

HOUSING CALLED MIGHTY FORCE IN DEPRESSION FIGHT

DETROIT, Mich.—War against the economic forces which bring unemployment, want, and misery is being waged successfully by American business and private citizens through the Better Housing Program. Federal Housing Administrator James A. Moffett stated on a recent visit to this city.

Mr. Moffett first cited many evidences of improved business throughout the country, especially in the industries benefiting directly from the Better Housing Program, which he called "a mighty force in bringing back good times."

"But the Better Housing Program is not a force that moves by itself. It is not a Government subsidized procedure. It is purely and simply a cooperative movement between the citizens and industries of this country for which the Government supplies only the plan."

"The working out of the plan rests with private initiative. And private initiative, realizing both the selfish and patriotic benefits of the Better Housing Program, has already created a record for hard work that can stand comparison with our country's united efforts in the last war."

"We are in reality waging another war. It is a war against the economic forces that bring unemployment, want, and misery. One of the greatest weapons in our war is the Better Housing Program, and I am happy to be a citizen of a country which has shown such a magnificent effort in waging this war. It has made me proud of the name 'America' to see the way in which our citizens have answered this call to the colors."

Mr. Moffett stated that the Better Housing Program can be made increasingly successful only by individual collective work of three chief factors: the private citizen, industry,

and the credit resources of the country. Upon the amount of labor and cooperation they display, he said, depends the amount of success.

"In this endeavor," he continued, "private industry plays an increasingly important role. Every business firm in the country should be solidly behind this program. Industry can help in several ways: one is by advertising the program by every conceivable method; another is by contributing to the funds of local Better Housing campaigns; another is by cooperating in exhibitions. Since every business firm will profit directly or indirectly, every business firm should be on its toes in promoting the plan."

JOSEPH CURTIS BARNES IN PLAY AT STANFORD

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Calif. — (Sp.)—Joseph Curtis Barnes of Medford, Oregon, has been chosen to take a part in the campus production of "Yellow Jack" here. Barnes is a senior in the psychology department.

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JACKSON SCHOOL APRIL FROLIC IS EVENT OF FRIDAY

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Friday night is the big April Frolic at the Jackson school. Many committees and people are working to make the affair bigger than ever.

At 6 o'clock supper will be served cafeteria style with a varied menu to suit everyone. Mrs. Morris has charge of the supper, so there will be plenty of food and good service. All the food will be home cooked and of the best.

Mrs. Ned Culy will dish out the ice cream cones.

Then there will be a hot dog stand with Mrs. Dick Kay in charge.

There will be a lot of fine home-made candy. Mrs. Jack Swen and

Mrs. L. E. Clevenger having charge of the candy booth.

As usual, there will be the fish pond with plenty of catches for all. Mrs. P. P. Burk will oversee that.

Some of the dads are helping this year. Stanley Jones and F. P. Burk will run a "nigger baby" stand, a new feature for the frolic.

Roy Elliott will be there in charge of a game. Mrs. Chas. Thompson and Mrs. Allen Smith are getting the prizes for the evening.

Mrs. Mark Jarmin will have balloons, confetti and other fun makers to sell. There will be a regular popcorn wagon with lots of nice, fresh hot corn. Mrs. Ralph Waldren is seeing about that feature.

For the mothers and dads who have flower gardens there will be a wide variety of plants to choose from. Mrs. Leland Mentzer has charge of the plant department.

At 7:15 the children will parade in costumes. Prizes will be awarded to the prettiest and the funniest.

The circus will have two performances, one at 7:30 and another at 8:30. The children from each grade will have one act. The teachers and students are working hard to make this the biggest and best show yet.

Mrs. Eldon Drysdale is in charge of the big show. Ray Henderson will be ringmaster.

After the last circus performance at 9:15 there will be a show that all dads especially will enjoy. Eldon Drysdale and Ned Culy are planning a boxing match with plenty of local talent.

To all mothers, dads and friends: Be sure to come to our April Frolic Friday night. This is the only time during the whole year that you have an opportunity to help your school. Everyone come, as you'll have fun, a good meal, and we assure you adequate return for your money.

The frolic is sponsored by the Jackson P-T. A. and funds are used to help support the lunch room.

state lottery to raise an estimated \$50,000,000 a year for social welfare projects was voted today by the assembly constitutional amendment group.

The measure received a "do pass" recommendation by a 7-10-3 vote, after some of the members explained their vote was based not so much on approval of the proposal as a desire to see it reach the floor of the lower house.

the annual Frosh Glee, held last Saturday night at McArthur court. Benson was chairman of the decoration committee for the dance, and according to fellow students and those in charge he turned out something original and different in the decorations that helped largely in making the affair a great success.

Noel, who was president of the student body at Medford high school, business manager of the Hi-Times and prominent in other school activities, is continuing as a popular and leading student at the university.

NOEL BENSON WINS HONOR AT OREGON

The goal of every ambitious, active freshman at University of Oregon was realized by Noel Benson, graduate of Medford high school, when he was recently pledged among 14 other outstanding members of his class to Skull and Dagger, sophomore service honorary. It was made known here today.

The pledging was the highlight of

CALIFORNIA LOTTERY PLAN HAS APPROVAL

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 24.—(UP)—Committee approval of a proposed constitutional amendment providing a

ENJOIN S. CAROLINA HYDRO PLANT PROJECT

GREENVILLE, S. C., April 24.—(AP)—Enjoining Greenwood county, South Carolina, from construction of a hydro-electric power project on the Saluda river, Federal Judge H. H. Watkins ruled in effect today that public works administration funds may not be used to establish competition for an existing utility in an intra-state business.

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