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FRIDAY, JUNE 3rd

HOTEL BENSON, 12:10

Speaker

**WILLIAM L. FINLEY**

Naturalist, Author, Lecturer

Topic

## "Recreational vs. Industrial Use of Oregon Rivers"

Last November Colonel Thomas N. Robins, of the U. S. Army Engineers corps, and Marshall Dana, associate editor of the "Oregon Journal," described and urged construction of the Willamette Valley project, designed to control flood waters, promote irrigation, check erosion, and develop power in the Willamette valley and its tributaries. Little was said at that time about the effect of the project on the recreational uses of the river, and fish life in the streams concerned. This phase of the problem particularly concerns Mr. Finley, who has devoted his life to the study of wild life and its importance to Oregon. He raises the question of whether one use of the river should be permitted to destroy other values? What he has to say bears particularly on this development and proposals concerning the upper Columbia river.

Mr. Finley needs little introduction to Oregonians, being one of the most widely known and enjoyed lecturers in the state. This will be his sixth appearance before the City Club.

### New member to be introduced today:

CARL H. KUHL, President-owner, Carl H. Kuhl Lumber Co., 314 Pittock Block, recommended by Richard L. Sherwood.

**COME EARLY!**

### CITIES REPORT SUCCESS ON "FIXLESS" TRAFFIC TAGS

Portland, Ore., is making a success of its new "fixless" traffic tag system, according to the Municipal Finance Officers' Association. A recent two weeks' drive not only reduced traffic charge evasion but resulted in the collection of \$2,600 in fines. This was an increase of \$1,274 compared with the previous two-week period, when three times as many tags had been issued for violations.

Dallas, Texas, makes a similar report. Last month the city collected nearly \$10,000 in traffic fines on 3,500 violations.

### SUMMER INSTITUTES AT REED

Education, Northwest Affairs, and International Relations are the titles of the three excellent, ten-day Institutes to be held at Reed College this summer. Round Table discussions will be led and lectures given by outstanding authorities in the various fields. Persons may attend any of the Institutes for one or more days. Those unable to attend the day-time sessions will want to take advantage of the low-priced evening lectures. For information, tickets, and registration for the Institute of International Relations, please call Miss Kathleen Cahill, 314 Park Building, BEacon 2910 or GARfield 3688. For the other Institutes call Mr. S. Kerby-Miller, SELLwood 1234.