

STATE BUILDING AT OLYMPIA TO CONTINUE

Joint Committees Agree on Work to Cost \$3,500,000.

PAVING FUND IS PROPOSED

Measure to Prohibit Employment on Public Works of Alien Draft Dodgers Due Today.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Further progress toward erecting permanent State Capitol buildings at Olympia was made today when joint Senate and House committees agreed upon a bill, authorizing the capitol commission to complete Capitol group buildings at a maximum cost of \$3,500,000.

Early Building in Prospect. Under a plan authorized at the last session and urged for early consideration at this session by Governor Lister, the administration building will be completed as soon as practicable, and all state departments now scattered about town and in various parts of the state will be placed under one roof, leaving the legislative building to be completed in the near future.

Auto License Fees Doubled. House and Senate road sub-committees reached an agreement tonight on proposals to double auto license fees for the purpose of creating a highway paving fund. This source of revenue will produce \$2,000,000 for highway paving, it is estimated. With this question disposed of, the way will be cleared for the main highway program which will require an expenditure of more than \$6,000,000 in the coming biennium.

Dr. Henry Sussallo, president of the University of Washington, arrived here today to assume his new and extraordinary duties as official adviser to Governor Ernest Lister, with Attorney-General W. V. Tanner, during the governor's absence from the capitol on account of ill health.

The Senate today decided to strike the compulsory vaccination features from a bill presented by the committee on education and amended the code to compel school districts to buy a new American flag when the old one became worn out or soiled.

Allen Strikers Hit. Another measure for the aid of discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, known as the Lamping bill and appropriating \$2,000,000 for relief purposes, is scheduled to come up for consideration this week.

Tomorrow Senator Frank H. Benick of Seattle, will introduce a bill designed to prohibit the employment of non-citizens granted exemption from military service during the war on license grounds by public officials or by contractors doing public work.

The Senate judiciary committee today reported out for passage a bill prohibiting nepotism.

Reconsideration of the Senate's action in defeating the Wray bill establishing a state athletic commission and legalizing eight-round boxing matches will be asked of the Senate this week, according to notice served today by Senator R. A. Hutchinson of Spokane.

SENATE GETS NEW MEASURES

Bill to Create Land Settlement Commission Is Introduced.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Feb. 4.—(Special.)—New bills introduced today in the Senate follow: S. B. 147, by Eddy.—To create the Oregon land settlement commission.

S. B. 148, by Dimick.—To repeal law requiring medical certificates for marriage.

S. B. 149, by Hurley.—To provide for the fitting of a sword.

S. B. 150, by Banks.—Providing that state may acquire stock in trust companies.

S. B. 151, by Patterson.—Regulating the price of certain machines and mechanical contrivances sold in Oregon.

S. B. 152, by Pierce.—Regulating the buying of butter fat.

S. B. 153, by Bell.—To authorize any bank, banker or trust company to forward any check, note or other negotiable instrument directly to the payee, on which it is drawn or at which it is made payable.

MOVING PICTURE NEWS



WALLACE REID AND NINA BYRON, IN SCENE FROM "THE DUB," COMEDY-DRAMA, AT COLUMBIA THEATRE R.

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES. Peoples—Ethel Barrymore, "The Divorcee." Majestic—Clara Kimball Young, "Cheating Cheaters." Star—Theda Bara, "Salome." Liberty-Norma Talmadge, "The Heart of Weldon." Sunset—Charles Ray, "The Hired Man." Columbia—Wallace Reid, "The Dub." Globe—"The Craving." Circle—Clara Kimball Young, "Magda."

THE DIVORCEE, a sparkling photoplay of Irish coloring, adapted from the successful Somerset Haugham Broadway play, "The Divorcee," with Ethel Barrymore in the title role, is the new Peoples Theatre film attraction commencing today. It will be shown with a beautiful music score, Dittmar animal picture, and a cartoon comedy.

Screen Gossip. An interviewer of Theda Bara for Motion Picture Classic writes: "Miss Bara is a young woman who thinks and has a sense of humor. We doubt that she actually takes her press agent occultism too seriously." Which is in direct contrast to the remark of another that he believed Theda has "killed" herself into the belief that she was born on the Sahara Desert and is Madame Mystery's chief apostle.

Florence Vidor is married to King Vidor, a screen director. She got her first film job without even consulting her husband, and after she made such a hit in the William Farnum picture, "A Tale of Two Cities," she didn't need any boosting up the ladder.

Medical certificates for men increase Vancouver weddings. STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Repeal of the law requiring medical certificates of all men procuring marriage licenses is sought in a bill introduced today by Senator Dimick of Clackamas County. He was the author of the bill passed in 1913 requiring the medical certificates, and, as he contends, it having failed to meet expectations, he now desires to have the law repealed.

Legislative Sidelights. STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Bill Estichel, roadmaster of Multnomah County, was among the third House devotees browsing about the Capitol today.

For a time today it appeared as though the county officials of Multnomah would receive a cold reception at the hands of the Multnomah delegation when they appeared on behalf of the county employees' salary bill. It took 20 minutes for Chairman Banks to round a quorum and District Attorney Evans appeared disgusted.

Water Superintendent and State Engineer to Be Combined. STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Oregon's lawmakers today passed their first consolidation measure of this session when Senator Hurley's bill, abolishing the office of Superintendent of Water Division No. 1 and consolidating it with the office of State Engineer, was passed without a dissenting vote.

