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FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 1909.

President Taft will be the recipient this week of a handsome bouquet of Oregon roses, sent by the management of the Portland Rose Festival. The flowers are in acknowledgment of the President's interest in the Festival and his compliance with the wishes of the management in touching a button at the White House on June 7 and presented by Senators Bourne and Chamberlain and will probably grace the President's table upon their arrival.

The Review has just received the May number of the University of Oregon Bulletin from June 28 to August 6. The announcement is important to teachers of Oregon in that the summer session is conducted practically free of charge in their interest at a time when it is possible for them to attend. In the past the larger part of those attending have been teachers. The University believes that it can extend its advantages of library, laboratory, equipment and teaching force in no better way than through the summer school. The courses offered for teachers cover the greater number of the subjects required in the State examinations.

The assessment of taxes in the state of Oregon seems a strange proceeding to people coming here from the far East. The idea of assessing household goods when they amount to less than \$300 is an odd proposition to them. The poor struggling married man with a few household goods gets it in the neck here, while the single man with no one to look after but himself gets off easy. In the Atlantic states the poor married man pays no more than the single man in the way of taxes. Instead of household goods being assessed a man's occupation bears the assessment. It is certainly more equitable. Back east there are assessors and tax collectors in every town, and it is much more difficult to evade taxation. It seems that Oregon people

**COUNCIL MEETING.**

Council met in adjourned session Wednesday evening with all members present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The bid of M. T. Swan for the improvement of Pittsburg street was accepted and Mr. Swan was awarded the contract.

Bills to the amount of \$114.35 were allowed.

The report of the city treasurer showing the amount of money on hand June 1st, and also up to date was read, accepted and ordered placed on file. The report showed that the treasury is in a rather depleted condition and will soon need replenishment from some source.

The mayor was instructed by council to see that the street signs which are now ready in the chief of police's office be placed as far as practicable.

The dog license question was taken up and it was decided to have the recorder notify those parties now owning dogs to pay their licenses without delay. If no heed be paid to the notices the screws to be applied to the limit. About 115 tags have been taken out so far, but there are a number of canines yet running at large without the necessary necktie.

On motion the recorder was requested to notify the street railway people to place box gutters across Fessenden street at Oswego and Allegheny streets in order to protect their property.

The question of viewings on the condemnation of Fessenden street was discussed and five names were proposed out of which to secure the necessary three. Councilmen Doble and A. W. Davis took it upon themselves to ascertain if they would be willing to serve in such a capacity and report at next meeting.

An ordinance changing the names of several streets was taken up and passed the council. It may be found elsewhere in this issue and should be read by all, as it is of vital importance.

**LIST OF NEW TEACHERS.**

The following list of teachers for the coming year has been announced by the school board: Miss Clara Ross, principal of high school, with Misses Ethel Rundall, Edythe Denbyker, Emily Janney as her assistants. In the North End school Madge Dunn has first grade, Nellie M. Stevens second grade, Clara Pratt third, Lettie Crabb fourth, with the fifth yet to fill. The Central school retains Professor R. H. Boyd as principal, with the following assistants, not yet assigned to grades:

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1.25	"	"	"	"	3/4	"	"	"	"	.94
.75	"	"	"	"	3/4	"	"	"	"	.56
.25	"	"	"	"	3/4	"	"	"	"	.19

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**ORDINANCE NO. 238.**

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE NAME OF BRUNSWICK AVENUE TO OSWEGO STREET; TO LEHIGH STREET TO POLK STREET; LEARNED STREET TO MOHAWK STREET; HAMILTON AVENUE TO MOHAWK STREET; TO BRUNSWICK STREET; TO MOHAWK STREET; DAYTON STREET TO TYLER STREET; LIVELY STREET TO WILLIS BOULEVARD; SILAS STREET TO NEW YORK STREET; PARK AVENUE TO CHICAGO STREET; STEWART STREET TO PORTLAND BOULEVARD; AND WALL STREET TO BURR STREET.

The city of St. Johns does ordain as follows:

- Section 1: That the name of Brunswick Avenue in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Oswego street.
- Section 2: That the name of Lehigh street in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Polk street.
- Section 3: That the name Learned street in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Mohawk street.
- Section 4: That the name Hamilton Avenue in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Mohawk street.
- Section 5: That the name of Brunswick street in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Mohawk street.
- Section 6: That the name of Dayton street in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Tyler street.
- Section 7: That the name of Lively street in Holbrook's Addition to the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Willis boulevard.
- Section 8: That the name of Silas street in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to New York street.
- Section 9: That the name of Park Avenue in Brach's Addition to the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Chicago street.
- Section 10: That the name of Stewart street in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Portland boulevard.
- Section 11: That the name of Wall street in the city of St. Johns be and it is hereby changed to Burr street.

Passed by the Council, June 8th, 1909.  
Approved by the Mayor, June 8th, 1909.

J. F. HENDRICKS, Mayor.  
A. M. ESSON, Recorder.

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**SUMMONS.**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF MULTNOMAH.

