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FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1909.

At this time of the year people are naturally discussing in their minds the question, where shall we buy our goods? As our answer to this important problem, we refer them to the advertising columns in this issue. Never trade with a man who does not advertise if you want nice, fresh, clean goods at reasonable prices. Find a man who does not advertise and you will find a man who is rusty and old fashioned as the goods which he is trying to sell.

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We are in receipt of a copy of the Boston Herald announcing an Exposition for Boston in 1920 in honor of the landing of the Pilgrims. There is no event in the history of our nation that deserves more consideration, and the exposition should be well planned and made to overshadow every world fair before that time. Every state in the union should and will no doubt do all in its power to make the exposition the grandest affair the world has ever known.

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With this issue we launch a boom for a suspension bridge between St. Johns and Whitwood Court and we expect to stay with it until it is accomplished or has proven to be unfeasible and inpracticable. It is unnecessary to try and enumerate all the blessings that would be derived from such a structure—they are so obvious that even a blind man can see a few of them at least. We believe the thing is practicable, feasible and with an united effort may be accomplished. Rome was not built in a day, neither will this bridge, but nothing great was ever accomplished without strenuous efforts being made and it will be so in this case. We intend to boom it to the best of our ability, and invite every citizen in St. Johns to join in the movement, even if they cannot do more than sign the petition to take the matter to the legislature when it is presented to them. Let us all get together and shoulder to shoulder work for a suspension bridge at St. Johns.

The St. Johns Commercial club met in regular assembly Wednesday evening, and advertising, ferry question and a suspension bridge at St. Johns were the principal topics discussed. The attendance was not what it should have been. It seems that the members are again falling into the old rut that was in vogue last year—indifference, poor at tendance, lack of interest, and any old excuse good enough to give for not attending. If the club is to amount to anything every member must be up and doing. Even if it does require a little energy and sacrifice on the part of the members to attend it should be worth the effort. It is an honor to belong to a commercial club but it is certainly not an honor to the club to enroll and then be absent at a majority of the meetings. If there is no life in the club it is the members' fault. Attend and if a live subject is not brought up, broach one yourself. It is discouraging to the few faithful to attend night after night with about a fifteen per cent attendance. Be a live wire. Make up your mind to be present next Wednesday night, and permit nothing except sickness or death keep you from being on hand. Shake off the lethargy and do your duty as a good citizen of St. Johns.

The suspension bridge proposition met with favor by the club and it was deemed worthy of making a strenuous effort to obtain. Definite steps toward securing this project will be formulated in the near future, and a movement will be launched such as has never before been inaugurated for a public utility in St. Johns.

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Whooping Cough.

This is a more dangerous disease than is generally presumed. It will be a surprise to many to learn that more deaths result from it than from scarlet fever. Pneumonia often results from it. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, and always with the best results. Delbert McKeig of Harlan, Iowa, says of it: "My boy took whooping cough when nine months old. He had it in the winter. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy which proved good. I cannot recommend it too highly." For sale by all good druggists.

All hats trimmed at reduced prices at the Vogue.

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Try a fountain pen for ten days and if satified, buy it—if not, no expense. St. Johns Pharmacy.

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Be a booster for St. Johns.

the land or any interest therein, or any improvement thereon, and the damages which each of said owners respectively will sustain; and shall also make just and equitable estimates and assessments of the value of the benefits and advantages of said proposed extension of said Richmond street to the respective owners or other persons interested in land or other property which said viewers shall be deemed especially benefitted by such opening and extension of said street. Said viewers shall thereafter, at their earliest convenience, and not later than 20 days, report the assessment for damages and benefits to the council of said city, giving, as nearly as they may by due diligence ascertain, the name of any owner or owners owning or having an interest in any lot, block, tracts or parcels of land which shall be benefitted by such extension and the amount of the respective benefits, together with the damages assessed to each tract or parcel of land caused by said extension of said street; and the name of the owner or owners of said tracts, lots, parcels of land so damaged.

That in making said report, said viewers shall assess as part of the benefits the sum of $2.00 each, for each of said viewers per day necessarily required for viewing said proposed extension and assessing damages and benefits as aforesaid.

The recorder of the city of St. Johns shall send, by mail post paid, a notice of the appointment of the said viewers, giving their names and designating the time and place for meeting and specifying with convenient certainty the proposed extension of said Richmond street to each of the property owners whose property is proposed to be appropriated or to his agent to the post-office address of such owner, if such post-office address shall not be known then the notice shall be directed to such owner or agent at St. Johns; and said recorder shall also and at least five days before the day set for the meeting of such viewers as aforesaid, cause said viewers to be notified of their appointment and the time and the place of such meeting.

That when said viewers shall file their report with the Council, the recorder shall forthwith send by mail post paid, to the owner of each lot part thereof, or tract of land assessed for benefits or damages, or appropriated for the proposed extension of Richmond street, directed to the post-office address of such owner or agent, if such address be known, and if not known, to St. Johns, Oregon, stating when such report shall be considered by the council; and directing that they present their objections, if any there be, in writing; and when and where they shall be heard; and when and where said council shall reject or accept the report of said viewers.

