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Carrying Bonds Means Progress If Bonds Carry Next Monday Saint Johns Will be Gainer.

Next Monday the people of this city are to vote upon the proposition of whether or not Saint Johns shall incur a bonded indebtedness shall incur a bonded indebtedness that the "Peninsular Bank" will commence doing business on Thurs-

measure almost unanimously.

As may be seen by the published call to be found in another column these proposed bonds are for the relief and payment of several bills: and to facilitate matters all will be voted upon under the second payment of several bills: and to facilitate matters all will be but, till the present enterprise made the movement of the second payment. This is done because the smallness the nerve to make the investment.

of the issue of bonds could not be Just now Mr. Wood is hunting successfully floated if parceled out for the huge safe which seems to

Johns, with a population nearing 3000, will be without fire protection for an uncertain period. This would bring about an increased insurance rate as well as a cessation of future building—and both these have the solid backing of our results would prove disastrous. No people. man who owns even one small building can afford to turn down the bond issue.

Sometimes a bond measure is defeated because careful tax-payers fear that money so obtained will be diverted to purposes other than was contemplated. In this case there used. Should there be the slightest possibility of such an act The REVIEW would be pleased to see the council so acting prosecuted for malfeasance of office. But there need be no fear.

Throwing aside all purposes for which these bonds are to be devoted save the one question of fire protection there is no hesitancy in stating that this \$10,000 will be well expended. To give fire protection to its residents is one of the first duties of a town council: yet if, by being handicapped through lack of funds, this is impossible, the heglect can be rightly laid to the people themselves. The \$10,000 will be a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and the action of the previous of the grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and the action of the previous of the grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and the action of the previous of the grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and there is but in the condition of the previous of the grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and there is but in the protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and there is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and there is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and there is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; and there is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, and there is but it is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, and there is but it is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, and there is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests, and there is a grand investment in this matter of protection to business interests. The decrease in the charter of particularly states a advertising that will accrue.

\$40,000 and there were but 500 investment is needed people to back the bonds our people might hesitate: yet we know numerous towns that have successfully done work in these figures-and were great financial gainers thereby. Here, in a town already of good is but a trifle-while the results

will be large.
One of the first questions asked not satisfactory a business man award the contracts. hesitates to invest. And it will not speak well for Saint Johns if, through neglect or carelessness, these bonds be refused and the fire

the makers because of "no funds." bond issue is not a party measure. No matter who may have been elected to the positions of trust this bond issue would have had to be aidered impartially—just as the progress of the town should be considered. The debt is not large. The interest means a dollar a year to a taxpayer-a sum too small to be considered when the returns are so great. The principal will be cared for by a sinking fund which

will make no hardship upon anyone.
Throwing aside all partisanship;
considering that no official has
aught but the good of the town at heart; considering that no money can be diverted from the use which the call particularizes; that salaries cannot be paid from the money derived from the bond sale; that the carrying of these bonds will not only add to the importance of the city but will present a better aspect that bell.

Nobody weighing all these points THE REwill urges that the bonds be carwill some ried by a good round figure—and that progress be not blocked.

Vote for the bonds.

Will Soon Institute.

Steps are about to be taken toward the institution of a lodge of Knights of Pythias in Saint Johns. It has been ascertained that more than a score of members of that order are now in town and others have expressed themselves as anxious to be knighted. Farther details pertaining to the organiza-tion will be made public later. It's bound to be a good thing.

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Getting Ready for Business. One of the leading questions of the day has been, "When will the new bank be open for business?" and to ease the wondering mind Cashier Charles Wood has caused

voted upon under the one head. the move no one seemed to have

in small chunks like marked-down have been mislaid somewhere along laces in a bargain sale: no financial firm cares to handle "job lots."

If the bonds shall be turned down at the polls it means that Saint Johns, with a population nearing

In small chunks like marked-down that same was a somewhere along the route. He asserts that it was big enough to behave itself—but fears the light western atmosphere has given it a giddy turn.

Although the Peninsular will be the start of the start

have but small capital at the start, there is an unlimited sum of money

School Census Brows Rapidly

School Board Announces Need of More Accommodations.

