# FREE TEXT BOOKS ARE ISSUE TODAY

Vigorous Opposition Is Voiced to High Initial Cost of Supplying All Schools.

LARGE VOTE IS EXPECTED

Dr. Alan Welch Smith, T. W. Vreeand and Dr. L. Victoria Hampin Race for Vacancy

FACTS ABOUT TODAY'S SCHOOL

ELECTION. Candidates for one directorship, Thaddeus W. Vreeland, Dr. Allen Welch Smith and Dr. L. Victoria

supplied at public expense to school pupils of both private and public in-stitutions, in all grades below the high school?

Voting qualifications-Any citizen, male or female, 21 years old, who owns property in his or her own name or holds an interest in a company which paye taxes, is eligible to

Voting places-Any qualified voter may vote at any of the 41 polling places scattered over the city. Possible vote-Approximately 28,-000 are eligible to vote in teday's

Time-The polls will be open from 2 to 6 P. M.

Estimated vets-6,000.

The taxpayers of Portland, at the cide who is to succeed R. L. Sabin as a member of the Portland School Board, and will vote upon the question of supplying textbooks, free of charge, to all number of portland schools and supplying textbooks, free of charge, to all number of portland enurches yesterday. The preceding Sunday also had been devoted to observance of children's day by several other congregations.

Another serious objection that has been entered against it is that inter-change of the same boks among pupils year after year would be a factor in spreading disease.

Grange In Opposed. After a discussion of the free-text-book measure Saturday night the Woodlawn Grange expressed its senti-ment as strongly opposed to the meas-ure on the ground that it is un-While I have a positive individual

opinion on the question, I believe the textbook matter is one which the vot-ers should decide," said Thad W. Vreeleast one of the five school directors should be a woman," said Dr. L. Victoria Hampton, another candidate yesterday, "We have 790 women teachers, as well as mothers of the pupils and the girl students, who have no representation on the School Board.

"A vote for free textheeks tomerrow." A vote for free textbooks tomorrow is a vote for an increase of taxes and of doctor bills, and it is a vote for the spread of the great white plague and all other infectious and contagious dis-

"I am absolutely opposed to free textbooks being supplied by the public to schools of any particular sect or creed," said Dr. Alan Welch Smith last night. "The expense is one thing to consider and the unsanitary effect of free textbooks another quite as important. It is impossible to sterilize

citizen of Oregon, male or female, who is at least 21 years of age and has resided in the Portland school district for at least 30 days and who owns property in the district on which he or she is subject to pay tax is eligible to vote today.

Large Vote Expected.

does not appear on the tax roll as the ont of missions.

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The chairman of any school meeting Fry at the Sun

or any qualified elector is authorized to challenge any person who may offer to vote. In the event of such chal-

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The polling places for today's election have been established in 41 precincts in the ten wards of the city. However, a qualified voter may vote at any of the 41 booths in the city without regard to place of residence.

About 28,000 are eligible to vote in the Portland district. On account of the prominence of the textwook issue, it is expected that at least 6000 votes will be cast, or an unusually large percentage for a school election.

Ballot boxes were sent out Saturday

Ward 2, Precinct 3—Mathias Feelier confectionery store, corner Sixteenth and Johnson atreets.

Ward 3, Precinct 4—Crescent Paper Company, 42 Front street, corner Ash.

Ward 3, Precinct 5—J. W. Lewitt garage, 523 Burnside, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth.

Ward 3, Precinct 5—Home Telephone Company, corner Burnside and Park.

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Ward 3, Precinct 5—Pacific Stationery & Printing Company, 197 Second sirest, near Wasnington.

Ward 4, Precinct 9—Portland Railway, Light & Power waiting-room, First and Alder.

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Ward 4, Precinct 11—Esmond Hotel, Pront and Morrison streets.

Ward 4, Precinct 12—Fourth street entrance Courthouse.

