

Saturday afternoon was a joyous occasion for Larry Wayne Titlow, who, on that day celebrated his third birthday with a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Titlow.

Slices of a pretty white birthday cake topped with three blue candles were served to guests with generous helpings of ice cream after Larry Wayne had been presented a lovely array of birthday gifts. Balloons were distributed as party favors.

Assisting Mrs. Titlow were Mrs. M. F. Fiahlo, Mrs. L. W. Scheller and Mrs. J. L. Boatwright.

Attending the birthday celebration were Don Boatwright, Bobby Rowan, Linda Sue Abbott, Sandy Scheller, Vincent and Doodle Fiahlo, and Larry Wayne.

Happy Hour Club Met With Mrs. Malone

Mrs. A. E. Malone was hostess Tuesday for the all-day meeting of the Happy Hour Club.

The ladies enjoyed quilting for the hostess during the morning and afternoon hours. A co-dish luncheon was held at noon.

Six members were present with Mrs. L. W. Perkins and Mrs. Lorraine Mathews and son, Jimmy, as guests.

Mrs. Velma Burts visited in

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JACK PORTER, Regardless of which presidential and vice-presi-



JACK PORTER, Republican Candidate

You can vote for the winning candidate for U. S. Senator—JACK PORTER. If you vote for a candidate you vote for, you can still make your vote count for Jack Porter by voting for him and leave Jack Porter's name untouched.

After you vote for JACK PORTER for U. S. Senator, then vote your choice for President and Vice-President.

Your right to vote a mixed ticket for candidates of your choice is guaranteed.

YOU CAN VOTE FOR JACK PORTER

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A BETTER
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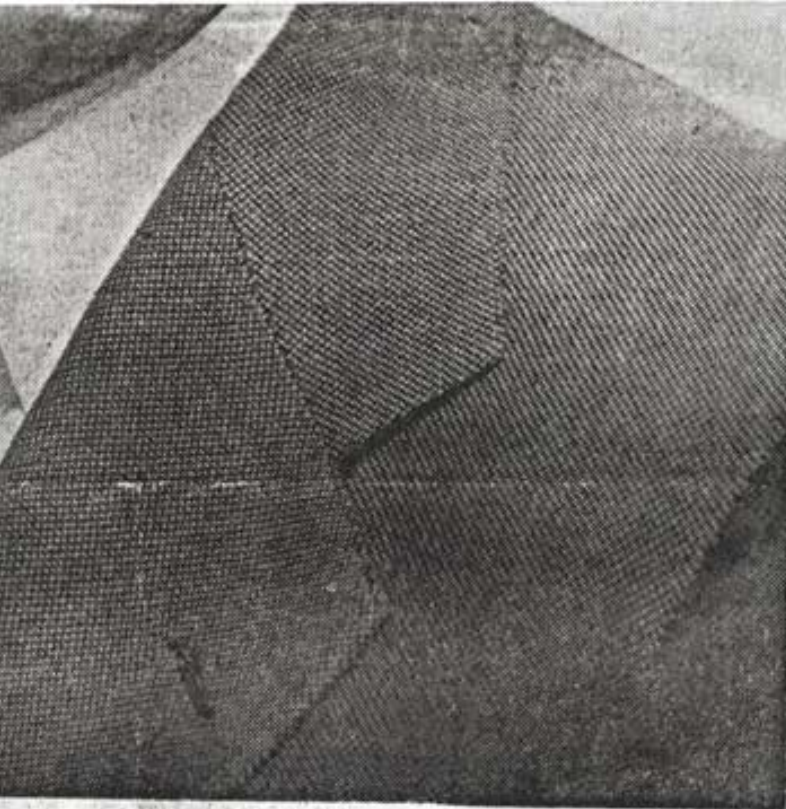
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Vote for **JACK PORTER** *and*

JACK PORTER WILL WIN

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ter—J. W. George and L. E. Douglass, co-chair men)

★ **VOTE FOR JACK PORTER**

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JACK PORTER'S MESSAGE TO "WE THE PEOPLE"

There is an old saying, "Forewarned is forearmed." So I'm telling you now, if you cast a vote for me, I promise you I am going to try to get that vote counted, and I should be in the majority, I will insist on recounts I don't want you cheated out of it. If the election is close, until the issue is unmistakably decided. I think every one listening to my voice who is honorable enough to qualify for the office of United States Senator would do that very same thing.

It is likely that few of you think of yourselves as being senatorial material. Well, the more I see of the men who are running for and being elected to high offices today, the more I am inclined to believe that any average citizen is qualified to make as good an official as the ones who are campaigning and getting elected.

Tonight, we should try to determine where blind loyalty to the label "Democrat" has led those who have deceived themselves into remaining loyal—the white population of the Southern States.

Let us go back into some of the early history of our Republic and make a study of party labels down to the present. A party labeled the Republican Party was born May 13, 1792. It first came into power in 1796 with the election of that great Liberal—not Pink—Thomas Jefferson. This party continued in power through the two terms each of Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, and, in fact, until the election of the second greatest Republican of that time—Andrew Jackson.

Now, I am right about this. I am not smarter than the rest of you, but I dimly remembered something about this and I lately looked it up. At that time, and after thirty-two years of continuance in power, they got mixed up about what the party label ought to be. So they gave it plenty of name—in fact, a whole lot of name—and how do the present-day sticklers for party name like this one? Here it is: the "Jeffersonian-Jacksonian-Democratic-Republicans"! But they were still Republicans, and the first three words in the name merely told what kind of Republicans they were. Finding this a little hard to digest, they began calling it the Democratic Party. I'm certainly glad they shortened it before the days of \$10-a-minute radio time!

This tremendous gain for the Democratic Party was probably its easiest victory. No effort, other than changing the party label. Thereafter, and to this day, it has been known as the Democratic Party, regardless of the faith of its followers at any particular time.

The then minority party labeled the Whigs took on a new label, calling themselves Republicans, and in 1860 this party came into power with the election of Abraham Lincoln. The early accomplishments of the party under this great and humanitarian leader were the freeing of the slaves and the preservation of the Union following a great Civil War. With the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, the leadership of the party passed into less able hands. Shortly afterward, the right to vote was restored in the Southern States, and the majority of Southerners allied themselves with the minority party and began voting the ticket labeled Democratic.

Later, the Democratic Party, standing for States' Rights—which needs no explanation—and for tariffs on imports for revenue only—known as Free Trade—maintained a very definite policy. The South stood for Free Trade be-

cause it was to its best interest. Free Trade enabled the world markets to absorb more of the bountiful cotton crops which the South produced. In the North, and especially in the East, a high protective tariff was to the best interests of the manufacturing industries located there. These two great issues were sufficient to make the two major political parties sectional. Northern States were Republican—Southern States were Democratic states. During this time, I believe the better element among the people in the South were Democratic—and in the North, Republican.

