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Sale or Trade.

Lot 50x100, store room and five living rooms. Will take lot as first payment, balance \$10 per month with interest. 617 Dawson street. P. W. Henderson, 243 Stark street, Portland.

Holy Cross Catholic Church.

Catholics residing in St. Johns please notice the order of services on Sunday at Portsmouth station. Low mass at 8:15; high mass at 10:15; vespers and benediction at 4 o'clock. Next Sunday the eloquent missionary, Father Cantwell will preach at 10:15. All, especially the men, are requested to attend this service.

Card of Thanks.

I take this opportunity to extend to the fire department of St. Johns and other citizens my most sincere thanks for their efforts in my behalf at the time my residence burned on Philadelphia street. Their work is highly appreciated by me. W. G. Eaton.

Notice.

All parties indebted to us please pay your accounts to H. E. Collier, room 21 Holbrook building. Office hours 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Uhlig Bros.

Local News.

He who by his biz would rise Must either bust or advertise.

Born October 17 to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jones a ten-pound girl.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have their annual bazar and dinner December 17.

The Fraternal Brotherhood lodge here will meet every Friday night after this week instead of every Thursday night as heretofore.

Alderman Walker has been afflicted for some days with a game arm. It started in a sprain but appears rheumatic and is recovering very slowly.

Miss Sula Dunbar is having a lovely time with the mumps this week. She does not seem to enjoy it very well just now, but will do so after she recovers.

Tuesday of this week George W. Simmons purchased a nice property in General Compton's addition, block A, lots 24, 26, 27 and 28 with a good house fronting on Liveley street.

H. G. Ogden made a visit to Mason City, Iowa, returning last week on the same day and hour as the writer, but these illustrious gentlemen knew nothing of their proximity to each other until they met next day at the office.

The second stereopticon service will be given at the Congregational church Sunday at 7:30 p. m. The illustrated songs with this service are especially fine. There will be the usual services at 11 a. m. Everybody welcome. G. W. Nelson, pastor.

On last Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. at the home of J. C. Farrel, Frank H. Ralston of Portland and Miss Olive E. Powell of St. Johns, were united in marriage. Rev. C. P. Gates officiating. Only the near friends of the bride and groom were present.

Tom Monahan is circulating a petition to bring before the voters of St. Johns at the election of the charter proposition, the voting of \$75,000 bonds for the purpose of purchasing water front for a city dock and a location for a city park. The details of this matter will be discussed more fully next week.

Rev. N. W. Sager, pastor of the United Evangelical church at Dallas, will preach morning and evening at the Evangelical church in this city. The communion service will be observed in the morning. Rev. Sager is an interesting speaker and all should hear him. We extend a cordial welcome to all. Strangers in our midst especially welcome. Chester P. Gates, pastor.

We are in receipt of a letter from our friend J. H. Fletcher who is visiting his old home in Prince Edward's Island enclosing a description of his trip there and promising a writeup of the Island, which he thinks the most beautiful spot on earth and which we will be very glad to receive and will give to our readers as soon as space will permit. The governor is having the time of his life and is as happy as when a boy he used to cry "Long Live the Queen" on his native heath.

Know ye all by these presents that Oregon Grape Circle, will, on the night of October 31 in Bickner's hall reveal to all ye good people that which is held in store for you, by cards and wiches lore, and aid of divers spirits which hold forth only on All Halloween's. The large sum of one penny will be charged for each of these privileges. The Witch of Endor accompanied by some dozen kindred spirits will, for edification of those assembled, execute most ghostly maneuvers and screechings and at the last sell to the highest bidder baskets loaded with good cheer.

The first venture of St. Johns into real rugby football will be made this season by a number of our local enthusiasts. A football squad has been picked from about 25 men that are working out and have handed in references in regard to their ability at the game. Although the eleven to be used in the big game Sunday have not been picked, they are pretty apt to be the following: McCowan (Slim) the big 195 pound boiler maker will be used at center; Stewartson and Calavan from McMinnville high school, right guard and tackle; Mart Young, Crow, and Clarence Ticer from University Park are trying out for right end; Madison, left guard; Wm. Seaburg of Portsmouth, left tackle; Earl Walker, left end, Earnest Farrell of St. Johns, and Tom Reynolds of Portsmouth, quarter backs; Joe Brisbon of University Park, right half-back; Jack Polack of St. Johns and Vernon, a colored boy of 1904 and 1905 Portland high school, left half-back; Tom Carroll, that great big fellow from St. Johns, full-back. The team will average 160 lbs. strong. The squad has practiced four evenings on signals and two Sundays on kicking and forward passes. Although not in the best of form on account of little practice, the boys will have a chance to show what they can do Sunday as the Bunker Hill team is considered very fast. The uniforms and colors are black and orange and the boys expect the people of St. Johns to be out with colors and yells to help win the first game of the season. Game called at 3 p. m. sharp, rain or shine. Admission 25c.

E. B. Holcomb, who has been sick with a "crick" in his back the past two weeks has it protected with armor plate and is about the streets again, but hardly able to work.

The young people of the M. E. church will give a Ye Olde Time Box social Tuesday evening, October 29, in Bickner's hall. All will please wear countrie gear—both lads and lassies.

