

STATE CAPITAL NEWS

- Two Capitol Sites
- Election Changes
- Debt-free Shaniko

By A. L. LINDBECK

Salem.—Choice of sites for the new state capitol building has been narrowed down to two by an opinion given Governor Martin by Attorney General Van Winkle.

The legislature, when it meets in special session soon, will be able to consider building the statehouse on the old site, or on Willamette university campus, which would be added to the old location.

The hill sites favored by Governor Martin cannot be used, according to the attorney general.

Both the Grabenhorst tract and Ben Lomond park hill sites are outside the city limits, Van Winkle pointed out, and the capitol can be built only within the boundaries of Salem as they existed in 1864 when the city was chosen the permanent seat of government by a state-wide vote.

To build on the hills would require a constitutional amendment and a special election to change or enlarge the seat of government.

It would do no good for the city to extend its boundaries to include the hill sites, the attorney general said.

"Designation of Salem in 1864 as the permanent seat of government by the electors of the state necessarily included all parts of the city as it then existed," Van Winkle explained.

"Although the corporate limits have since been greatly enlarged this has not enlarged the seat of government. It remains within the limits of the city as they first existed on the first Monday of June, 1864, when the election was held, at which time Salem was selected as the location of the seat of government."

Construction of state institutions beyond the city limits has no bearing on the capitol because the statehouse "is not an institution as that word is ordinarily used."

In the 1864 election, Salem received a majority of 79 votes over all the score of cities proposed as the capital. The vote was 6108 for Salem, 3864 for Portland, 1588 for Eugene and 577 for all other cities. No city had received a majority in 1862.

With the issuance of the opinion requested by the governor, who went on record as favoring a hill site for the capitol when it appeared that negotiations for the purchase of the Willamette university campus would fall through—officials wondered what PWA would do.

Two applications for grants for the purchase of additional land are in Washington, D. C. One was for 45 per cent of the \$750,000 to buy the university grounds, and the other was for 45 per cent of \$100,000 set for the hill site price. The latter is now out of the picture.

State officials were jubilant over word from Hyde Park, N. Y., President Roosevelt's home, that the president had approved the state's \$3,500,000 application for the construction of the statehouse.

The legislature will be called into special session when PWA acts on the site grant applications. The legislature will have the last word as to where the capitol shall be built.

Arrangements have been completed for the senate to meet in the Marion hotel dining room and the house to convene in the armory auditorium adjoining the hotel. The state will pay \$40 a day rent to the hotel and \$13.50 to the armory. Governor Martin will probably move downtown during the session.

Abolition of the primary election, the calling of a regular general election every November and the possible recall of officials at the election were proposed in a drastic constitutional amendment filed by W. P. Wagnon, Portland. Attorney General Van Winkle is at work on the ballot title.

The governor, state treasurer, secretary of state, justices of the supreme court, judges of the circuit courts and attorney general would face a possible recall every two years. Maximum tenure of state offices would be six years.

All county, district, precinct and municipal officers would be subject to recall every year. Their maximum terms would be four years.

Wagnon must obtain more than 16,000 signatures on petitions by next July 1 to place his proposed constitutional amendment on the ballot at the November, 1936, election.

Shaniko, little Wasco county town which had 100 residents when the 1930 census was taken, is the envy of the state.

The city has no taxes, no debts, and is on a cash basis, E. P. Wagner, city recorder, wrote Secretary of State Snell. Shaniko has never had a budget and doesn't see why it should have to draw one up now to submit to Snell in view of a law passed by the last legislature providing for auditing of municipal accounts.

Governor Martin is getting ready to move again for the second time since the capitol fire. He and State Treasurer Holman and the board of control employes will move from the supreme court library to the fourth floor of the main office building. There they will take over the offices of the World War Veterans' state aid commission, letting them move upstairs to the state engineer's quarters. The latter will move to the Elk's temple downtown. It's all being done because the supreme court had complaints from attorneys that there was too much noise in the library with all the stenographers and bookkeepers at work.

The sensational Kellaher-Banks bribery case, involving an ex-state parole officer and a murdered, is be-

The Ups and Downs of Fall Hat Fashions



NEW YORK. . . Fall hat styles in all their glory grace fashion center shops here as milady makes selections. Two distinctive models (above) afford her highness choice of up or down styles. Left, a brilliant red, yellow, blue and green parrot perches on a black velvet sport hat with pleats pressed into brim and crown. Right, the Mercury hat with pleated felt simulating wings is extremely smart.

