

NEWARK WEARS GAY DRESS FOR P. O. CEREMONY

City in Holiday Attire While
Notables Take Part in
Cornerstone Laying.

TRIBUTE TO FARLEY, MOORE

Governor Meets Postmaster
General in Jersey City for
Parade Here.

In holiday attire and gay mood, Newark this morning greeted the distinguished company of National and State officials who were to assist in dedicating the city's new \$6,150,000 post office.

While Postmaster General James A. Farley and his aides, Governor A. Harry Moore and his staff, and Mayor Frank Hague were motoring here from Jersey City, last minute plans for the colorful cornerstone laying ceremonies were put through.

A flag-bedecked street and a group of civic leaders headed by Mayor Meyer C. Ellenstein, Internal Revenue Collector Charles V. Duffy and Acting Postmaster John F. Sinnott, awaited the visitors.

Also awaiting them, and the ceremonies that were to see fulfillment of a 20-year-old dream—a new postoffice—was a throng of Newark citizens whose dress and spirits rivaled the city's.

FLAGS, BUNTING FLY

A procession up Broad street brightened by the Essex Troop and its mounted band heralded the exercises. Flags and bunting were put out early by merchants along the way to mark the occasion.

Postmaster General Farley, accompanied by his first assistant, William W. Howes, and his third assistant, Clinton B. Eilenberger, motored to Newark from New York to officiate at the ceremonies and address the throng. He was accompanied by John L. O'Toole and William Seely as representatives of the Newark Citizens' General Committee.

MOORE TO MEET PARTY

In Jersey City the party was met by Governor A. Harry Moore and his staff and by Mayor Frank Hague. Escorted by State police, the augmented group will travel over the Turnpike, through Harrison and into Newark by way of Bridge street bridge.

At Broad and Bridge streets the visitors were greeted by Mayor Meyer C. Ellenstein, Internal Revenue Collector Charles V. Duffy and Acting Postmaster John F. Sinnott.

Led by Essex Troop and its band the procession moved in open cars down Broad street past the old postoffice and to Franklin street. Newark police took up the escort in this city under orders of Chief McReil and his deputies.

The ceremonies were to be held on the Franklin street side of the structure. The exterior has been completed except for the single stone to be placed today. A large grandstand will hold 500 invited guests. On the speakers stand will be U. S. Senator Barbour, judges, city, county and federal officials. John R. Hardin as general chairman of the citizen's committee will preside.

ORDER OF PROGRAM

Playing of the "Star Spangled Banner" by the 102nd Cavalry band will open the exercises. The Rev. Dr. William H. Foulkes, pastor of Old First Presbyterian Church, will give the opening prayer and there will be addresses by Mayor Ellenstein and Governor Moore.

Acting Postmaster Sinnott will introduce Postmaster General Farley for the principal part of the ceremony. In the cornerstone will be placed a tin box containing copies of the latest issues of the city's newspapers, a copy of the centennial edition of the Newark Star-Eagle, photos of the old and new building, copies of the speeches given and coins minted this year, all in keeping with traditions.

After the postmaster general's address the Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Walsh, bishop of the Catholic diocese, will close the exercises with a benediction. The band will play "My Country 'Tis of Thee." The ceremonies will be broadcast.

Police will then escort about 320 guests at the affair to the Robert Treat Hotel, where a luncheon is to be given in honor of the occasion. Farley, Moore, and the other officials are to attend.

While the speakers at the cornerstone scene will be officials, those at the luncheon are from the citizens' committee. Mr. Hardin will be toastmaster.

Rabbi Solomon Foster will deliver the invocation. Addresses will be given by Chester I. Barnard, president of the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company; Thomas N. McCarter, president of Public Service Corporation, and Edward D. Duffield, president of the Prudential Life Insurance Company.

The affair will close with benediction by Bishop Wilson R. Stearly of the Episcopal Church.

NOTED CITIZENS KEEP SEE STONE LAID

Speakers' Stand Occupied by
Judges and New Jersey
Officials.

Besides those taking active part in the ceremony attending the laying of the new postoffice and federal building cornerstone here today, others invited on the speakers' stand are:

Federal Judge John Boyd Avis, U. S. District Attorney Harlan Besson, U. S. Senator W. Warren Barbour, Colonel Stephen H. Barlow, James I. Boies, Common Pleas Judge Daniel Brennan, Vice Chancellor John H. Backes, former Postmaster Frank Back, Chester I. Barnard, Chancellor Luther A. Campbell, Representative Peter A. Cavicchia, Federal Judge William Clark, Internal Revenue Collector Charles V. Duffy, Edward D. Duffield, City Commissioner, Michael P. Duffy, Third Assistant Postmaster General Clinton B. Eilenberger, Mayor Meyer C. Ellenstein.

Common Pleas Judge Dallas Flanagan, City Commissioner Pearce R. Franklin, Herbert E. Forest, Colonel William Freiday, Colonel Arthur F. Foran, Federal Judge Paul Forman, Federal Judge Guy L. Foster, the Rev. Dr. William H. Foulkes, Rabbi Solomon Foster.

Mayor Frank Hague of Jersey City, Common Pleas Judge Richard Hartshorne, Representative Fred J. Hartley Jr., Paul E. Heller, Colonel William A. Higgins, First Assistant Postmaster General William W. Howes, William J. Jones, Colonel William H. Kelly, State commissioner of banking and insurance, Representative Frederick Lehlbach.

Thomas N. McCarter, Lieutenant Commander Thomas B. Mulroy, State Treasurer Thomas A. Mathis, Circuit Court Judge Worrall F. Mountain, City Commissioner A. F. Minisi, Representative Mary Norton, Ambrose O'Connell, deputy to the first assistant postmaster general, Circuit Court Judge Newton H. Porter, City Commissioner Reginald Parnell.

Comptroller of Customs Arthur A. Quinn, W. E. Reynolds, County Director William H. Rawson, Llewellyn Ross, Circuit Court Judge Joseph L. Smith, Circuit Court Judge William A. Smith, Juvenile Court Judge Joseph Siegler, Vice Chancellor Alfred A. Stein, Postmaster Francis J. Sinnott of Brooklyn, Republican County Chairman Jesse R. Salmon, Mrs. Ellen T. Sinnott.

Major General John J. Toffey, State Senator John E. Toolan, Eugene H. Valle, Common Pleas Judge Walter D. Van Riper, State Attorney General David Willentz, State Senator Joseph G. Wolber, Major David E. Weshner, Colonel Clyde E. Winterton of the 113th Infantry.