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SCHOOL DAYS AGAIN

Next Sunday night the school boy can put away his bicycle and hunt up his books that have been resting throughout the summer and with face freshly washed and clothes as new as OPA will allow, trudge his way to the school house.

There he will meet all his fellows and start playing some group games instead of the individual ones he has pursued all summer. It will be another stage of his education of which the summer vacation is an integral part.

It is, of course, important that he learn the rules of writing and reading and figuring that the world uses. There are some facts of importance about history and government he should learn. It would be well if those could be imparted to him in such a manner that he wanted to learn more of them. Too often the small boy seems to resent learning and to drop the pursuit of knowledge as soon as the school doors close on him.

In this period of post-war lack of restraint teachers are loath to get back into the harness that is often galling to them. It is a symptom of the times and probably of short duration. Teaching wages are better than ever, better than those of bankers, of most of the clerical jobs now offered. Perhaps they should be. Yet, the restraints of the profession are keeping many out of it.

The bank clerk and the office worker can smoke if he pleases and an occasional drink doesn't lose him his job nor public respect. His hours are longer than the school teachers and his vacation shorter.

So the school boy will have to be content, educators tell us, with the teachers who are willing to accept the rules of conduct enforced indirectly by the community. It is inferred that these are of smaller ability than those who go to other pursuits. This we think is not proven. It is no sign of inability to cherish a sign of inactivity or of a sign of moral standards of the community in which we work is no disgrace. All will be doing it when war's wildness is out of their hearts.

FIGHTING FOR SOMETHING WE DON'T WANT

James Byrnes, secretary of state is being credited with doing a fine job at the peace conference. His plan for consolidating the western zones of Germany is hailed as a challenge to Russia and evidence of American determination to hold western Europe from communism if possible.

There is no doubt of the ability of Mr. Byrnes. He is a capable man and a fine competitor. Yet, just perhaps, a fine competitor is not what we need right now.

We have apparently decided as a nation that we must interfere in the affairs of Europe in an effort to determine the fate of the millions of poor (and we mean poor) people of that country. The attempt will probably be a failure. Europeans have never been able to settle their own problems and it is hard to see how Americans who know little about Europe can help much.

We are entering a battle against communism, or so we say. Perhaps the economic features of European control are also being considered although not the topic of many dispatches.

We are presuming that it is our business what kind of ideology the western Europeans adopt. Maybe it is. Maybe it isn't. In any event the Europeans are in a very fine position for they can swing to Russia or to the United States and obtain almost anything either of those nations possess in the way of trade and material.

order to remain a great nation still have much to prove. When we have exhausted our natural resources, our oil and our coal and our soil fertility and have depleted our manpower in a useless struggle to keep Europe appeased we will not be a great nation. We are a lesser nation now than we were in 1941 before we went to Europe. As we give to Europe and as Russia takes from Europe we grow weaker every day. Democracy is a doctrine that thrives best in a young and prosperous nation. Communism and other forms of dictatorship come with poverty. When we become poor in resources and poor in hope we may turn to communism ourselves. There are already signs that many people would favor a government that gave them security at the loss of freedom.

Want Ads

SEED wheat cleaning and treating. Call L. L. Funk, Wasco Co-op or see H. C. Happold. 43-4p

WANTED: Work on ranch in district where I can attend Moro HI for board and some pay. See Bill Garrett, Grass Valley after six p. m.

LOST: 3 sets ration books in black imitation folder, 2 concert tickets. Mary Eakin, Grass Valley 45-46p

FOR SALE: 1600 acre stock ranch in Kikkitat county, 155 acres in cultivation of which 110 acres in alfalfa. gravel road. plenty of water. new house, wood timber and some saw timber. Price \$18,000. C. E. Crooks, Goldendale, Wn. 45-7c

LOST: Red Eversharp pencil, gold trimming. Reward. Mollie McLachlan, Moro. 45p

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NOTICE OF SALE

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of all buildings of Biglow School Dist. No. 1, Sherman county. Buildings consist of school house, teacherage, barn and woodshed. Bids may be made on any one building or the group of buildings. All bids must be accompanied by cash or check for amount of bid. Bids will be opened October 3 at 8 p. m. The board of directors of School Dist. No 1 reserves the right to reject any or all bids. George L. Fox, Clerk Wasco, Oregon, 45-7c

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the estate of John Cecil Fields, deceased, are required to present them with vouchers to the Undersigned, at my residence at Wasco, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. The date of the first publication of this notice is August 30, 1944. PRUDENCE DINGLE FIELDS Administratrix DICK & DICK Attorneys for the Estate 43-6c

Moro Lodge No. 113, I.O.O.F. Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in I.O.O.F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us. Ernest Houston N. G. A. R. Kessinger, Secretary

Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 116 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. L. McLachlan NG Florence Johnston, Sec

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78, O.E.X. Meets Every Second and Fourth Thursdays in each month. Visiting Members Invited.—Moro, Oregon Helen Ruggles, W. M. Edna Melzer, Secretary

Vareks Lodge No. 121 A.F. & A.M. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting members are cordially invited to meet with us. LeRoy Wright, W. M. H. B. Pinkerton, Secretary

There will be a meeting of Harlandview Grange September 13 at the hall east of town.



