

SCHWABE COLL

January 24, 1945

Mrs. R. J. Palmore, Sr.
4008 Sapulpa Road
Tulsa 7, Oklahoma

Dear Mrs. Palmore:

I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of your letter of recent date concerning the "work or fight" proposal. It is always interesting to hear from my constituents for it is in that way that I learn their wishes and how I can best represent them.

You certainly have had heavy responsibilities resting upon you, and I trust that as time goes on your burdens will be lightened and that everything will work out more satisfactorily than you now anticipate.

I have four sons, all in the service, and I think I know something of our responsibilities on the home front.

Please feel free to write me at any time on any of these subjects touching the homes and families of our servicemen.

Sincerely yours,

George B. Schwabe, M. C.

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Tulsa 7, Okla.
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1-14-1945.

Washington, D.C. Congress,
Dear Sirs. I am writting you
in regards to what I think.
This is one war wife, all so
Mother's opinion

I have just listened to the Army
hour program from all over the
world. Nothing would please me
any more than draft our
Citilians for the home front.
I hear where they are rationing
ammunition. This I think is a
shame. My two werent drafted
as they were Valintees. just after
pearl Harbor. This is World War
two for my Husband. After what
boys have gone through with.
why cant we be made to get in
there and pitch. untill our boys

Come home to us. What few are left. I was left with a 14 year old daughter in high school. An adopted son two years old. With mortgages on the two places which we had. Every thing going sky high. I was desperate. I tried to help by raising vegetables on an acre of ground which we had. I thought at least I was helping. Then I finally came out. As I am now working at Douglas plant. Trying to hold down two jobs. It is no easy job. neither is the job our boys are doing. If I can do this alone I no there is a lot more that can. With a Husband to help.

My Husband now is in the
Pacifics. Has been for 20 mo-
Just recd his purple heart.
our one son has spent four
Christmas away from home
and country.

How can we carry on for ever?
Lets put this in affect
work or fight

so we can get this war over.
Resp - A Wife and Mother
of service for our Country.
Mrs. H. J. Palmere, Sr.