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## WHAT WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY MEANS TO SALEM

Willamette University was located upon its present site before there was any Salem. The school gathered about itself a hamlet which grew into a town and into a most beautiful city; it donated lands for state purposes and helped to secure the state capitol for this place. For eighty years it has been a steady contributing factor to the highest progress of this entire community.

More specifically, Willamette is an asset to Salem because

1. It announces to the world that the citizens of Salem are of such character that they stand for higher education and culture. Such reputation is of value.
2. It is an invitation to the best people everywhere who seek educational advantages to make Salem their home. More than fifty families have located in Salem during the past two years largely because of Willamette.
3. Willamette makes a steady contribution to the social, religious and intellectual life of the city.
4. The students are of the best type, always young, active, interesting and helpful.
5. Because Willamette is here, many residents can pursue their higher education without the expense and disadvantage of leaving home.
6. Young people of Salem are encouraged to attend college just because they are reared in a college atmosphere.
7. Many Salem students are in Willamette who would be financially unable to go elsewhere for college training.
8. Willamette adds to the income of those who receive students as roomers and boarders.
9. Willamette increases the value of real estate, homes and business, in Salem.
10. Students spend much money here which has been earned elsewhere.

### FINANCIALLY, WILLAMETTE IS A GOOD INVESTMENT FOR SALEM

11. The definite financial advantage of Willamette to Salem is seen in this estimate:  
446 students each spend annually about \$400.00.....\$178,400  
University receipts from endowment, gifts, fees, etc..... 45,000

\$223,400

Practically all of this is spent in Salem. If we estimate that the profits to those who received the money average 16 2-3 per cent, Salem will net over \$37,000 this year from Willamette.

This has been going on for seventy-five years, with a varying annual expenditure, and in that time the school has brought to Salem from \$8,000,000 to \$10,000,000. This will continue to go on; and the more Willamette prospers, the more there will be for the merchants of Salem.

### FUTURE PLANS

Lausanne Hall must be completed and Waller Hall must be rebuilt. To do this will cost approximately \$150,000; and nearly all of this money will be spent in Salem.

One hundred thousand dollars more than we have will be required and a campaign is on for that amount. Of this sum Salem is asked to give at least \$20,000. Other cities say, "If Salem is not interested, why should we give?"

With these two buildings completed, the University will be able to care for more students and do it properly. More students will come; success will beget more success. If there is evidence of approval by Salem people, other persons will approve. If there is prosperity, outside benefactors can be solicited. And there is good reason to believe that if this campaign be enthusiastically successful, large gifts will soon come to the school.

It is for Salem to say.

Willamette is grateful for what Salem citizens have done. Willamette is confident they will not fail now. But the call is for individual action and the appeal is to YOU.

(The above is a letter sent out by T. E. McCroskey, manager of the Salem Commercial Club, addressed to the citizens of Salem, bearing date of April 29. It is worthy of careful reading; and its object is worthy of the utmost possible support of all our people.)

It is getting so that when Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer announces that there is to be a fall of prices the figures aviate.

They have a queer primary election law in Indiana. Unless one candidate gets a majority over all,

the delegates are either uninstructed or the state convention instructs them.

It is unfortunate that Southern California does not extend all the way up to the Oregon line. The voters north of the Tehachepi seem

## Announcement

We have become associated with Drs. M. C. Findley and B. L. Steeves under the firm name of

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to be joined to their political idol.— Los Angeles Times.— (The Times refers to the large Hi Johnson vote in the northern part of California. —Ed.)

It used to be said that every rebellion sprang from empty stomachs, but that must be considered a Machiavellian notion, for Ireland was never so prosperous.

The people of the Salem district can make their own sugar and syrup and cut out the trusts entirely. And they must lay the foundations now—this year.

There are a great many things from which sugar and syrup are made. The most important to the Salem district, however, are beets and sorghum. Please tell The Statesman what you know about these.

The Statesman is very anxious, today and tomorrow, to get in touch with people in this section who have experimented with syrup making with sugar beets. If you are one of them, here is a public duty for you. You owe it to your town and country to report. It is important.

The feeling of self-determination, born out of the covenant of nations idea, is taking possession of the world and now the Azerbaijanians are getting out pamphlets looking to their ultimate freedom. How would you like to meet a wild Azerbaijanian along the wide reaches of North or South Commercial, or State or Court streets?

