

University Park and Portsmouth.

The Board of Trade of University Park is active and is doing good work in the matter of pushing improvements.

Through the efforts of the Board, Columbia Park, a tract of thirty acres for which the Portland Park Board paid \$35,000, is being improved and a start made to give the Peninsula one of the most attractive public parks in the city.

Another good move, is the widening of all streets from Glenwood Station to McKenna Avenue, from 60 to 80 feet. This is a wise move, and a timely one, as the work can be accomplished at a much less cost now than to wait until the property on these streets is improved.

An organized effort is being made to induce home-owners to improve and beautify their grounds by planting flowers, shrubbery and lawns. Both University Park and Portsmouth have some of the most elegant residences on the Peninsula, and can be made one of the most beautiful residence districts of Portland.

Larger water mains are being laid throughout the district, a much needed improvement. Last summer the water supply was very scant, entirely inadequate to the requirements.

It is the purpose of the Review to give special attention to local matters in University Park and Portsmouth, and will endeavor to give all local news of these important districts hereafter.

The unexpected death of Mrs. May E. Deveraux, wife of Mr. G. E. Deveraux, at the family residence in Portsmouth last Monday was very sad. Death resulted from child-birth. Deceased was 21 years old and highly respected, and her early demise has cast a gloom over the neighborhood. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of many friends. Funeral services were held Thursday and the body taken to the Sellwood crematory.

Portsmouth News.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. of University Park met Thursday afternoon at the home of Unruh in East Portland. The occasion was very enjoyable.

Rev. J. T. Hoye, of the West Side, has been called to the pastorate of the University Park Baptist Church. He has not given his decision in the matter yet. He will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning.

The United Artisans, Lodge No. 3, at Portsmouth, will give a fair and bazaar at their hall in Portsmouth, beginning Wednesday, December 14, continuing each evening, until and including Saturday evening.

Mails arrive at St. Johns, twice daily, 8 A. M. and 1:30 P. M. Mails close at 10:10 and 4:45 P. M.

Employment**FOR ALL**

University Park lies central to that great manufacturing district extending along the water front from the Portland Flouring Mill to St. Johns. Two thousand hands will soon have employment within easy walking distance from University Park. The better class engaged in this district are striving to have their homes at University Park because it is the desire of every good man to have his home in respectable surroundings.

University Park now has the far-famed Bull Run water at 50 cents per faucet, has more fine residences under construction than any other suburb, has employment for more men than any other suburb, has better educational facilities than any other part of Portland, has a larger payroll than any other suburb, has the highest degree of morality in Portland. It offers the best opportunity on earth to investors and homeseekers. Prices of lots are advancing. Call and see us about University Park.

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