

NOTICE OF SCHOOL DISTRICT BOND ELECTION

State of Oregon)
County of Linn) ss.
School District No. 129-J)
NOTICE IS GIVEN HEREBY that, at the school district bond election hereby called to be held at the present school building in and for School District No. 129-J, Linn-Marion County, Oregon, on Tuesday, August 8, 1950, between the hours of 2:00 o'clock P.M., Pacific Standard Time, and 8:00 o'clock P.M., Pacific Standard Time, there will be submitted to the legal voters thereof the question of contracting a bonded indebtedness of the district in the sum of, not to exceed, Forty-Four Thousand and no-100 Dollars, (\$44,000.00) for the purpose of providing funds for acquiring, constructing, completing, improving, repairing, equipping and furnishing school buildings and additions thereto including purchase of school bus.

The vote on said question to be by ballot upon which shall be the words "Bonds Yes" and "Bonds No", and the voters shall place a cross (X) between the words "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 contracting of said bonded indebtedness will, on said day and date, and at the place aforesaid, be opened at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P.M., Pacific Standard Time, and remain open until the hour of 8:00 o'clock P.M., Pacific Standard Time, of the same day when the same shall be closed.

By order of the District School Board of School District No. 129-J, Linn-Marion County, Oregon, made this 10th day of July, 1950.

(s) DONALD E. SHEYTHE,
Chairman, School District No. 129-J, Linn-Marion County, Oregon.

ATTEST:
(s) EDNA F. ROSS, Clerk
of School District No. 129-J,
Linn-Marion County, Oregon.
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Writer Attacks--

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000. DO YOU CALL THAT INEFFICIENCY?

A few months ago the publicity given the sale of a small piece of school property would imply to the public that a grave crime had been committed by your school board. The facts are that the board may have erred in their manner of selling but most certainly not from a financial standpoint beneficial to your district. My information is that the property involved cost a very small sum and was sold for many times as much and at the same time was putting back on the tax rolls a property valuation that will return to your district in school taxes alone each year the original cost of the property. IS THIS INEFFICIENCY TOO?

There was another odd item appearing in your paper a few weeks ago. It was a notice on the front page pretending to state "Who Can Vote". Part of a line in this notice reads, "any duly registered voter, who is a resident in the district can vote in any school election." Why this misleading statement? A feeble attempt of correction was made later. The laws on the matter are as available to you as they are to a school board. How much simpler it would have been to have stated in part,—"any legal voter who has been registered at least 30 days and has been a resident continuously within the district six months immediately prior to the election—" may vote. Maybe you did not want the public to understand it clearly.

Another matter you are apparently set to defeat is a school bond issue to be voted on August 8 at Mill City. Why don't you inquire of county school authorities why this bond money may be necessary? Do you know that Oregon school laws say a district must maintain a standard school to share in the State equalization program? Do you know that a standard school cannot have more than 30 students per teacher per room?

My information is that your Mill City school was crowded and over the standard allowed at the close of the last school term. In this case it should be clear to you that the additional rooms are needed. If you defeat your school bond issue your district stands to lose many thousands of dollars paid by other districts toward the support of your own district, and in such case your tax burden will be much higher than if the bond issue is passed. If you are honestly for better schools and education you will get more detailed information and stress the necessity of the bonds your school board asks for. As for the rumor your school board has misused school funds; it is ridiculous and absurd. Ask the State or county school offices how possible

BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET

Case of Champagne vs. Coke: Fifty Million Frenchmen Wrong

By BILLY ROSE

No French champagne is being sold at my night club in New York and patrons who request same will have to settle for domestic fizzywater—which is a lot easier on the pocketbook.

What gives?
The French Communists and Coca-Cola—that's what gives.
As you probably know, the French national assembly recently passed a bill which, without naming the product, would prohibit the bottling and sale of Coca-Cola in France and its colonies.

Two pressure groups, were responsible for the measure—the wine interests which feared that the soft drink might cut into their profits, and the Communists, who, though they have no love for the vintners, saw an opportunity to take a rabbit punch at the United States.



Billy Rose

Suiting inventive to word, the Commie paper, L'Humanite, unleashed a campaign against the "Coca-colonization" of the country, loud-mouthing that the basic syrup is highly toxic and would turn La Belle France into a nation of "Coca-holics." At the same time, the right-wing press, fronting for the fizz merchants, began to blab along the same line, and even the usually sensible Le Monde warned that "the moral landscape of France is at stake."

Before I go any further, let me get it into the record that I'm not a big Coke drinker and never owned a share of stock in the company. As far as I'm concerned, the beverage is just another American product like Orange Crush, 7-Up or Dr. Brown's Celery Tonic.

By initiating an anti-coke campaign, they have given Stalin's stooges a made-to-order excuse for yelling, "Down with American imperialism" — the same sleazy slogan used by Commies everywhere to divert attention from the accomplishments of the Marshall plan.

In looking over back issues of your paper I find you have made false statements; several in last weeks issue, one of which is: "For the first time polls will be open for six hours." You know as well as I that the statement is false. I could continue on and on but in conclusion, my investigations and inquiries have shown that you have misquoted figures and statements of your school board in their conduct of school affairs. If you are sincere in your desire to publish the truth in your paper for the good of the public you will publish this letter and also make a correction of many critical remarks you have directed toward your school board.

