NO. 14

A BIG BOON FOR ST. JOHNS

Will Be the Improvement of Fessenden Street

in line when the weather becomes are causing the saloon interests council. The main features are: settled. The property owners in-terested have done themselves and his 'solutions.' " proud in deciding to make the improvement as good as can be done. Not only have they given a portion of their land in order to widen the street, but have concluded to improve with six-foot cement walk and cement roadway its entire way—one that will solve the pro-width from the east city limits to blem and end the row. But that from thence to the river with tres- that challenge. Gambling dens tle work. As an instance of public spiritedness this enterprise is not often excelled, and it proves conclusively that St. Johns has a class yet to abolish them? of citizens that many cities would be only to glad to possess. At the that "there is no debatable point" meeting last week to determine the nature of the proposed improve why do you not, as an honest man, ment about 75 per cent of the prop-erty owners were present or repre-Socialism? You should remember sented, and with one single, solitary, low voiced, objection, all voted to improve in the manner above stated. A petition is being circulated for the improvement of this thoroughfare, and will likely be presented to ment that you are not fighting the

line traverses the street for a long can do it like men who desire bet-distance, it will be the first thing of ter things. If we came together importance to attract the attention thus we could make this old-world of the visitor and investor in our a paradise; today it's hell. city. The prestige and good im-pression gained in this manner will be inestimable. The visitor will at once become impressed with the fact that the people of St. Johns do things, and do them on a large and complete scale when occasion arises. Of course with this good impression made at the start they will not be satisfied until they have seen more notice: The new management of of the city, and be glad to meet the that periodical, which now comes progressive citizens that reside out under the title of the New within the confines of St. Johns. West, have declined to accept any The employment it will furnish to subscriptions at anywhere near the men and teams for five or six rate our agreement with the former months is no small item. A five or management of the magazine called six per cent grade can be obtained for. Therefore, any subscriptions on the hillside, which will permit we sent in since the magazine susof easy travel with loaded vehicles pended have not been honored, and up the hill. Viewing it from all it took us a long time to find this points of view it will be the great-out. In order that the parties subest boon St. Johns has ever had scribing do not lose anything, we and will mark a stepping stone to will date all who have not received greater progress, greater enterprise and more rapid advancement. The property owners of Fessenden street sorry to disappoint the subscribers, are to be congratulated upon their but it was wholly unlooked for by

Building Permits

No. 14—To J. H. Canright to erect a residence on Leonard street between Chicago and New York;

erect a dwelling on Oswego street between Fessenden and Seneca; cost \$2000.

Perrine Comes Back

Ed. Review: Under "Challenge Answered" Mr. S. J. Donaldson, "President St. Johns Protective Association," claims that he is tied hand and foot. I should have known that, but I am so stupid. The association "cannot give any one authority to debate methods" until the association has adopted Charter Committee Hands some specific method. What! Mr.
President! Are you a lot of anarchists? Have you no specific method of procedure? But what is this-let us see:

"We are organized in St. Johns to put out the licensed saloon and

Bradford (or railroad) street, and was not all the ground covered in

council next week, when it will be up to that body to push the work with all the expedition possible.

It is difficult to estimate the benefit St. Johns will receive from the continue the row? Come, now, thorough improvement of Fessen- Bro. S J. Donaldson, let's discuss den street. Since the street car "prime causes" and solutions We

G. L. Perrine.

Bonville Subscribers

Subscribers to Bonville magazine through the Review, please take pluck and progressiveness in launching this huge boost for St. Johns. If you have not received the magazine thus far, kindly let us magazine thus far, kindly let us know, and we will give you a receipt for six months subscription on the Review in lieu thereof.

Needs No Comment

between Chicago and New York; cost \$1200.

No. 15—To H. C. Finch to erect store building for Geo. Weiss on Pittsburg street between Bradford and the river; cost \$400.

No. 16—To W. S. Lauthers Mercantile Co. to alter building on Burlington street between Ivanhoe and Hayes; cost \$1000.

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No. 15—To C. B. Fairly to Mar's the balance coming to me? Burlington street between Ivanhoe on his wagon he remarked: "Well, and Hayes; cost \$1000. what's the balance coming to me?" and Hayes; cost \$1000.

No. 17—To C, B. Fairly to erect dwelling on Oswego street between Fessenden and Seneca; cost \$1300.

