



Waukegan Locals

By Mrs. Pleasant Carson
The Rev. and Mrs. Ray Carver and son spent the holidays with Mrs. Carver's parents...

Miss Leeds Weds Jerry Hensley

Miss Leeds, of Eminence, Ky., formerly of Halls, was married at 2 p. m. Dec. 27th to Jerry Hensley in a ceremony in Point Pleasant...

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, of Halls, a son, born Jan. 1st in Lauderdale County Hospital.

Weddings

DEC. 28—Philip Ray Crowshaw, Missy Marie Ray, by Nolan Crisler.

Deaths

Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers, Jr., of 229 N. Church St., Halls, lost their only son, born Jan. 1st in Lauderdale County Hospital.

Thank You for your patronage during 1965 and for your fine response to our Year-End Sale still in progress—major price reductions throughout our store!

We Have Now Made Still Further FINAL REDUCTIONS ON DRESSES LAST CALL for tremendous dress values! We Wish Everyone A Happy And Prosperous New Year The Daileys' Store Ripley Phone 635-2832 Tennessee

Surprise 'em, Giant-Killers! See the '66 Rambler Classic of your friendly Giant-Killer!

OPEN HOUSE SHOWING ALL NEW AND MODERN HALLS BEAUTY SALON PHONE 234-9473 Sunday, January 9th 12 P. M. to 5 P. M.

Your Child's Picture... FREE! We will give you ABSOLUTELY FREE a lovely 5 x 7 portrait photograph as a special get acquainted gift!

Let Your Savings Grow With Us! (Money Deposited By 10th Of Month Draws Interest From the 1st) 1% Paid Each Quarter (4% Annually) BANK OF HALLS PHONE 234-7515 HALLS, TENNESSEE

Brendan Wednesday and Thursday, Alvin and Teresa remained in Memphis and Tuesday at guests of Mrs. Virginia Arwood.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS Lauderdale County, Tenn. The 1965 County and Cane Creek Watershed taxes will become delinquent March 1, 1966, at which time the interest and penalty will begin to accrue.

Free Vacations FOR TWO PERSONS in the beautiful and quiet area of Halls, Tenn. Includes: FREE ROOM - Continental Breakfast, Linens, Towels, etc.

For Further Information See J. W. Warren At Halls Grain Co. STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF BANK OF HALLS HALLS, TENNESSEE At the close of business December 31, 1965.

Mrs. Perry Hosts Meeting Of WSCS

The January meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Halls' Methodist Church was held in the home of Mrs. Wiley Perry with Mrs. E. L. Rainey and Mrs. Charlie Tomlinson serving as co-hostesses.

Day of Prayer

Day of Prayer will be observed February 26th. Mrs. John Deal gave the president's message from the annual report.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF GATES BANKING & TRUST COMPANY GATES, TENNESSEE

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCE, LIABILITIES. Includes items like Cash and Due From Banks, Loans and Discounts, U. S. Government Bonds, etc.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Starting Friday, Jan. 7, 1966 9:00 A. M. All Winter Clothing Reduced Come In And Save Hilliard Dry Goods Store Phone 234-7892 Halls, Tenn.

New Ownership... EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1st, 1966, I HAVE SOLD Connell Drug Company TO SAMMY ARNOLD, OWNER OF ARNOLD DRUG COMPANY, IN HALLS. In retiring as owner of Connell Drug Company I want to express my sincere thanks to the patrons who have supported me so loyally during my almost 40 years in business in Halls.

Sammy Arnold Your Patronage Will Be Appreciated At Connell Drug Company PHONE 234-7173 SOUTH SIDE MAIN ST. Arnold Drug Company PHONE 234-7111 THE RECALL STORE NORTH SIDE MAIN ST.

BIBLE 572. Why We Believe. Why do people believe anything? Man is a believing animal...

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New York Transit Strike Is Settled Early Thursday. 36,000 Workers Are Back On Jobs Following Costly Week Without New Year's Day.

