

STATE CAPITAL NEWS

- Martin Not Wanted
- Cornerstone Laid
- Supt. Pray Weds

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Salem.—The enmity which grange leaders have shown toward Governor Martin ever since his induction into office was reflected in the action of the State Grange meeting at The Dalles last week when the farmers voted down a resolution inviting the governor to address the session. It was the first time since he became governor that Martin has not been invited to speak to the grangers. The action of the grange on the invitation to the governor was preceded by the annual address of Grange Master Ray Gill in which he attacked the governor for his alleged opposition to certain truck legislation sponsored by the grange. Press reports from The Dalles quoted Gill as charging the governor with "vetoing" the truck bill which would have exempted farm trucks from many of the regulations now hampering the operation of this type of motor vehicle. The charge brought a prompt reply from the governor denying that he had vetoed any truck legislation and a just as prompt explanation from Gill to the effect that he had been misquoted and that instead of charging the governor with "vetoing" the truck bill he had charged him with "opposing" the bill resulting in its defeat. Governor Martin in commenting on the attitude of Gill and the grange reasserted his friendship for the farmers and agriculture.

The next move in the program for a new tuberculosis hospital to be located in Multnomah county is up to the sponsors of the institution according to the board of control. Replying to numerous requests that the board take steps to speed up the construction program Governor Martin this week pointed out that he had signed the bill appropriating \$110,000 toward the new hospital on the express condition that sponsors of the bill would secure an additional \$80,000 to supplement the state's contribution. This amount, it has been pointed out, is \$10,000 less than the \$90,000 requirement stipulated by the legislative ways and means committee when it agreed to approve the appropriation.

Conflicting reports continue to come from the national capital as to the status of the federal grant for the library and office building, construction of which was authorized by the last legislature. One report has it that PWA officials have agreed to award Oregon a grant of \$450,000 as a continuation of the capitol grant and on the same terms. That means without the restriction limiting use of the federal money to the employment of relief labor. Another report has it that the gift as an outright grant with no strings attached depends entirely upon the adoption of a measure now before Congress which will extend the life of PWA for another two years. Ralph Moody, assistant attorney general, is now in Washington attempting to straighten out the tangle which will have an important bearing on the state building program.

The State Liquor Control board is out to eliminate habitual drunkards from its list of customers. Courts throughout the state have been asked to supply the commission with the names of persons convicted of drunkenness so that action may be taken to cancel their permits. This is only one of a number of reforms the commission is putting into effect in an effort to "control" the liquor situation in this state.

Interest of state officials and employees this week centers in the laying of the cornerstone of the new capitol building scheduled for today (Thursday). Arranged to coincide with the sessions of the grand lodge A. F. & A. M. the ceremonies are expected to attract a large gathering of Masonic dignitaries as well as high state officials. A special train will bring several hundred Masons from Portland for the program which

is scheduled to start at 2 p. m. More than 1000 Masons, units of the Oregon national guard and at least two brass bands will take part in a parade which will precede the ceremonies at the new capitol building.

R. Frank Peters, grand master of the Masonic order, will officiate at the cornerstone laying, assisted by Carl G. Patterson, deputy grand master, F. C. Howell, senior grand warden, and Leif S. Finseth, junior grand warden. Col. Alfred E. Clark of Portland, grand orator, will deliver the address on behalf of the Masonic grand lodge, with short addresses also scheduled by Governor Chas. H. Martin and Judge Lawrence T. Harris of Eugene.

Chas. P. Pray, superintendent of state police, and Mrs. Helen G. Tyson were married at the home of the latter in Salem Saturday morning, the ceremony being performed by Justice Harry H. Belt of the state supreme court. Mrs. Tyson was assistant secretary to Governor Patterson.

Regarded by Governor Martin as "a big boost for Oregon grown flax," the Boston navy yard this week placed an order for 61,000 pounds of flax twine with the Salem Linen mills.

