

STATE MONEY IS RELEASED

REFERENDUM VOTES
UNTIES OVER \$1,000,000.

Warrants for \$127,000 Have Been Issued and Will Now Be Paid Out of the Fund Which Becomes Available—Money Tied Up by the Referendum Will Be Released About June 20.

The referendum vote on the general appropriation bill of the last legislature releases over \$1,000,000 which has been held pending the result of the election.

The Salem correspondent of the Portland Oregonian reviews the situation since the appropriation bill has been sustained by the people:

The appropriations included in the \$1,000,000 appropriation bill, which has been held up for more than a year by the referendum, will become available for expenditure about June 20, at which time those who now hold certificates of allowance for services or supplies furnished to state institutions may exchange their certificates for warrants and then get their money.

At the same time the appropriations for the four normal schools will become available and the expenses already incurred by those institutions for the years 1905 and 1906 can be paid. The normal schools will have an abundance of money for their running expenses for the remainder of 1906.

Of the total appropriation of \$1,000,000, claims have been incurred and audited for \$427,000, for the maintenance of the asylum, penitentiary, reform school, mute school, blind school, for the transportation of insane persons and convicts, and for several other purposes, such as the payment of rewards for arrests, return of fugitives, etc.

For this \$427,000 certificates of allowance have been issued, showing that the claimants have furnished labor or supplies for the state, in pursuance of laws in force at the time. These certificates merely show that the claim has been audited and allowed, but that there being no appropriation available the claimant cannot receive a warrant until an appropriation has been made and his certificate has been returned to the secretary of state.

How much money the normal schools have expended it is impossible to say, as they have been running on private funds furnished by persons who were willing to take chances on the appropriation bill finally pass-

ing or the next legislature repaying the money advanced. The normal at Weston closed at the end of the school year in 1905.

The appropriations provided in the bill that has now become a law were: Monmouth, \$36,000; Ashland, \$31,000; Drain, \$21,000; Weston, \$25,000. Each of these institutions is now entitled to have paid from the above amounts whatever sums they have expended during the years 1905-6. They will also be entitled to expend whatever they wish for legitimate purposes during the remainder of 1906.

Since the appropriation bill permits the expenditure of the money for either running expenses or for improvements, it is probable that each institution will use up almost the entire amount of its appropriation. Thus Weston, which has not been running, can use nearly all of its \$25,000 for improvements.

MORE MORMON ELDERS NEEDED

Great Progress of the Church in the Northwest.

Elder Nephi Pratt, president of the northwest mission of the Mormon church, is in town, says the Boise Capital News. He is here to hold a conference with the Boise Latter Day Saints. He has just made an extended tour through the states of Oregon, Washington, Montana and Idaho, also British Columbia.

He reports that there is considerable of an awakening in all these states, and that never before in the history of the mission was there so much inquiry into and investigation of the principles, practices and doctrines of the church as at present. He also says that there have been more conversions, resulting in a greater number of baptisms in the first five months of the present year than in any 12 months heretofore since he has been connected with the mission.

Mr. Pratt states that he was sent to reside over his present field of labor over four years ago. When asked how long he expected to remain in the field he replied, "Until I am 100 years old, unless I am released honorably by the general authorities of the church at headquarters, and I am now in my 60th year."

Mr. Pratt has 30 elders in the field and can not with this number fill one-half the calls for preaching and visiting that are made upon his force. He will preach at both sessions of the conference, which will convene at 2 and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday at the Latter Day Saints church, corner Fourth and Jefferson streets. Several elders will participate in these meetings.

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COBURN FEARS KANSAS HOODOO

REFUSED TO ACCEPT UNITED STATES SENATORSHIP.

Famous Author and Farm Statistician of Kansas Declined to Take an Office Attended by Such Fatal Results—Suicides, Sudden Deaths, Failures and Conviction for Crime Have Been Chief Features of the Office.