God Is Holy. Lesson for January 14, 1966. If you ever a doubt whether God is on the street or on the way home from church, ask Him.

Confidential Corner. By Henry Marchion. Long Time Series Ends. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hinton and Mrs. Mrs. Coy Hilliard met last weekend with Mrs. Robert Mathis.

Miss Julia Weaver. Mrs. Julie Bell Weaver of Ripley, died at 9 a. m. last Friday in Western State Hospital in Bolivar.

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Exchange Student Talks To Teachers. Exchange student of Alpha Delta Kappa, International Delta Kappa, for women teachers, held his January meeting last Saturday at Lauderdale County Hospital.

Halls High School Not Playing RHS In 1966 Football. Teams Not Vying For First Title Since 1925; Ties Schedule Ten Games.

SCHOOL SCOOPS. From Halls High. Key Swanner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swanner, was presented the Certificate of Honor and Membership in the McColl's Teen Fashion Board Tuesday for outstanding achievement in sewing and clothing classes.

David R. Blackwell. David Roy Blackwell, retired Halls carpenter, died of a heart attack at 1:30 p. m. Monday in Parkway Hospital in Dyersburg.

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McDearman Motors, Inc. Halls, Tenn. Phone 234-7511. If You're Interested In An A-1 Used Car Or Truck, Be Sure To See Your Ford Dealer.

What's New in the Long Green Line "Power Train '66" John Deere Day Monday, January 10, 1966 At Our Store On Highway 51, North 7:00 P. M. symbol of good electric service. Cook Implement Company. Ripley Power & Light Co.



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RESOLUTION WHEREAS, Almighty God, in His Infinite Wisdom, and directed by the Holy decision of His Divine Will, deemed it proper to call from our midst, on October 29, 1965, our respected and beloved friend, stockholder and director, R. J. Nunn, and:

Mrs. J. M. Parrish Mrs. John Parrish, widow of the late John M. Parrish, Sr., of Halls, Tenn., and former state senator, died last Friday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jay Cody Fambroer, in Salem, Ky. She was 93.

Eddie E. Thurmond Eddie Eugene Thurmond, Halls native, died at 7:45 p. m. last Thursday in the University of Tennessee Medical Center in Memphis, which he had entered Monday before last. He was 56.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE O. J. NUNN E. S. CRIGFIELD J. T. CONNELL

Gates Local

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Coffman, of Memphis, spent Saturday with his parents, the A. A. Coffmans.

Mr. and Mrs. David Parrish and daughter, Miss Mary Jo Parrish, attended funeral services for Mrs. John Parrish, in Fulton, Ky., Sunday.

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Sick & Ailing

M. E. McDearman, of Halls, was dismissed Saturday from St. Joseph Hospital in Memphis where he had been a patient for the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beard spent the weekend in Memphis with their son, Hayes Beard, and family, and attended services at Kennedy Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pennington spent last Thursday in Memphis.

Mrs. R. L. Hardy has returned from Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg and is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lomas Garrett.

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More Donors To Fund

Final Donations To Scout's Acknowledged This Week

Local Scout Drive For Halls

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Brennities

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Chaney and daughter, Ann, of Memphis, were guests of Mr. Chaney's mother, Mrs. J. J. Chaney, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Nunn and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nunn spent Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday in Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hoggett have occupied their new home on South College. They have been residing in Gummit community.

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The wedding is planned for two o'clock in the afternoon on February 12th in Halls' First Methodist Church.

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WIN A WEEK IN HAWAII! Ford Dealer Hawaiian Holiday Sweepstakes



DEATHS Mrs. G. B. Riddick Charles Harold Phillips, Jr., an infant of Muskegon, Mich., half-brother of Sarah Jane Phillips, of Halls, died Sunday before last in Hackley Hospital in Muskegon Heights.

