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Pay your subscription.

A comparison of the list of persons who voted at the late School Election with the list of tax payers on the tax books, show that about seventy persons voted who had no legal right to a vote. We are informed that many of these people will have an opportunity to explain why they thus transgressed the law when the Grand Jury convenes in September.

The finding of a coin of the early Christian Era in a field near Forest Grove has caused no little speculation as to how it came there. Antiquarian finds in Oregon are not common. The coin has been identified as of the period of Emperor Severus, who ruled Rome from 193 to 211 A. D. The coin is a very rare one, but a few being known to be in existence.

Oregon fir is becoming a favorite wood for car builders says A. B. Wastell, secretary of the Oregon and Washington Lumber Manufacturers Association, who has just returned from the East. Not only is it used for sills and heavy timbers in building passenger equipment but for siding and finishing as well. As a result of Mr. Wastell's visit, the Oregon wood will be more extensively used for this purpose in future.

Portland will have an improved market for the live stock of the Northwest early in the coming month when the big stockyards on the Peninsula will be opened. It is said the new facilities to be offered for the marketing of stock will be the best on the Pacific Coast. At the start the yards will have a capacity of 75 cars, or nearly 2000 head of cattle; 10,000 head of sheep, or about 75 cars; and 4000 head, or 50 cars, of hogs. This capacity can easily be doubled as occasion requires. The yards will be run in connection with the new packing plants now being built on the Peninsula.

NEW GROCERY FIRM.

Messrs. J. F. Hendricks and D. F. Horsman have purchased Newton's Cash Grocery on the corner of Jersey and Leavitt streets, and will take charge of same August 1st. Both are well known residents of our city. Mr. Horsman has for long been the trusted and obliging assistant at Couch's store, and is very popular with all who know him. Like Mr. Horsman, Mr. Hendricks needs no introduction to our people. As mayor of the city and already a prominent business man with an abiding faith in St. Johns, his many admirable traits are well known. The new firm will enter the grocery business with many bright promises for success and prosperity, and that they will make a success of the business is a foregone conclusion. D. M. Newton, the present proprietor, retires from the field owing to poor health, and will likely locate in a dryer climate. He has made many friends while in our midst, all of whom will be sorry to see him depart.

READY FOR TRESTLE WORK.

L. H. Smith and Harry E. Wagoner on last Saturday made a thorough trip along the United Railways from Burlington to their acreage, Valley Vista, and found that practically all the grading has been done to the big tunnel, and is practically ready for the piling and trestle work. There is no work going on, on this end of the tunnel, but on the west side of the tunnel 20 men are at work, and have succeeded in putting the same into the solid rock, some 200 feet, while they were there three big blasts were set off. The contractor informed them that he was expecting any hour to be notified to begin work on the East side of the Tunnel. His present contract calls for 1000 feet on the west side. He has been greatly delayed owing to being unable to get sawed timbers; all the present timbers are hewed out of the logs.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Miss Lucinda Davis Friday, July 16th, when about 35 members of the B. Y. P. U. met at a birthday social. The evening was passed with music, games and social intercourse and refreshments of fruit and lemonade were served. Over \$7.00 was added to the fund of the society. The party broke up about 11 o'clock, all voting Miss Davis, an ideal hostess.

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

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, In the Providence of Almighty God, death has taken from this world of pain and affliction, to her home in Heaven, the beloved daughter of our brother, T. J. Monahan, and

Whereas, In the death of Venus, the loving parents and brothers and sister have suffered an irreparable loss—a loss that none but God can recover. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we the officers and members of Laurel Lodge No. 186, I. O. O. F., do tender to our Brother and his family our sympathy in these hours of sore bereavement, and be it further

Resolved, That in this sad hour we all may learn the lesson of patience and care laid down by these loving parents and be ever ready to lend a helping hand to those in distress and in need of our assistance. We believe that every thing that loving hands, and skill could do was done for this sufferer of 13 long years. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, a copy published in the Review, and a copy be spread on the Records of this Lodge.

A. C. Gesler,
E. B. Holcomb,
Henry Allen,

Committee.

Gov. Fletcher was surprised on Tuesday last on receiving a call from an old friend and neighbor, Dr. John Gordon, of Quincy, Mass. They had not seen each other for over twenty years, and the meeting was a happy one. The doctor is a great traveler and has been all over Canada, Europe, Alaska, and every state in the Union. This is the first visit to the Northwest, and he is profoundly impressed with the greatness of this country. The doctor is a keen observer and a fine talker, and one is charmed as he enlarges on the grandeur and future possibilities of this vast region, particularly Portland and its surroundings. He will return to his New England home with a higher appreciation of the great West.

Mrs. J. E. Lawson of Minneapolis and her daughter, Margaret, are now paying a visit to Hon. J. H. Fletcher of this city. Mrs. Lawson is a sister of Mr. Fletcher and Miss Margaret is a teacher of vocal music in Eastern Colleges, and is said to be a beautiful singer. They are busy taking in the sights and will return by way of Seattle, taking in the Fair.