Henry DeMoss One of Noted Musical Family

On several occasions in years past Heppner audiences enjoyed listening to programs of the famous DeMoss family. Henry DeMoss, one of the last survivors of that organization, died recently. A news dispatch from Moro in The Dalles Observer last week says:

Henry DeMoss, pioneer resident of Sherman county who passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. Waldo Davis in Eugene, was laid to rest in the DeMoss cemetery Monday afternoon. Services were conducted at the Presbyterian church in Moro with the Rev. J. Cunningham, pastor of the First Christian church in The Dalles, officiating. Mr. DeMoss and his sister, Mrs. Davis, were the last remaining members of the famous "DeMoss Lyric Bands" that toured the United States and also Europe, where they played before the crowned heads. He was born in Iowa on Feb. 4, 1860, and came west with his father, James DeMoss, when but a small boy. Surviving him are three children, Homer B. of Eugene, Evelyn who is in the Hawaiian islands and Beulah of San Francisco, his sister and his half brother, John of Moro.

R. O. Deulen was in the city yesterday from his wheat farming operations in the Lexington vicinity feeling mighty good over rains of the last week which have benefited his fields greatly. He and other members of the family attended the Rose Festival in Portland last week, and he reported it to have been the best show ever staged in the city.

I have four mares for sale or trade for cattle; price is right; weight from 1150 to 1400, broke single and double. W. H. French, Hardman. 14tf

FARM BUREAU ORGANIZED

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of refusing to grant loans on crop land infested with White Top. Cost of eradicating the disease under the most improved methods is about \$100 per acre, which exceeds the value of much of the land which is threatened along the full length of Willow creek. Only prompt, decisive action at the present time, before the weed has gained too extensive a foothold, can possibly save the value of the hay land along Willow creek. The Morrow County Farm Bureau voted unanimously to urge the county court to use every means in their power to immediately eradicate all patches of White Top and urged the cemetery association to cooperate with the county court in eradicating this weed from land within the cemetery.

New members joining the Morrow County Farm Bureau last night were Leonard Carlson, M. J. Fitzpatrick, Ernest Christopherson, Henry Peterson, Ione; Terrel Bengel, Frank Salting, O. W. Cutsforth, George Peck, William J. Doherty, A. C. Lindsay, Lexington, and John Hanna, Chris Brown and Alva Jones, Heppner.

At Heppner CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH
REV. R. C. YOUNG, Pastor
Sunday. Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
Epworth League 7:00 p. m.
Evening worship 8:00 p. m.
Tuesday. Junior League 3:45 p. m.
Boys' Club 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday. Choir Practice 7:30 p. m.
Thursday. Fellowship 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.
ALVIN KLEINFELDT, Pastor
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Services 11:00 a. m.
C. E. Society 6:30 p. m.
Evening Services 7:30 p. m.
Choir Practice, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Midweek Service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

Sunday morning Bible School will begin promptly and dismiss early, after which cars will leave immediately for the Roy Neill farm on Butter creek where the church services will be held and a basket dinner served. There will be no church service at the church Sunday following Bible School.

All who have extra room in their cars should be in front of the church not later than 10:45. The churches at Lexington and Hermiston are uniting in the service.

CORRECTION.
In the item last week in which it was stated that Mrs. Emmet Ayers and Mrs. Clara Beamer attended Degree of Honor grand lodge in Portland, the name of the lodge was mistakenly reported. It should have been Rebekah assembly.

Mrs. Walter Becket was trading in the city this morning from the Eight Mile farm. She reported good rains this week which have helped the crops materially. She also reported that her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clark, are now located at Red Bluffs, Cal., where they are assisting Mrs. Bertie Kane, former local beauty operator, at the Lassen hotel.

Sidney Zinter was a caller in the city today from the farm in Gooseberry.
Mrs. Ernest Heliker and daughter Harriet were visitors in the city yesterday from the lone section.

