

**Vote For J. H. Jared For Representative
In The Democratic Primary – August 7th**

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J. H. Jared has lived all his life in Putnam County, having been actively engaged in farming for more than fifty years, and is known to most every man and child in the County. He has been a life-long Democrat, giving as much, or perhaps more of his time, and energy in the service of the Party, than any other man in Putnam County. He has never before asked for any office.



In the beginning of Dixie College and T.P.I., he gave untiringly of his time, energy and money in promotion, and in establishment of this wonderful institution. The Tennessee Polytechnic Institute, which has been such a blessing to this part of the State. He personally made up \$10,000.00 for this school and gave \$500.00 himself. He has been very active in its continued development to the present date.

No man in Putnam County has been more loyal in support of schools, churches, and good roads, than Joe Jared. He has given his limit of both time and money all his life for their furtherance.

It is doubtful if any man living in Putnam County has befriended more people, both rich and poor, than Joe Jared. Those in need and distress have always found help at his hands.

No truer friend did any man have than Joe Jared. Every man, woman and child that knows him knows his word is his bond. No living human can say he ever betrayed a trust.

It has been, for many years an ambition of his, to serve his people in the Legislature to round out his career of usefulness and public service and the citizens of Putnam County should be glad to thrust this office upon him in appreciation of his sterling character and the high degree of interest he has for many years manifested in the welfare and progress of the whole County of Putnam.

Unfortunately, since his announcement as candidate, unforeseen difficulties have developed to prevent his making an active canvass, and kept him from having the opportunity of seeing all of the voters personally, much as he may have desired to do so. One member of his family has been confined in a Michigan hospital in a critical condition; another member of his family in a like condition in Nashville; and until just a few days ago, his son, who was a World War veteran, had lain in the Veteran's hospital at Memphis, and recently died there.

This advertisement is contributed by his friends, and without his knowledge, to explain to the many voters the reason why Mr. Jared has not been able to visit and talk with each one personally.

We know Mr. Jared is not aligned with any particular organization, and we pledge to you, that he will be a true, honest, sincere and constructive member of the Legislature if elected, devoting his entire energies to the interests of Putnam County and the State of Tennessee.

Let's all go to the polls on August 7th and show our appreciation to this wonderful citizen for his life-long service, and help him to realize his long-cherished ambition to further serve his County & State.

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Funeral Services Held Sunday for Joe H. Jared at His Home in Buffalo Valley:

Funeral services for Joe h. Jared, age 83, were conducted Sunday afternoon at two o'clock at his home near Buffalo Valley, with Rev. J. L. Smotherman, a Methodist minister of Carthage, officiating when several hundred relatives and friends gathered to pay their final respects to one of Putnam County's heading

citizens. During the funeral services, Major Rutledge Smith of Smithville and Col. J. N. Cox of Cookeville paid tributes to Mr. Jared, with whom they had been closely associated for many years.

Mr. Jared's death occurred Saturday morning, October 14, at his home, following an illness of several weeks. A son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Jared, pioneer citizens of this section of Tennessee, he was born and reared in the Buffalo Valley community of Putnam County serving throughout his lifetime as one of its most prominent and influential farmer's and businessmen. Besides business interests, he was civic-minded and advocated at all times progressiveness-promoting good educational systems, enterprises which were for the betterment of his community, county and state and believed that a religious influence was necessary in all phases of life. He, with other businessmen, promoted Dixie College, later becoming the Tennessee Polytechnic Institute and represented Putnam County in the State Legislature during the session of 1933.

In 1887 he was married to Miss Laura Shields. Following her death, he married Miss Ina McCaleb, who survives him. In addition to his wife he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Hallie Travis, Mrs. Morrison Lowe of Cookeville, Mrs. T. E. Miles of Nashville, and three sons, Morgan Jared, Houston Jared, of Buffalo Valley and Joyce Jared of Akron, OH. Three sons, Horace, Ralph and Bennett Jared preceded him in death some years ago. Surviving also are Mrs. F. P. McGinness, of Carthage, and sixteen grandchildren, two of whom are now on military duty.

