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Dresser Special

For one week we offer a Full Quartered Oak Serpentine Front, with Solid Oak Top, full size with 4 drawers and large French Plate Mirror 24x30. For Only \$15.00

Other Solid Oak as low as \$10.00. We must have room for a car load now due from the East.

Saturday Special

Many women in St. Johns who have nicely carpeted homes do not yet know the actual saving in labor and carpets that goes with a Bissell "Cyclo" Bearing Carpet Sweeper.

Ninety per cent of all carpet sweepers used in the entire world are "Bissells," made in Grand Rapids, Mich. The standard price on the "Cyclo" the world over is \$3.50. Saturday we sell them either Nickel or Japaned for \$2.50

Be sure you get Bissells "Cyclo."

Remember



Opposite Postoffice

Easy Terms

Low Prices

Local News.

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

Mrs. Mason has returned home from a visit to her uncle, D. Dickerson, of Stella, Wash.

Miss Winnie Walton has returned to her home in St. Johns after spending two years in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Mowary and son Ernest of Falls City was visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones recently.

There will be a special missionary meeting of the Epworth League at 6:30 Sunday evening. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Anderson of Albina, were guests of the Methodist parson, F. L. Young and family, Tuesday.

H. E. Collier has removed his law office from the hollow block building back into his old quarters in the Holbrook block.

Mrs. Berg and Miss Cecil Coleman of Stella, Wash., were visiting Mrs. J. Bragg last week at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jones.

The Vogue millinery store will keep open until 9 o'clock evenings in order to accommodate their customers who are engaged during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Westinghouse of Salem, were in the city the first of the week visiting at the home of the latter's brother, Dr. A. W. Vincent.

Married at the parsonage of the Methodist church Tuesday evening, March 19, C. C. Hamilton and Miss Julia Johnson, Rev. F. L. Young officiating.

Miss Eva Gifford of Woodland, Washington, a former resident of St. Johns, is spending a few weeks with her friends, Miss Ida Jones and Mrs. Lily Bragg.

Our readers should take note of the prices quoted in J. W. Reeve's ad in this issue. The prices there will skin Portland a mile when you count your time and carfare.

The Order of Eagles made the eagle scream Tuesday evening but we could not attend the smoker as it was council meeting night. We are told, however, by those who were there that it was a hummer.

The meetings of the Christian Scientists of St. Johns, will be at the residence of C. J. Miller, corner of Charleston street and Portland boulevard, every Sunday and Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Roper of the Seaman's institute of Portland, will speak at Bickner's hall Sunday afternoon at 2:30. You will miss a treat if you miss hearing her. Everyone cordially invited. Admission free. No collection.

Lawrence Thorndyke of Astoria spent Sunday with his St. Johns friends. He reports things humming in the city by the sea, especially when one of those 90-miles-an-hour breezes comes teetering up over the bar.

The home of the pastor of the Baptist church of St. Johns, 1537 Fisher street, was invaded by the Ladies Aid of that church, with a number of their husbands the evening of the 23d, the occasion being the birthday of the pastor's wife.

A bad habit is a bad thing and bring only sorrow and oftentimes disgrace, but if you get the habit of going to the meetings at Bickner's hall Sunday afternoon it will bring joy and gladness. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

When Mr. Lauther went to pay his taxes on the property he thought had been assessed too high, he found he was not assessed on the old shack as he thought, but there was a mixup in the number of the lots and the matter was arranged all right.

"What is a Christian?" Will be the subject upon which Mr. Gates will speak next Sunday morning. In the evening the subject will be: "Good Citizenship or How will we vote on April 6?" This will close Mr. Gates' year here as pastor of the Evangelical church and will be his last sermon.

The program given at the Baptist church by the Sherman Clay & Co. people was a most excellent one. The personnel consisted of Miss Ethel M. Lytle, soprano; Miss Mary Mackenzie Cahill, violin; John W. Boothe, reader and Frank L. Graunis, pianist. There was a good audience which appreciated the entertainment very much.

C. L. Copple, one of our Hood River tillucums, who has been living in Corvallis during the past winter came down for a visit with his sister, Mrs. D. R. Norton. Mr. Copple is not stuck on Benton county's capital and is looking for a location. We hope he may find a place here to take hold and grow up with the country.

Woodlawn lodge I. O. O. F. will visit Laurel lodge in St. Johns next Monday night and the members of the chaingang, whether visiting or resident should attend. A week later St. Helens, Holton and Vancouver lodges expect to visit the local lodge here, and there will most likely be a bigger bunch of odd fellows here on that occasion than was ever in St. Johns at any other time. These fraternal visits are productive of much good and none of the boys should miss them.

THE BARGAIN COUNTER

Standard prints 7c at Prall's.

Arrow collars, 2 for 25c at Prall's.

Apron gingham 7c and 8c at Prall's.

