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Local News.

Must either bust or advertise. Miss Pearl York, 814 North Fill-

more has been quite ill this week with that fashionable malady, grip. Goodrich & Goodrich, architects, are preparing plans for a six-room

bungalow for Mr. Moore, to be erected in St. Johns.-Daily Ab-Eighty-four deaths from pneu-

monia during January is the record for Columbus, Ohio, a city about the size of Portland. We have heard of but one here.

The Modern Woodmen will hold their ball in the Bickner hall in-stead of the M. W. A. hall as announced last week. Please do not forget, Bickner hall.

Any of the members of the chain gang or Rebekahs who wish a photograph of the Odd Fellows home can get one at this office for a short time, price 50 cents.

Mr. Mulligan of the Portland Journal was in the city yesterday I thought I would like to say a looking for news. He says that few things through the Review in enterprising Journal intends to give strength of the St. Johns more attention in the reading room and lits needs. The

J. W. Reeves, the Fessenden-Jersey street grocer, has been suffering from that excruciatingly painful ailment, gallstones, and it is thought will be obliged to undergo an operation.

Oswego, who was quite ill but was thought to be improving.

W. E. Storlia, who is supposed to have relatives here or in Port-land, is dangerously ill at Hot in order to carry on the work. Springs, Ark., and desires to get There will be cards distributed by

school Friday, Feb. 14, 2:30 p. m. to pay monthly, if only 10c, it will Miss But'er, of the juvenile court, help carry on the good work. We desires to talk to the mothers on are going to try and get our read-

the workers at the different mills try and arrange for an evenings that every Tuesday evening the office of the city recorder will be open so that they may register after working hours. There will try and give what aid they can by be one of the prettiest little girls of the city to wait on you, now we your servants, know you will come.

The W. R. C. of George Wright Post are going to give an entertainment Friday Feb. 21, which will be something worth going to hear. The entertainment will be furnished by the Western Academy of Music. Mrs. Carrie Courter, president of George Wright W. R. C. will furnish tickets to any one desiring them.

To the editor of the St. Johns #575, terms. J. S. McKinney, St. Johns Heights Station.

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Riverview lot, South St. Johns #575, terms. J. S. McKinney, St. Johns tickets to any one desiring them.

Butterworth and Scarbrough, the being present. Never in the history jewelry and drug men have the of St. Johns has so many weighty nicest, neatest rooms in the city. problems of public interest con-It is as clean as a pin and their fronted the people and it is essenstocks of goods are just as fine as tial that they should be thoroughly their environments. These boys considered and acted upon intelliare up to the minute in their lines gently, not by some political facand you make a mistake if you do tion only, but by all the people, not see them before buying any- irrespective of politics or religion. thing in their lines.

Hood River friends, was in the of having a place where business D. R. Norton, one of our old city this week looking it over. Mr. Norton recently sold his business in Eastern Oregon and if he sees anything that looks particularly good from a business point of view will come to St. Johns, as he likes the looks of the town first rate. Mr. Norton is A1 in every respect and we would be particularly pleased to see him locate here.

Harris & Son, merchants of fatal. They were driving up one ent, we are told, and the interest of the steep places in that city of was intense throughout.

close call. George Campbell and wife, who glory. are making a tour along the coast, stopped several days with their brother-in-law, Leroy H. Smith, and left for Seattle the first of the week. While here they purchased week. While here they purchased tainment on the boards. two pieces of property and we would not be surprised to see them return in a short time and make their permanent home here. They have a very high opinion of St.

Brother L. A. Long of the Hillsboro Argus was in the city last week but we regret that we were out of the office at the time he called. Mr. Long has been very successful with the Argus and has leased the paper for a year to give him an opportunity to rest up and investigate some gold mines he is interested in in Nevada. We hope he may strike it rich in the mines, as we are afflicted with the same disease to a limited extent.

We notice quite a large number of buildings, larger or smaller, be-ing erected in the city limits for which we do not find permits issued. Such buildings which cost more than fifty dollars are required by ordinance to have permits issued This is the only way the city can have supervision over the construc-tion of the buildings within its limits and there is a penalty attached to failure to procure the proper permit.

Mrs. W. E. Niles and Miss Reams of Milwaukie, and Miss Teresa Becker of Oregon City called

on Mrs. G. Ward yesterday. He who by his biz would rise

All members of Holmes lodge Knights of Pythias are urged to come to roll call on the 21. Bring some friend who would make a

Our business men should read and consider secretary Perkin's communication. The club could be made the agent of wonderful advancement in St. Johns if the business men would take hold of it.

The services at the Methodist church Sunday will be along the lines of old-fashioned revival work. The pastor is assisted by Rev. W. S. Kerr, who is both a singer and a preacher. Mr. Butterworth will sing at the evening service. All are welcome.

COMMUNICATED.