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(Continued from Page One) THE CITY OF MORO DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the City of Moro make and enter into a contract with Pacific Power & Light Company, a corporation, providing for the furnishing by said Pacific Power & Light Company to the City of Moro of electric lighting service for lighting the streets, highways and public places within the corporate limits of the City of Moro, for the period of ten (10) years from and after the effective date of this ordinance, which contract shall be signed by the Mayor, sealed with the corporate seal of the City and attested by the Recorder of the City of Moro, and shall be in words and figures as follows: CONTRACT FOR OVERHEAD CIRCUIT STREET LIGHTING SERVING FROM FIXTURES ATTACHED TO WOOD POLES THIS CONTRACT, made and entered into this 10th day of September, 1944, by and between the City of Moro, a municipal corporation of the State of Oregon, hereinafter designated as the "City", and Pacific Power & Light Company, a corporation, hereinafter designated as the "Company". WITNESSETH: Whereas the execution of this contract by the City of Moro has been duly authorized and directed by Ordinance No. 122 of the

City of Moro, approved by the Mayor on September 10, 1944, and thereafter duly published as provided by law; and the Company has accepted the undertakings, terms, and conditions hereinafter in this contract set forth; NOW, THEREFORE, the City and the Company do hereby mutually agree as follows: Section 1. For and during the term of ten years beginning September 10, 1946, and expiring September 10, 1956, the Company agrees to furnish to the City, and the City agrees to pay for under the provisions hereof, all overhead circuit street lighting service to be supplied from fixtures attached to wood poles owned by the Company which the City may require for lighting the streets, highways, and public places within the City; and this contract shall continue in force and effect from year to year after said September 10, 1956, until and unless terminated by either party as of said date, or as of the close of any succeeding contract year, by written notice of termination given on the other party at least thirty days prior to said September 10, 1956, or to the close of any such succeeding contract year.

Section 2. Until modified as hereinafter provided, the service to be furnished by the Company and paid for by the City hereunder shall consist of the operation and maintenance by the Company of incandescent filament type street lamps listed in the attached Exhibit A.

Section 3. The Company, upon receipt of written orders from the City, and subject to availability of manpower and required materials and equipment will install upon its overhead circuits within the corporate limits, and at the new locations thereon specified in such orders, such incandescent filament type lamps of the standard lumen ratings mentioned in Section 6 hereof as the City may from time to time direct.

Section 4. The Company, at any time upon receipt of written order of the City, will discontinue the operation of any light or lamp then in service hereunder as may be specified in such order; and no further payment shall be required of the City in respect of the operation of any such light or lamp after the Company's receipt of such order of discontinuance.

Section 5. Each order for a change in the lighting service to be furnished by the Company hereunder, as provided in the foregoing Section 3 and 4 hereof, shall be executed in duplicate, substantially in the appropriate form indicated on the attached Exhibit B hereof, and shall be signed by the Mayor or by the Recorder of the City. The Company, upon receipt of the duplicate of any such order, shall endorse thereon the date of its receipt over the signature of the Company's authorized representative, and shall return one counterpart of such order so endorsed to the City.

When and as any change specified in such order shall have been completed, the Company shall report the fact and the date of such completion in writing to the City, identifying the work with the particular order of the City directing such change.

Section 6. For the street lighting service to be furnished by the Company as above provided, the City will pay to the Company in accordance with the following schedule of rates, to be applied to the lamps from time to time in service hereunder, namely: Lamp Rating - Rate Per Month Lumens Per Lamp 1000 \$1.30 2500 1.55 4000 1.85 6000 2.25 10,000 3.00

Provided, however, that the Company's rates and charges for said overhead circuit street lighting service are and at all times shall be subject to the lawful orders or regulations of the Public Utilities Commissioner of the

State of Oregon or any other governmental authority having jurisdiction thereof; and provided further that if the Company shall hereafter establish and maintain a tariff schedule or schedules of rates and charges for furnishing similar overhead circuit street lighting service in any other municipality in the State of Oregon at rates lower than the rates herein provided to be paid by the City, the City shall be entitled, from and after the effective date of such schedule or schedules, to the benefits of such lower rates for the service to be furnished hereunder.

Section 7. Should the Company at any time become unable to obtain new incandescent filament type lamps for replacements hereunder of any lamps theretofore in service hereunder, because of the manufacturers' discontinuing the making of lamps of the same types and lumen ratings, or for any other good cause, the Company will install and thereafter operate at the locations of the lamps so superseded a like number of incandescent lamps of approximately similar standard lumen ratings then commercially available, and thereafter the City will pay for the operation and maintenance of such substitute lamps the Company's regularly published and filed tariff rates applicable hereto.

