I stood in the blazing sun at Ellington Field, in Texas, last Monday and watched the cadets file by, fine manly chaps, watched them come into the halt in which they were to receive their wings as commissioned officers in the United State Army Air Forces. My third and last boy, a

lad of 19, was among them.

Two years ago his mother and I had seen a similar group file into the chapel at Ellington to receive their wings, and our second boy was among them. Today he and his elder brother, who had chosen Navy Air,

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without any mental reservation or trust our country to them.

th the loss of American lives to true. That he and his fellows have open-ly boasted that their organization, the CIO, is raising millions as a war estic as well as foreign.

bys have enlisted to uphold . . . and away with it is a shameful tri rifice if it costs me everything I with our Department of Justice.
have, including my life, so help me Who was it who climbed the stairs,

it and loved it.

Then Monday we heard again the prospective officers take the oath necessary to their commissions: "I been made about it by Americans of their first loyalty shall lie? If Engdo solemnly swear that I will sup-port and defend the Constitution of destroy it . . . "a scrap of paper . . . those of Russia, will our country's the United States against all enemies, an outmoded document . . . a bill armed forces be thrown against a naforeign or domestic, that I will bear of property rights rather than a tion whose kinship to us derives from true faith and allegiance to the same; bill of human rights." And these that I take this obligation freely, are the men who are asking that we

duties of the office upon which I am ing to wield control over our country about to enter: So Help Me God." through the capture of one of our For a moment my thoughts drifted great political parties, is so preposfrom the son whose burned body lies terous as to be almost incredible. somewhere in France and from the But make no mistake—the threat is other son who lies in native soil . . . a real issue. That a Russian-born Our forefathers who wrote the radical, with all of the class hate of Constitution knew that they were his native land should aspire to congiving to future generations a document so precious that it would be many cannot believe it. But it is Among New Dealer high

Then my mind went back to a chest to help keep Roosevelt in time nearly three years ago, when power, indicates a blatant confi-my first two boys volunteered, and the pleage I made them then:

money should be extracted from "To the best of my meagre ability hundreds of thousands of members shall do all I can to defend against whose membership was forced on foes at home the institutions you them, is a disgrace. That they get shall do that without fear of sac- to the close association they have

hat in hand, to Hillman's suite in a It was not necessary that I pledge Chicago hotel to learn the wishes of them my fullest efforts to help prosecute the war. . . they could have expected no less of me as an American and a father. Chicago hotel to learn the wishes of the boss as to who would be Democratic candidate for the vice presidency? It was our United States Department of Justice head—the man partment of Justice head—the man The casualty lists over the country sworn to uphold our laws (including name thousands of parents whose the Smith-Connally act which makes boys have been lost and whose sons it a felony for a labor party, or a corare as precious to them as mine poration, to contribute to a politica were to me. I claim no distinction party). Yes, it was Atforney Genas the parent of boys who have died eral Biddle, and the man who was cheap if Dewey is elected. If the in the service. I can only claim to the person who later was named by in the service. I can only claim to the person who later was named by be among those to whom this war is Hillman as the Democratic vice pres-

"So Help Me God"

Ray L. Dudley, publisher of the Oil wheekly, Houston, Texas, has lost two of his three sons in this war.

Below is what he wrote in the October 9, 1944, issue. Read every word. You will never forget it:

are memories, precious memories, it is true, but boys to be spoken of in hushed tones as boys who would have made good citizens, two boys who resent wife every atom of their lik as arrogant as they are being, the efforts which are being made by the Hillmans, the Browders, they succeed in re-electing Franklin dummed in the eyes of their father and mother. They, with thousands of the Murrays and others, including our President, to nullify the sacrifices of thousands of American boys.