The Southern sentiment in favor of the Democratic label always runs high. The prejudices are whipped up by those who generally in some way can benefit. This prejudice in favor of the party label now reminds me of an old story I have heard somewhere about the prejudices in a campaign in Republican Andrew Jackson's day—or Democrat Andrew Jackson's day, I don't remember which. During the bitter campaign between Old Hickory and his opponent, James K. Polk, the people of one community decided to bury the hatchet and have a love feast—a dinner on the grounds. It didn't work. The Jackson followers wouldn't drink the wine because it was made partly from pokeberries, and the Polk people wouldn't eat the ham—it was hickory smoked.

A third cardinal principle which made the Democratic Party so predominant in the South and a consistent party with fixed policies was that it became the means by which the white people of the South exercised their local government by maintaining an all-white party. It was the usage and practice that all white people, because they were white, voted in the Democratic primaries, regardless of their political faith.

During the years following the Civil War, the Republican Party was made up of voters—some good, some medium, some bad. It contributed to the nation some very great statesmen, which included the great President Theodore Roosevelt. The Democratic Party was made up of voters—some good, some medium, some bad. It contributed some very great statesmen, including World War I President and great Liberal—not Pink—Woodrow Wilson and Grover Cleveland. The latter was equally as unfortunate as Herbert Hoover, in that he came into power at a time when the country and the world was going into a great depression. Time has obliterated the memory of the depression which occurred during Cleveland's terms, so he is rightfully accorded greatness because of his sound thinking.

The sectionalism and the jealousies between the North and the South were largely melted away in the stress and strain of the two great World Wars, the first of which started during the leadership of Woodrow Wilson and the second, that of Franklin Roosevelt. These wars were fought and won by a people who forgot party labels, which, when the chips were down became meaningless and unimportant—because the terms Democratic and



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Republican are synonymous in describing a form of government.

The soldier boy from the South basked in the name of "Yank," fondly applied by the people of foreign lands who were grateful to him as their liberator. And the soldier boy from the North fondly referred to his Southern buddy-in-arms as "Rebel." Sectionalism and party labels had no place when they plunged together hand in hand into the bloody waters off Normandy.

Concerning the cardinal principles of the Democratic Party and what has happened to them: The unlimited coinage of silver came for its brief stay.

Prohibition became law during a Democratic administration, later to be repealed during a Democratic administration. Free trade became a confused issue and, consequently, a dead issue. Economy in government, a leading issue of the Democratic Party in the 1932

campaign, was abandoned soon after the election. White supremacy in the South was wiped out by Supreme Court decisions. Leaving from among those many cardinal principles for which the Democratic Party had fought, only States' Rights. And States' Rights, abandoned during recent years in favor of a bureaucratic Federal Government, was promptly snapped up by the Republicans, so that if you were a good, consistent Democrat you are now primarily a Republican.

The national Democratic Party has recently carried on a near-fanatical crusade against the white people of the South, their traditions, convictions, and culture. It has chosen to ignore them in the party councils and looked down on them for their helplessness. It gloats and despises, as it watches them try to string along in the party in which they have no voice.

This crusade reached its highest point to date in the display at the Democratic National Convention in Philadelphia this year. The radicals, Pinks, Communists, thugs, and machine bosses now in control of the Democratic Party attempted to boo the gentle and gallant Southern delegates out of the Convention Hall. Every attempt of a Southern delegate to speak with thoughtful reason was greeted with catcalls and the Bronx cheer. You know or could visualize who comprised the yelling mob. Listening in at your radios, couldn't you detect in the crescendo of hate a screaming, screeching note, which sounded as though the Communist wolfpack was practicing at closing in for the kill?

They paid their tribute to the people of the State of Texas by hooting and jeering the Governor of our great state.

I don't know if my political machine opponent was there. If he was, or if he had been present, they would not have jeered and hooted at him. They have already found that they can do business with him and they hold him as one of their own.

The party labeled as the Democratic Party today stand for, advocates, and thrusts down our throats everything that the overwhelming majority of the Southern people bitterly oppose. The party labeled as the Demo-

cratic party stands for practically everything the Southern people don't want and stands for practically nothing they do want. This is recognizable whether the Southern people may be right or wrong. Naturally, we Texans think we are right. My opponent in the race for this office—whose chief, if not his only, qualifications for that office of the United States Senator are that he is white, is of legal age, and has followed the leader in whatever the leader was trying to get and now proudly wears a dubiously-earned label of nominee of a party dubiously labeled Democratic—now is asking for your vote. On my part, I ask you to think twice.

If you will quietly think this out, it is so true that it is not necessary that I enumerate the conflicts between what the party labeled Democratic stands for and what the people of the South believe they are entitled to and should have. Through our blind following of the party label, the Northern Democrats, who have never been and who are not now a wholesome element in the population of the Northern States, have grown to despise the Southern people for weaklings, and not because of sectionalism.

Now, this is all in fun, except the moral. The Northern Democrat watches the floundering of the hapless Southerner, whose pride in being 100 per cent Democrat is causing him to follow Joe Stalin part of the way as to the ballot. The Southerner wants one party—he is 100 per cent for the label. Stalin is 200 per cent—he wants one label and only one name under the label. Then by both the voter is offered his "free, untrammelled choice."

In recent years, there have been many prominent figures who changed their labels. Those such as former Secretary Ickes and former Vice-President Wallace, who changed from the Republican to the Democratic label, have not, to put it mildly, endeared themselves to our hearts. On the other hand, those who have changed their label from Democratic to Republican, such as the outstanding Senator Ed Moore of Oklahoma, are noteworthy for great and constructive work under their new label.

Senator Moore, an oil man and Democrat turned Republican, spent a large part of his personal fortune in fortifying himself with factual, statistical information regarding the bills pending. Other members of the Senate, both Democrats and Republicans, it soon realized the class and quality of Senator Moore's data. It was eagerly sought and borrowed by them because it was accurate and factual. With the facts available, they did not have to accept in the whole cloth the statements—warped with propaganda and shaded to serve a selfish purpose—with which the administration besieged them through testimony of its cabinet members and bureaucratic heads and their handy assistants.

In view of these records of those who have changed their labels, I think that we must conclude that, at this time, as during the great World Wars, party labels are meaningless and unimportant.

As far as the sanctity of a party label is concerned, President Franklin D. Roosevelt supported Republican LaGuardia for Mayor of New York and was unquestionably responsible for his election as a Republican. He supported Norris in Nebraska and LaFollette in Wisconsin against Democratic nominees. He supported many other Republican candidates for office and was quoted in the press as saying that he had rather vote for a good Republican than for a bad Democrat. President Roosevelt shattered a precedent by appointing to his cabinet the Republicans Frank Knox as Secretary of the Navy and Henry Stimson as Secretary of War. Is a Democratic Party voter in Texas willing to follow his example in case he or she is convinced that I can better serve the state as Senator?