No. 18—To K. C. Couch to alter residence on John street between Hudson and Portland boulevard; cost \$1200.

No. 19—To J. R. Kerr to erect dwelling on Oswego street between Hudson and Portland boulevard; cost \$1200.

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This paper isn't intended to be a cook book, but we feel like telling all lovers of baked potatoes how they can improve the tubers by greasing them over before baking, as when baked in this manner the outer thin skin will peel off easily, leaving the delicate and finely flavored inner skin to be eaten instead of being thrown away as is generally the custom.—Exchange.

Sentended to be a have been made from the Rast to Portland by the railroads for the animal tract large numbers of the satiractive as those made last year for the Alaska-ving the delicate and finely flavored inner skin to be eaten instead of being thrown away as is generally the custom.—Exchange.

St. Johns is coming more and such that all new members would be elected at one time, but it is possibility should not the national convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in July. Both of these events will attract large numbers of people and the raites are to be as attractive as those made last year for the Alaska-ving the delicate and finely flavored inner skin to be eaten instead of being thrown away as is generally the custom.—Exchange.

WORK IS NOW COMPLETED

in Their Report

To change the terms of all elective city officials from one year to two years, and the time of holding municipal elections from the first Monday in April to the first Tuesday after the second Monday in

To provide for leasing the new city dock for a period of 25 years. To allow up to the full assessed valuation in street improvement instead of fifty per cent, as the charter now reads.

We believe the two latter amendments to be very wise ones. It may be possible to lease the dock for 25 years to good advantage, where it is impossible to do so for a term of five years, the longest period the present charter allows, unless the city lays a spur to connect with the dock. As to allowing full assessment

for street improvement, it seems to be necessary in order to progress with street improvement. It is impossible to improve a number of important streets in our city within the limitation of fifty per cent of the assessed valuation of the prop-That whenever the Secretary of seesment increased. The valuation of some lots in St. Johns we understand are assessed at \$125, when as a matter of fact they could not be purchased for less than \$400 to the feeling on these lots if the limit was raised to the full valuation for street purposes. No street has yet been imerty lying along the unimproved streets. Therefore, if they are to proved in St. Johns that the property adjoining it did not immediately inprovement amounted to. Taxes are high enough in St. Johns(river front tention to the fact that various lots would bear a higher assessment in order to have the streets improved. We heartily favor this amendment and believe it should carry unani-mously. The Portland charter has the same provision as the proposed In regard to making the term of

all city officials two years instead of one, we do not favor. We believe the city attorney, mayor, recorder and treasurer and at least three councilmen should have a two year term, but three councilmen at least should be elected every year. In this way an entirely new council would be an impossibility. The ones retained in office would know the progress made in street work and other matters that it would take an entirely new council many months to get the run of. Again, in a practically new town it requires

instruct the new members with but very little loss of time if new mem-Special round-trip excursion rates bers are elected. It is improbable have been made from the East to that all new members would be

At the Packing Plant

After a week of record breaking receipts in the cattle market, a large share of which was very common stuff, the market has apparently reached its lowest level and the feeling seems to be that and the feeling seems to be that within a week or ten days there will be a decided improvement Million Dollar Project is

bring \$5.35 ten days ago are being sold from \$4.75 to \$4.90 with a few extra choice loads going as high as 5 cents. Off-grade steers have sold down to 4 cents and below with a great many steers for which the stuff can be kept at home, and successful. nothing but prime stuff brought on the market.

according to quality.

Sheep are scarce and quality of arrivals has been very common. The receipts for the past week have been 2281 cattle, 71 calves, 554 sheep and 792 hogs. D. O. Lively,

General Agent.

Bourne's New Bill

entryman under the provisions of Frank C. Riggs, the Packard agent, this Act shall in good faith culticrease in value more than the im- vate not less than one-eighth of the Rose is said to have spent all of the facts, which statement shall be ways towards influencing the E. M. made prior to the first day of December of each year and shall show the quantity and character of crops produced by him and the value thereof: Provided, however, That no patent shall issue to any such entryman unless his said proof shall show that during the period of five years from date of entry he has produced upon said land crops of the total value of one thousand five hundred dollars.