Potato Quotas Out Soon; Wheat Meeting Dates Set

Regional meetings in Oregon for launching the new wheat production control campaign have been scheduled for the week of October 14, announces E. R. Jackman, OSC extension agronomist who is chairman of the educational committee. The meetings will be held at Corvallis, Medford, Arlington and Baker for the Willamette valley, southern Oregon, Central Oregon and Columbia basin and the Blue Mountains regions respectively. Dates are October 14, 15, 17 and 18.

Following the regional meetings to be attended by allotment committeemen and county agents, will be county and in some cases community meetings for growers at which applications for the new contracts will be available.

State allotments of potatoes under the new potato marketing control act will be ready for announcement before November 1, according to word received from Washington by the OSC extension service. These allotments will be discussed thoroughly with growers before becoming final, it is stated.

"All problems involved in the act will be threshed out with producers themselves and we will rely upon them for guidance and advice on enforcement," said A. E. Mercker, newly appointed chief of the potato section. Mercker, who has made a specialty of marketing problems in the bureau of agricultural economics, will work under J. B. Hutson, head of the AAA division to which potato control has been assigned.

Assisting Mercker will be H. C. Thompson, head of the department of vegetable crops at Cornell university and former horticulturist in the department of agriculture.

"Operation of the potato act is intended to bring potato prices to a level such as will eliminate the distressingly low prices received by growers the past two seasons," Thompson announced. "It is not intended to lift consumer prices above moderate levels."

"Reports that a tax of three-quarters of a cent a pound is to be paid on all potatoes are entirely erroneous. The act exempts from any tax a quantity of potatoes deemed sufficient to meet current consumption demands at prices on a parity with prices the potato grower must pay for the things he buys."

More than 50 extension agents working in the Indian service among the 35,000 Indian population of Oregon, Washington, southern Idaho, Northern California and Nevada spent two days in conference at OSC under Indian service lead-

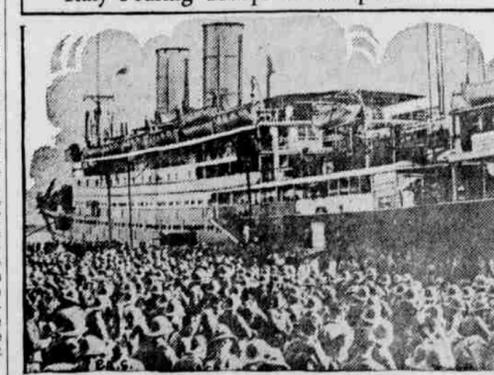
Leaflet on New Course In Wild Life Available

Leaflets describing in detail the new four-year curriculum in fish, game and fur animal management at Oregon State college are now available for distribution. The course was authorized too late to be included in the annual catalog.

The new work will be offered in the animal industries division of the school of agriculture, with specialized work in that school and the schools of science and forestry. The course is designed to train students for state and federal service in wild life conservation, management of private estates and clubs, fur and game farming, or fields allied to wild life conservation.

Inclusion of this work is considered partly responsible for a big prospective increase in new students enrolling in agriculture this fall. Advance applications show a prospective increase of more than 70 per cent in that school.

Italy Pouring Troops to Ethiopian Front



NAPLES, Italy. . . The above picture is no unusual scene here those weeks as Italy embarks its crack division troops for the Ethiopian front. Photo shows "Sila" division embarking on the steamer Gauguin.

At Heppner CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST. ALVIN KLEINFELDT, Pastor. Bible School, 9:45 a. m. Morning services, 11 a. m. C. E. Society, 7:00 p. m. Evening services, 8:00 p. m. Choir rehearsal, 8:00 p. m. Midweek service, Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Morning sermon, "Rebuilding Jerusalem."

Evening sermon, "The Church that Overcame."

Those who have not been attending church regularly are especially invited to begin now. You have a need of spiritual guidance which you are not filling. We have specialized in spiritual things and will help you supply that which is lacking.