It is estimated that \$18,000 will be spent to improve the acoustic properties of the convention hall at San Francisco. There was some doubt whether it would be possible for Bryan to be heard by the chair

### FUTURE DATES

May 11, Tuesday—Shriner patrol inspection, armory.  
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May 12, Wednesday—Open forum meeting of Commercial club.  
May 12, 13 and 14—Northwest art exhibit at Marion hotel under Salem Art League.  
May 12, Wednesday—Salem business men's and Cherrian excursion to Eugene and Corvallis.  
May 13, Thursday—Community federation meeting at Hubbard.  
May 13, Thursday—Program by students of state school for blind, high school auditorium.  
May 14, Friday—Baseball, Salem high vs. U. of O. rookies, Eugene.  
May 14, Friday—Debate between Willamette university and Oregon Agricultural college.  
May 14 to 16—Older Boys conference in Salem.  
May 15 and 16—Nineteenth annual convention of Oregon State Association of Master Plumbers, in Salem.  
May 15, Saturday—County school athletic meet, Sweetland field.  
May 15, Saturday—County school declamatory contest.  
May 15, Saturday—County spelling contest, at high school.  
May 15, Saturday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Eugene high, Eugene.  
May 16, Sunday—Educational day.  
May 18, Tuesday—Pacific Coast Ad club automobile excursion passes through Salem.  
May 21, Friday—Portland Drama League presents play at Grand opera house for benefit of University of Oregon Women's Building.  
May 21, Friday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Newberg high, Salem.  
May 21, Friday—Special and primary elections in Oregon.  
May 22, Saturday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Jefferson high of Portland, in Portland.  
May 22, Sunday—Baseball, McMinnville vs. Salem.  
May 23, Sunday—Memorial Sunday.  
May 23-27, Wednesday and Thursday—polio club concert, Grand theatre.  
May 27, Thursday—Baby clinic at Commercial club.  
May 29, Saturday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Eugene high, Eugene.  
May 29, Saturday—William Howard Taft speaks at armory, Salem.  
May 30, Sunday—Baseball, Albany vs. Salem.  
May 30, Sunday—Decoration day.  
June 1, Tuesday—Salem-Portland air service begins.  
June 4, Friday—Baseball, Salem high vs. McMinnville high, McMinnville.  
June 6, Sunday—Baccalaureate sermon for high school graduating class at Leslie Methodist church.  
June 11, Friday—Salem schools close.  
June 13, Sunday—Baseball, Woodburn vs. Salem.  
June 14, Monday—Play day.  
June 14 to 17—Officers' schools for Oregon National Guard at Vancouver and Fort Stevens.  
June 19 and 20—National gypsy tour motorcycle events in Salem.  
June 22, 23 and 24—Imperial convlave of Mystic Shrine in Portland.  
June 23, Wednesday—Imperial convlave of Mystic Shrine to visit Salem.  
June 24, 25 and 26—Portland Rose festival.  
June 26, Saturday—Letter Carriers' convention in Salem.  
June 6 to 26—Annual encampment of Oregon national Guard, infantry and engineers at Camp Lewis, artillery at Fort Stevens.  
July 22, 23 and 24—State Elks convention in Salem.  
September 27 to October 3—Oregon state fair.

when he wanted to tell the delegates where to get off at.

### BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Bring on some rain. Our farmers generally want rain now even more anxiously than they wanted sun shine a little while ago—if possible.

Who is keeping us out of gasoline? You will be surprised at the number of things that produce sugar and syrup, in the slogan pages of Thursday.

But the most important of them, to the Salem district, are beets and sorghum. If you know anything about growing sugar beets or sorghum, or about making sugar or syrup from beets or syrup from sorghum, please tell The Statesman, and do it today or tomorrow.

It is mighty important.

Los Angeles county, Cal., cast more votes for Hoover at the primaries last week than Hi Johnson has received in any state outside of California, except Michigan. So the Hoover men in that part of our neighboring state have some crumbs of comfort and reason for congratulation—even if Hiram did so unmercifully trim Herbert in California as a whole.

### SPACE INCREASED.

MYRTLE POINT, Or., May 6.—Increasing prairie production in this vicinity has necessitated additional facilities to handle coming crops, and a new packing plant is to be erected here by the Oregon Growers' co-operative association.

## BLIND STUDENTS WILL BE HEARD

### Musical and Dramatic Entertainment at High School Friday Night

A musical and dramatic entertainment will be given by the pupils of the state school for the blind at the high school auditorium Friday evening, May 14, at 8:15 o'clock. The proceeds will be used to buy a new victrola for the use of the blind pupils.