A Big Time Planned

nial as a state institution at the close of the present College year most able and distinquished speakers obtainable, excellent music, mili-tary drills, athletic contests and of Oregon will be shown and it is dramatic exhibitions will be among the features. All of the college and student organizations will hold reunions-in short every effort will at the same time, unless it was the intention to quit business. Neither the college at this time. The de-

MAY LOCATE ON **PENINSULA**

Looking This Way

The uncertainty as to Fessenden street being improved this year has vanished, and from all indications it will be among the foremost to get in line when the weather becomes in line when the line when the was placed in position by the line when the was placed in position by the line when the was placed in position by the line when the was placed in position by the line when the was placed in position when the was placed in position when the law. We may fail, but even the law. We may fail, but even the law in was placed in position at line was placed in position when the was placed in position when the was placed in position when the was placed in the was placed in position when the law in the law in the law is a line when the law. We may fail, but even the law in the law in the law they will not soon forget the meat ing of a huge automobile assembling another lantern put up and a man of the previous meeting were read boycott or those who are behind it. plant to cover several acres, and with a trusty shot gun placed him-We would advise all shippers to which will mean the investment of self in a handy position a good the viewers' report on the opening keep in touch with their commis- close to \$1,000,000. No definite chance would have been afforded sion men and be ready to take ad- information could be gotten on the to wing the bird. A person who vantage of the rise in the market which is bound to take place within a short time. In the meantime, it will materially help if all off-grade who have to spend the rest of his natural other by A. T. Leshler, who belife picking bird shot out of his lieved the findings of the viewers The objects of the big plant will

the market.

There seems to be a better feeling on completed automobiles. A much in the hog market with values lower rate is charged on parts, and somewheres around \$8.75 to \$8.00, the E. M. F. company has decided that hereafter they will ship parts by carload lots and assemble the machines on the Pacific coast. The Everit-Metzger-Flanders company issue of Review, an item stating handles both the E. M. F. 30 and that one Samuel Hill, who claims the Flanders 20.

land and Seattle, with the odds all prove by getting the facts.

F. people to build in Portland
—Sunday Journal.

Big Industrial Fair

A big industrial fair, representative of all Oregon, is being planned for Portland this fall. As yet plans The Oregon Agricultural College
will celebrate its Quarter Centen
the first ten days of September. planned to come there on February planned to come there on February swore out a complaint. Payne says he expected to get funds with planting but was unable to carry which to take up the note before it with the most elaborate function a strong organization that has done He will paint some of the famous ever held at the institution. The a great deal to build up manu- flowers he will see there. tacturing of all kinds, is probable. believed the exposition will demonstrate the progress Oregon is making in a striking way.

> decided to dig out a basement under the edifice, and as they were at liberty at night, when their regular vocations are not interfered with, they are utilizing their leisure hours for the project in hand. The very low lot adjacent to the church depositing the earth removed there-

A Mean Rascal

St. Johns has one of the lowest, meanest and most despicable specimens of humanity that any commu-nity ever produced. A pipe line was being laid at 420 Oswego street during the past week, and when the workmen quit work in the evening last Friday night they placed a lantern on a pole as usual to warn the traveling public not to fall into the trench. During the night the aforesaid perverted rascal stole the lantern. Another was put up on Saturday night, but it was left alone. On Sunday night a nice red lantern was placed in position by anatomy with a toothpick,

Misrepresented

Medford, Oregon, Feb. 2, 1910. Editor Review: I notice in last levard. Privilege was granted. to have spent some time in Med-Only one thing is said to now stand in the way of the plant, and that is the selection of a site. Seattle, Spokane and Portland were considered at first, but Spokane has bly ignorant of facts concerning poses, presented by the Catholic this valley or else is an unmitterated. since been eliminated from the this valley, or else is an unmitigated church, was passed. field, and it now lies between Port- prevaricator, as any one can easily

being taken into consideration, and it is believed Portland will land the factory.

L. H. Rose, the district manager

and sees it to leave it, that is no was also passed. Both ordinances and resolutions may be found in this issue.

