**Labor Honored For Its War Effort**

**Labor Day Celebration Pledged by Local 301**

The following resolution pledging full participation in Labor Day celebration was passed at the membership meeting held Thursday, August 12, 1943:

WHEREAS, Mayer Mills Tooey has proclaimed a special Labor Day pledge to be held at Creaswell Park and sponsored by the labor union of the State, and
WHEREAS, and because it is the only way to make continuous contact with the public by means of our labor union.

Resolved: That the members of Local 301, Mayer Mills Tooey, pledge themselves to participate fully in the Labor Day celebration by actively supporting and participating in the activities planned for the day.

**Political Action Conference Sunday, Sept. 12, 1 P.M.**

**Buy Your Pocket Book**

The legislation of the nation are determining times and how to shift the burden of the cost of living increase to the labor force. If I understand it correctly, and I do not understand it, we may have a second chance to go through these times.

**War Bonds**

**Buy**

** Defense Stamps**

**All Out to Crescent Park — Labor Day Evening, September 6 — 7:30 P.M.**

**Special Labor Day Issue**

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**Labor has many colors. No line can be drawn between these two. If any man tells you he loves America, yet hates labor, he is a liar. If any man tells you he loves America yet hates labor, he is a liar. There is no America without labor, and to ease the one is to rob the other.” — ABRAHAM LINCOLN.**
Marine Aircraft Section 8 — Bldg. 28
By M. A. Perkins

We would like to set a word of encouragement for Bert Finley's "The ABC's of Politics" that appeared in the August 13, 1943, issue.

This is the last of a series of articles that have appeared in the Electrical Union News. Bert has been a regular contributor to the paper for several years. His articles are always timely and informative. We hope you will continue to share your insights and experiences with our readers.

The value of politics is not just in understanding the issues, but also in being able to influence them. Politics is about making decisions that affect our daily lives. It is not just about winning elections, but also about creating a better future for everyone.

We encourage all of our readers to get involved and make their voices heard. Whether it's through voting, writing to your elected officials, or participating in community events, there are many ways to make a difference.

Thank you for your support and for being a part of the Electrical Union News community.

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**For Speedy Victory**

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The model is for this -the long, slow, arduous, and difficult task that lies ahead. The Allies have united behind this goal — to achieve victory and to bring peace.

**The Stakes Are High**

It is a country as big as the United States, and it is important to remember that every action we take has consequences. The stakes are high in this war, and it is important to remain focused on our goal.

**The ABC's of Politics For Labor**

No. 1 — Why When Learning About Politics Is Important

The RIGHT-LEFT word, politics, gets a bad reputation because for many years the art of politics was simply the art of keeping people from having anything effective to say about their own affairs.

In this age, people are disciplined to think for themselves and to express their opinions in a positive and constructive manner. The right way to get politics, progressive politics for the people themselves, is to get into politics, to bring about a wholesome change of conditions in the dark corners and dirty slums of the political machine.

In short, the right way to get politics is for people to get out of politics, to get into the people's movements. People will have to do the work of politics, and they will have to do it as a part of the work of the people, and that is what we mean by politics — the people's movements.

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