The infamous Civil Rights Bills are hanging in the balance. They could be passed or defeated by a small margin.

Every Southerner has relatives or friends in the North or West. Every member of the Council could write these relatives or friends and ask them to write their Senators and Congressmen urging them to vote against these Bills. If they cannot vote against the Bills, they can at least support the Trial by Jury Amendment.

As many Northern and Western Senators now appear to be on the fence, this work on the part of our members might decide the matter in our favor. In addition, this would provide a useful activity at this time, and would remove from the membership that feeling of helplessness which we now have about the matter.

(Over for suggested letter)