Directors of this school district cannot be a possibility of such an have called a special meeting of all act: the call stating explicitly for citizens to discuss the question of what the various amounts must be additional room for the increasing

The directors assert that the Throwing aside all purposes for rooms are already crowded to an

protection to business interests, in giving fair play to education; lowering of insurance rates, and the and the splendid buildings so num-If this issue of bonds was for expense is spared where judicious to council had been ascertained.

Voting on chief of police investment in the property of the

Held Adjourned Meeting.

the city council, except P. J. Peter- his retirement. Mr. Peterson deson, were in place as Mayor King sired information upon past salary called the meeting to order. There question before he voted on the size and rapidly growing, the incur-rence of a debt of this small amount for the improvement of Jersey was much consideration of the bids matter. street-some seeming a trifle high January. February and March, and others a little low: yet, as the total \$240, was reproduced. Mr. aggregate was below the engineer's Shields was not in favor of paying in a town by a prospective settler estimate and would entail no excessis regarding fire protection and insive cost to the owners of abutting be reduced to a satisfactory figure: surance rates. If the answers are property, it was thought best to believed that Organ should receive

Catlin streets was given to P. Hill: council: if Organ had not performed including excavating, filling, grav-eling and laying sidewalk. The charges should be preferred against apparatus now on hand returned to balance of the street contract was him. The whole matter was carawarded to the Saint Johns Sand ried over till next meeting. Residents of the town whether or and Gravel Company — that is Report of J. Henry Smith, city not the present council is to their Messrs. Windle & Rogers. The engineer, on expense concurrent liking, should bear in mind this car line will co-operate with the upon the grading and improving of city-and the work is to be pushed Richmond street showed a figure of as rapidly as possible.

Merritt Hanks was appointed as police deputy to care for the work made to place the town on a good at Cedar Park—and under pay basis. The matter should be con-from that institution. No further from that institution. No further business was transacted.

Chameleon Cows.

There seems to be in the midnight air the ring of a cow that has no day, May I, Miss Louie Ritter, of care—where is her home? Ah, Saint Johns, and Frank Robertson, none can tell-but she bears on her of The Dalles, were united in wedbreast the sign of the bell. Sometimes she is black and some-

times red-sometimes a yellow and sometimes white: and the bell she wears oft changes its tone—but the blamed thing rattles all through the night. She rubs one side against the

house—the other she eases on the ell; sometimes she nurses an orphan calf, but every moment she rattles Nobody knows her father's name,

or, if they know, they'll never tell: will some one claim this chameleon cow? This changeable cow with the dissolute bell?

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Engineer Smith was making surveys and estimates on Richmond street last Saturday—and has run his work from Portland to Willis houlevards. That street will soon arrest last street will soon arrest do not advertise this as a cheap paint, but can convince you that there is no more economical paint to use, and none that gives better

GOOLD, next door to postoffice. regularly.

City Council Gets to Business

Transacts Much Legislation and Adjourns for Twenty Hours.

With Mayor King in the chair the council was called to order at will eight o'clock Monday evening in commence doing business on Thurs- the city hall. Every councilman for none other than the fire protection our people should carry this the furniture and fixtures can be should carry the should carry this the furniture and fixtures can be should carry this the furniture and fixtures can be should carry this the furniture and fixtures can be should carry this the furniture and fixtures can be should carry this the furniture and fixtures can be should carry the fixtures can be should carry the should carry the fixtures can be should carry the should carry Shields and Thompson. Minutes of previous meeting were read by Recorder Hanks, and approved as

Petition of twelve property-holders to grade Edison street from Burlington to Saint Johns avenue was referred to street committee: and a petition for a franchise across the river from foot of Philadelphia street suffered the same fate. franchise was asked for eight years

at a total figure of \$100.

Matter of vacating a portion of a street and receiving in lieu thereof an equally valuable tract from M. L. Holbrook was laid over until the new council could investigate

F. W. Pratt announced that he could secure no suitable man in Saint Johns to act as police at Cedar Park, and recommended a Mount Tabor man for that place. If that was not satisfactory he asked that the council select a man. Mr. Brice believed that a man should at once fair in his proposition. Mayor King believed it better to wait till a chief of police had been appointed: then he possibly would secure a deputy.

