

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Pastor's Car Recovered— After 10 hours absence without leave, the Ford car of Rev. W. T. Milliken was last night returned to him by the Salem police.

An Air Eater Will Save— Enough to buy four tires. Installed at 252 State; 660 N. Capital; 410 S. Com'l or phone 645W for demonstration.—Adv.

Book Store Changes Hands— The Varsity Book store of Willamette university will soon be under the charge of the university officials, according to the decision of the trustees in a recent executive session.

ment over to some student, paying him for time and services. It is proposed that Professor F. K. Franklin be the purchaser of the store with funds advanced by the trustees.

Free Kodak Developing— Quickest service. Quality work at Patton's.—Adv.

Sight Restored— J. R. Miller of Stayton yesterday was discharged from the Willamette sanatorium following the treatment of his right eye.

Appraisers Report— W. C. von Behren, D. G. Drager and W. Y. Richardson, appraisers of the Rex D. Porter estate, have filed an estate inventory showing that personal property in the sum of \$1000 is credited.

Card of Thanks— We wish to thank the members of the G.A.R., W.R.C., and the Daughters of Veterans, also other friends, for their great kindness to us.

MRS. NELLIE KEYES, Adv. HORACE KEYES.

Hall Will Speak— Senator Charles Hall, candidate for governor, and Hamilton Johnson will speak at the armory this evening.

It Was Senior Day— Yesterday was senior chapel day at Willamette university and the upperclassmen took charge.

Hartman's Glasses Wear them and see Easier and Better HARTMAN BROS. Phone 1255. Salem, Oregon

SAVE \$ \$ \$ by buying your hardware and furniture at The Capital Hardware & Furniture Co., 285 N. Commercial street. Phone 947.

CAPITAL BARGAIN HOUSE For Sale—One 2-horse size and trucks, reasonable; also some plumbing supplies. A good trailer at a bargain.

Primaries May 19, 1922, 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Another \$5 Received— Dr. H. E. Morris, of the Associated Charities, reports another gift of \$5 from D. A. White of Salem for the charities fund.



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City Ballots Ready— City Recorder Earl Race announced last night that sample ballots for the city election, May 19, will be posted today at the city hall for all who are interested in the city's election lineup.

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Boy Knocked Down— Howard Holmes, 382 North Nineteenth street, was struck by an automobile and slightly injured yesterday while playing on Eighteenth street between Center and Chemeketa.

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One Fatality Reported— One fatality out of a total of 20 accidents was reported to the state industrial accident commission for the week ending May 11.

Three Inmates Escape— Three inmates of the state hospital for the insane escaped Thursday night from working with which they were employed.

Jury Convicts Speeder— J. A. Purdue, driver of a Salem-Corvallis stage, was yesterday found guilty by a jury in justice court after facing trial on a charge of exceeding the speed limit.

Builders Are Active— Deputy City Recorder Marten Poulsen yesterday issued building permits as follows: G. S. Erickson, to build a frame dwelling at 1800 State street, cost \$1200.

Legal Blanks— Get them at The Statesman office. Catalog on application.—Adv.

Church Announcement— Big Sunday school in West Salem Methodist church tomorrow. Epworth league service at 7 o'clock. Church service 8 o'clock in the evening. Special music for Mother's day.

Document Presented— An interesting document has been presented to Willamette university by C. B. Moores of Portland.

Going to Corvallis— A number of Salem people are planning to go to Corvallis today to attend the junior day of Oregon Agricultural college.

Hear Hall— Candidate for governor and Hamilton Johnson talk at armory Saturday night.—Adv.

Rivalry in Full Swing— Intercourse activities are in full swing at Willamette university, with tennis matches in the lead.

A Classified Ad— Will bring you a buyer.—Adv.

Member of Tennis Team— Leon Culbertson of Salem was the Salem member of the U. of O. tennis team which defeated Reed college.

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Posts Twenty Dollars— H. E. Leonard of 1421 Stark street, Portland, last night posted \$20 cash bail with Sergeant Ralph Davis for his appearance in city court at 3 p. m.

BUCHTEL ASKS BETTER DEPOT

Improvement of Facilities at Oregon City Asked in Letter to Dey

Fred G. Buchtel, member of the public service commission, yesterday addressed a letter to Ben C. Dey, general attorney of the Southern Pacific company, at Portland, urging that action as early as possible be taken toward improving the company's depot facilities at Oregon City.

In September, 1921, the commission issued an order setting forth certain requirements in improving and rehabilitating both the passenger and freight facilities at that place.

"The commission now is in receipt of the information that highway plans have been adopted definitely locating the Pacific highway through Oregon City," writes Mr. Buchtel.

"We appreciate the many difficulties encountered in the company's attempt to comply with the order. Nevertheless, we, in common with the residents of Oregon City and vicinity, are extremely anxious that definite and final plans now be promptly consummated and that this work go forward with as little delay as possible."

The company is asked to agree on a date for a conference, at Oregon City when the question will be taken up in detail.

Assist Nature. There are times when you should assist nature. It is now undertaking to cleanse your system—if you will take Hood's Sarsaparilla the undertaking will be successful.

PERSONALS

C. R. Wade of Bandon, former judge of Coos county, was in Salem yesterday.

Miss Eva Godfrey left yesterday for Lebanon where she will spend the week-end.

Athur Montgomery is among those spending the week-end at Oregon Agricultural college.