NEW CORPORATION SEEKS
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to install modern drilling equipment capable of going to a depth of 1200 to 2000 feet and deeper if necessary. A much greater depth than that reached by the former development com-

pany is necessary, in the quoted opinion of Dr. Handy, as the section is underlaid with a thick strata of basalt, which must be penetrated before there can be hope of reaching gas and oil pockets. The first well drilled by the old company was put down to a depth of but 325 feet, and the second was abandoned after reaching but a fraction of that depth, so that no actual test of the possibilities was shown, Cole said.

Land on which the development is contemplated has passed from the hands of J. A. Harbke, owner at the time the former company was in existence, and leases are held by a group of Portland men including Lloyd Estes who helped organize the old company. Cole said officers of the new company serve without pay. He, personally, had put considerable money into organizing the corporation because he had been "sold" on the possibilities.

Wells Springs first attracted notice for its possibilities of gas development because bubbles escaping from the spring burned when ignited.

Cole anticipated no difficulty in marketing the gas if found in commercial quantities, citing that gas in some parts of the country is piped a thousand or more miles.

SAFeway IN OUR GREAT June SALES DRIVE

3rd BIG EVENING

4 DAY SALE
JUNE 18 to 22, Incl.

RAISINS, Seedless 4 Lb. Pkg. 30c
CHEESE Lb. 24c
Brookfield full cream

PANCAKE FLOUR Pkg. 17c
2½ Lb. Maximum

PRUNES 10 Lbs. 55c
Extra quality, 40-60 size

VINEGAR Gallon 23c
Pure Cider

RICE, Blue Rose Head . 5 Lbs. 39c
SHORTENING 8 Lbs. \$1.05
Always Fresh

PINEAPPLE 2 for 25c
Large 15 oz. tins fancy sliced

LARD, Pure Hog 8 Lbs. \$1.39
CORN 6 for 73c
No. 2 tins fancy cream style

JAM 2 Lb. Jar 39c
Pure Strawberry

WALNUTS 2 Lbs. 39c
Fancy Oregon soft shell

BEER ... Case 24 12 oz. Tins \$2.49
Rainier

SOAP, Crystal White, 20 Bars 69c
MARSHMALLOWS Lb. 15c
Fluffiest of all

TEA, Canterbury, 16 oz. Blk. 49c, Grn. 35c
NOODLES, 16 oz. Egg Pkg. 19c
JELL RITE for jellies, jams, 2 Bottles 25c
HASH, Palace, 16 oz. tins, try some, 10c
SOAP, Palm Olive Toilet 4 Bars 25c
CLEANSER, Sunbrite 4 Tins 15c
Jar Lids, Kerr doz 10c, Economy 2 doz 45c
SOAP, large pkg. Scotch, granulated 23c
BAKING POWDER, K. C., 50c size 35c
PEANUT BUTTER, fresh bulk, 2 lbs. 33c

SUGAR
Extra fine for canning
15 Lbs. 87c
100 LBS. \$5.69

FLOUR
Still another chance at this low price
HARVEST BLOSSOM 49 LB. \$1.49
BAG \$1.75
KITCHEN CRAFT 49 LB. \$1.75
BAG \$1.75

MILK
MAXIMUM
One of the best
Case \$3.49
8 Tall 60c
Tins 60c

BEANS
Reds or Small Whites
10 LBS. 73c

CANNED GOODS
No. 2 tins PEAS
No. 2½ Tins Tomatoes
CASE \$2.59
24 Tins \$2.59
6 Tins 69c

Fresh Produce
— FRIDAY-SATURDAY ONLY —
NEW SPUDS, 10 lbs. 29c
Bu. Turnips, Beets 3-10c

COFFEE
ALWAYS FRESH
AIRWAY, 3 Lbs. 50c
NOB HILL, 2 Lbs. 47c
Dependable, 2 lbs. 49c
Vacuum packed

Safeway Money Saving CASH GROCER