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Mr. John S. Hughes, the traveling agent of the Board of Control of the National Irrigation Congress, the next meeting of which is scheduled for Spokane, in an interview with the Observer representative today, said: "I believe you have the finest corn countries here, right in this valley. Not for field corn, mind you, but corn for canning purposes. Whereas the corn canning districts of Michigan, Maine and Iowa, the canning season, owing to the quick hardening of the corn, lasts but little more than a week. In this valley and in Washington, the canning season provides the growers selected a proper seed corn, will last six weeks.

As for canning peas, you can equal the finest, right here at home, after your irrigation project gets to working. Cool nights are just what peas need.

Mr. Hughes knows wherof he speaks, for he was for years engaged in the corn canning business. He does not say that corn for canning can be successfully grown here, for, as he said, he does not know when the season for frost ends, but he is sure, providing the frost does not come too late, that right here is one of the best places in the country for a canning factory.

The State of Washington is now having a house cleaning. One member of the supreme court is charged with a criminal offense and the secretary of the state and the insurance commissioner have been found involved in wrong doing. They are told they must either resign or suffer prosecution. Oregon had its cleansing day several years ago and the federal scrub brush that was used was not as soft as that now in operation in the Evergreen state.

**DIRECTORS
IN SESSION**

At a meeting of the directors of the Grand Ronde Reservoir Company yesterday afternoon George L. Cleaver was elected secretary. Aside from that and the selection of an officer for the corporation, but little of immediate importance was transacted. Many applications from engineers who wish to become acquainted with the enterprise have been received, and several of these were discussed.

MAKES HEADQUARTERS HERE

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D. M. HUNT

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Asparagus per lb - 15c
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