C. H. Phillips, Jr. Members of the two Halls High 1941 and 1942 Graduates Reunions should contact or write Mrs. E. M. Steelman, Jr., phone 294-372, Halls, and 1943 class members should contact Mrs. James L. Edwards, 548 Farner Ave., Dyersburg, or Mrs. James E. White, Route 2, Gates.

Jeff Toombs Jeff Toombs, of Okmulgee, Okla., native of Harding Toombs, Mrs. Herman Underwood and Mrs. Grace Flanagan, all of Halls—died last Thursday in a Tulsa, Okla., hospital. He was 65.

Marvin Garrett Marvin Garrett, a timberman, of Curves, died at 6:50 p. m. Monday in Baptist Hospital in Memphis, which he had entered Sunday, after three weeks' illness. He was 81.

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Brentley Mrs. Joyce Steiner and Miss Jackie Frost, both of Memphis, Jerry Williamson, of Brownsville, Leslie Moody, of Finley, and Miss Elizabeth Alsbrook, of Dyersburg, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alsbrook.

Tourney Date Set By Golden Gloves The 11th Annual West Tennessee Golden Gloves Invitational Tournament will be held at 8 p. m. February 2d, 4th and 5th in Union University gymnasium in Jackson for amateur boxers between the ages of 16 and 20.

Sick & Ailing Coy Jones, of Dyersburg, meat cutter for Jones Supermarket, in Halls, was dismissed last Friday from Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg after surgery Monday.

Halls Theatre FRIDAY & SATURDAY JANUARY 26 & 29 Double Feature Program Starts Friday 7:00, 9:15, 11:20 Starts Saturday 1:45, 5:12, 8:41

Everything Was King-Sized at the Browns' BUT... EVERYTHING WAS KING-SIZED AT THE BROWNS' but their old water heater, Peggy and Bobby got a hot shower, Mom got the clothes and dishes washed... and Dad got left out.

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Mrs. Hartman Is Hostess To Club The Gates-Dry Hill Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon, Jan. 26th, in the home of Mrs. W. H. Hartman for their regular monthly meeting.

Births To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Archibald, of Louisville, Ky., a son, born Jan. 18th in a Louisville hospital. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, of Halls.

Dyer Groups Give Beyond Goal For Facility At Union Churches of the Dyer County Baptist Association have exceeded their first year goal in the campaign to raise funds for a new chapel and library for Union University, of Jackson, says Dr. Walter Warmath, vice-president for development at the college.

NEW BELL OFFICE A new, half-colored brick building at 417 Troy Avenue in Dyersburg, will be occupied by Southern Bell's business office Monday, it is announced by Roger Genier, group manager.

WEDDINGS JAN. 25-Paul Barr, Jr., Brownsville, Ga., by Holton Grant; James Pate, Ellen Aderson, by Jessie E. Kinsler.

Grand Opening Bob's Dollar General Store South Side of Main St. Halls, Tennessee

Grid of advertisements for various goods: D-X MOTOR OIL, MEN'S SPORTS SHIRTS, BATH TOWELS, Ladies' and Girls' BLOUSES, MEN'S & BOYS' FLANNEL SHIRTS, BOYS' AUTHENTIC WESTERN DUNGAREES, Men's, Ladies' and Boys' JERSEY GLOVES, Ladies' and Girls' Canvas OXFORDS, MEN'S DRESS SHOES, MEN'S SWEAT SHIRTS, LADIES' SHOES, LADIES' HOSE, Ladies' FLANNEL GOWNS, LADIES' DUSTERS.



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**God is Redeemer**  
 Lesson for January 28, 1966

Devotional Reading: Luke 24:1-7  
 Psalm 113:1-3  
 Gospel Reading: Luke 24:1-7

THESE IS probably no way to write about this week's topic without sounding like a sermon, and these columns are not intended as sermons. Anyhow, sermon or not, brace yourself, for we are dealing here with the most profound and troubling questions man can ask, and the most profound answer that has ever been found.

