

State Capitol News Letter

BY A. L. LINDBECK Replacement Capital Interesting All Oregon Folk

SALEM--While Governor Martin's state planning board ponders over plans for a new state house to replace the one destroyed by fire two weeks ago...

Two questions persist in obtruding themselves into every conversation in which the capitol building is the central theme. One of these is: "Will the new building be a dome?" The other is: "What will it cost?"

Left to a vote of the residents of Salem to whom the old capitol dome had become a familiar landmark...

From the earliest experience in the history of the United States domes and wings and porticos...

Of the 18 capitol buildings constructed since the turn of the century 14 have domes...

As to the probable cost of Oregon's new building some basis for speculation may be found in the experience of other states...

Governor Martin has no patience with appointees who are content to sit on the band wagon and ride while the other board or committee members do the work...

It is going to cost more than \$46,000 to wreck the capitol walls and cart the debris away...

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Wheat Plan Outlined at Meets Here

Aim of Program to Obtain Parity Prices on Crop, States Advisor

Imports Explained

Ballot on Control Project Taken County Sessions

By Wm. F. Cyrus, County Agent Prices of wheat in the United States have been above world levels in 1933 and 1934 because of two successive short crops...

Parity Price Sought Parity prices for that part of the wheat crop consumed in the United States was the aim of the existing wheat adjustment program...

Recent imports of wheat into the United States should not be viewed with alarm in Shumway's opinion...

Districts Get School Funds Warrants for \$27,733.75 in elementary school funds and for \$16,395.75 in county school money...

Unique Model Building Project Shown Chamber of Commerce

Farmers of the coming generation will be equipped with practical knowledge of building construction as well as crop production...

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Hilhi Class Play to be Presented on Friday Night

"The Poor Sinner," a three-act comedy selected as the annual Hilhi senior class play for this year, will be presented at the high school auditorium at 8:15 p. m. Friday...

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Operations Begin at Local Cannery

Canning operations started at the Ray-Maling plant here Sunday with the freezing of asparagus, which will run two weeks...

Forest Grove Youth Wins Future Farmer Oratory

Roland Underley of Forest Grove won the state oratorical championship at the Future Farmers of America meeting at Corvallis Friday and will represent the Oregon Future Farmers at the regional contest in Salt Lake City next month...

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Flood Work Backed

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Grade Schools Compete Here

Beaverton and Gales Creek Win Honors Track Meet Beaverton won the class A championship and Gales Creek the class B title Saturday in the finals of the annual Washington county grade school track meet at Hilhi...

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Benefit Checks on Hog Program Arrive Locally

Hog benefit checks for the final payment on the 1934 contracts in Washington county have begun to arrive from Washington, D. C., according to William F. Cyrus, county agent. This payment will total \$14,248.50, bringing the amount received in this county on 1934 contracts to \$36,674.50...

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Bakery Business Here Purchased by Newberg Men

Perfection bakery was sold last week by Herman Schoen, who has operated the local concern for the past eight years, to J. H. Coe and L. Y. Congdon of Newberg. The new owners took possession Monday...

Special Engineer Will be Employed for Study of Need and Costs

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