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CARD TO VOTERS

Hopkinsville, Ky., August 1, 1916.
To the Voters of the Second Congressional District:

At the Republican Primary next Saturday, August 5, 1916, you will select your candidate for Congress. I am persuaded that much depends on your selection. The issues in the final election will be sharply drawn, but when properly presented and understood, will be resolved in favor of the Republican. This is the year for Republican success. Everything points to the election of Charles Evans Hughes and a Republican Congress. The Administration at Washington, has wobbled and waited, blundered and blustered, pleaded and prophesied, until the people have lost the little faith and confidence they had; business is prostrated, thousands walk the streets unemployed; factories, except those engaged in producing ammunition and war supplies, are closed; the shrinkage in industrial stocks and securities has swept away millions; the people in the South and Central States have lost in dividends and the shrinkage of stock in domestic corporations, as much as the cost of the Great War, to either France, Russia, Italy or Austria. To add to this burden, we are paying a "war tax" in time of Peace, to cover up the deficit caused by Democratic errors. Our Mexican policy is a series of blunders. It took the Administration six days to wire General Funston orders to pursue a bandit, who had murdered our citizens, pillaged and burned an American town, shot down our soldiers and insulted our flag.

The President and Congress have grown hysterical. Just at the time when rigid economy is the only policy that would save our National credit, the Administration dominated by a spirit of "Save Me Cassius, or I Sink," has appropriated Eight Hundred and Forty Millions of dollars for battle ships. I believe in a preparedness, safe and sound, consistent with necessity and our financial ability. At this time, there is not an European nation but has so exhausted its resources in the Great War, that it will take at least fifty years for it to replenish its strength sufficient to make even a feeble attack on our nation. The vessels to be constructed under the Wilson program will be rusted out and in the national junk pile before the occasion for their use can come. Besides any program of preparedness that leaves out the construction of transcontinental roads is short-sighted and should be rejected.

A five-year appropriation of twenty millions for public roads is a joke

—a sop without savor. We need public roads for the defense of our great central states; while enabling us to mobilize our army and concentrate supplies, in time of war, it would be worth millions in the development of our industries and the expansion of our trade in time of peace. For every warship constructed, we should see that ten merchant vessels are constructed. The European war is our opportunity to cultivate the friendship and commerce of the South American Republics; but we find ourselves without vessels to handle the products of our farms and factories. Trade expansion is necessary to national growth. One half the appropriation made for war crafts should have gone to the aid of our merchant vessels and National Highways.

Space will not permit an extended discussion of the issues, if indeed this is the proper time. I am not in a race for the "pie-counter;" and the nomination this year means more than "an empty honor," as has been suggested. I have the promise of both, the National and State Campaign Committees, that if nominated, they will aid me in waging a vigorous campaign in the November election. Stranger things have happened than a Republican victory in the Second District this year.

Friends, if you will give me your support, and I am selected as your nominee for Congress, I propose to wage an active campaign and to contest every inch of the ground with my opponent, Mr. Kinchelee. Your candidate to be successful must have the courage to assault the policies of the Administration that has brought ruin to our people. If you have confidence in my ability to do this, I shall appreciate your vote and your support. Yours for success,

W. T. FOWLER.

—Advertisement.

In Kentucky Sept. 5.

The itinerary of the trip that Charles E. Hughes will make to the coast was announced Tuesday. Mr. Hughes will arrive at Lexington September 5 on the return trip and will leave the next day for Maine.

3 Farms for Sale!

80, 120 and 208 acres, on and near Pikes. Terms liberal.

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Adams, Tenn.

LIGHTNING STRIKES BARN

Near Christian County Line And It Is Burned Down.

The stock barn of John Ashby, of the Pond River section of Hopkins county, was destroyed by fire last Tuesday. During a storm lightning struck the building, the flames consuming it. Mr. Ashby, his son Barnett and others were in the building at the time. Barnett was knocked to the ground and burned on the face. A mule was also knocked to the ground. All stock was saved, but about 10,000 pounds of hay and everything in the stable was burned. No insurance.

When you want fire, tornado, life or bond insurance in the Oldest Strongest Companies see H. D. WALLACE, office up stairs, over Anderson-Fowler Drug Store, Corner Ninth and Main. Office 395, reside. 944.



Delightful Entertainment

Misses Mary and Julia Tandy, of near Fairview, delightfully entertained at a tea from four to six Friday the twenty-eighth in honor of their house guests, Misses Annie D. Garrott, of Pembroke; Sarah Belle Wharton, of Hopkinsville, and Ruby Wilkins, of Elkton. Mrs. Robert J. Downer assisted Mrs. Tandy in serving. The afternoon was enjoyed by all.

THE WORLD IS FULL OF QUITTERS

but we are glad to note that there are no quitters in FORBES SIX BIG CONTESTS. Every contestant is right up on his toes and working manfully.

