

# Illinois Valley News

An independent newspaper devoted to the development of the richest valley in the world, the Illinois Valley and its surrounding districts. Published every Thursday at Cave Junction, Oregon by the Illinois Valley Publishing Company. Entered as second-class matter June 11, 1937, at the Post Office at Cave Junction, Oregon, under the act of March 3, 1879

M. C. ATMEY Editor

### SUBSCRIPTION PRICES

|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| In Josephine County         |        |
| One Year                    | \$1.50 |
| Six Months                  | .75    |
| Three Months                | .50    |
| Outside of Josephine County |        |
| One Year                    | \$2.00 |

The Illinois Valley News reserves the right to reject any advertising copy which it deems objectionable. Advertising rates on application



## THE SPECIAL ELECTION

The last legislature put it up to the people to vote for a tax levy so the money that the state had already accumulated, could be used. The people voted the money at past elections, and they had to vote again to spend it for the purpose on the measure—state buildings.

The measure says it is a 10 mill tax levy. The bill was drawn to make the money now on hand available. THERE WILL BE NO 10 MILL TAX COLLECTED. The money is already collected. It's a peculiar situation when the money is already in the bank to have to assume another tax—but that is the way the attorney general said it had to be done—so that is why it is on the ballot as a tax measure.

We want the voters in the valley to understand that they will NOT PAY the tax, for the tax has already been collected. Every voter should mark an X voting FOR the first measure on the ballot.

The next measure is the cigaret tax bill. This is a 2 cents per pack tax on every package of cigarets sold. The money would be used for the public school fund throughout the state. If you smoke a package of cigarets a day, you would be paying 2 cents per day towards the public schools. If you think that is all right, vote for the measure, if you don't, vote against it. It's a good cause, but we have our doubts about it passing.

Then on the same ballot will be the measure to adopt the county school law, and also to vote to allow Grants Pass school district to become a part of the county school law. This is necessary because the Grants Pass schools are in an incorporated city and the citizens must vote to make them a part of the county school law.

Lester Wilcox, legal advisor for the state school board, says this is a good law if it is properly administered. In other words if the board that the county court will appoint to begin the new change (afterwards the people will elect the board) will spend the money to employ a good superintendent, the county school law would help improve all the schools in the county. If the board failed to employ a good man, it would do the schools no good.

We have an exceptionally good school system in the valley now, and many are hesitant in changing to something they do not know about, or is a chance. However, if you take the advice from those who know, it is a step in the right direction. We do not presume to advise what you should do with your schools. You should know what you want to do. Use your own judgment, and then your conscience will be clear.

There is only one thing we will ask you to do—COME OUT AND VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION, FRIDAY, JUNE 22nd—that's today—the day you get this paper. It is printed Thursday, but you receive it Friday in the valley. Today is the election day. The polls are open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. DO YOUR DUTY AND VOTE.

### Hints on Canning With Little Sugar

In using corn syrup to stretch sugar in canning fruit, different proportions give the best results for different kinds of fruit according to recent research carried on in another state and just reported in a new home economics extension circular, "Saving Sugar in Food Preservation."

This circular, prepared by Lucy A. Case, extension nutritionist, and Thomas Onsdorff, associate professor of food industries, contained tables for guidance in the use of both corn syrup and honey in stretching sugar and a fairly complete discussion of ways to obtain the maximum quantities of canned fruit with smaller amounts of sugar.

Dark corn syrup, as well as the more popular light kind, may be used successfully in canning for all of the common fruits except pears, the circular states. In making the thin type of syrup used in canning, neither the light nor dark corn syrup is recommended with cherries, although either can be

used in making a medium or heavy syrup.

In general, the recommended proportions of corn syrup to sugar run a little less than one part to three, although some fruits and some grades of canning syrup the proportion is either greater or less than that. For example, the recommended proportion in making a medium syrup for cherries is to use 1 1/3 cups of corn syrup to 3 1/4 cups sugar with 5 2/3 cups water.

The government recommendation for using sugar alone in canning is one pound of sugar for each four quarts of finished product, which means one-half cup of sugar per quart of fruit or a 25 per cent syrup, the circular shows. The lowest amount of sugar used with any satisfaction in canning or freezing most fruits is about a sixth cup per quart. Fruit canned without sugar will keep but quality and flavor are poor.

Copies of the circular may be had from county extension offices. Extension bulletin 642 gives more complete canning information.

—BUY WAR BONDS—

### FOLKS By R. M. Brinkerhoff



"They're staying home every night and saving their money for a War Bond!"

