CHICAGO MAYOR TO BE VISITOR TODAY

W. H. Thompson, Republican Presidential Timber, Will Be Guest at Reception.

ACHIEVEMENT LIST IS LONG

Party of Chicago Aldermen Is Accompanying Executive--Rotarians to Help Entertain City Official With Notable Career.

Illinois—more particularly Chicago—will present her "favorite son" to the people of Portland today.

William Hale Thompson, Mayor of Chicago and the choice of the northern half of Illinois for the Republican nomination for President, will be in Portland this afternoon and evening. Accompanying him will be about 20 Chicago Aldermen and may other residents of that city. They are traveling on a special train, which will arrive over the Southern Pacific at 2 o'clock. They will leave at 11 o'clock tonight for Tacoma.

As soon as they arrive, the Chicagoans will be loaded into waiting automobiles and paraded through the principal scenic boulevards.

Informal Reception to Be Held.

An informal reception will be held for them at the Chamber of Commerce, and at 6 o'clock they will be guests of honor at a dinner at which the Portland Rotary Club will be the host. Mayor Thompson is a Rotarian.

On account of the Mayor's prominent connection with the Republican party in Illinois, all Oregon Republicans who want to meet him have been invited to the Rotary dinner. All former resident of Illinois, also, are expected to attend.

Although the Chicago Mayor is not an active candidate for the Presidential nomination, it is believed that he will present formidable strength at the next Republican National convention. Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman, of Illinois, also is expected to be a candidate, but it is probable that the Illinois Republicans will center their strength on one or the other of them at the forthcoming primaries. A good many people are beginning to think that the Chicago Mayor will be the Illinois "favorite."

Many Achievements Notable.

Mayor Thompson always has been a prominent figure in the activities of Chicago.

As captain of the Chicago Athletic Association football team, he won the championship of the world.

Some of his notable achievements have been: First, the phenomenal majority by which he was elected Mayor of Chicago, the largest majority ever given to any Mayor at any time in any city in America; his settlement of the streetcar strike in Chicago, wherein he took both factions, locked them in his office, put the key in his pocket, and refused to allow them to leave until some agreement had been reached for the settlement of the strike.

New Lockout Is Attacked.

In addition to this settlement, two weeks later he tackled the adjustment of the long standing Building Trades lockout, which was affecting more than 250,000 artisans, and had been affecting all commercial lines and stagnating business in the City of Chicago for a period of nearly six months. This was known as the biggest lockout Chicago had ever experienced.

An illustration of his executive mind and methods is also exemplified in the fact he appointed a committee and took active part in its work, collecting a fund of more than $375,000 and disbursing it within a period of two months for the benefit of the sufferers of the terrible Eastland steamship disaster, in which 1000 lives were lost in the Chicago River. The accident brought him post haste from California and interrupted the festivities in which he was about to participate in honor of Chicago day at the fair. This was done at a cost of less than $500, or one-seventh of one per cent.

The Chicago party consists of the following:

William Hale Thompson, William Burkhardt, Dr. William Reid, F. O. Crisby, P. H. Moynihand & Son, Oscar Wolf, Christopher Manner, Charles W. Francis, John F. Garner, R. M. Sullivan, E. J. Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Obermeyer, John L. Ferguson, Fred Lundin, Alderman Hugh Norris, Alderman M. J. Dempsey, Alderman Frank Klause, Fred Raven, Alderman John H. Bauler, Alderman N. A. Michaelson, George Remus, B. F. Kiesman, A. H. B. Atwood, W. G. E. Pierce, Alderman John Bruber, E. A. Hardin, B. L. Maciejewski, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gray, Alderman Oscar De Priest, Charles Rasmussen, Alderman James H. Lawley, Mark Solomon, Alderman Hugo Krause and Mrs. Krause and son, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Erickson, Robert Tarrant, Alderman Joseph C. Blaha and Mrs. Blaha, Mrs. Sarah Lawley, Miss Nanie Lawley and Miss Solomon.

HIBERNIANS BACK WILSON

Seventy-five Members Added at Ceremony Attended by 500.

Irish wit and humor was conspicuous at the banquet given Sunday night in Hibernian Hall, at the conclusion of the initiation of 75 members into the Ancient Order of Hibernians. The ceremonies and banquet were attended by more than 500 members of the order.