ARE YOU WORKING?
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Judge Thomas Here

Judge Gus Thomas, of Mayfield, who had been in Hopkinsville this week spending his vacation from the appellate bench, returned home yesterday. Judge Thomas said he was delighted with his selection of a recreation spot. He took several trips over the county before leaving for his home.

Epilepsy Causes Death.

Thomas E. Williams, of Fulton, Ky., died at the Western State Hospital on the 30th ult., of epilepsy. He was 39 years old. The body was shipped to Hickman.

For Sale

CRIMSON CLOVER SEED at \$7.00 per bushel Stegar Brothers PHONE 621-4 P. O. Hopkinsville, R. 7.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. S. V. Todd, of Memphis, left for her home yesterday, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. J. W. Lander.

Mr. Flavius Martin, of Murray, is visiting his wife, who has for some time been with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Thos. P. Cook, on Central avenue.

Mrs. J. A. Barbee, of Guthrie, accompanied by her niece, Miss Margaret Hill, of Nashville, visited in the city yesterday. Mrs. Barbee leaves Friday for Burgettstown, Pa., to join her husband, who is engaged in contract work at that place.

HAD YOU BUT KNOWN

How often we have heard those words. You may fall short just a few votes of winning one of

FORBES BIG PRIZES GET THOSE FEW NOW

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Marshal Byars' Successor.

Edgar H. James, United States Marshal, announces the appointment of Claud M. Richardson, of Russellville, as resident deputy United State Marshal at Bowling Green. He succeeds S. H. Byars, who has resigned, following appointment by the State Board of Control to the stewardship of the Western State Hospital for the insane at Hopkinsville. The change is effective August 1.

A wife who blows her husband up must be a domestic submarine.

SWEET CLOVER SEED

Direct from grower. White and biennial yellow; hulled and unhulled. Special scarified seed for fall sowing. Also pure sweet clover extracted honey. Prices and circulars sent

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EXPECT 25,000 IN MOONLIGHT SCHOOLS.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 2.—When the moonlight schools open August 14 the Illiteracy Commission is hoping for an enrollment of 25,000 pupils. During the last two years 40,000 illiterates have been taught to read and write and an effort is being made this year to teach 25,000 the alphabet. Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, chairman, of the Illiteracy Commission, has furnished the county agents with 25,000 lead pencils and 10,000 tablets and books. The county agents selected at the last meeting of the Illiteracy Commission are J. W. Jewell, Clay county; C. R. Payne, Cumberland county; Mrs. Susan Butler, McCracken county; G. L. Crume, Hardin county; J. L. Hudson, Owen county, and J. J. Asher, Leslie, Perry and Harlan counties.

Baseball.

STANDING OF KITTY LEAGUE.

	Played	Won	Lost	Pct.
Owensboro	22	14	8	636
Madisonville	22	13	9	591
Clarksville	21	11	10	524
Henderson	20	9	11	450
Dawson Spps.	22	9	13	409
Hopkinsville	21	8	13	381

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Dawson Springs at Clarksville
Owensboro at Madisonville
Henderson at Hopkinsville

Steward Byars.

Mr. Samuel H. Byars, of Elkton, the new steward of the Western State Hospital, arrived Tuesday night and has entered upon his duties. His predecessor, Mr. W. J. Chiles, has resumed his old position as a commercial traveler for Armour & Co. His family has moved into the city and will reside on Belmont street.

You can sometimes catch the moss-back vote with greenbacks.

OUR SOLDIERS.

Oh! Soldier Boys! Our Soldier Boys!
We cannot from you part,
Because the day you left us,
It nearly broke one's heart.
We love you for your bravery
And for your courage too,
Don't let the old flag be sullied
By any wrong thing you do.
Hold the old banner high my boys,
Dare not her folds to stain,
By any act of cowardice
Or any worldly gain.

Remember 'tis not the brave soldier,
Who wants to fight his way along,
But the one who stands for honor,
For the right against the wrong.
And when you're on the border
In the glare and heat of day,
When your blanket you are rolling,
Oh, don't forget to pray.
Always learn to lean on Jesus
In that dry and desert land,
Because you know he holds you
In the hollow of his hand.

Yes, we are trusting in that Savior,
And in our President too
To keep your blood from spilling,
In the land you travel through.
Oh! Soldier Boys! Brave Soldier Boys!
We are praying you won't have to go,
To battle with the Greasers,
Away down in old Mexico.
Oh! Soldier Boys! Our Gallant Boys!
We are proud of you as we can be,
And we're asking his love and blessing
For the officers and men of Company D.
—MRS. L. T. JENKINS.

THE GOAL AT LAST IN SIGHT
and on Aug. 12 those faithful workers
will be rewarded.

SIX WINNERS
Will you be one?
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Notice To Stock-Holders

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Will Close Saturday Night, the Fifth of August

If you are thinking of buying a Watch we advise you not to miss this opportunity.

Wrist Watches are Included in This Sale

Our line is complete. Come in and make your selection

Easy terms of payment if desired

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