As I heard the oath to defend the stitution? If our interests should all their activations represented by the young of the constitution represented by the young of their lik as arrogant as they are being, the efforts which are being made by the Hillman and Browder and their lik as arrogant as they are being, the efforts which are being made by the Hillman and Browder and their lik as arrogant as they are being, the efforts which are being made by the Hillman and Browder and their lik as arrogant as they are being, the efforts which are being made by the Hillman and Browder and their lik as arrogant as they are being the like who resent with every atom of their lik as arrogant as they are being the like as arrogant as they are being the like who resent with every atom of their like as arrogant as they are being the like

This is a long way from the ceremony at Ellington last Monday. The purpose of evasion; and that I will The situation under which the field has widened until the lives of well and faithfully discharge the Communist Front in America is try-

> But it is not a long way from the pledge I made my boys.

At The Feet Of

Among New Dealer high priests who secretely visited the unholy of unholies, the secret chamber of po-litical power and dictation of the New Deal, Sidney Hillman, at the fourth term national convention at Chicago were, vice presidential nominee Harry S. Truman, Vice President Henry Wallace, Democratic National Chairman Robert E. Hannegan, Attorney General Francis Bid-dle, Secretary of the Interior Harold panied Roosevelt on his recent Hawaii-Alaska cruise, Senators Joseph Guffey and Claude Pepper.

Senator Harley M. Kilgore, West Virginia, while addressing the CIO convention in Portland, referred to Governor Dewey as a "straw man." This would make interesting reading for the Tammanyites, the grafters, the labor racketeers of New York Especially would those sent to jail for their corruption be surprised.

The Capital Press of Salem announces that paper will be for sale ssure Dewey a whale of a majority in the capital city.

The people of Oregon respond to the words of Governor Bricker spoken in Portland: "I want someone who will look after America's interests when he sits down with Churchill and Stalin; I have pot felt that America's interests have been well protected in past conferences."

The old nag we are warned not to swap in mid stream is making no back up stream and whinnies about issues of '39, not knowing anything has happened since. His vision is back of "horse and buggy days." The national slogan "swap or sink"

is daily gaining more significance. Willis Mahoney says Willkie was the only good republican. He probably would not have admitted that while Mr. Willkie was alive. Willis has been away from his adopted state so long he is all but forgotten His opinions were never taken sesiously here.

-By Gordon J. Taylor, of Molalla, Oregon

Motor Vehicle Begistration A Little Higher Than A Year Ago

Motor vehicle registration in Oregon continues to show a slight increase over the figures for the year 1943, Secretary of State Bob Farrell announces in reporting September registration statistics

There were 413,039 vehicles registered in the state at the end of September, an increase of 2,801 over the registration for the same month a

Of the total, 328,679 vehicles were private passenger cars. This type of vehicle showed a slight decrease from last September when there were 329,196 private passenger cars on the highways and streets of Ore-

Busses continued to show an increase, with 1,176 reported this September, compared to 1,118 a year ago. Trucks also showed an increase with 45,063 vehicles registered now compared to 42,834 a year ago. This is an increase of about five per cent, the largest increase shown by any type of vehicle

Motor vehicle registration fees for the first nine months of the year amounted to \$3,438,683.37, compared to \$3,338,987.68 a year ago,

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electrical wiring and repair nee He is located north of the ball park on the Fairview road.

Sen. Cordon Gets Things Done



People all over the state of Oregon have expressed their approval of the

way United States Senator Guy Cor

don has been getting things done during his short eight months in the United States Senate. One of his outstanding contributions to the people of Oregon since being senator that they like is his

practical operation of war-time regulations. Senator Cordon was able to do this as he is a member of the fol-lowing important Senate committees: Commerce, Irrigation, Reclamation Indian Affairs, Post Offices and Post

ability to get a more liberal and

roads, and Library. As Oregon has a vital stake in the post-war legislative program in Washington, D. C., Senator Cordon, being on these committee, will be able to see that the state receives its just share of post-war work.

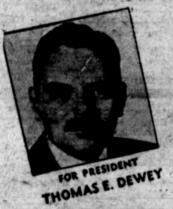
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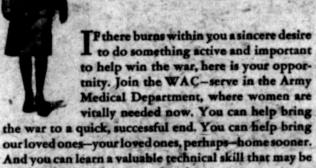
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