### COUNTY AGENT SAYS CLIP PERMANENT PASTURES

Farmers will find it profitable to clip permanent pastures at this time of the year where the grass has become tall and patchy, suggests J. F. Svinth county agricultural agent. Recent heavy rains have allowed the grass and weeds to grow faster than stock have been able to eat down. Consequently, the pasture has become patchy and coarse, resulting in loss of succulent feed. Clipping will remove the coarse grass and allow new growth to take its place and in return provide more pasture.

Rotating the pastures during the grazing period will also increase the amount and quality of pastures. This is done by moving the stock from one field to another, allowing them on one field for only a short interval and allowing the other portions of the pasture to grow. Maximum production is obtained when pasture grasses can be kept at height of about 4 to 5 inches.

Japan makes a record government shake-up against invasion.

### Roosevelt's Appeal for 7th War Loan

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Before his death President Franklin D. Roosevelt issued a statement in support of the Mighty Seventh War Loan for 14 billions of dollars in which he reminds the Nation it is still locked in a deadly struggle with its enemies. The President stressed the importance of greater production together with the buying and holding of War Bonds to help achieve the victory. He said:



MR. ROOSEVELT

"I don't need to tell you that we are still locked in a deadly struggle with our enemies—the enemies of our way of life—and the war is still the chief job of each one of us. The greatest production of which we are capable, faithful adherence to regulations that make it possible to supply our boys in battle with everything they need, and buying and holding War Bonds—these are things we at home must do to speed victory. "In the past three years more than 85 millions of Americans have invested billions of dollars in bonds. Never before have so many people held such a direct share in a great national effort. To save—to buy and to hold all we can for war bonds—this is a small service to ask of us who do not fight—yet it is one of the biggest things we can do for our fighting men."

**DR. A. N. COLLMAN**  
Naturopathic Physician.  
Office hours: 9 A. M. to 12 noon  
2 P. M. to 5 P. M.  
Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings only.

**TRACY'S STEAK HOUSE**  
Grants Pass

**SAW FILING**  
By Clint Hards  
at  
**PUGET TIMBER COMPANY**  
Kerby, Oregon

**HULL & HULL**  
FUNERAL HOME  
Ambulance service day or night  
210 West "A" Phone 334

**WARDROBE CLEANERS**  
Grants Pass  
Mail your cleaning and pressing work to us — We will mail it back cleaned and pressed.

**FRED LANGLEY**  
WANTS TO SEE YOU!  
The Toggery  
Grants Pass, Ore.

**Daily Freight Service**  
GRANTS PASS, PORTLAND, and SAN FRANCISCO  
**Pierce Auto Freight**  
K. C. HAMILTON, Local Agent

**Windows and Doors!**  
See  
**Valley Lumber Co.**  
for your repair jobs  
221 W. F St. Phone 47

**For Drugs, Toiletries**  
**Fountain Service**  
Come to  
**OWL PHARMACY**  
In Grants Pass

## Well Folks

The weather man decided to warm things up SO we decided to help you keep cool.



GET THOSE SWIM SUITS AND SHORTS. ALSO STRAW HATS AND PLAY SHOES. KEEP COOL — YES, WE HAVE THEM!

## KRIEGER'S

In Cave Junction  
ILLINOIS VALLEY SHOPPING CENTER



### RALPH E. BELL

710 South 6th St., Grants Pass, Oregon  
Phone 22-Y

### —before you buy or renew your AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE

**FARMERS** Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Policies meet the requirements of Oregon's Financial Responsibility Law.

**COMPLETE YOUR PROTECTION—WITH—**  
Medical Payments—Comprehensive Fire—Theft—Collision Coverage . . . at a Very Low Cost

**FARMERS AUTOMOBILE**  
Inter-INSURANCE Exchange



**Truck Insurance Exchange**

L. E. ATHEY, Local Agent, Cave Junction

For Clean

## Used Cars

We Pay

**OPA CEILING PRICES**

## Bell Motors

Grants Pass

# DRUG Savings For The Good Old Summertime

PERFECTION  
Hand Cream  
Regular 69c  
**Special 49c**

RESISTS INSECTS  
Skeeter Rid  
Mosquitos, Gnats, Etc.  
**33c**

PERFECTION  
Sun Burn Lotion  
**50c**  
Expose Oil  
**50c and 25c**

TIDY  
Arctic Cream  
Deodorant, reg. 35c  
**35c**

BE SAFE  
First Aid Kits  
Price range from  
**\$1.50 to \$17.50**

BE COMFORTABLE  
Leg Make Up  
**Tussy 50c**  
DOROTHY GRAY \$1

TRAVELETTE  
Fountain Syringe  
Complete with fittings, tubing, carrying case  
**\$2.49**

BUY BY MAIL  
We'll do all we can to send you exactly what you order as quick! as the mail will take it  
**McLain's Drug Centre**  
Walgreen Agency

CASH DAVIS  
Udder Balm  
Jars  
**50c and \$1.00**