

Bomber Pilot

General George Brown, the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, we are told, was a bomber pilot in World War II. He has now made it appropriate to ask, for which side?

Frank Mankiewicz.

Washington.

Thunderous Imbecility

The fatuity of President Ford's pronouncement that he "would rather travel thousands of miles for peace than take a single step towards war" is best appreciated by recalling a comment of Mark Twain, which should have forever buried that kind of thunderous imbecility: "I would rather go to bed with Lillian Russell stark naked than with Ulysses S. Grant in full military regalia."

Alfred Friendly.

London.