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At the recent election, Oregon elected thirteen Democratic sheriffs.

As yet, Tom Word has not been appointed chief of police of Portland.

The harvest season is on in Oregon, and a bumper crop is being gathered.

St. Johns loves a scrap, and it is a poor week when there is not something doing.

"There is plenty of work for all idle men," is a refreshing bit of news in every paper in Oregon.

Never mind what others say, boost for St. Johns! Make it not only the best town in Oregon, but on the Pacific coast.

Continue the street improvements! Good streets make every one take a pride in the town in which they live.

Richard Croker, from his castle in Dublin, Ireland, sends the news to his American friends that Wm. J. Bryan will probably be the next Democratic candidate for the presidency.

The cost to Multnomah county for each vote cast at the recent election was 34 cents each, while the votes cast at the primary election held June 4 was 14 cents higher, or 48 cents per vote.

The ordinance regulating the speed of automobiles within the city limits, recently ordered drafted by the council, is something that will meet with the approval of all.

The fact that the Independent Telephone Co. of Seattle is extending its line to Tacoma, with the intention of reaching the principal towns in the southern part of the state, may lead to the hope that it will ultimately invade Oregon.

Based on its showing of postal receipts the Portland postoffice was raised to a first-class office July 1st, and the salary of Postmaster Minto is now \$5,000 per year.

Benton, Lane, Linn, Lincoln and a strip of Marion county put on their prohibition clothes last Sunday and for two years will be as dry as an alkali flat.

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The Pacific States Telephone company, despite its indifference, evidently desires to obtain a franchise in St. Johns.

Like all the rest of us, Jonathan Bourne, jr., has troubles of his own. One of them is the activity of a coterie of politicians in trying to prevent his election to the U. S. Senate by the legislature.

THE POSTOFFICE

Bonds Forwarded and Mayor Valentine Will Qualify.

The climax of the postoffice situation was reached last Saturday night when Postmistress Clark turned the local postoffice over to her bondsmen, who in turn notified the department to take charge.

The bonds furnished by Mr. Valentine were forwarded to Washington for approval some days ago.

It is understood that the postoffice is soon to be moved from its present location. Mr. Valentine says in case it is necessary to make a change the location will be made as central as possible.

WILL QUALIFY

At the School Meeting Next Tuesday Evening.

A report was current the first of the week that F. L. Churchill, recently elected clerk of the school board, would be unable to qualify on account of not being a property holder in the city the legal length of time.

The eligibility of Mr. Churchill was based on the fact that while he is a property holder at present and pays taxes this year, he did not pay taxes during the year of 1905.

Consulting the district attorney, Mr. Churchill finds that he is eligible for the office and will qualify at the meeting next Tuesday evening.

The hiring of additional teachers and the usual routine business will come before the board.

FIRE BELL

Arrived at the City Hall Yesterday Morning.

The new steel fire bell recently ordered by the council was delivered at the city hall yesterday morning. It came from Hillsboro, Ohio.

The bell is of steel alloy. With all the fixtures it weighs a few pounds over a ton. It cost about \$100.

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COMMERCIAL CLUB.

No Quorum and No Business Transacted Wednesday Night.

Whether it was the change in the meeting place or the warm weather or a general indifference on the part of the members of the Commercial club that caused the small attendance Wednesday evening is not known, but a quorum was not present, and as a consequence no business could be transacted.

Two members of a Seattle furniture company, accompanied by several gentlemen from Portland, were present with a proposition to establish a furniture factory at St. Johns.

The proposition will be discussed at the meeting next Wednesday evening. All interested are invited to be present.

HE IS USUALLY A FAILURE.

The Ways of the Average Great American Office Boy. A most difficult person to "organize" is the office boy. We hear too much about the bright American boy and the achievements of the public schools that the wonder is where the office boys come from.

They bring certificates of some sort from their teachers, but—Every big concern has a procession of boys trooping through its offices and works day after day, but the boys, for the most part, are obstinate and incompetent.

But in capacity for vexation the average stenographer can give him points. Most stenographers are good laundresses or baseball pitchers spoiled. Polyglottes try their souls.

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CHOOSING A PART.

An Actor's Experience in the Days Before He Became a Star.

We supported visiting stars at the museum. One of these stars was Jerry Colan, the father of George Colan, who played "The Molly Maguires" with him. I had to play a lawyer and had no white shirt. Convention demanded that a lawyer should not wear a colored shirt.

Looking frantically about the dressing room I found a soiled paper cuff. I cleaned it with breadcrumbs, cut it into a V shape and pinned it over my colored shirt.

Another star was Frank Frayne, who was a fine marksman. His wife and brother and brother-in-law traveled with him. He shot an apple off her head and a pipe out of a negro's mouth.

A member of the company was a fierce looking fellow that ran down an incline and sprang upon the villain of the company, bearing him to the earth and tearing angrily at a red flannel chest protector worn by the villain.

The villain was a good actor, but intense. The man who played the villain showed me his chest covered with scars where the dog had bitten him instead of the chest protector. It was a very melodramatic spectacle.

Mr. Davidge depended upon it to build up the falling fortunes of his house. While Frayne was playing there was some discussion in the family, and his brother-in-law, who played the villain, left the company.