Coats & Clark's thread 5c at Prall's.

Special values Ladies' Muslin underwear at Prall's.

Lot on Lively street \$400. Easy terms. S. L. Dobie.

Boss of the road overalls, black and blue, 85c at Prall's.

50 foot lot on Jersey street, \$4000. Terms. S. L. Dobie.

An acre near Stewart Station \$1800-\$400 cash. S. L. Dobie.

Do not forget Bitgood & Cole give you meat at Portland prices.

Telephone Jersey 51, National Tea store, for your tea and coffee.

1/4 acre, 91x109 1/2 one block from car line \$600-\$200 cash. S. L. Dobie.

The best umbrella raised anywhere for men or women, \$1.00 at Prall's.

You get full weight and first quality at the Central market. Just try it awhile.

A Chicago cartoonist will give a lecture at the M. E. church, Wednesday evening. Illustrated.

\$1100-\$5 room house and 50x100 lot, \$300 cash—balance two and three years. S. L. Dobie.

Fine line of cigars, tobaccos, candies, nuts, fresh fruits constantly on hand at Al Harris' old stand. E. D. Walker.

If you want a modern house 4 blocks from the postoffice for your vacant property. See E. C. Hurlbert, 440 Chicago St. 1816c

All our meats are government inspected and the best that money can buy. They are neatly and carefully handled. Come in and leave your order for free delivery. Ward's Central Market.

\$2400 buys 7 room modern house bath, pantry and cement basement. Lot 100x100 nicely fenced, 3 apple trees, 2 cherries, 60 logan berries, 200 strawberries. Fine river view; four blocks from postoffice. 1/2 cash, balance 2 years at 7 per cent. See owner, 622 North Edison or address postoffice box 231, St. Johns, Oregon. 1917f

Have you seen the rings in at Butterworth's, the jeweler? You should just go in and take a look anyway if you don't wish to buy. He has the finest lot of rings ever shown in this city and at prices below those in Portland. The fact is that he has not an article in his store that is not for sale at a lower price than the same article can be purchased for in Portland jewelry stores. This is not an advertisement, but just a plain statement of the facts.

The St. Johns Creamery is changing locations. The new location is at 115 West Burlington and a new member has been added to the firm in the person of George Fortner. The new quarters are being fitted up in the neatest possible shape, including a fine ice cream parlor conducted after the style of the Hazelwood company. A new wagon will be in service to deliver ice cream specialties, butter, cream and milk. This will be an ideal location for the creamery and its ice cream parlor and as so much pains are being taken by the company to fit it up in a proper manner, we anticipate a fine business for them. They wish to thank their old patrons and solicit all the new ones who wish the best in their line. They will be in their new location about April 1.

McKinney Bargain Counter.

\$350 buys river view 50x100; monthly payments.

\$350, lot 50x100 South St. Johns; monthly payments.

\$300 buys lot 50x100 plowed and fenced. 100 feet to car.

\$700 buys two 50 foot lots close to French block. These are all snaps.

Houses any size or price on easy payments.

McKINNEY, St. Johns Heights Station.

Jersey 51

Is the telephone number of the National Tea store, the home of good coffee. There's a reason: Coffee roasted fresh every other day, delivered to you as soon as ground— not ground and carried in a peddling wagon from one to two weeks in the damp atmosphere, losing strength and becoming thoroughly water soaked. Get the best; it costs no more, if you get it at the National Tea store; phone Jersey 51.

The Rose City hotel is getting a new spring suit put on this week, which greatly improves the appearance of that popular hostelry.

G. B. Thomas, K. C. Couch and Ed Stockton are making the canvas of the city for funds to build a float for the rose fiesta. About \$600 is desired, of which about \$400 was secured yesterday afternoon.

J. T. Holman, the veteran meat market man of Hood River was in the city with his son Cecil yesterday. They are looking for a location and promised to come again and look the city over carefully.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

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Single rooms \$1 per week and up. The Raymond, 116 S. Jersey.

The best umbrella raised anywhere for men or women, \$1.00 at Prall's.

Have you tried those Portland prices at the Star market? They are all right.

Subscribe for the Telegram—best evening paper on the coast. See Ed Stockton.

If you want to buy, rent, sell or exchange property see Wolcott (The Rent Man.)

For rent in First National Bank building—office or living rooms—apply at bank. 1916c

Get your shoes repaired at E. H. Brunson's, corner of Ivanhoe and Philadelphia streets. 22p

Parties desiring to sell call and list their property with J. E. Colvin, Chicago and Jersey streets.

Insure your property in the Pennsylvania, one of the best and most reliable companies in existence. H. G. Ogden.

I am prepared to spray your trees, henhouses, fences, in fact do any kind of whitewashing and spraying. N. A. Gee.

