

Voters Give Approval To Votomatic System

By BURTON CHACE
County Supervisor

There is little doubt today that the county's electronic vote-counting system has proven itself.

The IBM Votomatic system performed almost flawlessly in last week's General Election and at a substantial savings to the taxpayers. In addition to providing a quick tally of results, the system is absolutely accurate.

There had been many critics of the system when it was first tried countywide for the first time in the June Primary. Even though the total results were tabulated many hours — and, in a few cases, days — before they were available under the old paper ballot system, there were some problems.

COUNTY Registrar - Recorder Ray Lee is to be commended for his diligent work in ironing out the major problems and making the system fully acceptable to the public and to the news media.

The County's Election Devices Committee also deserves recognition for the many hours it put in, working with Lee and the IBM people in solving the problems which confronted us in the Primary.

It was my contention after the primary that there were several trouble spots to be coped with but that any new system which will be used by 3 million voters will require a shakedown.

Bids Due For Work On Street

Bids for the improvement of Carson Street from Main Street to the San Diego Freeway are set to be opened Dec. 10, Supervisor Kenneth Hahn said today.

Plans for this project to provide another section of highway for Carson were approved this week.

Work will begin this winter on reconstructing and widening the existing roadway to provide a four-lane, fully curbed and divided highway within a 100-foot right of way.

Because this portion of Carson Street is within the jurisdictional limits of both the county and the city of Carson, the agencies will share in the cost.

"This improvement is the final segment in the full development of Carson Street from Normandie Avenue to the San Diego Freeway to provide greater safety and convenience for motorists," Hahn said.

Executive Will Head Alliance

Dr. Richard D. DeLauer, vice president and general manager of TRW Systems Group, headquartered in Redondo Beach, has been named chairman of the Long Beach Metropolitan Area for the National Alliance of Businessmen, it has been announced by President Lyndon B. Johnson.

The NAB is a unique combination of private industry and government leaders seeking to make the poor and disadvantaged a part of the work force of American industry. DeLauer previously served as chairman of Long Beach Districts 3 and 4 which encompassed the greater South Bay area.

The Greater Long Beach Metropolitan Area program includes the cities of Artesia, Bellflower, Compton, Gardena, Harbor City, Hermosa Beach, Lakewood, Lawndale, Lomita, Long Beach, Manhattan Beach, Norwalk, Palos Verdes Estates, Palos Verdes Peninsula, Paramount, Redondo Beach, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Signal Hill, Torrance, Wilmington.

Dr. DeLauer replaces John J. Real, vice president of Star-Kist Foods, who recently resigned because of personal and business demands.

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IN GENERAL, the election problems in the primary did not relate directly to the punch-card voting system or the computer tallies. The automated system, in my opinion, has been successful in two out of three elections.

The voters have indicated overwhelming acceptance of the new method of voting, and the time and money it saves makes it well worthwhile — not to mention the all-important question of accuracy.

The system produced many successes in the primary — a savings of \$113,000, absolute accuracy, voter approval — and it bettered its performance in the election last week.

CHANGES in the law allowed precinct workers to make snap tallies of key areas for the news media so the nation could keep up to date on the returns. And a total tally was obtained the next morning, not days later.

Under the old paper ballot system — which cost the county some \$4 million to operate and to tally — some of the regional races and propositions were not totaled for a few days.

All in all, I am well pleased with the performance of the new system. It has more than justified the supervisors' confidence in it.

Plans to offer air transportation on second-class mail have been set aside temporarily by the Post Office Department.

Postmaster General W. Marvin Watson said a survey of publishers showed little demand for the new service under proposed rates announced last July 30.

The Post Office Department had petitioned the Civil Aeronautics Board for a reduction in the charges by air carriers for transportation of domestic mail on a space available basis.

Hearings on the department's request have been scheduled for Dec. 3 by the CAB.

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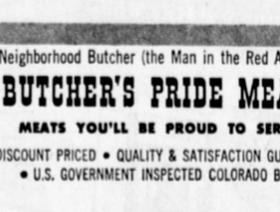
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Interviewed by Denis Bracken for KNX Radio, Mrs. Sprinkle of Reseda said she shopped at Alpha Beta because "I save dollars, I really do."

Mrs. Littleton, Mrs. Sprinkle's daughter said, "I think (it's because Alpha Beta doesn't have stamps) that's why you save on more things."

Little Miss Littleton just came along for the ride (in the shopping cart).



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1-LB. PASTA GOLD MEDAL SPAGHETTI 25c 23¢

8-OZ. BOTTLE • 100% ISLAND KRAFT SALAD DRESSING 39c 33¢

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DEL MONTE • 8-OZ. OR LO CAL FRUIT COCKTAIL 19c 17¢

DEL MONTE • 10-CAL • CLING SLICED PEACHES 8-OZ. CAN 18c 16¢

DEL MONTE • BUFFET CAN • OR FRENCH STYLE GREEN BEANS 19c 17¢

DEL MONTE • 300 CAN PICKLED GREEN BEANS 43c 38¢

DEL MONTE • BUFFET CAN CREAMED CORN 20c 18¢

DEL MONTE • 8-OZ. CAN WHOLE KERNEL CORN 20c 18¢

8-OUNCE CAN DEL MONTE PEAS 19c 17¢

BUFFET CAN DEL MONTE SPINACH 17c 16¢

300 CAN DEL MONTE STEWED TOMATOES 20c 17¢

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SCHILLING'S • 4-OUNCE SIZE BLACK PEPPER 45c 39¢

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Chase & Sanborn • 1-Lb. Can COFFEE Regular 71c 69¢

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