F. D. Coburn, who wrote the famous poem on "The Hen," and who suggested a new coat of arms for the United States—a rooster rampant, a hen couchant, with the motto, "We Keep the Pot Boiling"—will not be United States senator to succeed Joseph Ralph Burton, says a Topeka dispatch. Despite the fact that his house is filled with horseshoes and rabbits' feet, Coburn dreads the "fatal succession," which has been the destruction of so many Kansas senators.

Governor Hoch has appointed A. W. Benson, of Ottawa, a district judge, to the position. There is much regret that Coburn has declined. He would have been a striking character in the senate. With all his peculiarities—Kansas peculiarities—he is a brainy, broad, able man, and it is believed he would have made his mark high up in the halls of Washington.

James H. Lane—the "Immortal Jim" Lane—was the first of the "fatal succession" which Coburn fears. His meteoric career ended with his suicide. Years later Preston B. Plumb was stricken dead while a senator.

Governor Humphrey named Bishop W. Perkins, then a representative in congress, as Plumb's successor, but Perkins failed of election when the next legislature met.

The populists then chose John Martin of Topeka, who was unable to make a mark in Washington and was retired.

The republicans selected Lucien Baker, of Leavenworth, a state senator, for Martin's place. Baker's term was a great disappointment and he was repudiated by his own party after serving one term.

And finally came Burton, who couldn't keep his hands off graft money and who is now under sentence to serve six months in jail and pay a \$2500 fine because he acted as attorney for a "get-rich-quick" concern while a United States senator.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney or bladder troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints. Koepfens' drug store.

RHEUMATISM

ALMOST AS COMMON IN SUMMER AS IN WINTER.

While the damp, cold, changing weather of Winter intensifies the pains and other disagreeable symptoms of Rheumatism, it is by no means a winter disease exclusively. Through the long months of Summer its wandering pains and twitching nerves are felt by those in whose blood the uric acid, which produces the disease, has accumulated.

Rheumatism is a disease that involves the entire system. Its primary cause results from the failure of the eliminative organs, the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels, to carry out of the system the urea, or natural refuse matter. This coming in contact with the different acids of the body forms uric acid which is taken up and absorbed by the blood. This acid causes fermentation of the blood, making it sour and unfit for properly nourishing the body, and as this vital stream goes to every nook and corner of the body, the poison is distributed to all parts. The nervous system weakens from lack of rich, pure blood, the skin becomes feverish and swollen, the stomach and digestion are affected, the appetite fails and a general diseased condition of the entire system is the result.

Not only is Rheumatism the most painful of all diseases, with its swollen, stiff joints, throbbing muscles and stinging nerves, but it is a formidable and dangerous trouble. If the uric acid is allowed to remain in the blood, and the disease becomes chronic, chalky deposits form at the joints, and they are rendered immovable and stiff, and the patient left a helpless cripple for life. Every day the poison remains in the system the disease gets a firmer hold. The best time to get rid of Rheumatism is in warm weather; because then the blood takes on new life and the skin is more active and can better assist in the elimination of the poisons. With the proper remedy to force the acid out of the blood, and at the same time build up and strengthen the Liver, Kidneys, Bowels and other organs of the body, Rheumatism can be permanently cured. External applications relieve the pain and temporarily reduce the inflammation, and for this reason are desirable, but they cannot have any effect on the disease. The blood is poisoned and the blood must be treated before a cure can be effected.

S. S. S., a remedy made from roots, herbs and barks, is the best treatment for Rheumatism. It goes into the blood and attacks the disease at its head, and by neutralizing the acid and driving it out, and building up the sour blood so it can supply nourishment and strength to every part of the body, it cures Rheumatism permanently. S. S. S. is the only safe cure for the disease; being purely vegetable, it will not injure the system in the least, as do those medicines which contain Potash or some other mineral ingredient. S. S. S. tones up every part of the body by its fine tonic properties. While cleansing the blood of all poisons it builds up the appetite and digestion, soothes the excited nerves, reduces all inflammation, relieves pain and completely cures Rheumatism in every form—Muscular, Inflammatory, Articular or Sciatic. If you are worried with the nagging pains of Rheumatism, do not wait for it to become chronic, but begin the use of S. S. S. and purge the blood of every particle of the poison. Write for our book on Rheumatism, and ask our physicians for any advice you wish. We make no charge for either.