Ward 4, Precinct 15 Garage office, 424
Alder street, corner Twelfth.
Ward 4, Precinct 14—Economy Cleaners'
ers & Dyers' office, 270 Sixteenth street,
near Jefferson,
Ward 5, Precinct 15—Hanser Delay.

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Ward 6, Precinct 15—Gelman & Bader's drug store, Sip Front street.

Ward 7, Precinct 12—H. E. Sellwood office, 1534 East Thirteenth street.

Ward 7, Precinct 13—H. E. Belavod office, 1534 East Thirteenth street.

Ward 7, Precinct 13—W. H. Gillis, 6414 Foster road, Arleta.

Ward 7, Precinct 21—W. H. Gillis, 6414 Foster road, Arleta.

Ward 7, Precinct 22—Fowle's grocery store, Fiftieth and Powell Valley road.

Ward 7, Precinct 23—Brooklyn School.

Milwaukie and Frederick streets.

Ward 7, Precinct 25—H. L. Johnson real estate office, 411 Hawthorne avenue.

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In Hell Vigorously Challenged. 5. Precinct 15—Hansen Printing 5. Precinct 16—Cottel's drug store,

Norrison. Ward S. Presinct 27—Sunnyside School. East Thirty-fifth and Yambill streets. Ward S. Precinct 28—W. O. W. hall, between Stark and Belmont streets, Mount ween Stark and Deliner Tabor.
Tabor. Ward 5, Precinct 29—Fred Green, 1989 W East Stark.
Ward 9, Precinct 23—Confectionery store,
285 East Burnside street,
Ward 8, Precinct 21—Ross City Park
pharmacy, East Fifty-seventh and Sandy ward 8. Precinct 33-P. U. Panghern, confectionery store, Fifteenth and Broad-

confectionery stors, Pifteenth and Broadway.

Ward 3, Precinct 32—Confectionery stors,
375 Holiaday, corner Union.

Ward 5, Precinct 24—H. G. Stites, 520
Union avenue north, near Russell.

Ward 9, Precinct 35—J. N. Ryan, real estate office, 257 Russell street.

Ward 16, Precinct 38—Alberta Realty office, 575 Alberta street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

Ward 19, Precinct 37—Woodlawn School, Union avenue and Bryant street.

Ward 10, Precinct 38—Palmer & Hill real estate office, 114 Killingworth avenue.

Ward 19, Precinct 49—Pertsmouth Mantel, Kenton,
Ward 10, Precinct 49—Pertsmouth Manual Training building, Gloucester and Lomhard streets.
Lents, Precinct 41—Duke's stere, near
Duke's market, Lents.

CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICES HELD IN SEVERAL EDIFICES.

Exercises at First Congregational In clude Elaborate Programme-Rostrum and Pulpit Decorated.

Children's day services were held with special programmes and music in annual school election today, will de- a number of Portland churches yester-

supplying textbooks, free of charge, to all pupils in Portland private and public schools below the high school.

The names of three candidates will be printed on the official ballots—Thad W. Vreeland, Dr. Alan Welch Smith and Dr. L. Victoria Hampton. H. R. Miller, who originally announced himself as a candidate, withdrew from the race on account of his health.

Certain provisions of the free-textbook measure have inspired a vigorous opposition against it.

The measure, if passed, will make it obligatory upon the School Board to purchase books for the pupils in the public schools. It is estimated that the initial purchase of such books would cost the taxpayers in the neighborned of \$100,000.

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"Robert Raike diplomas."

Among the churches with especially elaborate programmes yesterday was the First Congregational Church. The rostrum and pulpit were decorated in flowers and a great American flag was displayed. Along the edges of the galleries were hung cages of canary birds, which samp lustily throughout the service. A special orchestra of 25 pieces furnished other music for the beginners' class and 40 children of the beginners' department sang, under the direction of their teacher. Miss Bates.