It is high time—and there is no better time than now—for the people of Texas to arise, put on the cloak of all-party George Washington, Republican Thomas Jefferson, part-time Republican part-time Democrat Andrew Jackson, and begin taking their proper part in the affairs of our great nation. The time is now for the people of Texas to assume a role of leadership in confronting and combating the Police State which is creeping up on the nation—and we cannot fail, proceeding in the spirit and with the resolute courage of that great Southern leader, who was too great for any party label, the immortal Robert E. Lee.

EXCERPTS FROM JACK PORTER'S TALK FROM ABILENE, TEXAS, OCTOBER 26, 1948

Political Adv. Paid for by Earl Turner and All "We the People" for Jack Porter.

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JACK PORTER'S MESSAGE TO "WE THE PEOPLE"

FACT-FINDING GROUPS

Truth shall keep men free. Facts, if known to be facts, are what count. In nearly every election, the better choice between two contesting candidates would be made if the facts are clearly developed. This is the reason that we have always heard that right shall prevail.

Jack Porter would like for the voters to ascertain the unbiased facts about the issues of this campaign before casting their votes which shall decide the election.

As a practical means of getting the facts, he would like to see the voters form themselves into fact-finding groups of five, six or seven, small enough groups so as not to become a debating society and small enough that the groups would be efficient to develop the facts in the very short time left in this campaign. The members of the group informally formed could delegate one of their number to look into the issues which required a reference to the Congressional Record in order to develop the facts. Another member of the group could be delegated to inform himself as to the voting and the count of votes in the August primary. Another member could inform himself as to the legal procedures which were carried on in the attempt to get a correct count of the votes and in the attempt to preclude a correct count of the votes.

It would become dependent on each delegate for a group to go as far as he possibly could in developing the actual facts regarding the issue of the campaign that he was assigned to check. If he could not have access to a book setting out the Congressional Record (there are generally one or more of such books to be found in every county seat or good-size town), he could go to some friend who he knows makes a practice of keeping up with the current happenings in respect to the particular subject he is interested in finding out about. A suggestion is that he could ask his doctor, his lawyer, his store keeper, his preacher, etc., or anyone else except that it behooves him not to accept the words of someone who he knows would have some political axe to grind. Not invariably, but it is reasonable to suppose that, from this type person he would get biased opinions rather than facts.

In the informal organization of such a group, it would be the duty of such a delegate or scout to report back to the other members of the group, and, of course, his findings should not in any wise be considered as binding on them in regard to how they will vote. The suggestion is simply that an attempt be made to develop the facts and thereby become immune to propaganda, which can cause the public to act viciously rather than wisely.

Other subjects to be investigated which are primary issues in this campaign are:

1st: States' Rights—The philosophy of the Democratic Party which has caused most of the people of Texas to be Democrats. Find out if the National Democratic Party still adheres to States' Rights and find out what the National Republican Party's views are regarding States' Rights.

2nd: Tidelands. There has not been enough said about this issue and, considering its importance to the school children of Texas, there can never be enough said of it until it is finally decided in favor of our school children.

3rd: F.E.P.C.—What it is, how it would work, and if it would open the door for a Police State in America.

4th: Communists—Who they are, what they are trying to do, how they work, and how much progress they are making.

5th: The Taft-Hartley Act. Here it must be suggested that you make up your mind if the vote of Jack Porter's opponent for this bill fits the remainder of his Congressional record, and make up your mind if, in casting this vote, he had turned away from his previous record and turned to the constructive side in government—or if it was a vote cast preparatory to making this senatorial race. While looking into this matter of the candidates' attitude toward labor, find out about the vote cast by Porter's opponent in May, 1946, authorizing the President of the United States to draft the members of the Railroad Brotherhood Unions into the Armed Services because they were members of those unions.

6th: The Hatch Act—A law to keep Federal elections clean. See Congressional Record, July 20, 1939, first session of the 76th Congress. Find out if Jack Porter's opponent voted against the act and how the other Congressmen from Texas voted.

7th: The amendment to O.P.A. Bill—An amendment to permit crude oil prices to be raised to within 80 per cent of parity and precluding them from being raised to more than 100 per cent of parity. See Congressional Record, June 14, 1944, page 5920. Work out how this amendment affects the lives of everyone who makes his living in Texas. See if Porter's opponent voted against this amendment and if there was more than one other of the Congressmen from Texas who voted against it.

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Henry Zweifel, Fort Worth
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Mrs. R. A. Thompson,
Corpus Christi
8:00 P.M. WBAP 820:
Jack Porter, Texarkana

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Fred W. Davis, Austin
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S. Truman Phelps, Laredo
7:30 P.M. WFAA 820:
Jack Porter, Waco

SATURDAY

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Rev. E. R. Berens, Dallas
6:45 A.M. KRLO:
Josh Grace, San Antonio

EXCERPT FROM JACK PORTER'S

ADDRESS IN SAN ANTONIO OCT. 27

In the light of what I have said about Communism, I would now like to give you my views on foreign policy.

My first step in regard to foreign policy would be to ask the Senate to appoint a committee to press alertly for the consummation of the effort to root out the Communist workers with which our State Department is infested. We all know that they are there in alarming numbers. This would be a long step in the right direction. I would refuse to vote for the confirmation of any newly approved Secretary of State unless it was known that he would not tolerate a Communist sympathizer if he could detect him to be one and had sufficient acumen that he could detect one.

My every effort would be to encourage a consistency of foreign policy which would command the respect of the world and the support of our people. I would insist on covenants openly arrived at, so that there be no more Teherans, Yaltas, Potsdams, and hat-in-hand missions to Moscow.

My vote would never consent to any agreement, however plausible, wherein we would make our atomic secrets available to our deadly enemy—and certainly not until we know that he is no longer our enemy and, in fact, until we know that our enemy has unmistakably become our friend. I would make every effort to stop the treasonable passing out of atomic information which through disclosures of the un-American Activities Committee we know has been occurring.

I have the firm belief that if Russia is permitted to take over Germany, the utilization it will make of the German scientific talent, organization ability, and know-how, incorporating them with the vast Russian manpower and great natural resources, it would result in their taking over and overrunning the entire Eastern Hemisphere. Then, within a short period, after they had consolidated their conquests, the overwhelming might of these accumulated manpower and resources would be hurled against us.

I am impressed with the good that can be accomplished through a good neighbor policy which is practical and workable. I would never approve of making Henry Wallace or any of his type our emissary to negotiate with other nations and then come before the United States Senate to testify as to what bills it should pass in the continuance of the good neighbor policy.

I believe that the functioning of the United Nations must be improved and strengthened as fast as possible, so that it will begin commanding the respect of the world and its actions will be in a spirit of such fairness that it will be accepted as international law and not idly cast aside as international political maneuvering.

I am for adequate military preparedness so long as might only is to prevail, while, at the same time, working out as fast as possible an international educational campaign in order that right shall prevail.

