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BOND ELECTION POLLING PLACES

Never, we believe, has the board arranged for more than one polling place for a school election. Perhaps, with non-controversial propositions to be voted on, this has been sufficient. Perhaps, too, this has frequently been the reason for a small vote even though some elements of controversy have been present. On an issue as important as the issuance of bonds for school purposes the use of more than one polling place is desirable. Accordingly, tax payers are gratified, we are sure, over the board's plan to have voting done not only at the high school, as in past elections, but at Kenwood and the Richardson school.

Even with these three polling places provided it seems to us, however, that the interests of a large group of voters are not adequately met. We are thinking of those living in Carroll Acres and other sections south of the city, to say nothing of the extensive population on both sides of the south highway and south of Scott street and the Great Northern line.

Large numbers of these are employed at the mills. They are headed home at the five o'clock end of the day shift or going to work between that hour and six when the night shift begins. For either group to come to the high school to vote is somewhat of a task. On the other hand if they could vote at, say, the grange hall just beyond the city limits they would find that a convenience and many would vote who otherwise will not do so.

On behalf of this large group of interested tax payers we urge on the school board that provision be made for voting at that or a nearby location.

If you have observed that we have referred herein to tax payers, rather than to voters in general, please note that at such an election as is to be held on the issue of school bonds the law provides that only tax payers may vote.

From a correspondent comes the assertion that into Lake Mead, the Colorado backwater above the Hoover dam, there pours daily 1,000,000 tons of silt. We have seen the figure given in other terms the amount being, as we remember, equal to a 160-car train load. However the total is stated it is tremendous and, unchecked, it means the ultimate end of water supply and power from the reservoir and dam. Every citizen and every organization interested in national prosperity and, in particular, the maintenance and growth of our food supply should be as much concerned over this situation as in the promotion of reclamation development.

All the time that civilian food committee was promoting eggless Thursdays the government had in storage 18 million pounds of dried eggs. How many cases of eggs in the shell were on hand is not reported. Eighteen million pounds of dried eggs represent a good many dozen eggs. Since learning about them we have been thinking back and trying to remember why it was that the eggless day was promulgated.

A new half dollar is being minted for general use so the treasury department announces. One side will bear the likeness of Benjamin Franklin for the reason, in part, that he was an ardent advocate of thrift. That's a funny one for this administration.

COMMUNICATIONS

Communications are invited on matters of current and local interest. Letters should be not over 400 words in length, on only one side of the paper and, if possible, typewritten. Letters or manuscripts submitted for publication will not be returned.

Bend, Oregon,
Jan. 13, 1947.

To the Editor:

We citizens should support the initiative and ambition of the Ski-line drive inn owners. By referring to their project as a dine and dance establishment perhaps some citizens received the wrong impression. Just as now, there will be no beer, no liquor of any kind, sold. They want to build a dance floor with tables around it, where one can order soft drinks and sandwiches and dance to an automatic radio-phonograph which won't require a nickel.

Of course, it is to be open to the public but what a grand idea for the youth of our city who really need a good place of recreation that won't take all of their spending money in one evening.

ning. The citizens living in that area of town must realize that with the trucks and highway traffic it is fast becoming a small business district, with stores, service stations, auto courts and restaurants.
These enterprising owners, young enough themselves to understand youth and adults, to be interested in providing good, clean entertainment are good business men, also. They are interested in more than just the customer's dollar. They are ready to fill a community need. Let's give them a big push and thank them.
Alice E. Brown.

STATEHOUSE JOTTINGS

By Eldon Barrett

(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Salem, Ore., Jan. 13 (UP)—Oregon's hurried income taxpayers will need a couple of reams of paper and a fistful of pencils to figure their state income tax re-

Yanks' New Boss

HORIZONTAL

- 1.7 Pictured new general manager of New York Yankees
- 12 Roamers
- 13 Puff up
- 14 Genus of vines
- 15 Individuals
- 16 Eye (Scott.)
- 17 Forms fiber knots
- 19 Porgy
- 20 Confections
- 22 Dine
- 23 Boredom
- 25 Not late
- 27 Dispatched
- 28 Promontory
- 29 That thing
- 30 Area measure
- 31 Tardy
- 33 Row
- 36 Antic
- 37 Class of plants (comb. form)
- 39 Ampere (ab.)
- 40 Arachnid
- 45 Augment
- 46 Encounter
- 48 First man
- 49 Hence
- 50 Brads
- 52 Expand
- 54 Play the part of host
- 55 Cubic meters

VERTICAL

- 1 Moans
- 2 Dyestuff

3 Eggs

- 4 Of the thing
- 5 Enlarge
- 6 Slave
- 7 Direction
- 8 Cloth measure
- 9 John (Gaelic)
- 10 Guides
- 11 Calyx leaves
- 14 Route (ab.)
- 16 Eye (Scott.)
- 18 Pigeon
- 20 Posers
- 21 Legislator
- 24 Join
- 26 Eagle's nest
- 31 Mourn
- 32 Seem
- 34 Card game
- 35 Ranges of hills
- 36 Eccentric wheel
- 38 Bustle
- 41 His post was
- 42 Hypothetical structural unit
- 43 Fathers
- 44 Eject
- 47 Bind
- 49 Auricle
- 51 Musical note
- 53 French article

Answer to Previous Puzzle

W. J. BRYAN DOWN

MacPhail in

53 French article

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