

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Now Is the Time for Passage of School Bill
Vote 314 x Yes

Passage of the Compulsory Public School Attendance bill now—this year—will insure that a minimum number of private schools and private school pupils will be affected. Of the 36 counties of Oregon 16 are at present without any private schools whatever. The combined aggregate of pupils in all the private schools in five other counties is fewer than 200. The total attendance at the private schools, of the grammar grades, of Oregon is about 9841. The total attendance at the public schools, of the grammar grades, is about 131,689. Surely if the public schools are good enough for the 131,689, they are also good enough for the other 9841.

At present, while the private schools are few and small, is the time to make the change proposed by the public school bill.

COSTS. No tax will be levied for years to come, as the bill does not take effect until September, 1926, and no tax then if the amendment is in the courts for several years.

When all attend our free public schools the additional cost will be slight, for the overhead will be the same. Most of the children will find a place in existing classes and the added expense to the average taxpayer will be nominal. The great benefit to our nation will be worth many times the small cost.

Now is the time to pass this measure, insuring that in Oregon all of our children will be educated to a common patriotism, common ideals and a unified allegiance to our institutions.

One Flag---One School---One Language

P. S. MALCOLM, 33*,
Inspector-General in Oregon,
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NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

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Indebtedness:						
1. Bonded, and interest thereon	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 1,125.00	1,125.00	4,179.55	2,049.83	2,964.86
2. Warrant, and interest thereon	20.00	5.25		2,415.94		
Total	\$ 2,220.00	\$ 1,130.25	\$ 1,125.00	\$ 7,595.49	\$ 2,049.83	\$ 2,964.86
Insurance:						
Total			395.00			150.00
Miscellaneous:						
Total	\$ 630.00	\$ 375.45	1,000.00	812.00	84.84	952.67
Grand Total	\$23,150.00	\$13,654.17	\$11,974.96	\$30,378.98	\$16,432.13	\$18,197.47

I, Myrtle Belzils, do hereby certify that the above estimate of expenditures for the year 1922-1923 was prepared by me and that the expenditures and budget allowance for six months of the current year and the expenditures for the three fiscal years next preceding the current years shown above have been compiled from the records in my charge and are true and correct copies thereof.
MYRTLE BELZILS, District Clerk.

Artisans Had Big Time

The Artisans as announced last week, had a big initiation and general good time, in the park pavilion, Saturday night. A special car came from Portland bringing about seventy-five members, and there were fifty or more from here. Twelve new members were taken into the lodge, and the work was exemplified by a team from the Progress Assembly of Portland. After the lodge business was concluded, a bounteous chicken supper was served and dancing was indulged in till time to go home.

Corner Stone Laid

Oregon Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F. of Oregon City, laid the corner stone of their new temple, Sunday, Oct. 22, at 2 p. m. The parade formed at their old temple at 5th and Main Streets at 1:30, led by a caravan of Muscovites with their drum corps. Next came Willametta Rebekah lodge, then visiting brothers and Oregon lodge No. 3.

Thomas F. Ryan and suite conducted the ceremony according to the impressive ritual of the order. The orator of the day was the Rev. Henry Speiss, a former pastor of the M. E. church in Estacada, who delivered a masterly address on three links of the order, friendship, love and truth. Those attending from Estacada Lodge 175, were C. F. M. Brown, Harvey Gilligan, Harry Johnstone and J. E. Saunders.

Special Trip

See America and her possessions first. The first train will leave the Boston Union depot, basement of the M. E. church, at 6 p. m. on Monday, Nov. 6. A novel trip and well worth your while. Watch for placard announcing itinerary.

Estacada 64 Molalla 0

Estacada High won a notable victory over Molalla High last Friday. We hoped to give a scientific account of the game but our sporting reporter disappointed us. To an amateur the game appeared a clean one and the home team played up well together. From start to finish the ball was kept in the enemy's territory, they being unable to withstand Estacada's attack. Our boys had the advantage of heavier weight, but they also outgeneralled and outplayed Molalla. From the very first they began to score and kept it up until the end, when the grand total amounted to 64, while Molalla had nothing. It must be acknowledged that the losers played pluckily on throughout the game in spite of the depressing situation and took their drubbing stoically if not cheerfully. Tomorrow on the home field Estacada will play with Silverton.

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FOR SALE—Pure mountain honey—first class \$5.00 per case; second class \$4.50 per case. Write or call the Bowman Ranch, Rt. 1. Orders delivered near Estacada. 10-19-119

FOR SALE—Two horses very reasonable; wt. 1100 and 1200 lbs. May trade for a drill, or a tractor outfit and pay difference. Horses can be seen at my place on Douglass Hill, or write A. N. Orke, 6 1/2 E 11 st. Portland, Oregon. 10-19-112
W. E. Harmon. Box 112, Estacada. 10-26tf
FOR SALE—New and used drag-saws, gas engines, feed cutters, ensilage cutters, potato diggers; a Beaver drag-saw special with clutch and 6-foot blade. \$110.00—terms. Hessel's Farm Machinery Co. 10-12tf Gresham, Oregon.

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FOUND—In the park, a bunch of keys. Owner can get it by applying at this office, proving property and paying for this notice. 10-12
FOR SALE—One 2-yr old heifer, been fresh 2 month, price \$40. Or one cow fresh last July, price \$50. Both Jersey-Herford stock. 10-19 G. A. Masse, Estacada.
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