The engineer's specification for a bell tower was read, and the matter

Planning to increase the failing entire area of his entry during the one day with a Portland real estate lobster supply, the United States second year, one-fourth during the man looking over available sites. Fisheries Department will transproperty excepted) and it is, therefore better to amend the charter
than have to call the assessor's atand until final proof the entryman vicinity of the peninsula. The but it is thought conditions are shall reside within the state of factory will cover several acres of right for them. Lobsters demand Oregon: Provided further, That space, having a large assembling a rocky bottom, without silt depossuch entryman shall file in the local room and testing plant. The bouited by nearby rivers, which is the land office of the district in which his entry was made a sworn state ment verified by the affidavits of make an ideal testing place, and two persons having knowledge of this feature itself is going a long to grow Eastern lobsters in Pacific waters. Senator Bourne has been agitating the matter and has secured that time wrote a policy for a son the promise of Fish Commissioner of W. J. Chaney, with a \$46.58 Bowers to make the experiment at premium, is under arrest on a

Will Paint Roses

are tentative, but it is practically fame than ever very soon, for the ceipting for the note, but not markcertain that the exposition will be beautiful blooms that have made a ing it "duplicate." He then negoheld and that it will be a big suc- reputation for Portland as a rose tiated the note at the First National cess is assured from the interests center are to be copied by Paul de Bank, and when both notes became that are behind the movement. It Longpre, the celibrated painter of due both were presented to Chancy is expected to hold the fair during roses. The well known artist for payment. Chancy immediately plays and the co-operation of the out his intention and will come fell due. He was held to the grand Portland Manufactures' Association, during the Rose Festival in June. jury under \$250 bail.—Telegram.

Will Give Banquet

An event that is of wide interest No. 19—To J. R. Kerr to erect dwelling on Oswego street between Hudson and Willis boulevard; cost \$1200.

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No. Marie, the men you saw the college at this time. The details have not been worked out but the enthusiasm of both the students and the faculty, in whose hands the arrangements have been placed, is instruct the new members with but the oliging for angleworms to go the distribution to quit business. Neither tails have not been worked out but the enthusiasm of both the students and the faculty, in whose hands the arrangements have been placed, is instruct the new members with but the college at this time. The details have not been worked out but the enthusiasm of both the students and the faculty, in whose hands the arrangements have been placed, is instruct the new members with but the college at this time. The details have not been worked out but the enthusiasm of both the students and the faculty, in whose hands the arrangements have been placed, is instruct the new members with but the college at this time. The details have not been worked out but the enthusiasm of both the students and the faculty, in whose hands the arrangements have been placed, is in the city affairs without an in-the city affairs without a is a complimentary banquet to be fishing. They were neither pirates, Williams commands the affection is the young men of that church and respect of all Oregonians and

> How many hairpins does a woman use when doing up her hair? The hairpin editor of the "Atchivery low lot adjacent to the church is not being harmed in the least by describing the earth removed there. as many as she has. If she has two hairpins she makes her hair stay up with two, but if she finds twenty alls of all kinds now on sale at Apprentices wanted at the Vogue in the top bureau drawer she uses all of them.

SESSION OF THE CITY DADS

GET IN THE HABIT

Careful Attention

and extension of Charleston street were read. One was by John Johnlieved the findings of the viewers were inadequate. Both were re-ceived and ordered filed.

Contractors on the bridges over the cut asked for permission to lay a temporary track through a portion of several streets in order to transport a large derrick from the East St. Johns depot to Willamette bou-

Bills to the amount of \$933.04 were allowed.

A resolution extending the lease

An ordinance accepting deed of Chas. J. Backstrom and wife for a Senator Jonathan Bourne intro-duced the following bill which was other shipping possibilities are and sees fit to leave it, that is no was also passed. Both ordinances

column. The report was accepted and ordered presented to the voters in pamphlet form for their disposition at the polls at the April elec-

A report of the city treasurer for the month of January was read and accepted.

Overreached Himself

B. S. Payne, who has been workng for the Columbia National Life Insurance Company for about two months in St. Johns, and during charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Payne is said to have taken a note from Chaney for the \$46.58 and to have turned it into the company, then to have gone to Chaney with the story that he had lost the note, persuading Oregon roses are to have a wider him to issue a duplicate, and re-

> It is expected that over 2000 delegates will attend the annual state convention of the Young Peoples' Christian Endeavor Society in Portland February 15-17 which is likely to be the biggest assembly of the organization ever held in Oregon. The sessions will be held in the First Presbyterian church, Twelfth and Alder streets. While

Kenton is to have a weekly newspaper, with a daily stock yards report. D. N. Byerlee, formerly interested in the St. Johns Review and also in a Hood River publication, is securing advertising contracts and subscriptions to the Peninsula Press. It will make its first appearance not later than May 1. The paper will be printed in Kenton.—Abstract.

A full and complete line of over-Noyes Babbitt's gents' furnishing store, next door to the postoffice.