I shall support the present European recovery program with enthusiasm, so long as our funds are sorely needed to rehabilitate the people who have suffered the horror of war at home and suffered having their homelands devastated in the actual conflict. In its administration, we must have common sense, business management. If its continued use is to become an attempt to bribe the peoples of other lands to refuse to go Communist, my enthusiasm would wane, because in my knowledge of human nature, people cannot successfully be bribed to be good. The very fact that they are induced to accept the bribe undermines their character and makes of good people very bad and dangerous people.

Prior to the Italian elections, May of this year, we had poured into Italy one billion three hundred ninety-two million dollars for nonmilitary aid, largely in the form of provisions. It is estimated that Russia spent for propaganda approximately five million dollars, or one dollar for every two hundred and seventy-eight dollars we spent. And with this disparity in expenditures, it was highly debatable whether the election would not go Communist.

It is well known that what should have been the wonderful educational program to reach behind the iron curtain, to South America, and to other lands to give these peoples a picture of our friendly way of life, has been distorted by Communist workers within the State Department into a message picturing to these peoples Texas and other southern states as inhabited by semi-barbarians. I am trying to be elected to an office which will enable me to do something about this.

Foreign policy must truly be kept on a bi-partisan basis. I have respect for and believe in the statesmanship of Senators Tom Connally and Arthur Vandenberg. However right they have been, we know how they have been hopelessly handicapped, in that they could only advise and not promulgate the policy.

We of America are the last great hope of the world. Let our fidelity to freedom's cause be such that men may remain free.

Political Ad Paid for by Reuben Williams and "We the People" for Jack Porter.

DALLAS NEWS, OCT. 28

JACK PORTER'S MESSAGE TO "WE THE PEOPLE"

Among the true and false statements previously published, Statement No. 3 read as follows:

Lyndon Johnson, Congressman from Texas, was one of the leaders in the fight to keep the Tidelands title for the benefit of the school children of Texas, and so cast his vote.

Since the publication of this question Lyndon Johnson has made the following statement in a radio broadcast:

"This past summer I told you how I had always voted for States' rights. . . I told you that I voted the bill to give Texas undisputed title to the islands—that I had led the fight for Texas to get the title to the tidelands."

For that reason the answer was deferred one day—careful study so that it would do Mr. Johnson injustice if he has correctly answered it **TRUE**.

The Congressional Record does not bear out this statement of Mr. Johnson. House Joint Resolution 1 was the measure designed to give the States undisputed title to their tidelands. This measure was passed by the House of Representatives and passed the Senate with amendments. Mr. Johnson must have been talking about the original passage of the solution in the House. His efforts to save the islands for the States seem to have ended there, when the Resolution came back from the Senate with amendments, and a motion to concur in the amendments was made in the House (Congressional Record, July 27, 1946). Mr. Johnson appears in the record as **NOT VOTING**.

The motion, nevertheless, prevailed and the Resolution went to the President, who vetoed it. It was on that the all-important motion was made to override the President's veto. This was the one deciding vote that would determine whether or not our school children were deprived of their rightful heritage. On August 2, 1946, when this vote was taken, Mr. Johnson again was **NOT VOTING**. It is difficult to reconcile his statement that "I had led the fight" when he wasn't even voting his sentiments, whatever they were (Congressional Record, Vol. 92, pp. 803 et seq.). The very obvious answer to Statement No. 3 is **FALSE**.

False. April 18, 1946, Lyndon Johnson cast his vote **AGAINST** an investigation of espionage charges as to the possession of secret documents in the hands of agents of Russia.

True. Franklin Roosevelt stated "I had rather vote for a good Republican than a bad Democrat" and in addition said "I have supported many Republicans for office."

True. The Democratic platform calls for the repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act, and Johnson supports that platform.

False. In no country with a two-party system has Communism been voted in, and no country with any semblance of free elections has been overrun except those in which were located large forces of Russian troops.

True. The Republican platform calls for the title to the Tidelands to be fixed in the States. The Democratic President vetoed a joint resolution of Congress to effect this, and Lyndon Johnson did not vote to override his veto. One of the chief Democratic campaign issues in the present campaign is opposing the return of the title to the Tidelands to the states.

False. The F.B.I. reports there are over 200 Communists in our State Department. They have succeeded in hampering our ambassadors and emissaries abroad and our representatives in the United Nations. This situation in the State

Department makes it impossible for our country to win any diplomatic victories in the "cold war" with Russia. Because we cannot win any diplomatic victories, we are much more apt to be and will sooner be involved in an actual war.

18. False. No picketing whatever is permitted in Russia, and anyone making any protest of this nature is immediately liquidated.

19. True. Price-fixing is not a new advancement in liberalism. It is simply going back to failures of more than 150 years ago. (Lyndon Johnson supported the Administration in all its attempts to keep price-fixing fastened upon our people during peacetime and, in supporting the national Administration, with the slogan which he has made famous, "Follow the Leader," he is now committed to attempt to get price-fixing reinstated.

20. True. The Senate has the final word as to the eligibility of a new member. Their practice is to go into very exhaustive hearings, and if Johnson becomes the Senator which Texas elects, the hearings of his case may take up as much as two or three weeks of the Senate's time. The time which will be taken up is vital on account of the Russian situation. It would cost our country diplomatic victories which could forestall the Third World War. Recently, the hearings concerning the seating of Bilbo from Mississippi appeared that they would take up so much time that a compromise was made whereby Bilbo was paid his salary but not permitted the privileges of the floor nor to act as a Senator. This arrangement continued a few months until the death of Bilbo.

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21. Jack Porter is a native Texan, having been born in Parker County.

22. Jack Porter is a veteran of World War One.

23. Jack Porter had always voted the Democratic ticket until 1940.

24. In a recent radio address, did Lyndon Johnson state, "again and again, I have said, and those speaking for me have said, that this dispute should be settled in the state courts?"

25. Lyndon Johnson filed a suit in Jim Wells County against Coke Stevenson and others seeking an injunction.

26. The August primary ballots of Duval County are still available for the Senate investigators.

27. There is a reward for those answering correctly the true and false questions.

JACK PORTER TALKS ABOUT PARTY LABEL AND PLEDGE

Among the voters in the present election, there are many good men and women who may feel that they cannot depart from loyalty to a party pledge. Now, if they are to be true to themselves, they must



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vote for the principles in which they believe, under whatever label they find them. The Democratic label at this time does not represent the things in which they believe. It does not represent their conceptions of integrity, good faith, religion, or conscience. The Democratic label at this time represents the very things which they abhor.

Many good men and women are worried about their voting pledge. They have voted in the Democratic primary. It was the only primary available to them. They would love to support the nominees of the August primary if their consciences permitted them to do so. The pledge in the primary is an attempt to fix a requirement on the voters in order to maintain the one-party system in Texas.

