

FUND FOR SALARIES

Government Grants Corvallis College \$50,000 a Year.

PAY OF INSTRUCTORS ONLY

Money Can Be Used for No Other Purpose—Careful Accounting of Fund Is Required by Commissioner of Education.

CORVALLIS, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—The terms of the new endowment from the Federal Government for the State Agricultural College are disclosed in a copy of the act of Congress read at the special meeting of the Board of Regents held here yesterday afternoon. The increase is \$25,000, which, added to the \$25,000 already provided for by the Merrill act, makes the aggregate \$50,000.

Another source of revenue provided for by Congress is the interest from the proceeds of Agricultural College lands sold under the act of Congress, approved in July, 1902, which this year has exceeded \$10,000, but is usually about \$10,000, making the total revenue from the Federal Government about \$60,000 for the maintenance of the college.

Of the new endowment, \$5000 will be available for the year beginning July 1 next, and ending with the fiscal year in June 1908. Each year thereafter there will be an increase of \$5000 until the total Federal endowment under the amended Merrill act will be \$30,000, at which it will stand.

The conditions under which it can be used are that it shall be applied solely for salaries. No part can be used for buildings or repair of them, or for equipment or appliances. It must go for instruction in the various branches of agriculture, mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, mining engineering, civil engineering and other branches of applied science as related to the mechanical arts, the English language and the various branches of mathematical, physical, natural and economic science with special reference to their application to the industries of life. At yesterday's meeting a committee, of which Regent Cotton is the head, was appointed to examine into the various sources of revenue from both college and station, to investigate the true manner in which they are now applied, the purpose being to maintain strict adherence to the regulations of the law of Congress creating the endowment. Under the Merrill act, now increased to \$50,000 a year, an annual report is made by the treasurer to the Commissioner of Education at Washington, who has direction of the expenditure of the money, and if any expenditure is made that is not in strict compliance with the law, it is promptly disallowed.

SALOON MEN TO RETALIATE

Secure Arrest of Seattle Theatrical Managers for Opening Sundays.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Complaints have been issued by the prosecuting attorney at the request of the King County Liquor-Dealers' Association for the arrest of seven theatrical managers accused of violating the Sunday closing law by keeping open places of amusement. Warrants will be served on the theatrical men Monday.

The men arrested are John Cort, of the Grand; W. W. Russell, of the Seattle; and the following vaudeville managers: Alex Panliger, John Henneman, R. T. Shannon, Nat Riss and Tom Condit. It is specified in each of the complaints that the men violated the law in keeping open their places of business February 27.

This is the first retaliatory move the saloon men have made for the closing order directed against their places of business. If they are successful in this step they will proceed against cigar dealers and others.

A similar prosecution was made in Pierce County, but the theatrical men won.

MANY TEACHERS WILL ATTEND

Extensive Preparations for Meeting Inland Association at Lewiston.

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 15.—(Special.)—One of the forms of entertainment of the pedagogues in attendance upon the annual session of the Inland Empire Teachers' Association, which convenes in this city next month, will be an excursion up the Snake River, to be given at the expense of the Commercial Club. It is now estimated that the attendance will be more than 200 teachers and others identified in the educational world of Idaho, Oregon and Washington. The presidents of all the state normal schools in the three states have written that they are coming, besides the state superintendents of public instruction, county superintendents of almost every county in the states, and heads of high schools and professors by the score from all the large institutions of learning in Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

Through the efforts of the Commercial Club the hotels and boarding-houses have agreed to give the teachers a reduced rate during their sojourn in Lewiston. Railroads will also grant reduced rates.

EXTRAVAGANCE MADE FAILURE

Ex-President Livestock Association Gives His Opinion.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—That the Pacific Livestock Association was guilty of extravagance and may have suffered from incompetent management was charged by J. H. Schively, Deputy Insurance Commissioner of Washington, who spent several hours in Spokane today.

He said he had not familiarized himself with conditions in the company since its recent failure and could not therefore speak authoritatively, but that he was convinced in his own mind that the assets will come near equaling the liabilities.