Ordinance fixing salary of chief of police at \$60 per month and salary of city attorney at the same figure passed its third reading and was adopted. Question as to whether recorder

could draw warrants for salaries as ordinance requires if money was

until the action of the previous

Voting on chief of police then provoked a little discussion and considerable silence. Mr. Shields had in his pocket the resignation of C. R. Organ-and was to present Tuesday evening all members of it only if the council really desired

Mr. Organ's bill for December, ward the contracts.

The work from Fessenden to filling any contract made by old

\$916. The report was ordered printed to await remonstrances.

Bids on Jersey street improvements were laid over.

Adjourned to Tuesday evening, May 16, at 7:30.

Will Reside Here. At Pendleton, Oregon, on Mon-

lock-Rev. W. L. VanNuys, offici-

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Ritter, and bears a pleasing personality. has many warm acquaintances here who extend to her best wishes for her future happiness as does THE REVIEW.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson will be "at home" in Saint Johns after June 1-their residence being on Court street.

Will Continually Improve.

Just as rapidly as finances and conditions will permit Saint Johns Do you know, that Heath and more metropolitan. Grading is more in Cedar Park, and he hied himself to that shady

> his work from Portland to Willis and Marshal Organ had the man boulevards. That street will soon arrested for disturbance. In view have a different appearance.

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Gives Ananias a Long Lead.

Editor St. Johns Review:-In your issue of May 12, you state in meeting, held the evening of the rooth, that the vote on the matter of the largeing by the lar your report of the Commercial club the levying by the city council of an occupation tax was twenty against the measure and two for it. The truth of the matter is that there were only twelve men in the house, including the president, and one not a member of the club. The vote really stood ten against the measure and two for it, and at least three of those who voted against the measure stated that they did so, not because they objected to it. but because the money would be used to pay the salary of the city attorney, and that only because the present city attorney was objection able to them. You also stated that the club, with two exceptions, was in favor of accepting an offer made by M L. Holbrook of the use of a portion of his block where the city hall now stands rent free, until he needed it, while the truth of the matter is that Mr. Holbrook's offer was never mentioned at all, much less discussed. Now, Mr. Editor, it is very evident your reporter was never at that meeting, or that he

beat him out every time. ONE WHO WAS THERE.

can give Ananias a long lead and

be secured as Pratt seemed to be Badly Mangled By Swinging Saw At the Douglass Mill Laborer Loses His Right Arm.

Martin Maher, a trusted workman at the sawmill of A. S. Douglass & Sons, had the dire misfortune

last Friday afternoon to lose his right arm and suffer other wounds which at first were feared would be fatal. Mr. Maher was operating a cut-

off saw. As he swung it back the ST. JOHNS. :

Dr. MacLachlan found the arm Rooms from \$1:00 a week up. hanging by a mere shred of fleshand a severe wound on the body It was presumed the saw teeth tore their way into the abdominal cavity -but at Saint Vincent's hospital is was found to be less severe than was feared and, by a hair's-breadth, that organ was missed.

Late reports from the injured man indicate his recovery—although his condition is yet dangerous. He is a married man, with a numerous family depending upon him-and a subscription paper was at once circulated for their relief. It was generously subscribed to.

The West Coast Laundry. The West Coast Laundry of St.

Johns, under the management of J. K. Johnson-began operations on the 1st inst., and the quality of work turned out is superior to that of nine-tenths of the laundries in this vicinity. The fact that the THE EASTERN HOME new firm have been compelled to work overtime from the start on account of Portland patronage, is sufficient evidence that they fully understand their business. A trial order will convince anyone they are patronizing an up-to-date firm. The West Coast Laundry is here to do the w rk for St. Johns and vicinity at let live prices. And they are here to stay. No baits of cut prices are offered for slipshod work by cheap labor. Every garment turned out by the concern will be finished in first class style, and that at a nominal price. they ask is that you give them a trial order. You will then become a patron. Telephone Scott 3103. and their wagon will call for your parcel.

Not on the List.

There was a little fracas at Cedar Park Sunday night not on the menu, which cost nothing to see and five dollars to settle. A hard-working man had been

to his home for his supper, and

found only the unwashed dishes of the previous meal. He found, also, the children, alone and hungry.

spot only to find the wife of his his manly breast enjoying the two-There were a few words, a slap,

of the mitigating circumstances the St. Johns, Oregon fine imposed was the minimum, the justice figuring that a hungry and deserted man is hardly to be blamed Bon Ton Barber Shop for making faces with his fists.

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