As could be expected, the politicians who make their living out of party loyalty and talk much about

the "moral pledge," are threatening the people of Texas with a "purge." From where have we been hearing this word "purge" during the last few years? It is from the places where, unfortunately, there does not exist a second political party to which the purged members could go. Instead, it is from where the victim of their purge because of party irregularity faces the firing squad or starts off to the slave-labor camps. Can this be the spirit of democracy and the spirit of government that we of Texas are willing to subscribe to and abide by? I call on all true Texans to throw off the shackles with which the politicians are trying to enslave us.

If you want to decide this question on legal ground, look to the decision of your own Supreme Court, which has ruled that "your conscience be your guide." (See 28 Southwestern Reporter (2d Series) page 315).

If you feel so deeply on the questions that perplex you that you hesitate to make your decision based upon a legal interpretation of your rights and duties, then advise with the most honorable men you know within your range of acquaintance.

Kneel down in the privacy of your home and ask for Divine Guidance.

In all humility, and sincerity, make your decision if you are willing to discard your sense of decency and your conscience in order that you may follow the rules laid down by a political party's machinery.

HENRY WALLACE IN GOVERNMENT

Wherein has Henry Wallace changed? During all those years, he advocated and put into practice his remedy of "scarcity." His fixed policy received its greatest publicity in "plowing under the little pigs," which slogan the public jokingly fastened on this fixed policy during the same time they were being forced to carry on the program through the workings of bureaucratic government.

Every evidence is that this "law of scarcity" policy was carried through for the purpose of destroying free enterprise in America and weakening America so that it would be unable to cope with Russia in the international field, both economically and militarily. Instead of its working out this way, the police state of Germany became prepared to wage war before Russia could prepare, and Germany was emboldened to start a world conflict because of the apparent weakness of the United States. Hitler sneered at the "decadent democracies" and launched World War II.

Henry Wallace was held in the highest esteem by the party labeled Democratic until about 2 years ago. Senator Tom Connally, Secretary of State Byrnes and other statesmen entrusted with negotiating with Russia and in Europe at that time engaged in such diplomatic negotiations forced Wallace's ousting from the cabinet following his delivering a speech in New York City to a large gathering sympathetic to his views, in which Wallace called for a non-resistance policy toward Russian aggression. Wallace resigned as Secretary of Commerce, presumably at the request of the President, who had, during the day before the speech was to be delivered that night, answered the questions of newspapermen stating that he (the President) was familiar with and approved Wallace's speech.

For the first time, Henry Wallace lost caste with the administration, for the simple reason that the American people, finally aroused, demanded the support of our representatives engaged in conferences with the foreign representatives of Russia and other nations.

Henry Wallace, his philosophy, and his principles have not changed. It is his working arrangements which have changed since the "follow-the-leader-Wallace" record became unfashionable. Those who worked with him and accepted his help during all these years did know or could have known what Wallace was working for and what he stood for.

During these years, Jesse Jones and Henry Wallace carried on a bitter feud in the administration circles. After a continuing swing toward the Pink—which they sometimes called leftwing but enjoyed calling "liberal"—side, the feud was finally terminated in Jesse Jones's resigning as Secretary of Commerce and Henry Wallace's being appointed to take his place.

Today, Henry Wallace has far less chance to betray his country into the hands of the Communists than he had during the time he worked within the party labeled Democratic and during the time it was considered an honor to be associated with him. Those who work with him today have little chance to harm our country, because they are forced out into the open. Those who worked with the unchanged Wallace prior to his quitting the party labeled Democratic are the ones who would have been the accessories to the fact if he had succeeded in taking charge of our government. He would have succeeded if he had been renominated for Vice-President in 1944, for he would have become President of the United States and commander-in-chief of the armed forces.

Try to figure out what percent of the votes Jack Porter will receive of those who vote for Henry Wallace. Make up your mind if you want to vote the same as the supporters of Henry Wallace.

PORTER WORKERS

This is a crusade for good government. The forces for good government are on the march. They have found in Jack Porter a qualified leader.

We are with Jack Porter on his stand for good government. Time is short. Porter workers can tell their friends of Jack Porter, encourage them to familiarize themselves with the facts, invite them to stand with Jack Porter for good government.

Porter workers should invite their friends to investigate the voting record of Jack Porter's opponent while he was a member of Congress; have them ascertain if Jack Porter's opponent is a follow the leader type.

Porter workers can call their friends and invite them to listen to radio talks by Jack Porter and friends of Jack Porter.

Porter workers should zealously campaign up to election day. The reward is great. It is good government for Texas.

L. L. JAMES TO SPEAK

The Free State of Van Zandt is noted for its community gatherings. Such a meeting will be held at Canton, Monday, At 2 p.m., the Honorable J. J. James, Tyler attorney, will address the gathering in behalf of Jack Porter.

Mr. James will be remembered as having done more than any other single citizen in the United States to thwart the packing of the Supreme Court, when he organized the presentation of trunkful of petitions signed by Texas citizens and enlisted the help of Senator Tom Connally, Vice-President John Nance Garner, and the Honorable Hutton Summers, who, through their positions, broke up the attempt.

Other rallies at other places should be widely held and largely attended.

D. N. Sunday Oct. 21

JACK PORTER'S MESSAGE TO "WE THE PEOPLE"

FACT-FINDING GROUPS

It is entirely wholesome and "in good taste" that voters prepare themselves in exercising their right of suffrage. Their right to vote is both a right and a duty. With this vote, they can do no harm or much good.

In this column, the suggestion has been made that voters who are interested in developing the facts regarding the issues of the present senatorial race divide themselves into fact-finding groups. The present issue suggested informal groups of five, six or ten. On account of the nearness of the election, it is advisable that these groups be comprised of eleven or twelve voters. Larger groups than this will result in the voters' being swayed by mass psychology to false conclusions rather than being led by the facts.

The scout whose duty it is to get the information regarding a particular subject and report his findings to the group should go to the records as far as he is able to do so, and if he is unable to reach the records, should inquire of someone he knows to be well posted. This may be the editor of his local paper, his doctor, lawyer, storekeeper, preacher or anyone else who he knows has the best interest of the state at heart.

Let the voters make up their minds as to what are the real issues in the campaign and search out the facts regarding them.

The Tideland issue must never be overlooked, because of what it means toward better salaries for the school teachers of Texas—better salaries which will enable them at all times to keep themselves better prepared for the fulfillment of their duties. If the school children of Texas are not robbed of the funds coming from the Tideland, it means better buildings, athletic equipment, facilities for getting to school and a better education for them, which in turn means a better way of life.

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It would be against the law for a voter who voted in the Democratic Primary to cast his vote for Jack Porter in the General Election.

There were two separate votes taken on Bretton Woods, and on both of these all of the 21 Texas Congressmen voted each time. Lyndon Johnson cast his vote contrary to all of the other 20 Congressmen from the State of Texas.