Adopted this 11th day of May, 1909.

Attest:
A. M. ESSON,
Recorder.

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In order to insure a change of advertisement the copy for such change should reach this office not later than Wednesday, at 3 o'clock p. m. Please remember this and save the printer

thereon, and the damages which each of said owners respectively will sustain; and shall also make just and equitable estimates and assessments of the value of the benefits and advantages of said proposed widening of Buchanan street to the respective owners or other persons interested in the land or other property which said viewers shall be deemed especially benefitted by such widening and changing of said street. Said viewers shall thereafter, at their earliest convenience, and not later than 20 days, report the assessment for damages and benefits to the council of said city, giving, as nearly as they may by due diligence ascertain, the name of the owner or owners owning or having an interest in any lot, block, tracts or parcels of land which shall be benefitted by such widening and the amount of the respective benefits, together with the damages assessed to each tract or parcel of land caused by said widening of said street; and the name of the owner or owners of said tracts, lots, parcels of land so damaged.

That in making said report, said viewers shall assess as part of the benefits the sum of $2.00 for each of said viewers per day necessarily required for viewing said proposed change and widening and assessing damages and benefits as aforesaid.

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WANTED—Strawberry pickers: steady employment during season. For particulars address W. L. Smith, Hood River, Ore., R. F. D. 2, box 235.

In spite of the fact that new meat markets are being opened up in St. Johns, our trade still continues to increase. There is a reason. People realize when they want GOOD meat it is not the cheapest market that keeps it. They cannot afford to, as they cater to a certain class who are satisfied with poor meet and good meat cannot be sold at poor meat prices. That is the reason why the trade of

BITGOOD & COLE

is constantly increasing. Nothing but the best is kept on hand, and people are beginning to realize this. Then their prices are at the very lowest notch at which first class meat can be sold to make a living profit. Dealers in inferior meat catch the people at first, but they cannot hold them. It doesn't pay to buy meat and then have to throw it out. If you are not satisfied with the quality you have been getting, try BITGOOD & COLE.

TO WATER USERS.

Water used through hose for sprinkling yards or sidewalks or washing windows must be paid for in advance, and used only between the hours of 5 and 8 a. m. and 5 and 9 p. m. It must not be used for sprinkling streets. Any one using water contrary to these rules, or wastefully, will be shut off without further notice. If paid in advance for the months of June, July, August and September entitles the user to water for this purpose until January 1, 1910. St. Johns Water Works and Lighting Co., P. H. Edlefsen, Superintendent.

NOTICE

Grain Dock For Lease

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until 4 o'clock p. m. May 28, 1909, for the lease of the new St. Johns City Dock (double deck). Dimensions 120 by 540 feet, 440 feet enclosed. Bids to be accompanied by certified check in the amount of $500.00 dollars payable to the city of St. Johns, Oregon, conditioned, that the bidder shall within 30 days from the acceptance of his bid and conditions, enter into in good faith arrangements for use and occupancy of said dock. Right reserved to reject any and all bids and re-advertise for same.

Address A. M. Esson, Recorder of the city of St. Johns, Oregon.

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Pointers for our Patrons.

The difference between poor stock and first class stock on a job is a small item when you consider the value of the job. It is the price of a satisfied customer. It is better to make 50 cents less on a job and have a customer who will come back, than to use the flimsy stock, make the extra 50 cents and lose your customer. That is the way we figure it.

Our Charges.

As is customary, we will charge for card of thanks, 50c; for resolutions of respect, $1.00; for notices of church or lodge entertainments, suppers, sociables, etc., where there are charges for admission, 5c per line, but where there are no charges for these events, we will break the rule and insert them free. We make this announcement so that our good friends may understand our rule in this respect.

TIME TABLE O. R. & N.

Union Depot, Portland.

No. 2 Chicago Special leaves 9:15 a. m.
No. 4 Spokane Flyer leaves at 5:00 p. m.
No. 6 Kansas City Exp. leaves 6:00 p. m.
No. 8 Local Passenger leaves 7:45 a. m.
No. 1 Chicago Special arrives 8:50 p. m.
No. 3 Spokane Flyer arrives 10:00 a. m.
No. 5 Kansas City Exp. arrives 7:20 a. m.
No. 7 Local Passenger arrives 5:45 p. m.

St. Johns Ferry Time Card.

Leave East Side (A. M.)—6:40, 7:10, 7:50, 8:30, 9:10, 9:50 10:30, 11:10, 11:50. P. M.—12:30, 1:10, 1:50, 2:30, 3:10, 3:50, 4:30 5:10 6:00.

Leave West Side (A. M.)—6:50, 7:30, 8:10, 8:50, 9:30, 10:10, 11:50. P. M.—12:10, 12:50, 1:30, 2:10, 2:50, 3:30, 4:10 4:50, 5:30, 6:20.