Wanted—First class hand ironer at St. Johns Laundry.

IT IS IN THE EATING.

Some meat men may laud their business to the skies with poetry and prose, and in glowing terms tell of the great benefit accruing to mankind through the operation of their meat markets, but in this particular market neither are necessary. "The proof of the pudding is in the eating," and just so it is with our meats. They speak for themselves and the fine patronage we are enjoying is conclusive assurance that our meats are not without merit. While others may endeavor to secure patronage by empty words and ambiguous phrases, WE DELIVER THE GOODS. We confine ourselves strictly to "padding our own canoe" and do not rely upon building up our business by tearing another down. No question was ever raised as to the purity of our meats, and the reason of it is because the opportunity was never presented. Our meats are ALWAYS PURE. Try them and see. BITGOOD & COLE.

THE BABY SHOW.

The baby contest at the Electric Theatre for two weeks closing last Sunday evening, attracted large crowds throughout, and the parents of some of the babies spared neither time, trouble or money in trying to have their baby secure one of the prizes.

Of the prizes No. 7 captured first, which was a silver cup, presented by W. M. Tower. No. 12 second prize—a child's rocker, presented by Calef Bros. No. 1 third prize—a pair of child's shoes and stockings presented by Bonham & Currier.

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. Edleson, Superintendent.

A GOLDEN WEDDING.

Means that man and wife have lived to a good old age and consequently have kept healthy. The best way to keep healthy is to see that your liver does its duty 365 days out of 365. The only way to do this is to keep Ballard's Herbine in the house and take it whenever your liver gets inactive. 50 cents per bottle. Sold by North Bank Pharmacy.

SPREADING THE NEWS.

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have some advantage, but it has not like Portland the benefit of inland water-ways and a large, well developed trade territory around it. The older part of the city of Portland, which includes the wholesale district, is on the west side of the Willamette river. The residence district on the west side extends to the top of Portland Heights, where there are many beautiful homes. Beyond the Heights, and at a still greater elevation, is Council Crest. The distance by the electric line from St. Johns to Council Crest is about fifteen miles and the fare is only five cents. From Council Crest one can have a good view of Portland, the Willamette and Columbia rivers, Mt. Hood and Mt. St. Helens. In recent years East Portland has been growing very rapidly and it now has a greater population than has the older part of the city west of the river. Some even think the time will come when the financial and business center will be changed to the east side. But that such a change will ever occur may well be doubted, for many of the wealthy people of the city have very large interests on the west side. Portland capitalists have always been considered conservative. They have not advertised Portland and its advantages as some other western cities have been advertised, but they have invested extensively in manufacturing plants, and this fact assures to their city a permanent and substantial growth.

St. Johns is a prosperous little city on the east side of the Willamette river and adjoining the city limits of Portland. It has a population of about 3000 people and is the brightest gem on the Western Continent. If any one doubts this statement I shall ask the privilege of introducing the testimony of some of our local real estate agents to prove that neither tongue nor pen can do justice in describing the advantages of our city. But it must not be supposed that the said agents are merely loyal to their town, or that their judgment is clouded by a desire to promote their own interests, for they can really present an array of facts that is very convincing. Along the waterfront are many manufacturing plants. These include saw mills, planing mills, a flouring mill, iron works, a woolen mill, a box factory, an asbestos factory and a number of smaller factories. A ship building plant and a big dry dock are also located here. We have two large public school buildings and six churches. Extensive street improvements, including several miles of cement sidewalks, are being made this year and the general appearance of the city is being improved rapidly. The big Swift packing plant is located on the Oregon Slough, which is an arm of the Columbia river, about two miles from St. Johns. When completed it will give employment to several hundred men, many of whom will no doubt make their homes here. St. Johns has one well edited weekly newspaper, the St. Johns Review, which is loyal to its town and deserves to prosper.

The formerly-of-Harper-county people now living in Portland all seem to be prosperous and happy. Dr. Wilson, Mr. Hatfield and Mr. Milne and their families live in East Portland, where they have very attractive homes. Two of Mr. Milne's boys are employed as conductors on the street railways and Clifton Wilson has a good position with one of the big business houses in the city. Roy Hatfield completed his high school work some months ago, but expects to take a course in college work before entering upon his career in business.

L. B. Wilson.

Bids Wanted

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Recorder until 4 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, July 27, for the lease of the city rock crusher and utilities now located at Whitewood Court. Further information regarding the same may be obtained at any time at the city hall. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

A. M. ESSON,
City Recorder.

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DOCK SOLD.

Since the article on first page was written and printed, we have learned the pleasing news that the Northwest Warehouse Co. has accepted the terms offered by council for the sale of the new city dock, and that the necessary papers will be made out at once. This will be agreeable news to most of our citizens.