Franklin D. Roosevelt supported Republican J. Lee LaGuardia for Mayor of New York City. The facilities for accepting, tallying and returning the vote in Democratic Primaries are all the same in Dallas, Harris, Galveston, Brown, Eastland, Wharton, Clay and Chambers Counties. Jack Johnson has questioned, as they are in San Wells, Duval, Starr, Zapata and Jim Hogg Counties, which Stevenson has questioned.

The Supreme Court of Texas has interpreted the law regarding a party pledge to mean that the

voters may follow their conscience in casting their votes in the General Election.

9. Lyndon Johnson, as Congressman from Texas, voted against the bill providing funds for the Un-American Activities Committee to carry on its investigation of Communist activity in this country.

10. Lyndon Johnson, as Congressman from Texas, voted against bill introduced in Congress which required that American observers be allowed to supervise lend-lease goods and equipment going to Russia.

11. Both candidates in the present race for United States Senator from Texas used all their influence to have Henry Wallace nominated as Vice-President in 1944.

Keep these numbers for later an attempt will be made to publish the correct answers to each by number.

EXCERPTS FROM AN ADDRESS DELIVERED BY JACK PORTER

If we are soon again to be subjected to the horrors of war, we know whom we will be fighting and why and what is our greatest handicap. The answer to this three-pointed question is Communism. Let us try to figure out what we must combat, who and what they are, their strength and danger, and what makes them tick.

Communism is an ideology necessarily centering in a supreme dictator. The dictator commands vast manpower and resources. It is just part of his being a dictator to attempt to conquer the world. Our greatest handicap in this light is the infiltration of Communists into America and its government which has occurred and is now going on. Communists are fanatical, sly, adroit, aggressive and tireless workers. They are just as sincere and serious as any other people who are afflicted with some dreadful disease which is clutching at and warping their lives.

Converts to Communism believe it is the perfect state of society—"all join together, working for the common good, each doing what he or she can best do." Now, that is theoretically perfect. To promote a nation into adopting their creed, they willingly and gladly enter upon a life of hypocrisy, spying, lying, stealing, fraud, propagandizing, deceit, immorality, godlessness and murder. They believe the end justifies the means. This is the picture of what we have to combat.

We have always relied upon and believed that right must prevail. The sad fact is that right will not prevail soon enough to save us, if what is right is made to appear wrong and what is wrong is made to appear right. This the Communist worker is in a position to do and succeeds in doing. He plays upon the frailty of human nature by telling the people what he knows they will like to hear and by telling them what he knows will require no proof in order to get them to believe. In America, he tells the people that they are being ground down by special interests and glowingly holds before them a doctrine wherein human rights and freedom from fear shall prevail. He has other convenient catch-phrases to picture a Utopia they can have by following his ideology.

We have heard many of these catch-words and phrases in the past few years. The Communist workers have proven they are so effective that the politicians wishing to secure and perpetuate themselves in office commonly use these handy catch-phrases without any real intent to promote Communism or to practice Communism after they are elected. After they are in office through the use of such catch-words, they find themselves subject to such pressure from the minority groups to whom they have appealed that some of them are prone to live up to their promises. There are many cases where real



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constructive citizens become Communist office-holders. It doesn't take a Communist to write and pass Communist legislation. Remember that.

If Communism is the perfect state of society, why combat it? Why not accept it? I want to give you a simple illustration on a smaller than national scale to try to uncover the fallacy of their claims to perfection.

Please picture one hundred individuals joining together, each working for the common good of the group, each person doing what he can best do. Now, that sounds good in theory and sounds intelligent, efficient, and, in fact, noble. But when put into practice, who is going to scrub the floor? They do not all volunteer at once. Who is to tell one that he is to scrub, and who is to tell the one who tells him to tell him? Perhaps someone who is told in

an orderly and Communistically "lawful" manner that is to scrub thinks he is better fitted to do some more pleasant work. He is not happy because he is not following what he dreamed of as his lifework and does not do a good job of scrubbing. Some member informs on him. Someone who has been chosen to enforce the performance of duties by members of his class has the job of forcing the scrubber to scrub or be liquidated.

Now, already, we perceive the Police State—the informer, the spy, the enforcer, and the higher-ups, and at the top the dictator in the theoretically perfect state of society. Convert the illustration of this small group to Communism on a national scale. The member who in this process becomes a victim to be liquidated has nowhere to go and there begins the probability for him of an unpleasant sunrise appointment. The specters of the bloody purges and the slave labor camps suddenly appear. The dictator, soon drunk with power, carries them all into wars with no thought of the cost of life, but just to satisfy his ambition.

Unbelievably soon, the things that the citizen reasonably thought "can't happen here" are in full process, with all the bureaucratic workings between the dictator at the top and the now slave at the bottom grinding away every vestige of human liberty.

I believe that every worker, labor union member, small businessman, industrialist and member of a profession can visualize what he, individually, has at stake and will lose if individual liberty and free enterprise in America is supplanted by the Police State. If so, we reach the conclusion that Communism is bad, that we will have none of it, and that we will fight with all hearts its assault from abroad.

We must plan to safeguard our country against being taken from within. The card-carrying Communist is bad, but the greater danger lurks in his more subtle teammate, the Pink. The Pink is frequently found in a position of trust, more often as a handy assistant to those occupying positions of trust, frequently as a co-ordinator or conciliator, or in labor union circles—always wherever he can infiltrate into the professions having to do with disseminating information and instruction. The most effective law which can be invoked against these fanatics is the law of common sense on the part of the voters and the people. The laws we have against treason, espionage, and sabotage are some protection. Those guilty of breaking them should be sentenced with the full penalties provided. Let's use common sense. Let's leave off maudlin sympathy for the man who is trying to cut our throat.

Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, during nearly six years' service in the Senate, has repeatedly stated that if the people will keep their government within the limits of that great document, the Constitution of the United States, the nation can be saved. Let the people heed these wise words. The fountain-spring of government is from the people. Let us in a rebirth of genuine patriotism exercise our ballot, publicize our thoughts, and get these laws administered and interpreted so that America can be saved. If you elect me your United States Senator, I shall exert my utmost energy toward getting these laws administered and enforced.

You may say that the Communist suspects should not be given the benefit of the doubt. But because this is America, with all its Constitutional guarantees of freedom, America cannot fully protect herself with laws. The voter is under no pledge to give the benefit of the doubt. In every choice he makes between candidates for office, he should vote to stamp out this menace wherever he can detect it or even suspect it. If you can uncover in inquiring about me anywhere anything which leads you to believe that I will in any wise co-operate with Communist workers or be taken in by any theories of government which will assist them in their attempt to enslave us, I sincerely hope that you will vote against me. If

you suspect me, I hereby waive any and all pledges or obligations which you may have felt to cast your vote for me. I don't want an umpire's forfeiture; I want to win with runs.