"What's Under Your Hat?" A brilliant lecture by J. W. Brougher, at the Baptist church, St. Johns, Tuesday, October 29, 8 p. m. Come and have a good time. Admission free. A free will offering will be taken for the benefit of the church.

Mrs. J. C. Scott returned Monday evening from the state convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Eugene, which was held from October 14 to 19 inclusive. Mrs. V. Sackett of St. Johns was present at the convention also and the ladies report a most enthusiastic session.

While visiting his sister Mrs. L. H. Smith of Oak Park, L. H. Campbell was summoned to his home near Spokane by a telegram stating that his father, J. H. Campbell was at death's door. Mr. Campbell hastened back with all possible speed but his father had passed away ere his son reached his bedside. He was an old soldier and lost his health in the service of his country.

New Industry for St. Johns.

Wednesday of this week was consummated a transaction which bids fair to develop into one of the biggest industries in St. Johns. This is the incorporation of the Oregon Flake Food company, with a capital stock of \$10,000. The president of the institution is D. L. Page and Susie F. Page is secretary and treasurer.

A committee was appointed to draft bylaws and at the next meeting, which will be held next Wednesday evening a board of directors will be elected. This insures the erection of a permanent plant here and the manufacture of a product which will prove most profitable to the stockholders and popular with their patrons.

It will be remembered that we made mention two or three weeks since of the great possibilities of this industry, and we are very glad indeed that our people did not let it slip through their fingers. We understand the company will begin operations at once and there is no doubt but they will soon be turning out a better cereal food than has yet been on our markets. There are several cereal companies in the east which started with a much smaller beginning and under more adverse circumstances that are now counting their dividends with six figures and with the great superiority of the St. Johns product and the great saving of time and freight charges these eastern foods will be eliminated from the trade as fast as it can be introduced.

A Happy Birthday.

Miss Gertrude Hubbard, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bitgood gave a delightful birthday party at the residence of her grandparents, 408 Thompson street, Wednesday of last week. There were a number of little ones to assist her in celebrating this, her 7th birthday, and a most pleasant time was enjoyed. Among the presents the little lady received was a fine tea set, souvenir spoons, and a crate of kid globe oranges. The happy guests wished her many returns of the day as they departed for their homes.

Another Birthday.

Wednesday evening of last week was the scene of a very beautiful birthday party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Phillips, it being the 18th birthday of their daughter, Miss Bessie. The house was very neatly decorated with oregon grape, evergreens and flowers. Many interesting games were enjoyed, one of which was the portraits of the most prominent men of the world placed upon exhibition for each one to guess the names, the one getting the most right to receive a prize. Henry Young was the fortunate young man to win the prize.

A musical program was rendered very nicely, after which refreshments were served and amusements of different kinds followed lasting until the midnight hour. Miss Bessie was presented with a beautiful gold watch from her parents and her friends made her happy with many other choice and useful gifts. Anon.

Masquerade Skating.

Grand masquerade skate at St. Johns rink Wednesday evening, October 30. All skaters must be in mask. There has been received a fine new supply of skates, the floor will be sanded and placed in first class shape for the occasion. These masquerade skates have been the source of a great deal of pleasure to the participants and this promises to be the best yet. Admission 10 cents, skates 25 cents. Do not forget the date, October 30.

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Some very desirable corner lots near the new schoolhouse can be bought cheap and on the installment plan by applying to J. E. Williams.

The ladies of the Congregational church will give a chicken pie dinner Halloween eve, October 30. Dinner will be given in Holbrook block, next to Bonham & Currier's.

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Twentyfive or thirty members of Laurel lodge 186 I. O. O. F. went over to Oriental lodge at Grand avenue and East Fine Wednesday evening to visit their fellow fraternalists. They were joined by a number from Peninsula lodge 128 and Woodlawn lodge 171, and when all were gathered in the hall there were about 150 husky Odd Fellows in the bunch. Ten initiates, four of which were from St. Johns, were put over the cobblestones and made full-fledged members without turning a feather. A most delightful evening was spent and a delicious light lunch of ice cream, cakes, cigars, jokes and funny stories was served, and there wasn't a man jack among them that was not glad he belonged to the "gang."

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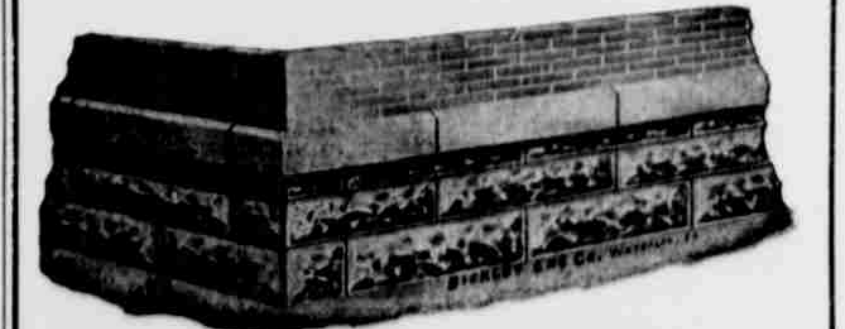
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