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FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1909.

"Lucky" Baldwin, it is stated, left a fortune of \$30,000,000. He was.

Don't forget that registration business. Attend to it now and get it off your mind. It will be too late after April 1st.

A Boston woman is reported to have "embraced twenty-three different religions." It may be that up to the present time she has not found any that recaptured.

The city council at its meeting Tuesday evening adopted a resolution calling for a vote on the purchase of the present ferry boat at the April election. This action was mandatory on the part of council for the reason that according to the charter it is necessary to either accept or reject by vote of the people the proposition of buying the ferry before the construction of a new boat project can be presented to the people. The ferry people have reduced the price to \$15,000, and it is now up to our citizens to either buy the boat or force these people out of business later on.

As per the proposed charter amendments, a copy of which has been mailed to each registered voter in St. Johns by the City Recorder, a vote will be taken April 6th on the matter of taking the liquor question out of the hands of the council. If the town goes wet after a vote on the question at an election, the council is directed to issue a license under the regular restrictions. If the town goes dry at this election then the council shall not issue a license. In other words, they have absolutely no discretion in the matter. This eliminates all this contention out of the city's work and they are not handicapped by it. This measure should, and no doubt will carry, as there can be no objection to it from any point of view. The two great objects are to give the

installing of engines and boilers, has condemned the boiler on account of age, it would not require a great sum to replace it with a new one. Welsh claims a new one would cost \$3500 and \$300 to install it, when half a dozen different companies would be glad to place a new and first class boiler of sufficient size for less than half of that sum. But the issue is up to the people. It is for them to decide whether repudiation of this company will be a good advertisement for St. Johns, whether it will be an incentive in future for other companies to seek a franchise in this city for any public utility, whether it is a case of fair play or foul. The issue is plain—repudiation or acceptance. Take your choice, gentlemen.

Comparatively few people of the "Beaver State" realize that Forest Grove is nationally known as the source of America's most perfect archery bows. Pacific Yew, which grows to perfection in Oregon, is the material used, and Captain F. S. Barnes fashions it with skilled hand into bows sought by experts all over this continent and even abroad. Though almost seventy years of age, the Captain is himself a splendid archer, and such an enthusiast in his chosen craft that he makes personal trips to the mountains each year to select Yew of just the proper grade and grain—the altitude at which the tree grows is an important factor. Occasionally a bow of rare accuracy and highest speed is created, and these are dignified with names, "Cyclone" and "Whirlwind" are famous among archers.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the electors of the city of St. Johns.

I hereby announce that I shall be a candidate for re-election to the office of Recorder at the coming city election. I have made this decision upon the advice of impartial citizens, and with a full consciousness of the compliment paid me in 1908; for which favor I have tried to show my gratitude by faithful and impartial service to you all, and believing that the result shows fewer mistakes than during the previous term. The recorder's office is now more systematic than ever before, and if retained in office I promise to improve the work to the best of my ability.

Respectfully, A. M. ESSON.

J. S. McKinney reports the following realty sales for the past week: Lots 7 and 8, block 12, south St. Johns, to Mary Reynolds; consideration \$500. Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, block 24, Kenton, to Columbia Trust company; consideration \$1700.

MOTHERS' MEETING.

The W. C. T. U. mothers' meeting met at Mrs. Weeks Monday afternoon of last week. We are glad to note the increased interest manifested in these meetings. We missed our dear president who is ill but not too ill to send a message of cheer to the meeting. Mrs. Additon gave one of her excellent talks on "Moral Education." She is a forcible speaker and always interests her hearers. The instrumental music by Miss Garton was very enjoyable.

A parlor meeting was held at the home of Mr. Edmondson Monday evening. The program was short but very entertaining. The Misses Edmondson furnished the music. Little Ruth favored the company with a recitation and Mrs. Additon was on her view as a delegate from Oregon to the World's Temperance Congress. This talk had to be short, as the superintendent of Scientific Temperance instruction wanted her to talk on their department. At the conclusion of the program light refreshments were served and a delightful social hour spent with Mr. and Mrs. Edmondson.

The next business meeting will be held in the Adventist church March 15th, at 2:30 P. M. Press Supt.

A SPLENDID MENU.

