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EDITORIALS

"MR. PRESIDENT"

It may be significant that Presi-
dent Harry S. Truman authorized
publication of the book, "Mr. Presi-
dent," on Tuesday, March 18th,
just one week to the day following
his upset in the New Hampshire
presidential primary.

The book of course, caused a
political sensation in many circles,
brought angry denials from former
Truman friends, such as Governor
James F. Byrnes, of South Carolina,
and Henry Wallace, and will provide
interesting reading for millions of
Americans.

Book reviewers have already de-
cided in many cases, that the book,
as a work of art, is just another
book. However, coming at this
time, the book which presents the
intimate life of Harry Truman in
the White House, is significant. It
is also significant that President
Truman, in commenting on the
book, said he wanted the American
people to "know me as I am."

No editor can predict what the
President will do, although the
release of the book at this time is an
indication President Truman is
seriously considering running again
this year. It also indicates that the
President is concerned about his
sagging popularity—as reflected in
public opinion polls—and that he is
out to do something about it.

Most observers agree that the
book makes fascinating reading and
is likely to have some influence on
the public. Whether it can accom-
plish what the President, and his
advisors, hope it will accomplish is
another question.

WEATHER FORECASTS

In predicting the weather there
are as many as fifty variables in-
cluding temperature, humidity, bar-

ometric pressure direction and ve-
locity of the wind, gravity, mountain
barrier, etc., which must be con-
sidered.

It is of course, impossible for
weather men to make the utmost use
of all of these variables in the time
allotted to them to formulate and
record forecasts. As a matter of
fact, if all the weather variables
were properly considered, a crew
of mathematicians would be kept
busy for many days and by the time
they came to a conclusion, it would
no longer be a forecast.

For years we have needed a ma-
chine that will take no longer than
a quarter of an hour to form all of
the calculations on which an accu-
rate prediction of the weather can
be based each hour. The Institute
for Advanced Study at Princeton
has at last developed such a ma-
chine. It is called an electronic
computer. We are now awaiting
the day when such a machine will
provide us with electronic forecasts
in this area.

DETERMINED GOB—

Philadelphia—Gerald R. Isaacs, 20,
of Coatesville, Pa., is finally in the
U.S. Navy, but he got in the hard
way. Last December, Isaacs de-
cided he wanted to get into the
Navy, but failed the physical exam.
Undaunted, he came back, only to be
rejected again. He underwent need-
ed surgery but the Navy doctors
found another ailment and recom-
mended another operation. Isaacs
obeyed. On March 14th he passed
the rigid examination and is now
proudly wearing the Navy blue.

KEEPS HIS PROMISE—

Calcutta.—A rural voter of Bengal
promised to vote for all twelve
general election candidates in his
district. He was puzzled, when he
came up to vote, when only one
ballot paper was given to him. So,
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distributed them among all the
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Notice hereby is given that at the
school district bond election hereby
called to be held at the following
polling places within said school
district, to-wit: at the school build-
ing in the city of Gold Hill and at
the Junior High School located at
4th and Bush Streets in Central
Point, Oregon, in and for School
District No. 6 of Jackson County,
Oregon, the 5th day of April, A.D.,
1952, between the hours of 2 o'clock
p.m. and 8 o'clock p.m., there will
be submitted to the legal voters
thereof the question of contracting
a bonded indebtedness in the sum
of \$195,000.00 for the purpose of
providing funds with which to con-
struct an addition to the Junior
High School building located at 4th
and Bush Streets in Central Point,
Oregon, within said school district,
for classroom purposes and to equip
and furnish the same, and to con-
struct an addition to the High
School building located on Pacific
Highway No. 99 in the City of Cen-
tral Point, Oregon, within said
school district for classroom pur-
poses and to equip and furnish the
same, and to construct a building at
said high school for school shop
purposes and to equip and furnish
the same and for said school district.
The vote to be by ballot upon
which shall be the words "Bonds
Yes" and "Bonds No" and the voter
shall place a cross (x) between the

word "Bonds" and the word "Yes,"
or between the word "Bonds" and
the word "No," whichever indicates
his choice.

The polls for the reception of the
ballots cast for or against the con-
tracting of said indebtedness will,
on said day and date and at the
places aforesaid, be opened at the
hour of 2 o'clock p.m. and remain
open until the hour of 8 o'clock
p.m. of the same day, at which hour
the same will be closed.

Notice hereby is further given that
the district school board of said
school district, for the purposes of
aforesaid bond election has divided
said school district into two election
precincts, one of which consists of
all that part of said school district
lying and being within election pre-
cincts numbered 78 (Gold Hill
North), 79 (Gold Hill South), 80
(Foothills Creek) and 76 (Rogue River)
as established by order of the
County Court of Jackson County,
Oregon as election precincts for
general elections and all legal school
voters of said school district resid-
ing within said general election
precincts shall vote at said election
at the school building in the City
of Gold Hill; the other of said elec-
tion precincts of said school district

consists of all that part of said
school district lying and being with-
in election precincts numbered 69
(Central Point West), 70 (Central
Point Northeast), 71 (Central Point
Southeast), 73 (Mound), 72 (Willow
Springs), 74 (Sams Valley), 75
(Wimer), 25 (Shady Cove) and 26
(Reese Creek), as established by
order of the County Court of Jack-
son County, Oregon as election pre-
cincts for general elections and all
legal school voters of said school
district residing within said general
election precincts shall vote at said
election at the Junior High School
located at 4th and Bush Streets in
the City of Central Point, Oregon.
By order of the district school
board of School District No. 6 of

Jackson County, Oregon, made this
11st day of March, A.D., 1952.
Otto Bohnert, Chairman
District School Board
Attest:
Merle Obenchain,
District Clerk
104—March 13, 20, 27.

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