When we hear bright and cheerful talk about the love of God, his grace and mercy, and how wonderful it is to have him for a companion, protector and guide, when we hear such a line, we are sometimes troubled by a dark suspicion. This is lovely, but is it realistic? The truth is, man is bad. The great barrier between God and man — between God and me — is sin. How can I be in harmony with God? How can I love him? Can God even pretend to love me without seeming to condemn what is worst in me? How can my sin ever cease to be an iron curtain between me and the love of God I hear about?

**God the Redeemer**

The answer in one word is: Redemption. That is a short-hand expression for whatever act or process it is that destroys my sin and swings me back into the great mainstream of God's loving will. Now in all the world's religions there are really only three answers to the question: How is redemption possible? One answer is — There's no problem. Sin is an illusion, man doesn't need to be redeemed, he is doing all right, thank you. This answer is an impossible piece of optimism for people who know what depths of evil man is capable of. So there is another answer, found in some churches though not in the Bible: Man needs redemption, but he can redeem himself by the good things he does. That's like saying a drowning swimmer needs no rescue, he can swim for himself. A helpless man cannot help himself, that is just the trouble and the tragedy. So the third answer is: Only God is the redeemer. This is his nature, this is in his character, this is in his power and his alone.

**Redemption in Christ**

The New Testament writers, it may be said, wrote on some phases or part of the same subject always: redemption. They have different ways of putting it, but they all agree that redemption is "in Christ." How can God be Redeemer and also Christ be the same? This question overlooks the fact that according to the New Testament, Christ and the Father are One. Christ is both God and man, as the church has always believed. Christ identified himself with the Father, and on the other side he identified himself with man. Jesus both lived and died as the God-man. Jesus identified himself with man as he is — sinning, rebellious man. And in so doing accepted and took on himself the consequences of man's sins. He who knew no sin of his own was "made to be sin" for our sakes. He took to himself all the misery and sin of man and on the Cross died not for himself, but on behalf of every man. (He "tasted death for every man," one writer puts it.)

**The life outpoured**

Often in the New Testament the blood of Christ is spoken of, as the way or means by which we are redeemed. This is not a repulsive thought as some persons think. The blood, in Scripture, means or stands for life. Being saved or redeemed by, or in Christ's blood, means by his outpoured life. Christ is pictured in the New Testament as the Lamb sacrificed for the world. His shed blood is the life poured out in service and obedience. The church has always believed that Christ's life was perfect, but the crowning perfection was his death for others.

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**Weddings**

JAN. 18—Terry Scallions, Ann Baker, by Nolan Criser.  
 JAN. 21—Thomas Barbee, Janice Elmore, by John H. Fuller.  
 David Wright, Gloria Enoch, by Nolan Criser.  
 JAN. 22—Roger Pease, Betty London, by Odell Craig.  
 James Stanley Haylock, Diana Ballard, by Odell Craig.  
 Thomas A. Latham, Ruby Jean Qualls, by Odell Craig.  
 Charles A. Gordon, Alva Dean Underwood, by Joe B. Whitley.  
 JAN. 23—Russell Ray Benson, Linda Carol White, by G. L. DePrest.

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 Mrs. C. C. Neam property at 311 S. College, Halls, Tenn.  
 Mrs. H. E. Pentecost property at 516 E. Main. Large lot.  
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 For further details call HALLS INSURANCE AGENCY Business Phone 234-9216 Home Phone 234-7764 Halls, Tennessee

**FOR SALE—65,000 BTU natural gas heater, good condition, \$35.00. W. T. Carmack, Halls. 28-2**

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**FOR SALE—Hammond organs, Wurlitzer, Everett, Steinway pianos. Mrs. James Voss, Phone 234-9205. Representative for Jace's Jackson, Tenn. 20-12**

**Business Opportunities—**  
 \$17,000 PLUS NEW CAR AS BONUS for man over 40 in Halls area. Use car for short trips to contact customers. Write: B. R. Dickerson, Pres., Southwestern Petroleum Corp., 534 N. Main Street, Fort Worth, Texas. 28-11