To picture the hopelessness of combating this menace with laws: An adroit and handy assistant to the President could manage the signing of agreements to turn over to our potentially most dangerous enemy half of Europe and far in advance set up the present Berlin situation which is a ready torch waiting to set off another world conflict—without such handy assistant being subject to conviction under our laws! This calamity has already taken place and perhaps you will decide that is how it happened.

Instead of depending on laws, the people must PROTECT THEMSELVES and AMERICA through the election of men and women of wisdom and integrity to high offices, men and women who cannot be reached by Communist sympathizers however skillful. This you can do by fulfillment of your duty at the ballot box. And to encourage you to do so, you must be insured that your ballot will be correctly counted in correct proportion to all other ballots actually cast.

If you believe that the Committee on Un-American Activities has been worth two dollars out of each million the Government spends, I would like for you to consider my opponent's vote on May 17, 1946, recorded in the Congressional Record, that date, page 5224. You will find that he was one of only two Texas Congressmen who voted against the appropriation for the continuance of this Committee. If he had been successful in his vote, the Committee would not have been in existence to make the recent spy disclosures.

I call upon you to scrutinize the records of each and every candidate whose fitness you will pass on in casting your vote November second. Find out whom they team with, vote with, work with; who likes them and why. If the Pinks like any of these candidates you have under consideration well enough to help them be elected, Watch Out! I call upon you to vote against any candidate who has too much standing and works too smoothly with those who are trying to take our Government away from us.

I call upon you tonight to make an honest pledge to yourselves that you are going to work to the best of your ability to vote the menace of Communism out of America—to consecrate your lives to a course of common sense and courage that in America, now and for all time, men may be free.

WORKERS

Those who are rightfully and righteously converted to Jack Porter's cause must begin to think out how they can best promote his welfare in this campaign.

The time is very short. They can visit their friends, at all times inviting and pressing them to familiarize themselves with the facts. They can write postcards to those they feel would be glad to hear from them. They can talk to their tradespeople and daily associates.

Jack Porter's background and lifework should be studied and the voting record of his opponent must be studied closely.

Small advertisements setting out the potent facts can be run in local newspapers, and if that is not possible, the facts can be set out in handbills to be widely distributed.

Most important, ask your papers to publish the news regarding Jack Porter.

As much work should be done within the next four days as would normally be done during a campaign of four weeks.

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JACK PORTER'S MESSAGE TO "WE THE PEOPLE"

FACT-FINDERS AND WORKERS

Who have found the facts are going to want something about it. What you can do is to work for Jack Porter's election.

They make use of the real facts which you have heard when you vote. Give the widest distribution of your power to these facts. Suppress none of the favorable to Jack Porter's opponent. Meet catch-up with facts. Fight with facts and fight fairly. Jack Porter wants you to do. He wants to win facts and the whole truth.

It is the hour that facts can bear fruit. Call each within your close acquaintance. So that they exercise their independence of ballot, find out if know how to vote for Jack Porter and other states for other offices on the ticket for whom wish to vote. Tell them Jack Porter's stand in on to his opponent's. Ask them to vote. Assist in reaching the polls. Vote early and ask your to vote early. Vote against bad government for Jack Porter.

JACK PORTER SPEAKS

Take this occasion to thank my friends who have read this column in behalf of my candidacy and ask the public for having read this column and bring the true or false of the statements which been raised.

My friends responsible for this column have acted in same capacity as all my friends have acted about my life concerning the things about which I been right. (And permit me to say that many I know I have been wrong, but in these cases not stay wrong any longer than it took me to get that I was wrong.) In the past, on the things the unmistakable facts have supported the position my friends have rendered unyielding loyalty to and I have worked shoulder to shoulder with them ever it fell to the lot of someone else to lead the for the right.

On account of the shortness of the time and the al majority to be overcome, our task has been us. I feel that our success in the election is dependent upon how successful we have been in getting people to look into the facts and not take statements granted simply because they have been said. Let the public know what I stand for, and in the sign there has not developed any attack on me things which I do stand for. Therefore, if this is settled, let us turn to the party labels.

The Democratic Party Platform calls for civil rights res on a national scale; in this is included the call for the taking over by the Federal Government of the tidelands. It does not recognize the

rights of the states and does stand for price-fixing and similar measures requiring huge bureaus to be enforced on a national scale by the Federal Government. It calls for the repeal of the Taft-Hartley act.

The Republican Party Platform calls for fixing the title to the tidelands in the states and for States' Rights.

Some leaders in the Republican Party are for FEPC and other civil rights measures and have succeeded in getting state laws enacted in their states setting up as drastic an FEPC as any proposed by the Democratic administration to be set up and enforced by the Federal Government. There is this distinct difference: In these states, such as New York, FEPC was evidently what the people wanted; their legislature passed the bills, the Governor signed them, and they are administered by the state and enforced by local officers. They are not thrust down the throats of the people of other states. This is civil rights on a States' Rights basis. The Democratic administration is trying to impose civil rights on a national scale. The laws covering the State of Texas would cover all other states in the Union. The laws would be administered by a Federal bureau and enforced with Federal police.

Bear in mind if you vote for my opponent, who supports the Democratic administration, you are voting for the things which their platform stands for and against return of the tidelands to the states and against States' Rights.

Any candidate or voter supporting the Democratic administration is for and voting for what the Democratic label stands for and against what the Republican label stands for. Some Texans who will vote for the Republican candidate for President are considering voting for Johnson for Senator, because they have heard more of Johnson than of Porter. It is conceded that Governor Dewey will be elected President. The President of either party nearly always turns in a poor administration if his party is not in control of the Senate. This is a situation which makes for inefficiency in government.

Signed, JACK PORTER.

ANSWERS TO TRUE OR FALSE

25. The voting record of Lyndon Johnson indicates that he has valiantly fought Communism at home and abroad.

FALSE. Johnson's voting record shows that he has generally voted with left-wing sympathizers.

26. Jack Porter's record indicates that, if elected, he would confuse constituents with special associates. FALSE. Jack Porter's record clearly indicates that he will act for all the people and will not permit any special associates seeking accommodations and privileges to sway him from doing so.



JACK PORTER

WILL APPRECIATE YOUR VOTE

MY OPPONENT'S VOTING RECORD

It has lovingly been said of Mr. Johnson that he stands up to be counted. This is a brief record of his NOT VOTING:

Tidelands—Resolution 225 sponsored by Hatten Summers to save the income from the Tidelands for the school children and school teachers of Texas. In the vote clearing this bill for final passage, July 27, 1946, Mr. Johnson did not vote. After it was passed and the President vetoed it, in a vote taken August 2, 1946, to override the President's veto, Mr. Johnson did not vote (see Congressional Record, Volume 92, pages 10,803 et seq.). October 28, 1948, Johnson said, "I led the fight for Texas to keep the title to the Tidelands." As a matter of fact, the administration pressure was on, and as a matter of record, Mr. Johnson refused to choose between the Democratic label and the school children of Texas. Still, he says he "led the fight."