Burial was in the family cemetery near the home and serving as active pallbearers: Roscoe McGinness, Gay Drake, Carthage; Bob Lee Maddux, Grady Maddux, Eugene Jared, Cookeville; C. J. Maddux, Oak Ridge, Haywood Maddux, Buffalo Valley; Snoden Maddux, of Miss; and Jim Maddux, Nashville.

Honorary pallbearers were: D. H. Morgan, James N. Cox, Y. Gibson, E. C. Warner, H. Hargis, A. G. Maxwell, Dr. W. A. Howard, H. Carlen, J. H. Whitson, H. C. Reeves, Judge John Holladay, E. M. DuBois, Tom Ford, Jim Langford, Collie Jared, A. McKay, S. D. Wilhite, W. B. Carlen, Dr. Z. L. Shipley, J. W. H. Terry, Major G. H. Lowe, Cooper Loftis, S. A. McMurry, W. G. Draper, W. H. Wall, W. H. Haile, Judge E. H. Boyd, Dr. Fred Terry, Willis Dow, H. T. Whitten, J. B. Dow, Zeb Barnes, Sam Denton Poteet, H. J. Shanks, W. L. Whitson, F. D. Stanton, Sid Shaw, Worth Bryant, Cookeville, Maj. Rutledge Smith, Albert Smith, Robt. Lowe, and David Lansden, of Nashville, Solon Fitzpatrick, Alex Reed, Carthage; Lee Epperson, Algood; W. H. Harper, Wartburg; J. B. Bates, Henry McKinley, Walter Jared, Wirt Jared, Tom Ammonette, Jack Ammonette, Z. A. Medley, Luke Medley, John Boyd, Mizelle Stanton, Alex Burton, Haskell Huddleston, Oscar Huddleston, Toy Denny, Will Denny, **Virgil Denny**, Bill Burton, Wirt Sanders, Virgil Stanton, all of Buffalo Valley, and Sam Jared of Murfreesboro.

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SAM JARED UNKNOWN WHEN APPELLATION 'BO' IS APPENDED:

The following little story about a couple of Putnam countians, taken from Sunday's Banner, written from Washington, will be of interest to the many friends of both parties:

Last week Capt. Joe H. Jared motored to Washington from his home in Buffalo Valley, TN, bringing with him a colored chauffeur. When he reached Pennsylvania Avenue he got out of his motor to inquire of a policeman the way to Senator Bachman's apartment. Due to Capital traffic signals the chauffeur was waved on and sometime later Mr. Jared arrived at the Senator's apartment. In anything but a happy frame of mind and explained that his chauffeur had driven off with the car and his clothes, especially a new suit which he had brought for the purpose of wearing when he paid his respects to Secretary of State, Cordell Hull. Later in the day Mr. Jared went to call on his cousin, Sam Jared Jr., at the Veteran's Administration and related his story of the missing chauffeur, and clothes and said he told the chauffeur he would stay at the Ambassador Hotel and was going to thence see his cousin, Sam Jared. The darky had not put in his appearance at the administration so Mr. Jared's messenger, Thomas Reed, was given a description of the Tennessee colored boy and told to look for him. Sometime later the messenger walked up to a boy wearing a brown coat and stripped trousers and said, "Has you seen anything of a colored boy from Tennessee what's lost?" "That's me!" was the ready response and grasping the messenger's arm he walked with him

to the Veteran's Administration Building. When he reached the door the boy told the messenger he had been to the building before but was told Mr. Sambo Jared, Jr., didn't work there. "Well, where did you get the 'Bo' from," exclaimed the excited messenger. "Everybody would have knowed Mr. Sam Jared, Jr., was head of the investigation division if you had a-said his name right."

*See Chapter 8, Josiah Jared who md Frances Woodbury Bennett for complete family listing.

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