The Portland Journal has inaugurated a novel scheme that was worked in Pittsburg and other cities of the East as a circulation booster. An individual termed "Raffles," by means of numerous guises endeavors to elude identification. The Journal offers a reward with a sliding scale of $100 to $500 for his "capture." Only patrons of the Journal are eligible and certain words must be uttered before he will capitulate. The prospective captor is likely to be frozen by a fierce facial expression before he can utter half the essential sentence. Therefore, it will require a most persistent person to bear him captive. Many awkard and humiliating scenes are likely to ensue as well as many humorous ones. Whether it will redound to the fame of the Journal is a doubtful question. Anyhow it is something different and will give Portlanders something to amuse themselves with for a brief period.

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Is America after a few more generations to become a nation of idiots? We ask this question in all seriousness after being compelled to listen over the telephone recently to a conversation between a supposedly bright young man and woman. The really most intelligent part of their conversation was "te he" and "ha ha," as the rest was such an inane jumble of modern slang and contradication as to be entirely unintelligable to the uninitiated. If young Americans are to be educated along such lines of conversation, their destined future is certainly a blank as far as mentality is concerned. —Polk Itemizer.

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The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will hold a social at the church Friday evening, May 28. A program is being prepared and light refreshments will be served. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

RESOLUTION.

It is resolved by the city of St. Johns:

That whereas, the city engineer of the city of St. Johns has filed his report, plat and survey in the matter of extending Richmond street in the city of St. Johns, as shown by said report, plat and survey now on file in the office of the city recorder and are hereby referred to, and

Whereas, said report was adopted by ordinance embodying the same on the 4th day of May, 1909, designated as Ordinance No. 229 of said city, and is hereby referred to and made a part of this resolution, now therefor, it is hereby resolved that Pascal Hill, Charlie Linquist and T. H. Cochran, each being disinterested freeholders of the city of St. Johns and over the age of twenty-one years, and not being related to any of the parties interested in such proposed extension of Richmond street, and each possessing the qualifications of jurors of the Circuit Court of Multnomah county, Oregon, be and they and each of them are hereby appointed as viewers to view such proposed extension of said Richmond street as shown in said report, plat and survey of said engineer above referred to, and to assess damages and benefits caused by such change and extension of said Richmond street; and that said Pascal Hill, Charlie Linquist and T. H. Cochran, as such viewers, shall meet at the office of the city recorder of the city of St. Johns on the 22 day of May, 1909, at 2:30 P. M. of said day, and shall then and there be sworn to faithfully discharge such duties as shall be assigned them.

That the said viewers shall, at that time or any subsequent date to which they may adjourn, which shall not exceed one week at a time, proceed to view the proposed extension of Richmond street; and to determine and assess how much, if any, less valuable the land or other property or any part thereof, through or over which said extension is to be opened and laid out, will be rendered thereby; and shall also ascertain the respective interests of all persons claiming to be owner or owners of

RESOLUTION

It is resolved by the city of St. Johns:

That whereas, the city engineer of the city of St. Johns has filed his report, plat and survey in the matter of widening Buchanan street in the city of St. Johns, as shown by said report, plat and survey now on file in the office of the city recorder, and are hereby referred to, and

Whereas, said report was adopted by ordinance embodying the same on the 4th day of May, 1909, designated as Ordinance No. 228 of said city, and is hereby referred to and made a part of this resolution, now therefore, it is hereby resolved that A. M. Stearns, H. W. Bonham and K. C. Couch, each being disinterested freeholders of the city of St. Johns and over the age of twenty-one years, and not being related to any of the parties interested in such proposed widening of Buchanan street, and each possessing the qualifications of jurors of the Circuit Court of Multnomah county, Oregon, be and they and each of them are hereby appointed as viewers to view such proposed widening of Buchanan street, as shown in said report, plat and survey of said Engineer above referred to, and to assess damages and benefits caused by such change and widening of said Buchanan street; and that said A. M. Stearns, H. W. Bonham and K. C. Couch, as such viewers, shall meet at the office of the city recorder of the city of St. Johns on the 19th day of May, 1909, at 2:30 P. M. of said day, and shall then and there be sworn to faithfully discharge such duties as shall be assigned them.

That the said viewers shall, at that time or any subsequent date to which they may adjourn, which shall not exceed one week at a time, proceed to view the proposed widening of Buchanan street; and to determine and assess how much, if any less valuable the land or other property or any part thereof, through or over which said street is to be widened and laid out, will be rendered thereby; and shall also ascertain the respective interest of all persons claiming to be the owner or the owners of the land or any interest therein, or any improvement

RESOLUTION.

It is resolved by the city of St. Johns, that it deems it expedient and necessary to change and alter Fessenden street in said city from the Westerly line of Jersey street to the Willamette river, by widening the same by condemning a strip of land on each side thereof throughout the entire length five (5) feet wide, there by changing said Fessenden street from Jersey street to the Willamette river from Sixty (60) to Seventy (70) feet wide, and the city engineer is hereby ordered and directed to make survey of such change; to make a plat of the same and a written report containing a full and complete description of said Fessenden street as changed; and of the proposed boundaries thereof; and of the portions of each lot and tract of land to be appropriated therefor; and to make such survey, report and plat and file the same with the city recorder within twenty days from the date of the passage of this resolution.

Adopted by the Council May 4th, 1909.

Attest:
A. M. ESSON,
Recorder

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