**SERVICES—**  
 WANTED — Nursing wanted, day or evening. Phone 234-9221. 21-2

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
 Estate of EDDY EUGENE THURMOND, deceased.  
 Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of January, 1966, Letters of Administration in respect of the estate of Eddy Eugene Thurmond were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee.  
 All persons, resident or non-resident, having claims, mature or unmatured, against said estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court within nine months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred.  
 This 17th day of January, 1966.  
 BOBBY NEAL THURMOND,  
 Adm. Estate of  
 Eddy Eugene Thurmond, deceased.  
 Robert S. Thomas,  
 Attorney. 23-21

**Gates Locals**  
 By Miss Byrd Sloan

The Rev. and Mrs. Jack Dickerson spent last Friday night with Mrs. Dickerson's parents, the Lester Elks, in Jackson.  
 David Leigh, of Louisville, Ky., Miss Janice Ray, of Henderson, Ky., Ray Pederson, of Hialeah, Fla., and Miss Suzanne Ball, of Columbia, students in Freed-Hardeman College at Henderson, spent Wednesday of last week with Mr. Leigh's uncle, Bernice Brantley, and Mrs. Brantley.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Avery spent the weekend with their son, Dr. Tom Avery, and family in Memphis.  
 Grady Kelly underwent surgery in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg Wednesday of last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beard had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hogue and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williams, of Halls.  
 N. C. Maclean returned from Madison County Hospital in Jackson last week and is improving.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spilka and daughter, of Memphis, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Pennington.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waltrip, of Memphis, visited Mrs. Waltrip's mother, Mrs. Pearl Childress, and other relatives Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Lilley visited in Memphis Wednesday of last week.

**Methodist Men Hear Rev. Reid**  
 The Gates Charge Methodist Men's Club met in Concord Methodist Church last Thursday night.  
 On arrival, they were served a chicken dinner with all the trimmings by Mrs. W. B. Voss, Mrs. Gene Turner, Mrs. Neibert Jackson, and Mrs. Werter Burka, members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.  
 The Rev. Russell Reid, of Ripley, spoke on "Men As Laymen."  
 Attend Martin Luncheon  
 Mrs. Sanford Truitt, former Peggy Wood, of Gates, who has recently moved into her new brick home in Martin, entertained with a luncheon at her home Wednesday of last week.  
 The table was laid with a white linen cloth, centered with red and white carnations.  
 Attending from Gates were Mrs. Estol Wood, Mrs. Annie Mae Pickard, Mrs. Brassfield Wood, Mrs. Finis Hardy, Mrs. N. A. Sloan, Mrs. H. J. Pennington, Mrs. York Henderson, Mrs. H. L. Hutcherson and Mrs. Gaylon Hardy.  
 The guests presented the hostess with a gift for her home.  
 W. S. C. S. Has Mission Study  
 The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Gates Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Cecil Baker Monday night for the first session of a mission study "The Christians Calling."  
 Mrs. Mary Hamill, leader, was assisted by Mrs. R. V. Lilley.

**Nantipoo Locals**  
 By Mrs. Fleetwood Cates

A. E. Cates has been ill for several days with a virus.  
 Little Ethel Mathis has measles.  
 Denise Davis, of Memphis, spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Davis.  
 Mrs. Ples Fowler, of near Ripley, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cates, Sunday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Cates were in Friendship Monday.  
 Mrs. Florence Cone remains very ill in Lauderdale County Hospital.  
 Mrs. L. M. Harrell is improving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Harrell near Gates.  
 Ronnie Hilliard, of Nashville, spent last weekend at home.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Austin Webb have moved here from California.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Cleveboy Morris and family, of Memphis, were called to Edith by the death of Cleveboy's father, Cleve Morris, and spent part of the week here with Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cates.  
 Mrs. Jack Dickerson, Mrs. Finis Hardy, and Mrs. Paul Avery.  
 The closing session was held at the home of Mrs. N. A. Sloan and Miss Byrd Sloan Wednesday night.