Miss Margaret Pearce is visiting with friends at the O. A. C. junior week-end festivities. She will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Legge of the University of Oregon are guests at the Beta Chi sorority during this week-end.

SALEM DUMP IS RATS' HEAVEN

Or it Was Until Salem Riflemen Began Visiting the Place Nightly

Salem is also the ratkiller's paradise.

Paste this in the hat every one who wants to boast of local resources and tourist attractions. There is a magnificent city dump, out near the state fair grounds where literally everything is hauled—bones, food, garbage, hay, ancient fish, boxes and barrels, trash and just plain rubbish. It doesn't look very good to people, but it is heaven to a rat.

Thousands of rats, big grey rats, little brown rats, tiny pink rats, mouse-colored, medium rats, rat-eyed rats and open-faced rats and trusting rats and snarling untruthful rats, congregate there. They run a rat world of their very own; a busy, hungry, flea-carrying, plague infested world that lives mostly at night like the bedbug and the Apache of commerce.

Some of the Salem riflemen have been making it a business to visit this raty world, armed with a dark lantern and some form of shootin' iron.

Harlie Doe and Ray Betzer killed 75 rats in one evening this week, they did as well one other evening recently—and still the rats live and multiply even though Old Nemesis himself is on their trail.

of it. There is no capitalistic leech to take part of the profits of their labors—it's theirs!

HOTEL ARRIVALS

MARION—M. H. Nichols, E. Stevens, Marion B. Butler, Sol Richards, C. E. Boggess, B. Clemens, J. B. Burdial, Chas. M. Hecht R. Budlong, F. M. Shingland, F. A. Cockell, Carolyn E. Speer, A. F. Parker, J. Hutchinson, Portland; J. Ross Lisle, Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Punnes, Astoria; Jerry Schoenfeld, H. E. Smith, San Francisco; Howard Uhley, Albany; Mrs. H. S. Logan, Tualatin; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Keeney; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mills, Oakland; Gladys Rowland, Ida Callison, Eugene; H. L. Miller, R. E. Hamilton, San Francisco.

BLIGH—Vivian Noyes, Gervais; A. Anderson, Albany; Dorothy Cian, J. Bergman, New York; A. G. Rlach, M. Rose, M. Royer, S. M. Tracy, O. Jones, Portland; E. L. Chalcrafts, Siletz; Fred Maxwell, B. W. Copeland, Mrs. D. Donnell, L. Bucklen, Miss Helen Chase, Lillian C. Sutherland, Seattle; Mrs. H. H. Russell, Gold Hill; Alex C. Werick, Corvallis.

TERMINAL—Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Clark, C. B. Stubbs, C. W. Stauton, Judge Smith, H. Caidon, E. P. Reese, Portland; Grace Harding, Mill City; Harold Neal, Corvallis.

TO DAY BLIGH Two Acts Vaudeville and DOUG FAIRBANKS in HEADIN' SOUTH Free candy for the Kiddies at every Sat. and Sun. Matinee THEATRE

Admiral Sir Percy Scott of the British navy says that war is practically a thing of the past. He may be right, but we don't care to take the word of a man on such an important subject who is suffering under the name of Percy.—Exchange.

HON. WILL H. HAYS

EX-CHAIRMAN, REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE



RALPH E. WILLIAMS Vice-Chairman Republican National Committee

TELEGRAPHS RALPH E. WILLIAMS

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM A152NY 93 Blue FI New York NY 1265P May 5 1922

Ralph E. Williams, Republican National Committeeman, Portland, Ore.

Mutual friends have told me that you are a candidate for re-election as Republican National Committeeman this year, and I am constrained to send just this word of appreciation for your splendid service on the committee all the time that I was chairman. Your election as vice chairman of the national committee was the fullest possible evidence of the committee's gratitude to you and their confidence in your great future usefulness to the committee and to the party. In this I join most heartily. Kindest regards and best wishes always, WILL H. HAYS.

VOTE X 13

EDITORIAL from the MORNING OREGONIAN

MR. WILLIAMS FOR COMMITTEE-MAN Will H. Hays, who but lately retired as chairman of the republican national committee, pays tribute in a telegram to the service performed by the Republican party by the committeeman from Oregon, Ralph E. Williams. Mr. Hays should know. His testimony may be accepted as something more than a mere polite and formal expression of approval, to be expected from one member of the organization for another; for it is supported by the entire committee, which not many months ago, by unanimous vote of the representatives of forty-eight states elected Mr. Williams vice-chairman. He is the oldest member in point of service, and it is obvious—it is not denied by anyone—that his standing with the heads of the Republican party is very high. The national committeemanship is a party job. It pays nothing in salary but it carries many responsibilities, and calls for work. His rewards are, of course, recognition of leadership and the prestige and influence that go with it. Mr. Williams has been the committeeman for Oregon for fourteen years, and is a candidate for reelection. There is no good reason why he should not be re-elected; there are good reasons why he should be, the most obvious and unanswerable of which is that he has a high place with the committee, is on terms of intimacy and confidence with the national leaders of the Republican party, is in line for the national chairmanship, and can, and doubtless will, perform service which no new man, whatever his qualities, can possibly perform.

The Oregonian is reluctant to interfere in the contest for national committeeman; but the advantage to the Republican party in Oregon of Mr. Williams' election are so plain that it feels it should point them out.

VOTE X 13 (Paid adv. by Committee of Republicans, C. L. Starr, Sec'y, 617 Board of Trade Bldg., Portland, Ore.)

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