Mr. Davidge sent for me and offered me one of the two parts, that of the negro who had the pipe shot from his mouth, or the villain who was attacked by the dog.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

Baptist church—E. A. Leonard, pastor.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Holy Cross Catholic church, Portsmouth Station 8:15 a. m., low mass; 10:15 a. m., high mass; 7:30 p. m., vespers and benediction.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Chapel, University Park—Rev. Wm. R. Powell, chaplain. Regular services 11 a. m. Sunday school 10 a. m.

Evangelical church—E. E. McVicker, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m.; J. K. L. C. E. 2:30 p. m. A union Christian Endeavor meeting of all the societies of the different churches of the town at 7 p. m.

First Congregational Church—F. J. Warren, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Church of Christ—Services every Lord's day at 3 p. m. in the Baptist church. Communion and preaching by Rev. Bruce Wolverton, acting pastor. All cordially welcomed.

Methodist church—Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. James Moore of the Mt. Tabor Methodist church. Mr. Moore is a very eloquent speaker.

Notice. On account of the fire which destroyed my entire stock of furniture, I would be glad to have all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to Hallberg's furniture store to please call at Moxon & Valentine's real estate office.

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ORDINANCE NO. 110

An Ordinance Opening, Laying Out and Establishing of Modoc Street, from Charleston Street to Fessenden Street, in the City of St. Johns.

The City of St. Johns does ordain as follows: SECTION 1. That, whereas, heretofore on the 22nd day of May, 1905, the council of the City of St. Johns, by resolution, directed and required the city engineer to make a survey and report on the proposed opening, laying out and establishing of Modoc street from Charleston street to Fessenden street, in the city of St. Johns, and

Whereas, the said city engineer has filed with the Recorder of said City of St. Johns his survey, plat and report in words and figures as follows: "In pursuance of a resolution adopted by your Honorable Body directing me to survey the proposed opening, laying out and establishing of Modoc street from Charleston street to Fessenden street, said street to be sixty feet in width, I have surveyed and marked the boundaries of the proposed opening, laying out and establishing of Modoc street, said street to be sixty feet in width and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Modoc street where the same would be intersected by the westerly line of Charleston street, running thence westerly along south line of Modoc street as now laid out in P. T. Smith's Addition; thence northwesterly along the southerly line of Modoc street as laid out in Chester Place and P. T. Smith's Addition; and thence northwesterly along the southerly side of tracts 'A' and 'B' Court Place and an extension northwesterly in its present course of tract 'A' Court Place to the easterly line of Fessenden street; thence northwesterly to a point sixty feet distant from measured at right angles to westerly extension in its present course of the southerly line of tract 'A' Court Place, thence southeasterly 60 feet, northerly from and parallel to measured at right angles to the southerly line of tracts 'A' and 'B' Court Place and the southerly line of Modoc street as laid out in Chester Place and P. T. Smith's Addition; thence northwesterly to a point in the north line of Modoc street where the same would intersect by a northerly extension of the westerly line of Charleston street as laid out in P. T. Smith's Addition; thence southeasterly 60 feet to the place of beginning. The proposed opening, laying out and establishing of Modoc street will include and necessitate the appropriation of the following described lots or tracts of land: All that part of tract 'A' Court Place, containing 994 square feet. All that portion of land known as tract 'A' Court Place, containing 430 square feet. All that parcel or tract of land lying between the westerly line of Court Place and the easterly line of Fessenden street and between the north line of the James Johns D. L. claim and the southerly line of the proposed Modoc street, containing 362.5 square feet. All that parcel or tract of land lying between the westerly line of Court Place and the easterly line of Fessenden street and between the north line of the James Johns D. L. claim and the southerly line of the proposed Modoc street and between a line 202 feet westerly from and parallel with the west line of Braasch Addition and the easterly line of Fessenden street, containing 7,000 square feet. All that parcel or tract of land lying between the north line of the James Johns D. L. claim and the northerly line of the proposed Modoc street and between the westerly line of Braasch Addition and a line 100 feet westerly therefrom and parallel therewith, containing 1,000 square feet. All that part of lot 1, block 2, Braasch Addition, lying southerly of the proposed northerly line of Modoc street, containing 662.5 square feet. All of lot 1, block 1, Braasch Addition, lying southerly of the proposed northerly line of Modoc street, containing 662.5 square feet. All that parcel or tract of land lying between the north line of the James Johns D. L. claim and the northerly line of the proposed Modoc street and between the westerly line of Braasch Addition and a line 135.96 feet easterly from and parallel therewith, containing 407.88 square feet. All that parcel or tract of land lying between the westerly line of Braasch Addition and the proposed northerly line of Modoc street and between the westerly line of J. C. Scott's Addition and a line 135.96 feet easterly from and parallel with the westerly line of Braasch Addition, containing 103.85 square feet."

Now, therefore, the City of St. Johns does ordain as follows: SECTION 2. That, survey, plat and report of the city engineer of the City of St. Johns be, and the same is hereby adopted, and the portions of each lot and tract of land as therein described as necessary to be appropriated to public use in the opening, laying out and establishing of said street as above described are hereby condemned and appropriated to the public use for the purposes of said street and public highway as above described and set forth.

Passed the council July 10, 1906. Approved July 10, 1906.

F. W. VALENTINE, Mayor. W. L. THORNDYKE, Recorder.

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