Speches and exercises appropriate to the day also were given by children of Miss Dyott's class. One of the special features offered by this department was the presentation of an American flag, in which 50 little children formed the colors. A large number of the Sunday school pupils received

established June 15, 1850, and the Bible school was founded five days later. The paster pointed out that since that time the church and school had helped to found four other churches and

REV. WILLIAM H. FRY PREACHES LAST SERMON TO PARISHIONERS.

Rev. Elmer Smith, Appointed Successor at Sunnyside Methodist Church, Will Take Duty June 28.

Rev. William Henry Fry, who has been pastor of the Sunnyside Methodist Church for a number of years, held his farewell services there yesterday. In his sermon last night, he spoke of his relations to the church and the com-munity, which had become strong on

Dr. Fry was called to the Sunnyside Methodist Church when it was in financial and other difficulties, and when it had started on the erection of the present modern stone building. He handled the situation with such diplomacy that the factions were quickly macy that the factions were quickly reunited into a harmonious member-bership, and he leaves the Sunnyside one of the strongest and most pros-

A stock or share ownership in a corporation, firm or co-partnership which has property in the district on which has property in the district on which laws are paid is construed under the law as providing the property qualification, even though his or her name does not support the district on the services last night Rev. and Mrs. Fry held a short rectangular as providing the property qualification, even though his or her name Islands, where he goes as superintend-

Rev. Elmer Smith, who succeeds Mr. Fry at the Sunnyside Church, is now in the South taking a vacation. He will arrive in Portland and begin his

Rev. Arthur Olson, of Minot, N. D., will preach next Sunday in the Sunny-side Church.

# GIRLS PRACTICE ECONOMY

Portland High School Graduates Making Their Own Dresses.

the Portland district. On account of the prominence of the textbook issue, it is expected that at least 8000 votes will be cast, or an unusually large percentage for a school election.

Ballot boxes were sent out Saturday to all of the polling places, including instructions for the officers of the election. Three judges and two clerks will be stationed at each booth from 2 to 6 P. M., when the polls will be open.

Contrary to the custom at other elections, the same board that receives the ballots will canvass them.

In addition to the member to be elected today, the new Board will be composed of Chairman Muniy, and Directors Sommer, Beach and Plummer.

Following is a list of the polling places in the respective districts of the city:

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Atheism Better, He Says.

"Faith in man" was the topic yesterday of James Diamond Corby, pas-tor of the Universalist Church, in exounding the Universalist idea of what is best in religion."

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"I believe in man as the child of God," he said. "We of this liberal church do not believe that man is a worm, a slave, a wreck, but a developing being, who hegan low down and is on his way up.

"We believe that man is created in the image of God and is able to know and do His will. Man is not a ruin, but a mine full of undeveloped riches; a granary filled with seeds and bulbs and roots, which, under God's blessing, shall come forth in flower and fruit.

Orthodex Article Challenged.

Orthodex Article Challenged. "You may imagine everyone believes in man, but they don't, as an extract from the editorial of a prominent orthodox Sunday School paper of this week will prove. Read these words and ponder them carefully:

"The human heart is desperately wicked. Not the heart of the drunkard and libertine, but the human heart, the heart of the upright, moral bethe heart of the upright, moral be-lievers, may more, the natural heart of the godliest saint is hopelessly black and polluted. The natural home of the human heart, apart from God in Christ, is hell. This is the Christian doctrine.

doctrine."
"I never have read a more revolting and pitiful idea of humanity. While I know my own wickedness and how far short I am frem God's ideal for me, I humbly follow Christ and strive to grow in grace and truth. I cannot believe, nay, I will not believe that, of all the mighty thousands I saw this week at the Rose Festival, every heart is hopelessly black and polluted; that everyone of the dear children in that parade was hopelessly vile. Yet peodoctrine. parade was hopelessly vile. Yet peo-ple sometimes ask, 'Is there further need of the liberal faith?' and carelessly expose their children to the lesson of total depravity, in Bible schools.

