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IN PROSPEROUS CONDITION

St. Johns Keeping Right Up With the Procession

St. Johns is holding its own with other Oregon cities in their rapid growth in wealth and population.

Building is going on steadily and the class of structures erected is better each year.

Two schoolhouses are included, one costing \$10,000 and one \$40,000.

Among the many new residences are A. S. Benson's \$12,000 home on the bluff overlooking the drydock.

More than 10 miles of streets have been graded this season and cement walks have been laid on most of them.

The streets improved this year are Allegheny, from Hudson to Fessenden; Buchanan, from Wil-

Petitions are on file for the improvement of Burr street, from Dawson east to the city limits;

An exchange gets off the following: A little boy had been accustomed to being late every morning at school.

LARGE MILL FOR LINNTON

Will be Ready for Operation April First

The West Oregon Lumber Company has started the erection of a large lumber mill at Linnton which will be built just north of the Associated Oil Company's tanks at that place.

Fessenden; Portland Boulevard, from Thompson to north city limits; Portland Boulevard, from east line Point View to south city limits;

East Charleston is to be made a 60-foot street from Hudson to Fessenden by the condemnation of several strips of property and condemnation proceedings are under way

By far the greatest undertaking is the opening of Fessenden street from the south city limits to the river.

Real estate men report business as increasing at a satisfactory rate, and several good sales have been made lately.

The Commercial Club is working hard for the improvement of the car service, and the installing of heaters in all cars, and has taken the subject up with the Peninsula Development League.

A ladies' auxiliary is being formed, and indications point to next year as the most prosperous in the history of St. Johns.

THE WOOD PIPE COMPANY

Purchases More Land on the Peninsula

The National Wood Pipe Company, who are at present engaged in constructing a \$400,000 plant at Kenton, on the Peninsula, in which will be employed from 300 to 400 men, Saturday closed a deal with the Kenwood Land Company.

Receipts for the week were 3019 cattle, 366 calves, 1483 sheep, 3138 hogs and 63 horses.

Beginning last Sunday the St. Johns cars are being routed over the Burnside bridge instead of the Steel bridge as heretofore.

Over Burnside Bridge

Mayor J. F. Hendricks is now comfortably located with his hardware stock in his handsome and newly arranged quarters adjoining the old location.

Herd of Ixob in Oregon

According to W. R. Parker, of Baker City who has been in Portland during the past week, Oregon has the only herd of ixob known to exist on the continent.

ARE THE BEST IN THE WORLD

Oregon Apples Still Lead the World Easily

State pride ran high during the past week because Oregon apples won the grand prize at the National Apple Show at Spokane in competition with apples from all over the United States.

Will Begin in January

A number of our subscribers have complained of not receiving a copy of Bonville magazine for November.

A Model Store

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Have a Good Time

A most enjoyable Cobweb social was given in Bickner hall Thursday evening of last week by the Epworth League of the M. E. church.

WILL LEASE THE DOCK A HEAVY EXPENSE

Council Decides to Grant This Permission

Council met in regular session Tuesday evening with all members present and Mayor Hendricks in the chair.

A petition was received from J. Scales asking for permission to lay a 12-foot cement sidewalk in front of his new business place at the corner of Fessenden and New York streets.

Chas. E. Royer, night man at the North Bank station, petitioned council for the privilege of carrying a gun, as he was out late at night and hobs were rather plentiful in that neighborhood at times.

The report of the viewers on Fessenden street, Jersey to the river, was read. Several small errors were discovered, and the document was referred back to the viewers for correction.

N. E. Ayer of the St. Johns Lumber Co. was present for the purpose of making some satisfactory arrangement in regard to leasing the west end of Burlington street now occupied by the company.

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A Head Like a Lion's

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New Brick Building

Ground was broken Tuesday for the erection of another brick building on North Jersey street, between Tacoma and Baltimore.

DOCK A HEAVY EXPENSE

Councilmen Are Anxious to Get from Under

Members of the St. Johns Council are trying in every way to arrange to derive some benefit from the city dock, believing that it would be better to have it in use even at a nominal rental than standing idle.

Danced Herself to Death

Mrs. Joseph Wyda, of North Chicago, danced herself to death Thursday last, dying from over exertion.

Building Permits

No. 95—To L. F. Roat to erect a dwelling on Jersey street between Mohawk and Tyler; estimated cost \$1,500.

Might be Worth Trying

Too poor to take a home paper? Well, that is a distressing condition; buy a hen, feed her crumbs and waste from the kitchen and she will lay egg to pay for a year's subscription.

CONSTRUCTION TO BEGIN

Kenton Will be Busy Place the Coming Year

The plans and specifications for the main factory building of the Davis Safe & Lock Co. on the Peninsula, have been completed and construction work will be commenced immediately.

By next spring, Kenton's population will be augmented by at least 1000 working men, who will be employed in neighboring factories to be in operation by that time.

Building Permits

No. 96—To E. E. Radding to erect a dwelling on Myers between Hartman and Thompson streets for H. B. Brownrigg; estimated cost \$2,000.

Building Permits

No. 97—To E. C. Hurlbert to erect a brick store building on Jersey street between Tacoma and Baltimore streets; estimated cost \$3,000.

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