

PIONEER HOISTED TO CAPITOL'S TOP

Statue Slated to Be Set On Pedestal Monday

SALE* (Sept. 18 Special)—Hoisting the "Oregon Pioneer," seven-ton bronze statue, to the top of the new state capitol tower was completed late Friday.

The statue will rest there until Monday, when it will be set on its pedestal.

The hoisting rigging will have to be readjusted in the interim, the contractor said.

More than 500 persons gathered near the capitol to witness the hoisting operations.

Governor Charlie H. Martin mingled with the crowd during a part of the day.

The statue is 22 feet tall.

'Pioneer' Climbs to Top of Tower



The seven-ton "Oregon Pioneer" statue, which will stand on a pedestal atop the new state capitol at Salem, got as far as the top of the tower yesterday. It is shown dangling from a huge hoist. Monday the bronze statue will be placed on the pedestal.