**4-H Clubs Present Awards For Year**

The annual achievement awards program for 4-H members will be held Saturday morning in the Ripley High School cafeteria, when 100 boys and girls from all the clubs in Lauderdale County will receive recognition, prizes, and awards based on the quality of project work and activities during the 1965 club year.  
 William F. Walker will be the featured speaker.  
 Other highlights will be the presentation of plaques to the outstanding boy and girl, the outstanding adult volunteer leader, and the outstanding boy and girl who have carried on the most active agricultural and home economics programs for 1965.  
 A plaque will be presented to a business which has assisted with 4-H work, and boys and girls from individual clubs who had outstanding records will be recognized.  
**Public Speaking Contest**  
 A record 100 boys and girls have enrolled in the 1966 Public Speaking Contest, and for the first

time, there have been local contests to select club representatives to the county contest. One boy and one girl were selected from each junior club.  
 In the county contest at 7:30 p. m. Monday in the courthouse in

Ripley, two junior club members and two senior club members (two boys and two girls) will be selected to represent the county in the district contest.  
 Buy at home. Print at home.

**Notice To Lauderdale County Farm Bureau Members**

**"Tractor and-or Farm Premise Accidental Death Policy"**

**Beginning January 1, 1966**

Every Farm Bureau member whose name appears first on the membership contract will be covered under a Group Accidental Death Policy for \$1,000.00 if death occurs within 90 days of accident caused by tractor, any self-propelled farm machinery, or power lawn mower.


OR

\$500.00 if accidental death occurs within 90 days of accident caused by other means while on member's premises, except it does not include premises used in connection with business other than farming. Coverage also applies to member's spouse and unmarried children under 18 years old.

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**YOUR COUNTY COURT URGES YOU TO SUPPORT THE INDUSTRIAL BOND PROPOSAL IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION FEB. 11TH**

In special session Jan. 20, 1966, Lauderdale County Quarterly Court called an industrial bond election to be held in all the voting precincts of this county Friday, Feb. 11, 1966.

This election will consider the issuance of up to \$1,000,000 in industrial REVENUE BONDS ONLY.

Note that these are revenue bonds. The funds raised by the sale of the bonds will be used for the addition of industrial payrolls for the residents of this county, and rentals from buildings which these bonds will finance will pay the bonds off as they become due. The only claim these bonds have on the county is their claim on the revenues from such buildings; they are not general tax obligations which could in any way affect county tax rates. Such bonds are widely used to finance industrial expansion.

Of the \$1,000,000 bond issue authorization, only about \$250,000 is to be used at once, for the expansion of Tennessee Electroplating Co. in Ripley. This firm, now employing more than 100 persons, will hire 50 to 75 more employees, most of them men, when new facilities are completed.

The other bonds which this election will authorize will be held in readiness to finance other industrial expansions or acquisitions on sound business principles, as the opportunity may become available. Having such bonds already authorized will enable the county to move quickly to take advantage of industrial opportunities without the delay and expense of having to hold another special election.

Lauderdale County is proud of its present industries and needs more industrial payrolls to balance agriculture with manufacturing. Your County Court urges you to mark your ballot Feb. 11th thus:

"Shall Lauderdale County, Tennessee, issue not exceeding \$1,000,000.00 Industrial Building Revenue Bonds, the proceeds of said bonds to be used for the construction, acquisition, improvement, betterment or extension of industrial buildings, including sites therefor, such buildings to be leased to industrial concerns in accordance with the provisions of Sections 8-1701 to 8-1718, inclusive, as amended of Tennessee Code Annotated.

FOR THE BONDS

AGAINST THE BONDS

(All persons in favor of the issuance of said bonds shall mark an "X" in the square opposite the phrase "FOR THE BONDS" and all persons opposed to the issuance of the bonds shall mark an "X" in the square opposite the phrase "AGAINST THE BONDS.")

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