The editor, his wife, W. L. Markle and P. S. Hannan made up a quartet that upon special invitation enjoyed a delightful dinner at Dan's Grill last Sunday. The menu was a splendid one and served as only Dan knows how. We found everything in perfect order, the dining room finely arranged, tables neatly arrayed, the service first class and good taste prevailing in every particular. That Dan knows how to get up a meal that "goes right to the spot" we are now fully convinced, and we have him to thank for at least one good meal that we have got next to in St. Johns. The menu that we helped to get under our vest follows: Eastern oysters on half shell, young celery, dill pickles, chicken broth with rice, baked young chicken stuffed, French peas, mashed potatoes, raisin pie, pumpkin pie, imported Swiss cheese, demitasse coffee. If you want a good meal, well cooked and well served, Dan's Grill is the place to get it.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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RESOLUTION

IT IS RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS: And the council of said city hereby orders that an election be held in accordance with the requirements of the Charter of said city in said city of St. Johns, Oregon, on the first Monday, the fifth day of April, 1909, for the purpose of electing city officers for said city to-wit: A Mayor; A City Recorder; A City Attorney; A City Treasurer; Three Councilmen at Large; Two Councilmen from the First Ward; Two Councilmen from the Second Ward; in the manner provided by the Charter and Laws of said city.

And it is further ordered and resolved that at said election, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, the following proposition, viz: Shall the City of St. Johns incur a Municipal Bonded indebtedness in the sum of \$16,000.00, Thirteen Thousand Dollars (\$13,000) for the purpose of purchasing from the St. Johns Ferry Company, the company its Ferry Boat "James John," and \$3,000.00 for the purpose of making any alteration or repairs that the same may need and for the purpose of buying cables, making ferry slips and landing; said Bonds to run for a period of twenty-five years, and after ten years from their date and bearing interest not to exceed Five per centum per annum, interest payable semi-annually, and interest coupons to bear interest at the rate of Five per centum per annum after their maturity.

And it is further ordered and resolved, that there shall be submitted to the electors of said city at said election a proposition to amend Sections 20, 31, 42, 66, and 79 of the Municipal Charter of the city of St. Johns as proposed by the common council of said city. And it is further ordered and resolved, that the city recorder be, and he is hereby authorized and directed and required to at once post and publish, as required by Law and the Charter of said city of St. Johns notices of said election, and have printed the necessary and proper tickets for said election, and that he procure the necessary poll books and tally sheets for said election, and make all necessary and proper arrangements to enable the qualified electors in said city of St. Johns to hold such election.

And it is further ordered and resolved, that the council does hereby appoint as Judges and Clerks of said election:

Judges of the First Ward: John Puff, P. T. Hanson and Marlon Johnson.

Judges of the Second Ward: L. B. Chipman, Pascal Hill and S. W. Rogers.

Clerks of the First Ward: Olin Learned and Roy Ingledue.

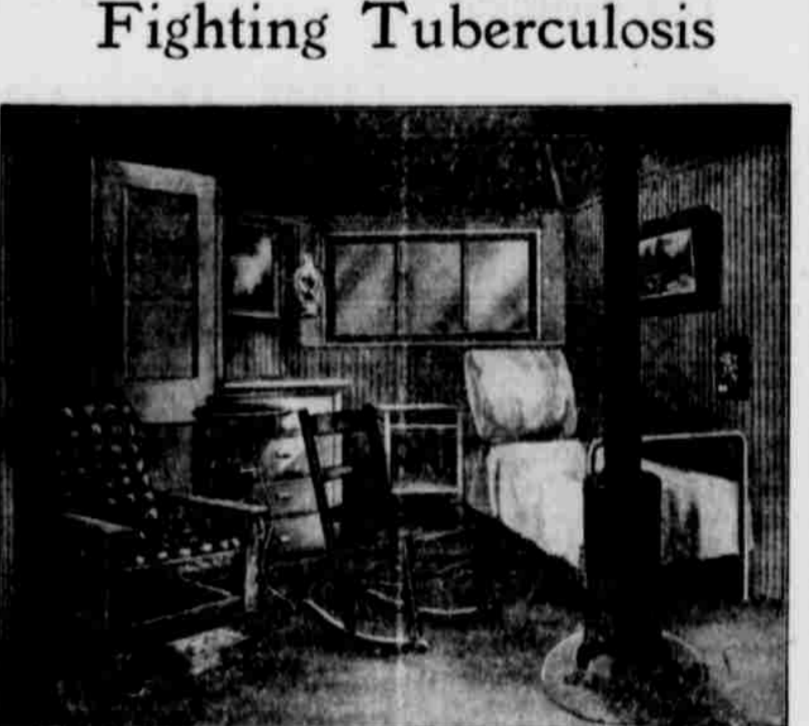
Clerks of the Second Ward: W. S. Kellogg and Chas. Bailey.

