

ALBEE FORMALLY ENTERS CONTEST

Announces That He Will Lead Faction Opposed to Simon in Mayoralty Race.

PLANS FOR HIS CAMPAIGN

Friends Will Endeavor to Induce Kellaher to Withdraw. That Chances May Be Better to Defeat Nominee.

H. R. Albee, State Senator, yesterday yielded to the demands of the anti-Simon forces and consented to become an independent candidate for Mayor.

No Other Candidate Available.

The announcement in The Oregonian this morning that I was willing to become an independent candidate if no other man could be found on whom the opposition to Mr. Simon could unite did the work.

Mr. Albee is not without some experience in Portland and Multnomah County politics. Several years ago he was elected as a member of the City Council.

May Crowd Out Kellaher.

Friends of Mr. Albee will first direct their efforts to keep his legislative colleague, Senator Kellaher, who contemplates becoming an independent candidate, out of the race.

There are three steps in the campaign program of the Albee people. In the first place they will urge Mr. Kellaher to quit the fight that the anti-Simon Republican strength may be concentrated on Mr. Albee.

PRINT PAMPHLET FOR VOTERS

Auditor Will Issue Synopsis of Proposed Laws.

Under the provisions of the direct primary law, City Auditor Barbur is having printed 5000 pamphlets, containing a synopsis of the 42 questions proposed either by the initiative or referendum, on which the voters of this city will be expected to vote next month.

CLOSED RIVER BRIDGES

Writer Recommends: 5 to 9 A. M.; Noon to 2 and 5 to 8 P. M.

PORTLAND, May 13.—(To the Editor.)—The Oregonian's agitation for the regulation of opening the bridges across the Willamette River is very proper and to the point.

In the morning, 12 and 2 at noon and 5 and 8 o'clock in the evening. Just at 9 A. M. workmen to go to work commence crossing the bridges, and up to 9 A. M. when office men go to work, there should be no interruption in the traffic.

The writer lived for a long time in a city larger port than Portland, where the bridges are opened only during four hours of the day, between 9 and 11 A. M. and 2 and 4 P. M.

One correspondent in The Oregonian complains about the operators of the bridges, and there are reasons for complaint. It seems as if these operators are generally engaged spying a boat in the far distance, and that they open the draws a long time before necessary.

POSTMEN WILL PARADE

MAIL-CARRIERS ARE TO GO AFTER ELK TROPHY.

More Than 20 Organizations Agree to Participate in "Homecoming Day" June 7.

Picking up the gauntlet flung down by the Macabees as announced in yesterday's Oregonian, the Portland Mail Carriers' Association has notified the "Homecoming day" committee of the Rose Festival that there would be at least 300 of Uncle Sam's uniformed employees ready to fight for the big Elk trophy.

The Elk trophy, which is to be awarded to the organization making the best appearance in the parade, is to be one of the finest loving-cups that has ever been hung up in a celebration in Portland.

It is now assured that the "Homecoming day" parade will be a fine turnout of military, fraternal and social organizations having offered their services.

Joe Clark, corresponding secretary of the Bricklayers' International Union No. 1 of Oregon, called at the meeting yesterday and said that his organization had named a committee and that it was ready to do anything it could to help out the Festival.

THE NEW CLOTHING STORE

Specials for Friday and Saturday.

- \$15 for men's suits, \$25 value.
\$25 for men's suits, \$40 value.
\$12.50 for the Lenox hat, worth \$3.00.
\$1.00 Eureka shirts, worth \$1.25.
\$5.00 leather suitcase, \$7.50 value.
\$2.50 ladies' suitcase, \$4.00 value.
J. L. Bowman & Co., popular priced clothing, Fifth and Alder streets.

Menu Shows Portland Roses.

A menu card typical of Portland has been prepared by the O. R. & N. for the Royal Arcanum as planned for Twin Cities. On the face of the card is embossed a spray of Portland roses in colors, and on the back page of the folder is a view of some scenes along the route.

F. W. Klippel Given Divorce.

In the State of Montana during the April term of court, F. W. Klippel was granted an absolute divorce from his wife, Lillian M. Klippel.

MANY WILL ATTEND Grocers' Convention Expected to Set New Record.