J. G. Brinson, Plaintiff,

vs  
Emma Brinson, Defendant.

To Emma Brinson, Defendant: In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 23rd day of July, 1909, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to answer or otherwise plead within said time, the plaintiff, for want thereof, will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his complaint on file herein, to-wit: For a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony between plaintiff and defendant and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable in the premises.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for a period of six weeks, seven issues, in the St. Johns Review, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published at St. Johns, Oregon, pursuant to an order of Honorable W. N. Gatens, Circuit Judge of the above entitled Court, duly made and entered in this cause on the 8th day of June, 1909. The date of the first publication of this summons is June 11, 1909. The last publication will be July 23rd, 1909.

COLLIER & COLLIER, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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have a way of their own in regard to taxation that needs a little fixing.

Joseph Simon was elected Mayor of the city of Portland at the election held in that city Monday by a large plurality. Portland is a veritable city of Jews and it seems quite fitting that an Israelite should preside in the mayoralty chair. With few exceptions every large store in Portland is conducted by a member of the Jewish race. How the new mayor will conduct municipal affairs remains to be seen. He has made some brave promises, and if he has enough manhood to live up to them all will be well. Less than sixty per cent of the voters were interested enough to cast their ballots. Mr. Simon was elected on the Republican ticket. If he gives a better administration than Mayor Lane he will have to go some.

Under the auspices of the Commercial Club, a plan has been worked out for the marking of every county road, within the radius of fifty miles of Walla Walla, with frequent sign boards showing the distance and direction to that city. The signs are made in the form of an arrow, and are six inches wide and three feet long. They are painted white and bear the plain black legend, "Walla Walla." The first consignment of the signs have already been put up and within the next two weeks the full quantity, one thousand, will be in evidence. St. Johns might devote a plan something after this nature to good advantage.

Miss Della Matthews of Los Angeles is spending the week with her old time friend, Mrs. A. C. Geeler. She expects to take in the Seattle fair before she returns to her southern home.

Edna Bailey, Anna B. Clark, Mabel Burdett, Verne M. Penner, May Haley, Viola Peddicord, Fannie Loller, Edith Van Vleet, Florence Akin, Emma Clanton, Alma Overstreet, Ann Quigley, Mrs. L. G. Fisher, Miss Alkin comes from Roseburg, and in addition to her ability as a teacher is a well-known writer of primary text books. Miss Clanton is ex-county superintendent of Klickitat County, Wash. Miss Overstreet is a St. Johns girl who has taught here before. Miss Quigley is an ex-county superintendent of Montana, coming from Anaconda. Mrs. Fisher comes from Portland. The retiring teachers are Bertha Lick, M. E. Adams, Hattie Brown, Grace Kent, Carrie Haley, and Adelaide Beebe from the high school. Both Miss Kent and Miss Humphreys will teach in Portland. Miss Brown goes to Arizona with a sick sister, and the rest are planning to take new positions as housekeepers for rising young business men.

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**COMMUNICATED.**

Ed. Review: I want to endorse Citizen's views on the meat market proposition which he advanced in last week's paper. It is no more than right that our people should stay with the people who have helped to build up our town and are greatly interested in our city's welfare. I know that many patronize new markets without thinking that every time the new man is given a lift the ones who have stood by them in sickness and health are given a knock. Our old butchers have been very good extending credit when many of their patrons were out of work or ill and they should not be deserted now. One good turn deserves another. City pride alone should guide one to patronize men who are helping to build up St. Johns and not turn their cash patronage over to one who is substantially trying to tear it down by crowding others out of business or running their sales so low that there is no money in it for them.

Isn't it better to buy from a man whom you know sells good meat than to buy from one who has been arrested for selling tainted meat? Isn't it safer for your family, and is it not safer for you? I believe if you will look at this question aright you will stay with the old established shops, where you know everything to be all right. As far as buying from trusts is concerned, one is as good as another provided the meat is good. Because one man is trying to tear down one trust to build up another is no reason why he should have your patronage. Take the question home to yourselves, fellow citizens, and stay with the old markets. Subscriber.

Work for a Greater St. Johns.  
Note the label on your paper.

**Notice to Contractors**

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Directors of School District No. 2, St. Johns, Oregon, until the 24th day of June, 1909, for the erection and completion of a High School building, as a whole or several parts thereof, according to plans and specifications prepared by Charles H. Burggraf, architect, Albany, Oregon. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to "School District No. 2, St. Johns, Oregon," for the sum of \$500.00, or 2 per cent on subdivision, as a guarantee that the contractor will furnish an approved bond equal to 50 per cent of the contract within ten days after the awarding of the contract. All bids must be made out on blank proposals for the same. Blanks furnished upon application by the clerk or architect. Plans and specifications may be seen at the School Clerk's office St. Johns, at Architect and Engineers office Portland, Ore., or at the architect's office, on and after June 8th, 1909. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
By order of School Board No. 2,  
J. E. TANCH, Clerk.

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No. 5 Kansas City Exp.	arrives 7:20 a. m.
No. 7 Local Passenger	arrives 5:45 p. m.

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