Athelam Better, He says. "If I could bring myself to believe "If I could bring myself to believe that every man, woman and child I see, day after day, has an unclean heart, is totally corrupt, desperately wicked, I should be an atheist. Better believe in no God than in one who has made such a miserable wreck of creation as to make goodness impossible.

"The men and women who have done the most to better the conditions of specials and exercises appropriate to the day also were given by children of Miss Dyott's class. One of the special features offered by this department was the presentation of an American flag, in which 50 little children formed the colors. A large number of the Sunday school pupils received "Robert Raike diplomas."

The Rev. Luther R. Dyott, paster of the church, gave a short talk on "The Flag, the Bible and the Cross of Christ."

The First Congregational Church was established June 15, 1859, and the Bible the country of the

# SOCIETY NEWS

the oppressed and down-trodden of every race, color and language. Steadi-ly the worth of humanity is rising."

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M tained last night at an elaborate to resist by all means available the inreception given at their home in the affairs of the state to the injury which he opposed the principle of free North Twenty-first street in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford P. Lowengart.

The occasion was also the tenth anni
The occasion was also the tenth anniversary of the marriage of the host and hostess, who received many beautiful floral tokens of friendship and good wishes. good wishes.

The drawing-room and reception hall

were banked in roses, Centerbury bells and ferns which afforded an artistic background for the handsome gowns of the maids and matrons attending. The orchestra was stationed in an alcove bower of ferns and palms.

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In the dining-room, French baskets filled with pink and white blossoms were the scheme of decoration. The table was centered with a basket of cut flowers in the same coloring.

Receiving with Mr. and Mrs. Hirsch were Mr. and Mrs. Lowengart and Mrs. Withelmina Hirsch, of Worms on the Rhine, Germany. Mrs. Max Hirsch wore a heautiful gown of creme charmeuse with a draping of blue tulle. Mrs. Lowengart wore her wedding gown, a handsome robe of white charmeuse embroidered in touches of silver. Mrs.

rie Louise Feidenheimer, assisted in the Portland Agents for Ladies Home Journal Patterns

rie Louise Feldenheimer, assisted in the dining-room. The matrons presiding at the tables and punch bowl and assisting the hostess were Mrs. Henry W. Melzger, Mrs. Samuel Rothschild, Mrs. Sigmund Frank, Mrs. Abe Meier, Mrs. Sigmund Frank, Mrs. Abe Meier, Mrs. Julius L. Meier, Mrs. Charles Berg, Mrs. I. N. Lipman, Mrs. Julius Louisson and Mrs. Leon Hirsch.

Mrs. Donald Ranney Munre was hostess Friday for an informal bridge tea in honor of Mrs. Elisworth Taylor, of Los Angeles. A profusion of sweet peas decorated the table which was presided over by Mrs. J. F. Dickson and Mrs. Frank M. Warren, Jr. The other guests were Mrs. T. Scott Brooke, Mrs. David Honeyman, Mrs. Stanley T. Jewell, Mrs. Edward Orelle, Mrs. Morris Whitehouse, Mrs. Marion Dolph, Mrs. J. Andre Fouilhoux, Miss Isabella Gauld, Miss Nannie Robertson and Mrs. Coulter, of Cincinnati, O., who is house guest of Mrs. Frank M. Warren, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtis Simmons entertained as their house guest during the Rose Festival Dr. W. T. Simmons, of St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mra Eugene Lester Patterson and daughters, of St. Paul, arrived in Portland last night, an route to Alaska and British Columbia. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Matt McDougail, 1240 Thurman street, for about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt McDougail, 1240 Thurman street, have as their guest Miss Kathleen Thompson, of St. Paul. Miss Thompson will also visit in Vancouver, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Brown, of 275 Halsey street, will leave for Eugene today to attend the graduation of their daughter, Sybil, in the journalistic course of the University of Oregon. Miss Esther Maegly will also attend

Paster of First Presbyterian Church Says He Hates to See Religious Strife Thrust Upon Us.