FACILITIES TO BE TAXED

Several Trains Have Been Chartered and Other Parties Will Come in Special Cars—Will Be Well Entertained.

More delegates will be present at Portland during the National Retail Grocers' Convention, June 23-25, than have attended any other convention held by the association.

There will be at least four special trains bringing delegates and their friends and a considerable number of special cars. The special trains will travel to Portland via San Francisco.

Anxious to See Roses.

One reason that is causing the rush to Portland is the unique advertising carried out by the Portland delegation at Boston last year.

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MALE FLIRTS IN JAIL

PLAZA BLOCK MASHERS LANSQUISH IN CELL.

James Nolan and M. Fitzsimmons Are Arrested After Annoying Two Young Women.

By wandering into the south Plaza block, reserved for women, and attempting to pick up the acquaintance of two girls who were seated at a bench in the shade, two young mashers came to grief late yesterday afternoon.

THUGS ASSAULT AND ROB

Texas Citizen Pays Costly Visit to Bad Lands.

As the outcome of leaving his wife behind and going out to take in the sights of Portland, Ill. W. Casper of Pecos City, Tex., is nursing an empty purse and divers bad bruises about the face and head.

ILLINOIS WOMAN MAKES REMARKABLE RECORD

Picks Eighty-Five Gallons of Berries Besides Performing Regular Housework.

Mrs. Anna Maring, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 57, Dennison, Clark county, Ill., notes an interesting experience with the Cooper remedies, which have grown largely into popular favor during the past few years.

WHEELWRIGHT TO GREET JAPS

SALEM, Or., May 13.—(Special.)—Gov-

Three Great Specials In Our Boys' Dept. Friday and Saturday

Wash Suits - - 39c

340 Wash Suits, plain and fancy, in Russian and sailor effects, sizes 3 to 8, regular 50c, 75c and \$1.00 values, special 39c

Boys' Felt Hats \$1

New green and tan shades in the real nobby shapes, regular \$1.50 Hats, special at \$1.00

2-Pants Knicker Suits \$3.45

All-wool Suits, with two pairs Knicker Pants, regularly selling at \$5.00, special \$3.45



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REDUCED ROUND TRIPS TO THE EAST MAY 17, JUNE 2, 3 JULY 1, 2 AND 3 AUGUST 11 AND 12

Through Service to Chicago

Effective May 23, the North Coast Limited—the crack train of the Northwest—will afford through electric-lighted drawing-room sleeping car service Portland to Chicago, daily.

THE NORTH BANK ROAD—Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway

Buffet-library-observation car with barber, bath and every accessory Dining cars—a la carte—for all meals.

Northern Pacific Railway

Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, Seattle, June 1 to October 10, 1909. Rainier National Park and Paradise Valley by auto or rail from Tacoma, June 1 to October 1, 1909.

ernor Benson has appointed W. D. Wheelwright as the Governor's personal representative at the festivities at Tacoma on May 23 and 24 in honor of the visit to that city of the Japanese fleet.

Suit Against Furniture Concern. A suit against the Doernbecher Manufacturing Company for \$250 was filed in the Circuit Court yesterday by Emma Lovgren, administratrix of Charles Lov-

It is alleged in the complaint that the press was not fastened to the floor, and green's estate. Lovgren was killed on October 23, 1907, by a falling veneer press that while Lovgren was removing the veneer, the heavy press toppled over.

Laid Town of Hutchinson. PORTLAND, May 13.—(To the Editor.)—Will The Oregonian please correct a mistake in the notice of the death of my husband, C. C. Hutchinson, given in Tuesday's paper.

LATEST SHEET MUSIC 5, 10 and 15 Cents. Popular, classical and folios. The E. P. Charlton & Co., 288-290 Washington St.

Ghirardelli's COCOA No. 13 is good, because it is perfect and pure. Don't ask merely for cocoa—ask for Ghirardelli's.

Do You Feed Your Family Lard? The thought of taking into your stomach raw lard—hog fat—is repellent; then why take it in cooked form? There used to be a poor excuse for lard; now there is no excuse at all. Cottole is the perfect shortening and frying medium. It is pure, healthful and digestible—there is not a trace of hog fat in it.