A ladies' chorus sang at the conclusion of the ceremonies and a pledge was taken by the 500 to support President Wilson in his policy of neutrality.

The banquet was presided over by J. H. McMenamin, a prominent Portland attorney. Among those who responded to toasts were: F. E. Sullivan, president of the Press Club and editor of the Catholic Sentinel; Mrs. W. A. Elvers, past president of the ladies' auxiliary; M. J. Driscoll; John Kenny, president of the Hibernians; Miss Anna Dunn; Miss Marie Chambers, of the widows' pension bureau; Judge W. N. Gatens, M. J. Walsh, L. W. O'Rourke, M. J. Murnane, Mrs. W. J. Snook, J. L. Ledwidge and Robert Day. Musical numbers were given by Mrs. James Hayes and Frances McCarthy.

LICENSE VALIDITY FOUGHT

Postal Telegraph Company Files Suit Against City.

The validity of an annual license of $300 for the privilege of conducting its business in Portland, as required by an ordinance with an emergency clause, passed by the Portland City Council on November 11, 1914, is attacked by the Postal Telegraph Company in a suit in equity against the City of Portland, filed in the United States District Court yesterday.

The company alleges that this license is unreasonable and grossly excessive.

Citing figures to bear out its contention, the complaint says that the deficit on its business in Oregon alone was $843.99 for the year, and that the imposition of the $300 license fee would bring this deficit to $1142.99.

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10 MILES PAVED IN 1915

COST FOR YEAR WILL BE APPROXIMATELY $394,890.

Street Improvement One-Third Less Than That of 1914—Total Hard-Surface Will Be 365 Miles.

Ten miles of paving on Portland streets will be the record for the present year, according to figures compiled by the city department of public works. The total cost will be approximately $394,890. The length of new pavement this year is compared with 31.98 miles last year at an aggregate cost of $1,103,088.

This has been the smallest year for paving since 1908, when the paving boom was started. The total mileage of hard-surface at the beginning of this year was 355.27 miles, and at the end of this year it will be 365 miles, or possibly a little more than that.

The report shows what was completed up to September 1 and an estimate of the amount to be done during the remainder of the year.

A big reduction in the general cost of all types of paving is noted in the report on the amounts. Big reductions in the unit cost of the various types per square yard is shown. The paving this year has cost less than during any other year. Following is a table showing the average cost of the various types of pavement laid during 1914, as compared with the costs during 1915:

Type—	Sq. Yard 1915	Sq. Yard. 1914
Bitulithic	$1.72	$1.85
Concrete	1.23	1.24
Asphaltic concrete on crushed rock base	1.09	1.25
Asphaltic concrete on a bituminous base	1.15	1.15
Gravel bitulithic	1.46	1.43
Bitulithic redress	1.25	1.39
Asphalt	1.50	1.54
Hassam (Class B)	1.35	1.28
Vitrified brick blocks	2.83	3.08
Stone blocks	2.89	2.84

The total mileage completed up to September 1 was 6.7 miles, and the total cost was $265,062.10. The estimated mileage for the rest of the year is 3.3 miles, and the cost is estimated at $129,828.80.

THIS IS COLUMBUS DAY

AMERICA DISCOVERED 423 YEARS AGO TOMORROW.

Legal Holiday to Be Observed and Celebration to Be Held by Portland Knights of Columbus.

Christopher Columbus, with the historic little fleet that every schoolboy knows by heart, the Pinta, the Nina and the Santa Maria, discovered America just 423 years ago today, on October 12, 1492.

In 33 states of the Union, Oregon included, October 12 is now set aside as Columbus day, a legal holiday.

The other states are Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, where it is also a judiciary holiday; New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Vermont, Washington and West Virginia.

It is also a legal holiday on the Island of Porto Rico, which has been United States territory since the Spanish war, and which was one of the islands Columbus discovered on his second voyage to the new world.

The principal celebration of the day in Portland will be held under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus. They will hold an open house at Cathedral Hall, Everett and Eighteenth streets, at 8 o'clock tonight, at which an attractive programme will be presented.

There will be patriotic music, brief talks in keeping with the day, refreshments and dancing. Short speeches will be made by William Barrett, of Albany, state deputy of the Knights of Columbus; Frank J. Lonergan, district deputy, and Archbishop Christie.