"I was for a short time last Summer president of the association. The trustees requested me to take that position at a salary of \$200 a month."

CLEAN UP COOS BAY TOWNS

People to Turn Out En Masse to Make Cities Beautiful.

MARSHFIELD, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—The wave of "cleaning days" which seems to be sweeping over the Coast has struck Coos Bay and in a few weeks the entire population is expected to turn out and devote one day to the transformation of the northern cities into "spotless towns."

The North Bend started the movement when at the last meeting of the Chamber of Commerce resolutions were

unanimously adopted to set apart a day in the latter part of March for a general cleaning up. The idea met with so much favor that it has been decided to have one day in which every town on the bay will turn out en masse and clean up.

SALOON MAN IS CONVICTED

Jury of Newspaper Men Return Verdict of Guilty at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—After a deliberation of but a few minutes, a jury of six local newspaper men, in Police Judge Gordon's court, rendered the first verdict in a violation of the Sunday closing law by a saloonkeeper, finding Steve Reggio guilty. A fine of \$100 and costs was promptly imposed on the convicted man.

The evidence showed that Reggio had kept his saloon open but three minutes after midnight Sunday morning, but this was sufficient to convict. The jury was selected by the Clerk of the Court, at the instigation of Judge Gordon, on the assumption of their fairness, although the general trend of newspaper comments has been a light treatment of Mayor Moore's closing order.

HINTS GAMBLING HOQUIAM

Citizen Addresses Council and Charges Police Collusion.

HOQUIAM, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—During a meeting of the City Council, John Warnkin addressed the body regarding the running of gambling games in this city and offered to furnish evidence for the conviction of the guilty parties. Hoquiam has been for the past year a closed town and if any gambling is being done, it is carried on behind closed doors. Warnkin claimed the resorts, where games were carried on, were under police protection, but this was emphatically denied by officials.

LAD OF FIVE SHOWS NERVE

FATALLY CRUSHED, HE OBJECTS TO ANAESTHETICS.

So Badly Injured Skin Peels Off With Underclothing—Was Riding on Heavy Truck.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Although so badly crushed by a heavy truck that when taken to the Providence Hospital his skin peeled off with his underclothing, Willie Bauer, 5 years old, refused an anaesthetic and begged the surgeons to cut away all the parts which were hurting him.

It was impossible to administer the ether, and his broken collar bone and fractured ribs, with other injuries, were attended to while he was conscious. Internal injuries exist and it is not thought he can live.

The boy was riding on a truck, when he was jolted off and fell beneath the wheels.

LEWISTON FEELS BOYCOTT

Interior Towns Take Revenge for Defeat of County Division.

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 15.—(Special.)—The Clearwater and Nez Percé prairie sections of the county, which sought to be created into counties by themselves, have declared a most decided boycott against Lewiston since the Legislature refused to subdivide the county. Some people have gone so far as to refuse to take the Lewiston papers, cancelling their subscriptions, even though some of them had been paid in advance. The two sections declare that they will, hereafter, if possible, do all their wholesale trading at Spokane, Wash., and Portland, Or. While the Lewiston houses laugh at the boycott threats, there is no denying the fact that more than one of them have already felt the effects.

MEAD'S FIRST USE OF VETO

Kills Bill Compelling Donation of Land for Parks.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Governor Mead today vetoed his first bill, House bill 3, by Bebe, of King, by the terms of which act, before an owner is permitted to use his property by plating it, he is compelled to donate one-tenth for public purposes. The Governor takes the position that the act is unconstitutional, it giving the state the same right to take one-half of the property-owner's land as one-tenth. He further contends that the Legislature has confused the exercise of the police power with that of eminent domain.

