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WE ARE AMERICANS

The campaign is over! We the people have made our choice for the man who will direct the destiny of our nation for the next four years. He is our President, irrespective as to whether we were for him or against him during the campaign. We are all for him now. Therein lies the greatness and the strength of our nation, our willingness to accept the will of the people as law. This is sacred to us.

This condition does not prevail in many other countries. Let us take a survey of the last 80 years of history. The political regime of all nations, except the British Empire, the Scandinavian countries, Holland and Belgium have been overthrown by force, an unsuccessful rival seizing an opportunity to raise an army and gain power by force. Our sister republics to the south of us have had many internal revolutions, leaving their country a seething condition of unrest and a state of poverty as the aftermath of internal strife. Fortunately Americans will not tolerate any such movements and accept as sacred the verdict of the people as final.

This is one of the great reasons why our nation during its short period of history, less than two hundred years, has made greater progress than all the rest of the combined nations of the world, many of them having thousands of years of history in the past.

The defeated candidates gracefully submit to the verdict expressed at the polls and send messages of congratulations to their victorious rivals wishing them a successful administration.

One of the finest messages showing the American spirit contained these words: "We submitted the issue to the American people and their will is law."

In this instance the campaign had been what we call "a hot one." Both candidates were exceptionally clean, fine men. However the unsuccessful candidate had been subjected to vicious attacks of every kind; the ideas they advocated were new for that time, but most of them have been enacted into law since then. His greatness was shown by his message to his winning opponent, acknowledging the basic American ideal—The people's will is law—and their condition such that it is the envy of the nations of the earth.

Everything is not ideal, that is true, but we do not have to put guards around our people when they leave to visit other countries. They are always very willing to come back and if they are not, they are thrice welcome to stay away. If any delegation of our people goes to another country, we do not have them guarded so they cannot communicate with the citizens there. How marvelous it is to come and go as you please.

There is one evidence that proves America is the greatest country on the globe. This is the evidence: Should we throw down the bars and take off all restrictions on our immigration laws, the people by the millions, from other nations, would migrate here. Millions of them are clamoring for an opportunity to get to America.

As far as national resources are concerned, they are as far forward as we are, but unable to develop them because of one form or another of absolutism. If they could adopt American democracy, they could be prosperous as well as we.

May God continue to bless America, for it is a blessing to mankind.

E. C. H.

The Chetco Development proposes the construction of a jetty at the mouth of the river and the dredging of the basin to a depth of from 12 to 15 feet of water at low tide.

The benefits to Brookings and Harbor arising out of this development have been expressed to the Pilot as follows:

An all-year entrance from the ocean into the Chetco Basin would be provided. This basin would extend from the mouth of the river approximately to Tide Rock.

A safe, adequate and calm water anchorage would thus be provided for a large number of small craft. Such an anchorage

would entice almost all of the fishing fleet now operating between Eureka and Coos Bay. Most of this fleet would make the Chetco Basin its home port.

Canneries, warehouses and docks would be erected on the south bank of the basin to serve the fishing industry. Other industries, operated in connection with the fishing industry, would move into this area.

Many of the owners of these fishing boats would build their homes in this area. In fact, several of these boat owners are living here now.

All of this would mean that there would come to Brookings and Harbor a great new industry. It would mean more employment, more business and the expenditure of a large sum of money. This would be new money to the area, money that is not being spent here now. It would be to our mutual benefit. Everybody living here would share in this potential prosperity.

The Chetco Development could make this area the most prosperous and populated area on the Pacific Coast, north of Eureka.

But this project does not end here. There are other advantages to be secured from this development. The Pilot shall discuss these other advantages in later issues.

Does a substantial majority of the people who live in Brookings and Harbor desire that the jetty be built and the Chetco Basin developed? The Pilot would like to know the opinions, pro and con, of the residents of Southern Curry County on the proposed Chetco Development.

This is everybody's business. Let's have some public discussion. Write to the Pilot and express your sentiments. The Pilot will publish all of the letters so received. In your letters please stick to the subject, do not indulge in personalities and sign the letter.

E. F. A.

The election is over. The American people have cast their ballots. We have made our decision. We no longer stand inept, dilatory and stupid at the crossroads. Now we are on the march.

To accomplish this we had to say "No" to the cherished hopes of a great American. Adlai E. Stevenson is a great and gallant leader. It is to be regretted that he could not have used his talents in a better cause. He carried with him, on his back, the Communists and fellow travellers and pinks who had infiltrated into our government and were selling us out to the Russians. In his train were the five per centers and the thieves who were robbing us. And, as if this burden were not enough, he had Harry Truman strutting about on his whistle stops and implying that Stevenson was Truman's boy.

As we have previously written we again renew our question: "How stupid can politicians get?" When Communists and Communist sympathizers are called red herrings instead of red traitors by our President, when this motley array is placed in control of high places in our government, when Russia shoots down our peaceful airplanes and, with impunity, imprisons our citizens, does any human being in his right mind believe that, we are going to take it lying down?

If today, in America or in the world, such a belief is prevalent let those who so believe consider the results of our November 4, 1952, election. Let the tyrants and dictators, abroad upon this earth today, read of what has happened in the past to those tyrants and dictators who have attempted to enslave America. To paraphrase Abraham Lincoln, "You can't fool us all the time." America once again has vehemently declared to all who will listen that the Great Emancipator was right.

Before ninety days have passed Dwight D. Eisenhower shall have been sworn in and enter upon his duties as our new President. Once again there comes up from among us a great American to lead us out of our adversity. Once again, in the moment of our peril, we have chosen a great leader to guide us.

Ike Eisenhower shall be confronted with an awful responsibility. His fellow citizens, by a great majority, have named him as the human instrument to bring about the accomplishment of their hopes and demands.

And what does America ask of the Republican party and of Ike, its leader? America says, "No more appeasement of Russia." America declares, "Speedily end the Korean war with a victory for our American arms." America commands, "Kick the Communists and fellow travelers and pinks out of our government." America proclaims, "Put the thieves in prison and clean up our house." America requests, "End the awful waste of our resources and our wealth which for the past four years has threatened to impoverish us." In the accomplishment of all of this America shall become impatient if there is any evidence of delay. Thus America has spoken, clearly, definitely and inexorably.

When Adlai Stevenson, on election eve, sent his message of congratulation to Ike Eisenhower, he came to what was his finest moment. He said, in effect, that even though we might be divided in our political beliefs we are all Americans and, in the dedication of ourselves and our sacred honor to the perpetuation of what we believe in and what we stand for, we, all of us, stand shoulder to shoulder in unbroken ranks.


Ninety years ago, almost to the day, America proclaimed that this country could not exist half slave and half free. To make America free our ancestors paid an awful price. It has been given to us, we who have inherited that freedom that our forefathers paid for, to say to the world, "We can not exist half slave and half free." And we do not intend to become slaves. If, once again, it shall become necessary for us to pay the price of human freedom on this earth we humbly bow our heads before our God and pray to Him that He shall sustain us as we pay the costs.



E. F. A.

Lodge Directory

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