Editor Review: Knowing that you are ever ready to help along that which is for the public good. I thought I would like to say a public library of Portland furnishes all the books, pays the librarian all she gets, and we are supposed to furnish the room, pay for fuel and light. Now we have some 13 periodicals that will either have to be renewed or dropped, as our time will expire. What is wanted We were hardly done boasting of by the reading room at this time is our freedom from pneumonia when we learned of the illness of Mrs. Knowing that the people of St. Yeska at the corner of Hudson and Johns ever stand ready to help along that which will help to educate and elevate the moral as well as the intellectual standing of her word to his people so that he can communicate with them.

Mothers' club meets at Central Mothers' club meets at Central subscribe just what they can afford matters of interest to this communing room on the ground floor at Mrs. G. M. Hall, pres. 107 S Jersey street and just as soon We wish to call the attention of as the rooms are fitted up we will

Com. free reading room.

The club rooms were furnished and are maintained for the purpose accused of playing politics.

G. J. Perkins, secretary.

Congregational Entertainment

The entetainment given under Johns Heights. the auspices of the ladies of the congregational church in Bickner's Linnton, who were delivering goods have been a particularly pleasing have been a particularly pleasing dent which might have proven event. There were about 200 pres-

high altitudes, when one of the There were 14 numbers and every horses balked and threw the vehicle stance, that of Mr. Butterworth, ed bottom up and drivers under it. the audience would not be satisfied Both were badly bruised but not dangerously injured. It was a constitute and the male quartette are both spoken of as having covered themselves with

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S. L. Foss Dead.

died at his home in Hancock, Wis., than 5000. at the age of 74, and leaves a wife, two sons, George Foss of Bancroft, Wis., Charles Foss of St. Johns, Ostrum and Mrs. Hattie Haskins, al bank building. Apply to B. S. Swengel. and two daughters, Mrs. Mary



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Hold to Water Front.

George L. Baker, according to the Journal, a councilman of Portland and a very observing one, has now in Juneau, Alaska, also a copy made a tour of the coast and makes of the Daily Alaska Dispatch, a

"Portland and Sacramento are the only cities on the Pacific coast which do not own a part of their waterfront privileges, Mr. Baker said this morning. From talking with men in the shipping business of them do not like the idea that Portland's municipality has been uses a lighter overcoat, and that he never suffers from cold. There while in the south I find that many neglectful in this way. They argue that owing to the fact that the wind to speak of except on the day wharf rights are controlled by the railroad and other companies their business has been hindered to a

large extent. The point we wish to make is that St. Johns should hold every she does not a half century from now the people will be censuring Dr. Graffis, osteopathic physician the management that allowed these will move his office from the Jower holdings to slip through their

Swift's are Coming.

4 rooms and lot 50x100 Point may believe half of what the big sickness in Juneau and the weather View, \$750-\$100 cash, balance dailies say, with the biggest pack- all that could be desired, meadow \$10 per month. J. S. McKinney, ing plant that has ever been oper- larks singing, but up in the Tanaated in the west. The cartoonist na district he says the thermometer Have your property insured in on the front page of Tuesday's went down to 65 and 70 below and the St. Paul or Northern fire insur- Oregonian represents the transac- on extremely cold nights they have ance companies. They are the best. S. L. Dobie, agent.

6 room house and lot 50x100 old man Portland holding up his \$1,500,000 another \$10 per land of the strength of the str \$950—\$100 cash, balance \$10 per month. J. S. McKinney, St. Johns Heights Station.

old man Portland holding up his enough. He also tells of another feature. A man there who goes by the name of Iceberg Joe goes held up their heads to make the state of t held up their heads to welcome the out into the channel and catches

others and while Portland interests a mile. as indicated by the illustration on We are glad to get these letters page ten of the same paper would from Mr. Brooks as they correct cut St. Johns out of the deal en- some erroneous ideas about Alaska. Charles Foss of North Fillmore tirely she will do well to recognize received word Friday that his the fact that St. Johns will have father, S. I. Foss was dead. Mr. Something to say herself about that. The pay roll of the Swift company three years six months and nine days in the 92d regiment, Co. H.

New York volunteers. He was playment given to from \$1,000,000 to the first three will be permanent employment given to from 1000 to 4581. born in New York state and after ployment given to from 1000 to the war came west. He was in St. 1500 men, who with their families Johns for some time last year. He will make a population of more

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Still Stuck on Juneau.

We are in receipt of another letter from our friend, J. C. Brooks

very prosperous looking sheet. Brother Brooks seems more than ever infatuated with the locality of Juneau and from what he says this Juneau must be a sort of a freak so far as climate is concerned. He says he wears the same clothing that he wore here except that he has been but little snow and no he wrote, February 2, when, following a five-inch snow fall there

was considerable wind. The bill of fare he says is varied, sometimes it is pork and beans, cornbread and bacon and if one is particular he may have white bread ter and eggs are not the packed variety either. Such meals are 35c at the Polar Bear cafe where he dines and his cook cannot be beat

he declares. The aborigines about Juneau are much the same as those we have here, but further along the coast they get foxy and have been accused of several murders.

The Swifts are coming if we Brother Brooks says there is no small icebergs as they come from There are few who will not wel- the glacier 40 miles away, tows

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