The program follows:  
Bridal chorus, from "Rose Maiden"  
Senior chorus.  
"From Land of the Sky-Blue Water"  
"The Swallows"  
Frieda Maurer.  
"To Spring"  
"March Grottesque"  
Buell Field.  
"A Night in May"  
Frieda Maurer, Viola Bradley, Buell Field, Malcolm Meddler.

"Oh! Italia, Beloved"  
Senior chorus.  
"Grand Polka de Concert"  
Jennings Latimer?  
"Bendemeer's Stream"  
Cecil Carille, Buell Field, Walter Norby Malcolm Meddler.  
Polonaise, Op. 40, No. 1.  
Jacob Weinstein.

"A Case of Suspension,"  
(Comedy in one act.)  
Scene: A young ladies' sitting room.  
Young ladies of the seminary—  
Dorothy..... Viola Bradley  
Alice..... Frieda Maurer  
Mildred..... Anna Duedall  
Undergraduates of the college near by—  
Harold..... Jennings Latimer  
Tom..... Walter Norby  
Jack..... Edward Robbins

Of the Faculty—  
Miss Ophelia Judkins..... Iva Meyers  
Prof. Emelius Edgerton.....  
..... Walter Thrasher  
Kathleen, a Celtic maiden.....  
Jones, the seminary "man".....  
..... Buell Field

### Vester Service Closes May Day Festivities

Sunday afternoon witnessed the Willamette vesper service at the First Methodist church, the closing number on the May day junior weekend program.

Rev. E. E. Gilbert addressed the assembly on the topic of "Influence." His sermon was very inspiring and was a stimulation to person-

al righteousness for the sake of altruism and Christian evangelism. The Willamette women's quartet sang "No Evil Shall Befall Thee." The quartet is composed of Miss Marguerite Cook, Miss Helen McTurff, Miss Sadie Pratt and Miss Lorlei Blatchford.

Professor D. W. Mathews presided and Ed Norene led in prayer. Miss Lorlei Blatchford sang "He Leads the Way." The attendance was large.

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### NEW BUILDING GOES UP.

PORTLAND, Or., May 6.—Fruit jars and talking machines are soon to be housed under one roof in the big three-story warehouse to be built for Alexander Kerr at Thirtieth and Everett streets. Strong & McNaughton are supervising construction of the building, two floors of which are to be used by the Edison Phonograph company and by the Kerr Glass company.

## May Jewelry

"Who first beholds the light of day in Spring's sweet flowery month of May, And wears an Emerald all her life, Shall be a loved and happy wife."

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Crown flour, sack	\$3.35	12 cans Carnation Milk	\$1.38
10 pounds Graham flour	73	2 cans Borden's Milk	23c
10 pounds Wheat Cereal	73c	12 cans Borden's Milk	\$1.38
10 pounds Oats Cream Rolled, bulk	75c	2 cans Libby's Milk	23c
6 pounds Crisco	\$1.80	12 cans Libby's Milk	\$1.38
3 pounds Crisco	93c	50 pounds half ground salt	50c
Wesson's Oil, quart	73c	100 pounds half ground salt	\$1.00
Wesson's Oil, 1/2 gallon	\$1.40	1 ton half ground salt	\$18.50
Wesson's Oil 1 gallon	\$2.55	3 pounds Royal Club Coffee	\$1.50
Maple flavor Karo, 5 lbs.	85c	Arbuckles Coffee, pound	40c
Amber Karo, 5 pounds	53c	Power Steel Cut Coffee, pound	43c
Amber Karo, 10 pounds	\$1.00	1/2 gallon Tea Garden syrup	\$1.25
Quart Mazola oil	70c	1 gallon Tea Garden syrup	\$2.45
1/2 gallon Mazola oil	\$1.35	2 cans Smoked Sardines	25c
5 pounds Avonsdale Molasses	47c	4 cans Deviled Meat	25c
Corn Starch, Argo, 3 packages	25c	2 cans Oysters	35c
5 pounds Fresh Peanut Butter	85c	2 cans Clams, minced	35c
Nut Margarine, pound	33c	2 pounds Prunes	25c
2 cans Tomatoes	23c	2 pounds White Figs	25c
2 cans Peas	29c	12 pounds Fancy Beans	\$1.00
2 cans Sugar Corn	35c		
2 cans Campbell's Soup	25c		

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