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Washington Man Gets New Job. WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Leon O. Fisher, of New York, second vice-president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, today became head of the insurance department of the war risk

1600 Porkers Lost in Fire. EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Feb. 4.—Sixteen hundred hogs were burned to death in a fire in a hoghouse of Morris & Co., at the National stockyards here tonight. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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TAX COMMISSION IS DESIRED. Lewis Bill for Multnomah County Passes House.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—The Lewis bill providing for a tax commission to study the tax situation for Multnomah County passed the House today.

Representative Lofgren, speaking for the tax commission, said that the commission would give notice of its separate levying bodies in that county, and each and every one of them has as

WINS FREEDOM FROM ATTACKS OF INDIGESTION. Railroad Man Recovers Appetite After Long Siege of Nervous Indigestion.

Every normal, healthy person is endowed with a reserve supply of strength which can be used in an emergency. This reserve is frequently the margin of safety between health and illness. A man with an abundance of red blood can stand hours of exposure in any kind of weather without any serious consequences but the same situation, will succumb to bronchitis, pneumonia or other serious diseases. Maintaining the quality and quantity of the blood and disease will be a stranger to you; neglect the blood and danger will lurk in the air you breathe and the food you eat.

Among the first effects of weak blood is the starving of the nerves which gain their nourishment only from the blood. Ill-nourished nerves give notice of their condition in many ways. Sometimes neuritis develops. One of the most distressing forms of nervousness is nervous indigestion. Food loses its attraction and when eaten it sours and gases form. Sleeplessness inevitably follows and the individual rises as unrefreshed as when he went to bed. The most direct method of treating nervous disorders of this kind is to build up the blood so that new life may be carried to the nerves.

Mr. Chris Deeds, of No. 915 East Seymour street, Muncie, Ind., tells how he freed himself from almost constant suffering and restored his appetite. He says:

"I am a railroad track foreman and in the course of my work I am exposed to all sorts of weather. Some time ago, while I was slightly run down in health, I became ill and after that I suffered more or less. My nerves were unstrung and I couldn't sleep. There was a constant gnawing pain in my stomach and my appetite was poor. I tried many treatments without benefit until after reading an article in a paper, I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as could impossibly mean after taking the first box and I was so pleased with the result that I continued the treatment according to directions until I had taken five boxes.

As a result my stomach trouble has disappeared and I'm no longer bothered by the gnawing pain or with sour stomach. My nerves are improved. I have recommended the pills to a relative and he has found the treatment beneficial.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an ideal tonic for nervous people because they are non-alcoholic. "Diseases of the Nervous System" and "What to Eat and How to Eat" will be sent free by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Our own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or you can order them direct by mail postpaid, at 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50—Adv.

Here's the style for Spring

IT'S the waist seam style; it has a different look, a new air to it; just what the young fellows are after for spring.

We have a number of good live ones like this—Hart, Schaffner & Marx make—panel backs and military backs, but each one distinctive.

They're specially designed for the returning soldiers; but they are the styles you'll all want; well-tailored in many interesting new fabrics.

Satisfaction guaranteed. SPRING HAT STYLES. New Features in Shapes and Color, \$3 to \$10.



SAM'L ROSENBLATT & CO. The Men's Store for Quality and Service. Gasco Bldg. Fifth and Alder

Multnomah and Clark counties, after the expenses incident to maintaining and paying for the bridge had been paid. Eight-Hour Day Bill Up. STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—An eight-hour day in factories throughout the state generally, instead of a 10-hour day, and a 56-hour week are provided for in a bill introduced by Representative Schuebel. Voting Machines Are Proposed. STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Establishment of voting machines in every precinct in the state to be used at all elections is proposed in a bill introduced today by Senator Banks, of Multnomah. This same bill has made its appearance regularly since the House today. Several counties have voted in favor of such counties, but the Supreme Court declared such county legislation invalid without an enabling act from the Legislature.

BLANK'S SAMPLE SHOP

360 Morrison Street, Southwest Corner Park. LIBERTY BONDS TAKEN AT FULL VALUE. The smashing sale of Blank's will be the gossip of Portland. All the tremendous stock of the Crescent Cloak & Suit Co., which was bought at 20 cents on the dollar, must be SOLD AT ONCE. SALE STARTS AT 9 A. M. TODAY (WEDNESDAY). It is very important for you to attend this sale. You will save more than half on Dresses, Coats, Suits, Waists and Skirts. Most wonderful sale of this season, as all the Crescent wearing apparel will be sacrificed.

DRESSES

Just arrived—more Dresses in all sizes. Up to \$40, at only \$12.95

During this Sale Blank's will exchange all goods as if your money back if not satisfied within 24 hours of purchase.

SUITS

Sensational bargains in Suits up to \$49.50, at \$14.95

and \$18.95

COATS WAISTS

Novelty Plush Coats at \$14.95. Silk Waists, up to \$9.50, only \$1.95 and \$2.95. And hundreds of fur-trimmed Novelty Coats up to \$45, at only \$12.95 to \$16.95. Remember—There are no cheap goods in this sale. All high-class Women's Apparel to be sacrificed—to be sold quick.

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Dr. King's New Discovery Relieves Them and Keeps You Going on the Job.

Fifty continuous years of almost un-failing checking and relieving coughs, colds and kindred sufferings is the proud achievement of Dr. King's New Discovery.

Grandparents, fathers, mothers, the kiddies—all have used and are using it as the safest, purest, most pleasant-taste remedy they know of.

Keep Bowels on Schedule. Late, retarded functioning throws the whole day's duties out of gear. Keep the system clean, the appetite lively, the stomach staunch with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Mild and tonic in action. Sold everywhere. 25c—Adv.

Safe Home Treatment for Objectionable Hairs. (Boudoir Secrets) The electric needle is not required for the removal of hair or fuzz, for with the use of plain delatone the most stubborn growth can be quickly banished.

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