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Fighting Tuberculosis

At the December meeting of the Camps of Modern Woodmen, and Executive Council of the Modern Woodmen Society, held at the headquarters of the Society in Rock Island, Ill., it was decided to conduct that Society's sanatorium, located at Colorado Springs, Colo., for the treatment of members afflicted with tuberculosis, free of all charge to members.

The Modern Woodmen Society, several months since, acquired 1,350 acres of land within seven miles of Colorado Springs, and has established thereon an up-to-date sanatorium, the tent colony plan was ready for the reception of patients on Jan. 1, 1909, and is equipped to care for 60 patients, to which number admissions must be limited for the present.

The tents are octagonal structures, with single roofs, canvas sides, hard wood floors on solid cement foundations, heated by a central plant equipped with all modern conveniences, such as telephones, etc., and each tent will accommodate one patient. An administration building for physicians, nurses, dining hall, baths of all kinds, etc., stands in the center of the colony.

Dr. J. E. White, formerly of the Nordrach ranch sanatorium, the medical director in charge, states that only those consumptive members who are curable, or whose lives may be prolonged for a considerable length of time, will be admitted as patients. The wisdom of this rule is apparent. Rigid medical examination as a condition precedent to admission will be insisted upon in every case, and special blank forms have been prepared for this purpose.

It is expected that another colony of 60 tents will be ready by July, 1909, and that acceptable patients will be ready to occupy it in full by that time. A movement is already under way to equip the second colony plant. Each tent, completely equipped represents an expense of \$250, and a number of local Camps, or lodges, of the Society have decided to donate tents. As there are over 13,000 local

Proposals For Street Work

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the recorder of the city of St. Johns, until March 23rd, 1909, at 4:00 o'clock, P. M., for the improvement of Allegheny street from the West line of Willis Boulevard to the South line of Passenden street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 219 subject to the provisions of the charter and ordinances of the city of St. Johns, and the estimate of the city engineer, on file.

Bids must be strictly in accordance with printed blanks, which will be furnished on application at the office of the recorder of the city of St. Johns. And said improvement must be completed on or before 60 days from the date of the signing of the contract by the parties thereto. No proposals or bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the mayor of the city of St. Johns, certified by a responsible bank for an amount equal to ten per cent of the aggregate proposal. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved. By order of the City Council. A. M. ESSON, Recorder.

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The Meat ?



Is one that is of special importance to every good housewife. If the meat is tough or has an ancient flavor there is always trouble brewing when the head of the house gets his feet under the table. To keep him in good humor it is necessary that the meat be selected with care, and if you are not getting the kind of meat that produces this happy result, it would be wise to get it where you are absolutely sure that it is just right. The meat handled at those cheap Saturday sales in Portland are like the sales—cheap, very cheap and very poor. Cows that are worn out with the cares of this world, diseased, broken down beasts that have almost served out their allotted years can usually be found at these sales. Dyspepsia, indigestion and doctor bills result. Far better to buy your meats at

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city officials a better show to do the real work of the city without being bothered and embarrassed by the question, and the city will be benefited by getting better service and it can select its best number without any regard to whether the candidates are wet or dry. It will make no difference whatever, as they will be guided entirely by the amended charter. This is not a platform of any ticket, but will be on the regular ticket, and there should not be the slightest opposition to it.

