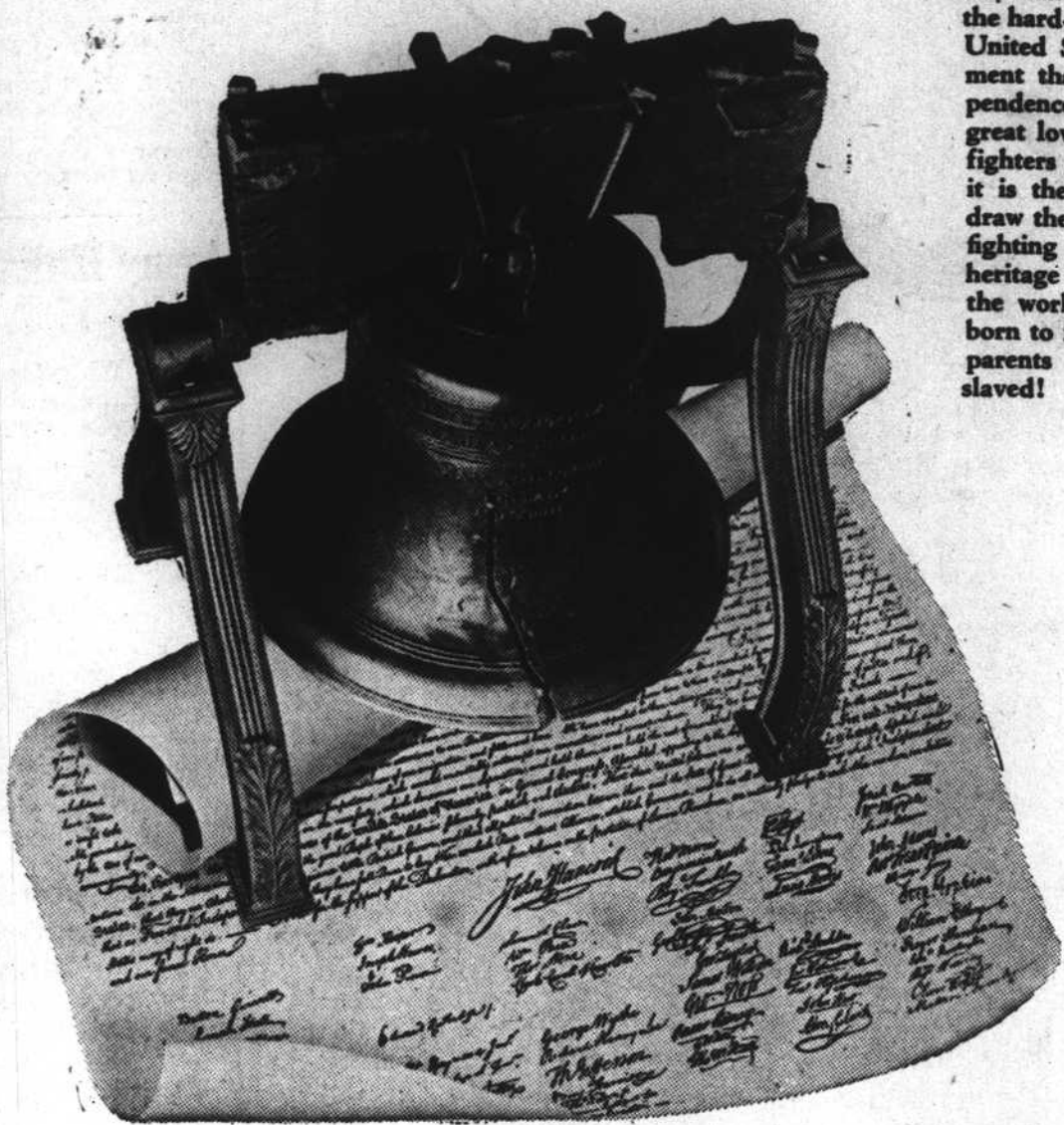




Independence Day

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● You've seen pictures of these two things before. The bell that was rung to announce the hard-won freedom of these United States . . . the document that declared our independence. We Americans are great lovers of liberty — and fighters for liberty — because it is the heritage of all who draw the breath of life—we're fighting now, to pass on that heritage to all the children of the world—that they may be born to freedom, though their parents were for a time enslaved!



YOU are a soldier, fighting this war—though you be a housewife, a laborer, or a store clerk. You are a soldier fighting this war—if you follow every government regulation: if you effect every saving that will free war materials for our fighting forces; and you are a winning soldier—if you buy War Bonds with 10% of your pay every pay day!

THE BATTLE CRY FOR FREEDOM
On December 21st, 1620, the overcrowded and overlaid Mayflower reached the bleak New England coast with a small group of tired, bedraggled men and women who had fled to the new world to escape the bigotry and oppression of their birthplace. Before landing, the men drew up a solemn pact in which they bound themselves to obey whatever laws, ordinances, acts and constitutions they deemed most convenient for the general good of the Pilgrim Colony. This voluntary agreement was the first instance of self-determination in our history.

On September 5th, 1774, at Carpenter Hall in Philadelphia, our early patriots including George Washington, and Patrick Henry, whose great plea "Give me Liberty or give me death" still rings in the hearts of all true Americans, assembled to elect the first Continental Congress. This was the birth of the Americans, assembled to elect the first Continental Congress. This was the birth of the American nation, for it marked the first united appeal of the country for the recognition of their ideas of liberty.

The first united Battle Cry For Freedom was the spirited War Declaration as set forth by our First Congress which stated—"We are reduced to the alternative of choosing an unconditional submission to the tyranny of irritable ministers or resistance by force. The latter is our choice. We have counted the cost of this contest and find nothing so dreadful as voluntary slavery. Our cause is just, our union is perfect. In defense of this freedom which is our birthright we have taken arms. We shall lay them down when hostilities shall cease on the part of our aggressors." These words were the first real Battle Cry For Freedom. They have marked our policy and attitude towards aggression from that day to this.

The following is the American's Creed which all true Americans should carry close to their hearts. "I believe in the United States of America as a Government of the people, by the people, and for the people, whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign Nation of many sovereign states; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes. I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its Constitution, to obey its laws; to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies."

So my friends, with these words ringing in our ears and beating in our hearts, let us all go forward in a united effort, deeming it a privilege to make any sacrifice necessary in order that the Battle Cry For Freedom may continue to be the guiding light that will brighten the hopes of the oppressed all over the world.

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Hosiery Union Attacks Lewis

Convention Calls Him Grave Danger to Nation's Security and Worker's Future

PHILADELPHIA, July 2nd—The American Federation of Hosiery Workers today adopted a resolution condemning John L. Lewis as "a grave danger to the security of the nation and to the future of the workers of the entire world."

The resolution accused Lewis, of using his position as president of the United Mine Workers of America "to hamper the nation's victory effort." It also condemned his "failure to extend positive support to the nation and President Roosevelt."

The convention adopted another resolution indorsing the government's action segregating the Japanese population of the west coast. It was proposed by the California delegation to the convention.

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night in a mud-upholstered fox hole . . .

Unless you think spending less and saving more compares with risking your life for your country . . .

Nobody thinks so. "Risking your life for your country" is a privilege that we who are left behind would gladly share, if we could.

And that's why, if anybody's been buying a Bond now and then and thought he was doing his part, he's been kidding himself.

That's why, unless we want Hitler and the Japs to come over and take—not borrow—100 percent of what we've built in a free America, we'd better put at least 10 percent of our pay into War Bonds every pay day.



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