The Rev. John H. Boyd, of the First Presbyterian Church, in speaking last night of "Impressions From a Seven-Thousand-Mile Journey," dwelt upon the wonderful significance of our country's position and history. He declared that there was evidently a mission for civilization in our development, and set forth the three requisites for fulfilling our National destiny. One of these and the most important was the mainte-nance of the unity of our population, in thought, spirit and social ideals. On this subject he said, in part: "All elements of our population must be fused into a single, indivisible

Americanism, "The question whether free textbooks should be supplied to our chil-dren is a simple one, which can be clearly seen and should be decided upon its intrinsic values. But whether, when this school district has voted for such free books, that those books should also be syallable for the use of all private schools in this district is evidently a religious and sectarian ques-tion loaded with all the sad possibilities of bitter controversy and social dis-

"It can mean nothing else than that some body or some influence is aiming to secure a subsidy for the Roman
Catholic schools from the public
through the channels of state taxation.
"Now, I don't want to be led into a
quarrel with the Roman church. I don't
want to differ from my Roman Catholic want to differ from my Roman Catholic friend and neighbor. I deplore whatever alienates my mind and sympathy from any fellow-man, but if this provision, is carried along with the law and if its privileges are sought by the parochial schools, then it will force multiplication. By Gertrude P. Corbett

| By Gertrude P. Corbett | By Gertrude P. Corbett | By Gertrude P. Corbett | Darrochial schools, with force multifudes of peace-loving citizens with pained hearts grieving over passions engendered and friendships endangered to resist by all means available the least one of the five school force.

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of this proposition. Frank Peters and Mrs. S. E. Windle opposed the plan. Mrs. Windle said that in Portland

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where children are too poor to buy their books, the Board of Education purchases what books are needed, and spends now as much money as may

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Three attractive girls, the Misses Helen Simon, Florence Wolfe and Ma
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George S. Shepherd addressed the Grange, pointing out the need of a deep channel to the mouth of the Columbia River. He spoke also on the interstate bridge, and told what it will bring to Portland and the state. A musical programme was rendered, closing with a residue on today at the school election, would be wrong and un-American, was the sentiment of the addresses delivered at the meeting of Woodlawn on the proposition, all opposed the meeting of Woodlawn on the proposition, all opposed the meeting of Woodlawn on the same coloring.

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Department of Public Works to Do-

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nate to Visiting Nurses.

The \$75 won by the Department of Public Works for the excellence of its float in the Rose Festival parade will and spends now as much money as may be needed for that purpose. She pointed out that the real intent of the free lext book proposition, which is to furnish books to those who need them, is now being carried out in the Portland district, and that the free text book proposition would simply add so much burden to the taxpayers, without coropens its milk station today. A sim-ple banner will be purchased to mark the honor of the award.



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City of Portland
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School District No. 1
Average Daily Attendance
Cost Per Student. 18.0 22.0 24.4 22.0 27.0 4.4 \$1,747.614 \$1,814.50) \$1,574.435 \$2,871.693.63 \$70.4 19,836.8 21.672.6 28.712 24,628.5 \$64 388 \$84 \$86 306 \$657,045 \$1,034,785 \$1,165,474 15,682.7 17,369.6 18,370.4 \$42 \$58, FROM THIS TABLE WE FIND THE AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE.... \[ \begin{pmatrix} 1937... & 15,682.7 \\ 1913... & 24,628.5 \end{pmatrix} \] INCREASE 57 PER CENT.

If you vote for free school books you must pay for them for all private

TAX LEVY...... {1907...\$ 657,045.00 } INCREASE 260 PER CENT.

schools, as well as for the public schools. Incidentally we pay thousands of dollars to inspect everything and now we want to hand germ-contaminated books from one pupil to another.

WE ASK YOU TO VOTE NO.

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