I am mailing this letter in such a manner so as to know you will get it in time for this weeks paper. Also a copy is being mailed your school board to check with what appears in your paper.

A citizen who is interested in good schools, good government and fair play.
(Signed) J. R. WATKINS,
Salem, Oregon.

Church Activities

COMMUNITY CHURCH
Full Gospel Preaching
Sunday school 10 A.M.
Morning worship 11 A.M.
Evangelistic service 8 P.M.
Preaching services Wednesday and Friday 8 P.M.
Rev. Wayne W. Watkins, Pastor

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
North Mill City
Sunday school at 10 a.m.
Morning worship 11 a.m.
Junior church 11:00 a.m.
Evening service 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday prayer meeting 7:30 p.m.
Phone 1906 Rev. L. C. Gould, Pastor

ST. CATHERINE CATHOLIC CHURCH, MILL CITY
Mass at 9 A.M.
Confessions heard before Mass.
Altar Society 2d Wednesday 8 p.m.
Father C. Mal, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Services every Lord's day
Sunday school 9:45 p.m.
Morning worship 11:00 A.M.
Young People's meeting 6:30 P.M.
Evening worship 7:30 P.M.
T. Courtney, Jr., Pastor

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Priesthood meeting 11 a.m.
Zealand Fryer, Presiding

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Sunday school 10 a.m.
Morning service 11 a.m.
Evening service 7:30 p.m.
Thursday prayer meeting 7:30 p.m.
Jacob Wienz, Supply Pastor

GATES COMMUNITY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday school at 10 a.m.
Morning worship 11 a.m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p.m.
Evening worship 7:30 p.m.
Walter Smith, Pastor

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Morning worship 11 a.m.
Music by choir.
Dr. David J. Ferguson, Preaching
Young People at 6:30 p.m., Mrs. Arthur Kreiver, leader.

DETROIT CHRISTIAN CHURCH
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Morning worship 11 a.m.
Youth meeting 6:45 p.m.
Youth night Saturday 7 p.m.
Warren Knappe, Pastor

Three American cities, New York, Chicago, and Philadelphia have more than two million inhabitants according to the preliminary 1950 census figures.

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'KEEP GREEN' PROGRAM REDUCES MAN-CAUSED FOREST FIRES

The men who got together in the State of Washington in 1941 to work out a new type of program of forest fire prevention little dreamed that their adapted slogan, "Keep Washington Green," would capture the imagination of people all over the nation and soon develop into "Keep America Green." Today, 26 states have "Keep Green" programs, with millions of residents on the alert to keep fires out of wooded areas.

The thought behind the "Keep Green" program was to get the public, not just forest landowners, interested in protecting America's great resource. The constantly improving fire record in the nation since 1941 is proof the general public is becoming aware that forest fires must be reduced in order to safeguard the thousands of jobs men and women hold with the wood-using industries.

Surveys of causes of forest fires reveal that nine out of ten are man-caused. The others are started by lightning. But the man-caused fires are preventable. That's where the work of "Keep Green" Committees comes in.

With highway signs, newspaper advertisements, radio spot announcements, auto plates, and other devices and methods, state "Keep Green" organizations are constantly re-educating the public that fire must be kept out of the nation's forests.



Twenty-six states have joined the Keep America Green program. They are indicated in the shaded areas of the map above.

Through booklets and visual aids, especially prepared by American Forest Product Industries for the schools, children too are increasing their appreciation of our woodlands and of the need for protecting them.

The program was launched originally by a group representing forest industries, government agencies, and others concerned with the nation's mounting fire record. Required was an endless education program designed on a personal level to show the ordinary citizen what forest fires mean in terms of dollars and cents—in taxes, wages, profits, recreation and the living standard. The three word slogan, "Keep America Green," localized as it applies to individual

states, sums up the conservation message simply and effectively.

The "Keep America Green" movement is encouraged nationally by American Forest Products Industries, Inc., Washington, D. C., but is sponsored locally by state and private agencies. AFPI is a non-profit, educational organization, set up in 1941, to encourage tree growing for commercial use.

"Keep Green" states include: Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington and West Virginia.

Your Home
By Frances Ainsworth



Do you know that there are more than 50,000 different kinds of flies? That's a little terrifying, isn't it, when we stop to think that flies are carriers of some of our most deadly diseases. Of course, we home-makers are not apt to find more than five kinds about us—but these pesky insects that come right into our homes and carry dysentery and diarrhea, have been known to carry polio, typhoid, rabbit fever and many other dreaded, sometimes fatal diseases.

Did you know that one single fly can carry as many as 500,000,000 bacteria? That fact alone is enough to make every one of us on the alert for the first fly in our homes. I know that it has made me doubly cautious, for with small children at home, I simply can't take chances on any diseases! That fact, too, is why scientists in the Black Flag laboratories have combined the newest ingredients discovered by science with powerful DDT to produce a really effective weapon against the deadly house-fly, a new insect killing solution that really works. It's sudden death for all such insect pests as flies, mosquitos, moths, roaches, gnats, silverfish, spiders and the like.

We've been using this solution at our home since it was first introduced and it's very effective. I like the handy push-button spray tops that make it very easy to use. This summer, with the help of this new product, we've kept our house free of flies and other insects. That's very important to me, for it relieves my worries of the children catching one of the diseases that so often prove fatal. It's such a comfort to know that Black Flag laboratories have provided convenient anti-insect weapons. Let's use them. We just can't take chances, can we?

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