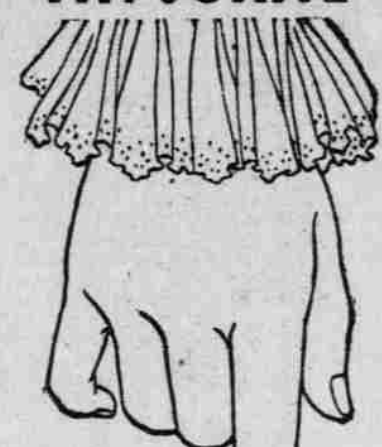
Mead Refuses Requisition.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Governor Mead this afternoon declined to grant the requisition of the Governor of Idaho for the rendition of James Brown and R. W. Masters, charged in Kootenai County, Idaho, with grand larceny and now held under arrest at Riverville, this state. The men were represented in the hearing before the Governor today by H. N. Martin, of Davenport. Evidence was presented showing that civil suits are now pending in the courts of Kootenai County and Adams County, Washington, affecting a team of horses and that the requisition was for the purpose of attempting to enforce the collection of a private debt.

Rescued From Burning Home.

SILVERTON, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—The farmhouse of J. L. Bower, two miles west of this city, was burned yesterday morning, together with all of its contents. The fire originated from a defective stovepipe going through the second floor and the building was all on fire when discovered. Mr. Bower's grandson was sick in bed when the fire started and it was with great difficulty that he was

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rescued. The building cost \$1500 and was insured for \$800.

Falconer as Next Governor.

HOQUIAM, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Speaker J. A. Falconer, of Snohomish, who was a guest of the young men in this city, and attended the banquet given Senator Polson last night, was toasted on his entrance to the dining-room as the next Governor of the State of Washington. Mr. Falconer's address to the guests was the best heard here for some time.

HEAR INSULT ON U'REN

SOCIALISTS INTERRUPT SPEECH AT GRANGE MEETING.

Page of Clackamas Even Threatened With Bad Eggs—His Assaultants Are Strongly Hissed.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—During an address given by W. S. Uren at the opening of the new Grange Hall at Milwaukie today, the speaker was interrupted by J. D. Stevens and Mrs. S. M. Lewelling, who have Socialist inclinations, and was subjected to insulting remarks and threatened with rotten eggs.

Mr. Uren was speaking on the subject of the farmer in the Legislature, and had been asked to make a few remarks on the compulsory pass law, which the Grange of the state are going to put to the referendum.

Some things he said were displeasing to Mrs. Lewelling, and she commenced to make insulting remarks at the street of Portland, cut in, and Mr. Uren silenced him with some well-chosen sarcasm.

After the session was over Stevens is said to have followed Uren outside and to have continued his abuse. Mrs. Lewelling was hissed by the audience when she interrupted.

The Milwaukie Grange is one of the most flourishing in the county. It was founded with four charter members, all of whom were present today at the opening, and has steadily grown till now there is a membership of about 100. The new hall was put up by the members themselves, and was constructed in about six weeks.

BUILDING WORK SUSPENDS

CONTRACTORS LOCK HORNS WITH THE LABORERS.

Most of Workmen Paid Off Last Night, and All Operations to Stop on Tuesday.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Work on upwards of 75 per cent of the building operations in Seattle will be suspended next Tuesday morning, March 19, pending a settlement of the question of increasing union unskilled laborers' wages from \$2.50 to \$3 per day.

Jobs employed on some of these jobs was paid tonight and the remainder will be paid Monday night, work ceasing with the clearing of the payrolls. In the meantime the burden of responsibility for a possible labor war, placed on the Building Trades Assembly by the Master Builders' Association in an ultimatum issued yesterday, is denied by labor and the

builders are declared to be responsible for any trouble that might ensue. The executive committee of the assembly, composed of a representative from each of the 24 unions, will take the question of recalling their demand for increased wages at a meeting Wednesday evening. In the first flush of excitement they declare they will stand pat.

There is a feeling that the contractors have decided to lock horns in a struggle, if labor will fight, so as to have all difficulties cleared away



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before the big building operations commence on the exposition in 1909.

Walla Walla Man Disappears.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., March 15.—(Special.)—Without a word to anybody, or a farewell kiss for his wife and 2-year-old child, Ed. Peterson, of this city, disappeared two weeks ago and has not been heard from since. Mrs. Peterson is ill in bed at her father's home in Walla Walla, and but for the care she receives from her parents, would be destitute. Peterson was employed in a laundry and had a good reputation. Foul play is feared by some of his friends.

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