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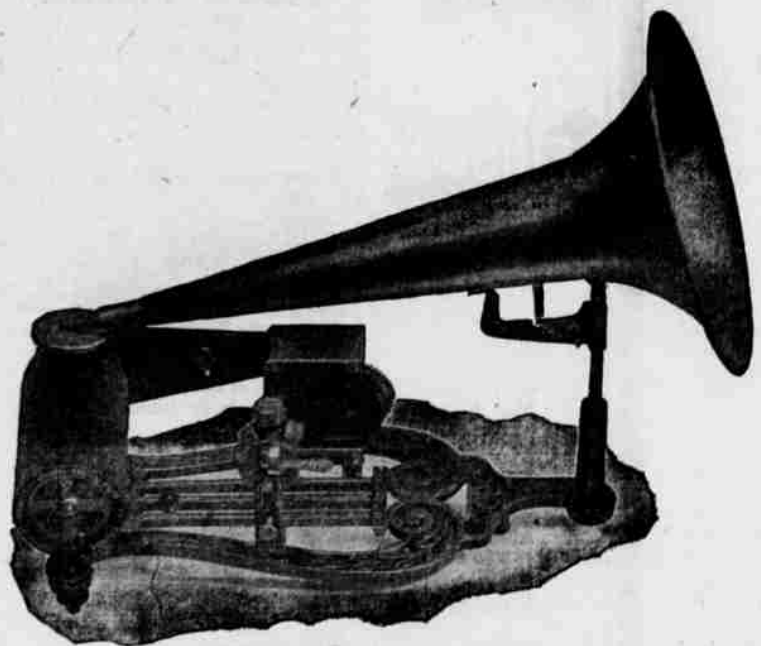


Last Summer I had a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism in the knees, from which I was unable to leave my room for several months. I was treated by two doctors and also tried different kinds of liniments and medicines which seemed to relieve me from pain for awhile, but at the same time I was not any nearer getting well. One day while reading a paper I saw an advertisement of S. S. S. for Rheumatism. I decided to give it a trial, which I did at once. After I had taken three bottles I felt a great deal better, and I continued to take it regularly until I was entirely cured. I now feel better than I have for years.

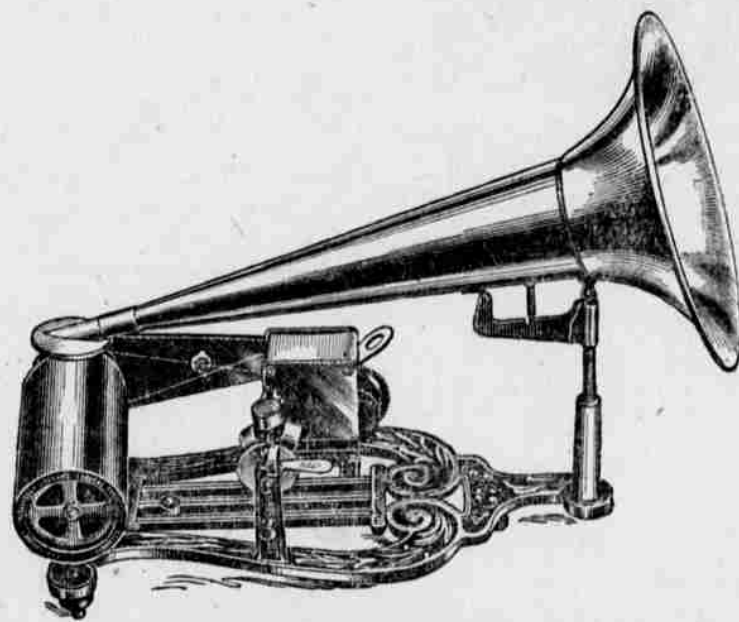
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