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#### **Let's Forget Politics**

Folks, there have been a lot of other folks expressing themselves on street corners and in various places the past few weeks.

You or I haven't always agreed with them even tho we did not enter their argu-

It is their privilege to express themselves if they will be fair about it. But sometimes you hear a person who loses all sense of fairness and consideration for the other fellow by putting the fellow who does not agree with him in the "ignoramus" class.

He is not only unfair to his listener, but to himself as well.

Regardless of what side of the argument he is representing, be it one party or the other, each person is entitled to his own opinion.

He may be wrong—but at the same time you may be just as far "haywire."

The Times-News has refrained from flaunting its belief in the face of its readers from week to week in view of the fact that we are primarily a newspaper; for the benefit of our readers:

To convey to them the social and news happenings of the week and work together for the best interests of the community.

But we feel that we are entitled to express our opinion at least once thru our columns before this campaign closes.

Being in the country newspaper field when Woodrow Wilson, a democrat, was undergoing such severe criticisms from Republicans, as well as some of his own party, we defended him, and still consider him one of the outstanding presidents of the United States.

In the last campaign, though we were not conducting a newspaper, we gave our support to Floyd E. Thompson, a democrat, because he was our conception of being the ideal man for governor of the State of Illinois.

Maybe we were right-maybe we were wrong. But that is now ancient history.

We want our readers to know that we haven't been a "hard shell" during our voting career.

Our sympathies have always been with the fellow who has his back to the wall and with the odds against him but has the courage to fight on and on, with a supreme faith that his training and experience are going to be the deciding factors in his winning thru.

And so it is with this belief that we cling to our faith of four years ago, that Herbert Hoover is better fitted than his opponent for the gigantic task still ahead of us.

We have always admired Governor Roosevelt from a distance and have the highest respect for him as a man.

But, as in the past, we are not weighing Mr. Roosevelt or Mr. Hoover on political scales but on the scales of ability and experience.

With the world wide experience and intimate contact with our neighbors of other lands, Herbert Hoover realizes the danger of many temporary inflation propositions that have been brought up and which he has had the courage to take a stand against, even tho he knew it would cost him votes in the coming election.

cian—but a conscientious American Citizen, interested primarily in the welfare of this United States of yours and mine.

fabric of national and state government of the School. Christian church Sunday present. beans, potato salad and coffee were is so enmeshed in political webs, it is Mrs. O. T. Buckles was assistant heartening to find a man of his constructive type at the head of our nation, especially, in times such as we are passing thru. at the Charles Rager store Tuesday,

We are confident that Herbert Hoover will steer us thru this period safely and querade party in the church baseare willing to accept his guidance for four

Think Seriously Before You Vote.

Now that we have elected the President of the United States, we will proceed with the election of Governor of the State of

Again politics fails to enter the picture, as far as we are concerned.

But Chicago and Tony Cermak do.

For Judge Horner we have no criticism. Birks. He may be as good as he is gilded—personally we do not know-but for his sake when he departs from this earthly dwelling, we hope so.

Len Small may be as black as many politicians have painted him—but we doubt it.

Our best barometer in this is his fellow and Mrs. J. D. Beshears.

Everett P. Jarvis of Quincy called townsmen's whole hearted support of

disown you, you must be a fairly respectable citizen.

But there is something more important than that in the state campaign this do the family washing, and it is

For years Chicago politicians have been trying to get their hands on downstate

Every session of the legislature finds them after something of a financial na-

They are always in distress and downstate is the so called godfather.

We do not want Chicago to gain control masked. of downstate any more than you do but that is going to happen if Tony and his crowd get a grip on the governorship.

Those boys don't mix up in politics for the fun of it-ask Chicago.

Downstate pays her taxes—Chicago does not and it is with considerable "pride" that many Chicago residents, present and past, state—they never did pay any taxes.

Do downstate voters want a Chicago set up like that?

We don't believe they do.

The downstate voter who lets his prejudice influence him to vote for a Chicago man against Former Governor Small is standing in his own light and is entitled to all the additional taxes he will get under Chicago domination.

In view of the foregoing reasons we stand four-square on our personal endorsement of Herbert Hoover for President and Len Small for Governor.

#### **EVERY VOTER'S RESPONSIBILITY**

Next Tuesday, for the fortieth time, the United States will elect a President. Thirty-one men have held this high office, nine having been twice elected. Only thirty-two of the Presidential elections, however, have been decided by popular vote, in our present fashion. For that matter, there is no provision in the Constitution of the United States under which the people are either required or permitted to vote for Presidential electors.

We fear that few voters in these days take their responsibility as seriously as they should. We urge everyone who goes to the polls next Tuesday to vote in the light of his or her own deepest and innermost convictions. Only if every voter does that will the result reflect the intelligent judgment of the American people.

Time will tell is just as applicable to the political situation as it is to the maiden To us, President Hoover is not a politi- lady of 40 summers and 80 winters.

#### Latham Newsettes coffee.

In this day and age when our whole

Latham, Ill., Nov. 2.—Mrs. Lou Howe entertained at her home last Thursday the Loyal Women's Class

The Dorcas Class of the Methodist piscopal church will serve a lunch November 8th, eelction day, serving

ooth day and evening.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church held a mas-

Revival services are at the Christian church, being conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. R. Reynolds, of Decatur. The orchestra from the Mt. Pulaski Christian church was here Sunday night and rendered a number of selections, which were highly appreciated by

A Hallowe'en carnival, sponsored by the Parent-Teachers' Associa-tion, was held at the grade school last Friday night. Fifteen dollars

was cleared.

The Christian Missionary Society met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Davis.

Mrs. John Kiick returned Wednesday from Segoville, Texas, following a visit of two weeks with er parents, Mr. and Mrs. James

Gene Brady of Mt. Pulaski was guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Heppenstein and son Leonard, of Decatur, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. L. E.

Mr. and Mrs. David Brady and son Billy Mack, of Marshall, called n relatives here Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doran, of De-

on friends here Sunday.

Iona and Beverly Jean Kiick, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Fred When your own community does not Kiick, who have been quarantined in their home the past two weeks with a light attack of scarlet fever are greatly improved.

The wash-house at the home of Mrs. Celia Shyer caught Tuesday morning and burned to the upposed the fire was caused from a defective flue. The timely arrival of the bucket brigade prevented the fire from spreading to the residence.

LATHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Mr. Cowan's Sunday School class ad a Hallowe'en party last Thurslay night in the basement of the church. Games were played, and refreshments were served. The Baptismal services that were

o have been held last Sunday evenng, were postponed to next Sunday

classes held their Hallowe'en party in attendance, all Games were enjoyed, and a lunch was served, consisting

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Family night was held Tuesday night in the basement of the church. The entertainment included games

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Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. Young People's Union, 6:30 p. m Junior and Adult Union, 6:30 p. m. Evening Worship at 7:30 o'clock. evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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