As there has been some question over the alleged vacation of several streets along the water front, the city attorney has been directed to look the matter up thoroughly and report to council. The chances are that the city may yet be able to secure some revenue from some of the streets now occupied but never vacated. We expect to go into this matter in more detail later on.

WE HAVE AN IDEA

And we believe our idea is right, and we are willing to back it up by prices and quality of goods. This is what we are going to do Saturday, July the 24th—Special:

16 lb. best fruit sugar for	1.00	1 can apples	10c
4 packages soda	.25	1 can plums	10c
3 one lb. packages seed raisins	.25	1 can apricots	10c
3 cans oysters	.25	7 bars Johnson's Napha Soap	.25c
3 cans corn	.25	7 bars Diamond C Soap	.25c
3 cans tomatoes	.25	1 package Priscot	.25c
3 cakes Sapallo	.25	3 packages mince meat	.25c
3 cakes Bonami	.25	3 Dutch cheeses	.25c
3 cans pumpkins	.25		

These are only a few of our money-saving prices. We are the oldest merchants in town, and we are located right across from the City Hall at 206-208 Philadelphia street. All orders left on Saturday that cannot be delivered will be delivered the following Monday at the same price. We are also making a special price on all Men's, Ladies' and Children's Oxfords in order to make room for our Fall stock.

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RESOLUTION

It is resolved by the city of St. Johns:

That it deems it expedient and necessary to improve South Hayes street, from the Southern line of Buchanan street to the Northern line of Ida street in the city of St. Johns in the following manner, to wit:

By grading same to established grade by cut and fill; 5-foot cement sidewalk, 12-foot curb from Buchanan to Burr street; and by placing a strip of crushed rock in the center thereof from Buchanan to Burr street. Said crushed rock to be 12 feet wide, 8 inches in center 6 inches on either side; 4 inch drains, tile through curb every 50 feet between Buchanan and Burr streets; expansion joints in said walk where directed by city engineer.

All work to be under the supervision and direction of the city engineer and according to the plans and specification of the city engineer on file in the office of the city recorder relative thereto, which said plans and specifications and estimates are satisfactory and are hereby approved. Said improvements to be made in accordance with the charter and ordinances of the city of St. Johns, and under the supervision and direction of the city engineer.

That the cost of said improvement to be assessed as provided by the city charter upon the property especially and particularly benefited thereby, and which is hereby declared to be all of lots, parts of lots, blocks and parcels of land between the terminal of such improvements abutting upon, adjacent or proximate to said South Hayes street, from the marginal lines of said street back to the center of the block or blocks or tracts of land abutting thereon or proximate thereto.

That all the property included in said improvement district aforesaid is hereby declared to be "Local Improvement District No. 26."

That the city engineer's assessment of the probable total cost of said improvement of said South Hayes street is \$2311.45.

That the cost of said South Hayes street to be assessed against the property in said local assessment district as provided by the city charter of the city of St. Johns.

Adopted the 13th day of July, 1909.

A. M. ESSON,
Recorder.

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NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Louise Keogan Estate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Louise Keogan, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah county, and that Monday, the 20th day of August, 1909, at the hour of 9 o'clock of the forenoon of said day, in the court room of said Court, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the settlement of said account, and for hearing objections thereto.

Richard H. Keogan,
Administrator of the estate of Louise Keogan.

Wm. A. Munly, Attorney.
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RESOLUTION

It is resolved by the city of St. Johns:

That it deems it expedient and necessary to improve Mohawk street, from the West line of Jersey street to the west line of Willis boulevard in the city of St. Johns in the following manner, to wit:

By grading same to established grade by cut and fill, and by sidewalk same on either side with 6 foot cement walks 12 foot curbs, 4 inch tile drain every 50 feet of curb, expansion joints where directed by the city engineer; with necessary wooden cross walks and box gutters. And by placing a strip of crushed rock 14 feet wide in the center thereof, entire length, said rock to be 8 inches in center 6 inches on either side.

All work to be according to the plans and specifications of the city engineer on file in the office of the city recorder relative thereto, which plans and specifications and estimates are satisfactory and are hereby approved. Said improvements to be made in accordance with the charter and ordinances of the city of St. Johns, and under the supervision and direction of the city engineer.

That the cost of said improvement to be assessed as provided by the city charter upon the property especially and particularly benefited thereby, and which is hereby declared to be all of lots, parts of lots, blocks and parcels of land between the terminal of such improvements abutting upon, adjacent or proximate to said Mohawk street, from the marginal lines of said street back to the center of the block or blocks or tracts of land abutting thereon or proximate thereto.

That all the property included in said improvement district aforesaid is hereby declared to be "Local Improvement District No. 25."

That the city engineer's assessment of the probable total cost of said improvement of said Mohawk street is \$3650.85.

That the cost of said Mohawk street to be assessed against the property in said local assessment district as provided by the city charter of the city of St. Johns.

Adopted the 13th day of July, 1909.

A. M. ESSON,
Recorder.

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