The ferry question is one that deserves earnest consideration on the part of the voters. Whether it is better to purchase the present boat for the sum of \$13,000 and the franchise covering Pittsburg street and five blocks on either side of the street now held by the St. Johns Transportation Co. and issue bonds for several thousand dollars more to install new machinery and make other repairs so that it will be acceptable to the county commissioners, or to reject the boat is a question that must be decided by the voters. Whether it is better for the honor and the fair name of the city of St. Johns to give a company a franchise, encourage it in spending all the money at their command in installing a ferry system, not adding it in the least by improving streets leading to the approach, and then, after a trying and expensive experience, when the company has finally got the system on a paying basis, to install a free ferry in opposition and drive it out of business and practically bankrupt them, or to buy the boat and make necessary alterations, must be decided on the 5th of next month. The council has absolutely nothing to do in the matter outside of calling the election. It is up to the people. While it is a fact that Matt Welch, a part of whose business, we are reliably informed, is the selling and

COMMUNICATED.

Mr. "Fair Play." I wish to thank you for your article in the Review of the 5th, inst. on the salary question, and while I do not recognize you by your name, would like to. However permit me to correct you on one point, viz, the salary of recorder for this city, is not now and never has been \$100.00 per month. It is \$82.33 per month and an allowance of \$20.00 per month to pay office help, out of the latter I have at times saved \$8.00 per month, making high water mark \$91.33. The office this year handles over \$300,000.00 on a salary of an eight hour Portland policeman. The city of Hoquiam, Wa., pays her recorder \$100.00 per month and a police judge \$75.00 for a population about like our own; this city unites the two and pays \$83.00. This is not a whim, but a suggestion that matters could be worse.

DON'T OVERLOOK THIS.

Many people are availing themselves of the opportunity of securing groceries and dry goods at cost at the Muck & Derric store. They were agreeably surprised at the very low price asked for standard goods and they are now busily engaged in telling their friends of the great bargains that can be secured for little money. There is still a good stock of goods on hand, and any one will be well repaid by calling at this store and getting prices. Everything must go, and they are going at actual cost. Do not wait until the best is taken. This is an opportunity that should not be cast lightly aside. You may as well save money on your groceries as your neighbor. Every little helps, and this is where you save a little on every purchase.

GRAND CONCERT.

Friday evening, March 19, a grand concert will be given by the Grace Church Male Chorus and Quartet under the direction of Prof. W. M. Wilder in Grace church auditorium, Portland. The program will be as follows: Remember Now Thy Creator—Rhodes.....G. C. M. Chorus Tenor Solo, "Israel"—Olive King.....F. S. Pierce Organ Solo, Larghetto Allegro—Rossini.....William M. Wilder On the Sea—Dudley Buck.....G. C. M. Chorus Contralto Solo, Peralisches Leliebied—R. Burmeister. Alice Justin The Old Brigade—Parks.....G. C. M. Chorus Soprano Solo, "The Waking of Spring"—T. Reigo.....Grace E. Campbell Annie Laurie—Parks.....G. C. M. Chorus Baritone Solo, "A Man's Song"—Geo. H. Street Price of admission 25 cents. Tickets on sale at Hendricks hardware store.

OF COURSE THEY PAY.

University Park, March 4, '09. St. Johns Review—Gentlemen: Please discontinue my ad. for sale of S. C. White Leghorn eggs for hatching—four lines one time—and send me bill for same. Have sold all the eggs we can get. Your ads pay. Very truly yours, J. F. Haworth.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to publicly extend our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly tendered their aid and sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father, and assure them that the same was deeply appreciated.

the Second Ward shall be at the City Hall. Adopted by the Common Council, March 9, 1909. A. M. ESSON, Recorder. Published in the St. Johns Review, March 12 and 19, 1909.

Proposals for Street Work.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city recorder of the city of St. Johns, Oregon, until 4 o'clock P. M. on the 6th day of April, 1909, for the improvement of Richmond street from the car line of the Portland Railway Co. to the Richmond street dock, by laying a 6-foot cement walk, 12-foot curb, between the west line of ferry street and the east line of Bradford street, except such portions as may be laid by owners. The remaining portion of said street to be wooden sidewalk and necessary cross walks, in accordance with the plans, profile and specifications of the city engineer, now on file in the office of the city recorder. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the mayor for a sum not less than 10 per cent of the contract price, and no bid will be considered unless accompanied by such check, and upon blanks furnished by the city recorder for such purposes. Said improvement must be completed on or before September 1, 1909. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved. The estimated cost of said improvement is \$6,513.97. By order of the city council, A. M. ESSON, City Recorder. Published in the St. Johns Review March 12, 19, 26, 1909.

S. Holcomb of Odessa, Wash, is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Robert Johnson.

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