Have your property insured in the St. Paul or Northern fire insurance companies. They are the best. S. L. Dobie, agent.

Must have \$500. Will sell cheap lot 7 in block 3, Smith's addition St. Johns, \$500 down balance your own terms, phone East 2807.

A new hand laundry at 38 North Edison street. Give us a trial. Special rates on rough dry. Special rates on lace curtains. Mrs. McKinnia. 18

Don't fail to attend the K. of P. entertainment Tuesday, March 31. It will be a musical and literary treat. Bickner's hall. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

I am located in the McChesney block and prepared to do dressmaking, I would respectfully solicit your patronage. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Fannie Kindel, Room 16. 22p

Bitgood & Cole will give you gospel weight and measure at the Star market. You can safely send a little child for your meats. It will receive the same courteous treatment accorded to yourself.

E. C. Monnich will do your paper hanging, and tinting at reasonable prices with dispatch. Can furnish best of reference. Make your wants known early and avoid the usual spring rush at house cleaning time. Drop card box 603 St. Johns.

Lost—Saturday evening between Cedar Park and St. Johns, lady's open face gold watch attached to chateleine pin. Initials B. B. G. on back of watch. Liberal reward for return to Miss B. B. Galentine, 692 1/2 Lovejoy street, Portland, Or., or at St. Johns postoffice.

Have you caught the chicken fever this spring? You'll get it sure. Before you are exposed you should send for the Northwestern Poultry Journal, the best poultry paper on the coast. We take subscriptions here and save you all the bother. Fifty cents a year. When you read it you are up to date in the poultry line.

PROPOSALS WANTED.

Sealed proposals will be received by Harry C. Hunter, Secretary of the St. Johns Base Ball club, for the following concessions:

- 1. Program.
2. Fence advertisement.
3. Cigars and tobacco.
4. Ice cream, soft drinks, fruits and nuts.
5. Sandwich and coffee.
Closes April 6 at 10 p. m.

Notice.

Our accounts may be found with Mr. Norton at the old stand for a few days, and he will receipt for any payments made. We would urge all who are owing us balances to pay them as quickly as possible, for within a very short time we shall place all unpaid accounts with an attorney for collection. Very truly, Potter & Goold.

The Troubles of a Married Man

By East Portland Dramatic Association

BICKNER'S HALL, Thursday, April 2, 1908.

Admission 25 Cents.

R. L. DAVIDSON, Manager. GEO. V. D. FORTNER, Pres.

GRAND OPENING!

ST. JOHNS CREAMERY CO.

115 West Burlington Street

THE PLACE WITH THE WHITE FRONT

APRIL 1st, 1908

BUTTER EGGS CHEESE CREAM MILK ICE CREAM BREAD, PASTRY, FRUITS And all up-to-date varieties FLAVORS, ICES, BUTTERMILK and CREAMERY PRODUCTS.

Sincerely soliciting your trade in the future, we remain, Yours truly,

St. Johns Creamery Co.

IN one of our windows we are displaying a small part of the line of Shoes we have bought for the spring trade. Our shoe business during the past six months has been very encouraging. We have now in stock a larger line than formerly, expecting that there is yet room for an increase of business. During this week we have sold shoes to people who had no idea they could be fitted in St. Johns. We have shoes that will fit any of the many prospective candidates for Mayor, Recorder, Treasurer, City Attorney, Alderman or any of their families.

BONHAM & CURRIER

Advertisement for MASON & URBAN, Proprietors, featuring concrete blocks and building materials.

Advertisement for J. E. COLVIN, Real Estate, Loans and Fire Insurance, located at St. Johns, Ore.

Advertisement for BITGOOD & COLE, 205 S. Jersey, Cash Market, promoting fresh meats.

Advertisement for J. R. WEIMER, Transfer and Storage, offering delivery services.

Advertisement for Behnke Walker, THE LEADING BUSINESS COLLEGE, offering business education.

NOTE THE LEGS THAT'S A "LORAIN"



Contains 50 per cent more asbestos packing. Burns 50 per cent less fuel. 100 per cent longer life. 100 per cent quicker service. 500 per cent more of genuine satisfaction. "See it in the window" at

Norton's Hardware

Successor to Potter & Goold

No. 9047

TREASURY DEPARTMENT Office of Comptroller of the Currency.

Washington, D. C., February 28, 1908.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the

"First National Bank of St. Johns"

in the City of St. Johns

in the County of Multnomah and State of Oregon, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking.

Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the

"First National Bank of St. Johns"

in the City of St. Johns

in the County of Multnomah and State of Oregon, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty-one Hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-eight day of February, 1908.

WM. B. RIDGELY, Comptroller of the Currency.

DID YOU EVER REALIZE

It sometimes pays to look around a little and get prices and see qualities before you buy. We have both.

COUCH & CO.

Phone Union 4066. 206-208 Philadelphia street.