METHODIST CHURCH. JOSEPH POPE, Pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Public worship, 11 a. m. Special music by the choir. Sermon, "Lord I Believe, What Do I Believe." No. 1. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30. Sermon, "The Thoughtless Moment." Choir practice, Wednesday evening, 7:30. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7:30.

"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," Judge L. L. Fawcett of the supreme court of New York says. "More than 4,000 of the 8,000 prisoners sentenced by me were under the age of 21 years, and only three were members of the Sunday school at the time of committing their crimes." (Continued next week.)

PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE. ALFRED R. WOMACK, Pastor.

Sunday: Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. After Service, 11:00 A. M. Evening Service, 7:30 P. M. Tuesday night, prayer meeting only, 7:30. Thursday evangelistic service 7:30 "WE WELCOME ALL"

California '35



VENICE, Calif. . . Miss Mercedes Hill, 20 (above), is California's Queen of Beauty for 1935, final selection being made following a parade of beauties before 150,000 Mardi Gras Visitors.

ers from Washington, D. C., and specialists from the state college staff.

Potato Production Will Be Controlled Under Act

The Warren Potato act which passed the last session of congress and becomes effective December 1, 1935, is designed to adjust the production of potatoes to the normal annual consumption. Without entering into any long discussion of the theory back of the bill or the support and opposition which it had in congress it is now part of the law of the land and growers should know the main features of the law and the things which they should do to put themselves in a position to comply with it.

In general the idea is to give each man parity price for the potatoes which he normally produced. It is calculated that according to present prices for other products this price is \$1.50 per hundred. Each sack of potatoes sold must be stamped. Each state is given a quota of tax-free stamps and stated broadly, growers will be issued free stamps for the amount of potatoes considered as their base. Over and above this amount the stamps must be purchased at 75c apiece. If it is found that the tax is too high, the secretary may lower the tax to any point down to fifty cents per hundred. All post offices will have the stamps for sale. Thirty days before the start of each allotment year a secretary shall conduct a referendum and all of those entitled to an allotment shall cast one vote in favor of or in opposition to continuing the act for another year. If the majority of those voting are against the act it shall be inoperative in the succeeding year. This act will not affect the plan for the first year but will only become effective a year from this fall. If the plan is successful in obtaining the price of \$1.50 per hundred for those growers who are consistently producing about the same amount of potatoes such growers will probably be in favor of continuing the plan. In any case the Warren Potato act is now a law.

Until such time as the Bureau of Crop and Livestock Estimates has the state quota determined there is very little for the grower to do. The only action suggested now is

to organize the records of sales covering the period 1932 to 1934 as such evidence will be necessary.

James Farley went to John Day Sunday to assist his brother John in the Wilson store there during the fair season. He will return home next Sunday.

Chicken dinner by Episcopal Ladies Auxiliary, Parish House, Wednesday, Sept. 25, 6:30, 35 cents.

For Sale—6-room modern residence, steam furnace, fireplace; good terms. Inquire G. T. office, 28

Wood sawing in or near town, regular prices. Homer Tucker, 30

Resolutions of Condolence.

Whereas, our beloved brother, George Broadley has been called to that mysterious beyond, and in his departure we have lost a valued friend and member, we deeply deplore the loss to our fraternity;

Resolved, that Holly Rebekah Lodge No. 139 tender its heartfelt sympathy to the family and relatives of our deceased brother in this hour;

Resolved, that we drape our charter in mourning for thirty days, and that these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of this lodge, and that a copy be sent to the bereaved family.

Fraternally submitted, Emma Peck, Dona E. Barnett, Bertha Dinges. Lexington, Oregon, Sept. 17, 1935.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, Administrator of the Estate of Lloyd Matteson, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate must present the same to me at the office of my attorney, P. W. Mahoney, in Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date of the

first publication of this notice, said date of first publication being September 19, 1935.

LYLE MATTESON, Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County. In the matter of the estate of Bernard P. Doherty, deceased. Notice is hereby given that we have been appointed executors of the estate of Bernard P. Doherty, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to us at our residence in Morrow County, Oregon, near Lexington, Oregon, that being our postoffice address, with proper vouchers attached, within six months from this date. Dated this 19th day of September, A. D. 1935. CATHERINE DOHERTY, BEHNARD DOHERTY, Executors of the estate of Bernard P. Doherty, deceased.

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