Section 8. The Company will at all times hereunder, except when prevented by accident or other cause beyond its reasonable control, supply the necessary electric energy, and the necessary service for switching on and off such energy, for continuous dusk to daylight operation of all lights or lamps provided for hereunder, and will promptly replace all such lights or lamps which shall have burned out or ceased to be useful. The City shall not be required to pay for the operation of any light or lamp in respect of any night during which such light or lamp shall have been out of service for any cause for the full nightly period, and a ratable reduction shall be made in the monthly bill hereunder for any such light or lamp for each such outage. The Company, however, shall not be chargeable for or on account of any outage or failure of service hereunder beyond or other than such ratable reduction in the monthly bill.

Section 9. Payment for service furnished each month under this contract shall be made by the City to the Company's office in Moro, Oregon, within ten (10) days after receipt of bill for the service furnished during the month.

Section 10. This contract and all of the terms and provisions hereof shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and assigns of the parties hereto, respectively. (End of Form of Contract except testimonium clause, signatures and seals)

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Exhibit A City of Moro Oregon Overhead Street Light Contract Lighting Equipment and Locations Thereof Incandescent Filament Lamps One 1000 Lumen Lamp at each of the following locations: First Street near U. S. and State Experiment Farm Between City View Avenue and tuseho rgia stStretn eal First Street near Ragdale house Railroad and City View Avenue Railroad Avenue and Hayes St. Pump and Second Streets Pump and Hansen Streets Sixth and Scott Streets Fifth and Court Streets Fifth and McCoy Streets Fifth and Scott Streets Fourth and McCoy Streets Fourth and Scott Streets First and Hood Streets First and Court Streets First and McCoy Streets First Street between Scott and McCoy Streets Second and Hood Streets Second and Court Streets Second and McCoy Streets Second and Scott Streets

Third and McCoy Streets Third and Scott Streets Bidwell and McCoy Streets Bidwell and Scott Streets Bidwell Street between Scott and Main Streets Weaver and Lincoln Streets Total 1000 Lumen Lamps - 26 One 2500 Lumen Lamp at each of the following locations. First Street and Railroad Avenue First Street between Railroad Avenue and Pump Street First and Scott Streets First Street between Main and Scott Streets First and Pump Streets First Street between Pump and Main Streets Main and Fifth Streets Main Street between Fourth and Fifth Streets Main and Fourth Streets Main Street between First and Fourth Streets Main Street between First and Second Streets Main and Second Streets Main Street between Second and Third Streets Main and Third Streets Main Street between Hansen and Third Streets Main and Hansen Streets Main Street between Hansen and Bidwell Streets Main and Bidwell Streets Main Street South of Bidwell St. Court Street between Fourth and Fifth Street (Court House) Court and Fourth Streets Scott Street between Bidwell and Third Streets (School House) Total 2500 Lumen Lamps - 22 One 4000 Lumen Lamp at the following location: First and Main Street

Exhibit B Form of order for changes in overhead circuit street lighting service Pacific Power & Light Company Moro, Oregon You are hereby directed to make the following change (s) in the overhead circuit street lighting service supplied by the Company to the City under contract dated 1944, namely: Under Section 3 of contract, install additional incandescent filament type lamps of the lumen rating(s) and at the location(s) specified below: Under Section 4 of contract, discontinue operation of the lamp(s) now in service at the location(s) specified below: Executed in duplicate 1944. CITY OF MORO

By Mayor or Recorder of the City of Moro. Oregon, this day of PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

By District Manager Section 2. It is hereby determined by the Council of the City of Moro that the lighting service provided for in the contract hereby authorized is necessary to enable said City to provide proper protection for itself and the inhabitants thereof, and is essential to the security and welfare of said City and its inhabitants. Sections 3. The Mayor of the City of Moro is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver such contract with Pacific Power & Light Company in the name and on behalf of the City of Moro, and the Recorder of the City of Moro is hereby authorized and directed to affix the seal of said City to said contract and to attest the same, upon execution thereof by the Mayor as herein provided. Section 4. This ordinance, following the date of its approval, shall be published once in the "Sherman County Journal" a weekly newspaper printed and published and of general circulation in the City of Moro. Passed by the Council this 10th day of September, 1944. Approved by the Mayor this 10th day of September, 1944.

Giles L. French Mayor of the City of Moro

ATTEST: C. A. Ruggles Recorder of the City of Moro.

LET NO SHADOW DARKEN YOUR DOOR The possession of an overcoat or a sack full of groceries is usually proof of complete ownership. Such is not the case with land. Because of its immobility and permanence, as well as its variety of uses, land is peculiarly liable to complications and dispute. A Commonwealth Insured Title protects your property against unsatisfied claims which often lurk among the mortgages, transfers, liens and other legal complications through which your property may have passed under former owners. Every Commonwealth policy is guaranteed by funds deposited with the State of Oregon. When you buy, be sure your property has this protection. Commonwealth Insured Title SHERMAN COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY Moro