Judge Kavanaugh is chairman of the committee in charge of the programme. Other members of the committee are Roger B. Sinnott, Robert J. O'Neill, Arthur A. Murphy and Frederick W. Goodrich.

In Portland today the banks will be closed, but other business will go on as usual.

CONSCIENCE SALVE IS $50

Salem Man Resists Game Warden and Surrenders Himself Later.

How much is a man's peace of mind worth?

That is a question that a Salem resident, whose name is withheld, has had decided for him by the court, and the price was $50.

One day last week Roy Bremmer, a deputy game warden, stopped a man in an automobile on the county road a short distance outside of Salem. Bremmer, thinking that the man acted suspiciously, asked to see his license. The request was refused and when Bremmer said that he would like to search the car, that request was also refused. "I will have to arrest you, then, for resisting an officer," said Bremmer; but when he looked up to see the cold barrel of a six-shooter pointed in his direction and was told to keep looking into the barrel of the gun as long as it was visible, he obeyed.

So transfixed was the warden that he did not have time even to get the number of the automobile. And when the car disappeared every possible means of identification was lost.

Friday afternoon a man hurried into the police station at Salem and gave himself up to the officers. He proved to be Bremmer's game law violator suspect.

The Salemite was placed under arrest for resisting an officer, pleaded guilty and was fined $50 and costs.

FRIENDS STAY BY PRISONER

Oregon City Man Is Taken East to Face Embezzlement.

OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 11.—(Special.)—Between 50 and 60 friends of Arthur E. Churchman gathered around the City Jail at 5 o'clock this afternoon when Officer Frank Verelli, of the Connecticut State Police stationed at Hartford, left with Churchman for Bridgeport, Conn., where Churchman is wanted on a charge of embezzlement of $800 in 1911. Churchman has lived in Oregon City since 1912, working for the Hawley Pulp & Paper Company, and has made many friends here.

Churchman made a complete confession, and said he was willing to go East without requisition papers. He said he would offer to work for the Aluminum Castings Company, from whom he took the $800, to repay for the money taken in 1911, and declared he was willing to serve out a sentence.

VERDICT AGAINST BANKERS

Subscriber to Gresham Concern Awarded Judgment for $1000.

Judgment in favor of F. O. Eckstrom against O. A. Eastman, cashier of the Bank of Gresham, and Dr. J. M. Short, chairman of the finance committee of that institution, for $1000 was given by a jury in Judge McGinn's court yesterday. The bank itself was excepted. Judge McGinn had previously granted a non-suit as to John Sleret, president of the bank.

Eckstrom sued to recover money which he paid for stock of the Co-operative Supply House, now defunct, to which he said he subscribed after Dr. Short and Eastman had indorsed it over their signatures. The attempt to hold the bank was made on the theory that they were acting in their official capacities.

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BOY WITH GUN HOLDS MAN

Youngster Says He Escaped From Reform School, and Gets Away.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 11.—(Special.)—A 14-year-old boy, who when routed out of hiding in a barn, shoved a gun in the face of the surprised owner and escaped, is believed by the officers to be one of the four boys who escaped Saturday last week from the State Reform School at Salem. The barn, located near the railroad track, is used by James Murray, who observed a light in the structure.

Murray, with the gun held in his face, asked the boy what he wanted. The youth replied that he had escaped from the Reform School and that the police were after him.

Japanese Newspapermen Visit.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Ten Japanese newspapermen arrived here today from Japan aboard the steamer Tenyo Maru. They will visit the Panama-Pacific and the Panama-California expositions, spending several weeks in California. They party will sail for home from Seattle some time in November.

THIEF SUSPECT RETURNED

Earl Winkler Is Brought Back From Spokane.

Charged with complicity in the robbery of a restaurant at 588 Washington street three weeks ago, Earl Winkler, who was arrested in Spokane, was brought to Portland by City Detective Royle yesterday.

Winkler is accused of being the partner of Al Dawson in the robbery. Dawson is now serving a sentence of six months for his part in the crime. Two men entered the restaurant and took $98 from the till, after sending the proprietor out of the shop for some ice cream, which was not in stock at the restaurant.

Colorado Indians hold the ancient cliff dwellings in great reverence, saying that "the little people" inhabit them. The red men predict that these beings will destroy the Government telephone lines now being built into Mesa Verde Park.

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