House Resolution 341 provided that Congress should have the right to certain information from the Executive Departments of the Government. In vote May 13, 1948, Johnson did not vote.

Resolution 6771, known as the National Military Functions Appropriation Bill 1949, providing for \$6.5 billion for the Army and Air Force. In vote June 2, 1948, Johnson did not vote.

A bill establishing a standing committee on un-American activities. In vote January 13, 1945, Johnson did not vote.

Bretton Woods Monetary Agreements. In vote June 7, 1945, Mr. Johnson was the only Congressman from Texas who did not vote.

A study of the 80th Congress reveals that Mr. Johnson was the most non-voting member of the Texas delegation, with the exception of the Honorable Milton West, then sick and recently deceased. He was absent seven out of a possible sixteen times on controversial issues; specifically: Labor Department bill, Social Security resolution, Reed-Bullwinkle act, Anti-Poll Tax bill, Mundt-Nixon bill to outlaw Communists, TVA Steam Plant bill, and Three-Year Trade Pact Disputes. You may think this record usual for our public servants, but it is not. Five of our Congressmen—namely, Beckworth, Fisher, Mahon, Teague, and Pickett—voted on all sixteen measures; J. Frank Wilson was absent once; other Congressmen were absent once or more but seldom; Senators O'Daniel and Connally, who you will grant are fairly busy men, were each absent once.

We are giving you a fair sample of Mr. Johnson's voting record. Space will not permit that it be printed in full, but to cap the climax of the ridiculous in non-voting: On a bill to set out whether "Little Caesar" Petrillo could ban the school bands from the air waves, Mr. Johnson was PRESENT and DECLINED TO VOTE. This bill does not assume the tremendous importance of Tidelands and un-American Activities Committee bills, but if we can forget the principles here involved, it is then amusing in considering the courage of Mr. Johnson.

SOME SAMPLES OF VOTING "NAY"

Hatch Act to keep Federal elections clean and to prohibit pernicious political activities. In vote in 1939, Johnson voted against the bill.

Judiciary Committee of the House to investigate espionage charges in connection with the theft and possession of secret documents by Russian agents. In vote April 18, 1946, Johnson voted "Nay."

A bill providing that only Americans (and not Russian Communists) supervise all American relief behind the Iron Curtain. In vote April 30, 1947, Johnson voted "Nay."

An appropriation for the un-American Activities Committee to continue its investigations of the Communist menace. In vote May 17, 1946, Johnson voted "Nay."

House Resolution 18 creating a select committee for the purpose of aiding small business. In vote February 26, 1947, Johnson voted "Nay."

House Resolution 20 providing a ceiling on the President's budget of \$31.5 billion instead of the \$27.5

billion desired by the President. In vote February 20, 1947, Johnson voted "Nay."

SOME SAMPLES OF VOTING "YES"

We will toss in only a few:

A bill to permit the President to induct into the Army all members of the Railroad Brotherhood Unions then on strike. In vote May, 1946, Johnson voted "Yes."

Friding himself upon being a professional Yes-Man office-holder, the voter may assume or can go to the records to verify that Mr. Johnson voted "Yes" in favor of nearly all of the left wing laws fostering bureaucratic government which the administration of the party labeled Democratic has attempted to fasten upon the American people. His record reveals one very commendable "Yes" vote. Mr. Johnson voted "Yes" to pass the Taft-Hartley Act over the President's veto. This vote does not fit his voting record. The CIO Political Action Committee seems to understand and condone Mr. Johnson's vote; in this race, they are for him.

While on this subject, the CIO News, the Communist-dominated organ of the left wing union leaders in the North, lists in its July 19, 1948, issue the voting records of all Texas Congressmen. On sixteen issues vital to them, the CIO News shows Lyndon Johnson voting "wrong" three times. On the same issues, nearly all of the other Texas Senators and Congressmen voted "wrong" from eight to fifteen times.

This voting record has a great deal to do with this campaign. Consider it carefully before you cast your vote.

The Progressive ticket appearing on the Texas ballot lists candidates for office above the space for Senator and below the space for Senator. It can be assumed that the leadership of this party is willing that their voters be permitted to make the choice between Lyndon Johnson and Jack Porter for the United States Senate.

Jack Porter has never uttered a word of which this class of voters could approve. It is easy to surmise where they will go. The question is, Will you go with them?

LAST WORD TO PORTER WORKERS

A poll shows that 1 of each 3 voters is still undecided as to the Senate race. This represents a fertile field in which to work.

IT SHOWS THAT 1 OF EACH 3 VOTERS FOR DEWEY INTENDS VOTING FOR JOHNSON. THEY WOULD NOT DO SO IF THEY COULD BE REACHED AND TOLD HOW BADLY THIS WOULD WORK OUT FOR DEWEY, THE NATION, AND FOR TEXAS.

JACK PORTER, A TRUE FRIEND OF THE OIL INDUSTRY

At the outbreak of the war, crude oil prices were frozen at a price far below the cost of finding and producing. June 14, 1944, Lyndon Johnson cast his vote against an amendment to an O.P.A. Bill (see Congressional Record, June 14, 1944, page 5920) permitting the price of oil to be raised to a price within 80 per cent of a parity price of other commodities as reported by the U.S. Dept. of Labor. He was the only Congressman from Texas who voted against this amendment. If he had voted with all the other Texas Congressmen in the first vote taken, the result of the vote would have been a tie instead of the amendment losing by two votes.

Inasmuch as Texas produces about half of the oil produced in the United States, he was not voting for the welfare of the people of the State of Texas and, as the stimulation of oil production was so badly needed for war use, he was not voting for the war effort. It is not known what influence dictated his vote, but it is difficult to find a wholesome influence that would cause him to cast such a vote. This vote was a vote against the oil field workers and their wage raises which have subsequently attended the increases in the price of crude oil. It was a vote against the royalty owners and oil producers. It was a vote against every person who owns an acre of land, every person who makes a living in Texas and neighboring states. Since this amendment was so manifestly fair, find out who Porter's opponent was voting for.

This shows the kind of friend Johnson would be to the oil industry in the Senate. Texas nearly always re-elects its Senators for life unless they voluntarily retire, as Senator O'Daniel did.

It is to the interest of everyone who is affected by the welfare of the oil industry to do whatever he can to help in Jack Porter's campaign. Call to the attention of your friends in Texas the significance of Johnson's vote on this amendment and ask them to study his entire record as a Congressman and as an office seeker -- ask them to work for Jack Porter, a fine man, a clear thinker, and a constructive worker for the welfare of the oil industry and all the people of Texas. He will be a Senator similar to Ed Moore of Oklahoma, a Democrat elected on the Republican ticket, and Jim Eastland of Mississippi. He will be a statesman of whom the nation will be proud.

DEMOCRATS FOR JACK PORTER - Reuben Williams, Chairman.