A meeting was called at the city in regard to the manner of laying witness the march of the old veterthe Maple street sewer system. The ans to Hill's cherry orchard, where meeting was attended by a fair rep- appropriate services were held. Preresentation of property owners in-terested in the proceedings. Mr. Boyd, on behalf of the school chil-Perrine opened the meeting by tell- dren of St. Johns, presented to the ing the object of it, and preliminat- old warriors of Gen. Compson Post ed his remarks by stating that he a beautiful silk flag as a token of had no personal feeling against any man. He then took up the specifior of the lessons in patriotism taught cations under which the contractor them during the past school year, was supposed to lay the sewer, and Commander Miller responded on invited any one in the audience to behalf of the Post thanking the hold up his hand when he read any children for the beautiful emblem, section that had been complied with for their kind remembrance and asby the contractors. This invita- sured them that as long as Compson tion was repeated at several inter- Post existed the flag would be chervals but no hands were raised. The ished as one of its most valued posparts of the specifications he called sessions and when "taps" was particular attention to were the sounded for the last one of the old manholes, tunnels, tamping, water heroes, the banner should be reand the length of open trench turned to the loyal donors to be permitted. He state 1 from his own kept a perpetual reminder of the personal knowledge that the man-grizzled old veterans who endured holes were laid by incompetent the privations and braved the danhelp, very poorly constructed and gers of war that these should ever were in no wise up to specifications. have a free country and free edu-The tunnels were flagrant violations cational advantages. The W. R. and tamping and the use of water C. and hundreds of school children were almost entirely dispensed with, were in the line of march. while the specifications distinctly specified that this omission should says Goodwin's Weekly, Mr. Lincoln not be made. Open trenches were said: "We are not enemies but only allowed for 200 feet, but he friends. We must not be enemies. knew that they were left open for Though passions may have strained double that distance, and in one it must not break the bonds of af-instance 1200 feet. He believed it fection. The mystic chords of no more than fair that a rebate of memory, stretching from every the capacity required. This hub one-third of the cost to the property battlefield and patriot grave to every applies to all kinds of wheels, shafts owners should be made by the con- ery living heart and hearthstone tractor if the work was to be ac- over all this broad land, will yet

erty owners affected. Ex-Councilman Downey respond-He said the cement was skimped mendous tragedy?

few additional remarks in which he the attention of the universe. cited an instance of a team belonging to the St. Johns Lumber Co. falling into Bradford street sewer and having to be derricked out. He asked that those opposed to the method in vogue of laying the sewer to make their objections, and

ple were satisfied.

bill until all irregularities had been men to work upon it this week. He remedied. This was promptly sec- also has the contract for building onded and a standing vote was unanimous in its favor.

Several other citizens made a few remarks pertinent to the subject, after which the meeting adjourned sine die.

## **Building Permits**

No. 57-To James Purkapile to erect a temporary dwelling on New-ton street between Fessenden and Mears; cost \$80. No. 58-To W. F. Ford to erect

a small dwelling on Oswego street between Nicklin and Fessenden; cost \$150.

For Sale or Exchange-5-room house, modern in every respect, with basement, in South St. Johns. Inquire of owner, 504 S. Hayes. 26tf on Dr. Brown, St. Johns.

# **Decoration Day**

Memorial Day passed off in a

In his first inaugural address, cepted, as that much would be swell the chords of the Union when saved to the contractor by reason again touched, as surely they will of not living up to the specifications. be, by the better angels of our na-He then asked for an expression of sentiment on the part of the prop-

It was just 50 years ago that those ed and told a few incidents that he words words were spoken. Have had noted in regard to the sewer. "the better angels of our nature"at was attempting to fasten together that what happened then had to be. with a piece of old rusty tin in the and the men who struggled then main sewer. After strenuous ob- were each but acting his role as ection it was removed, however. Fate called the mighty acts of tre-

and of poor quality. A fifty foot Twenty-five years ago there tunnel, he said, had been laid along were not many graves to decorate the main sewer, the pipe of which save the graves of those who went was laid crooked and erratic, and down under the canopy of battle. was laid on mud sills which would and the steps of the veterans who decay in a short time inevitably marched to perform that duty had causing the pipe to sink and break much of the old elastic spring of at the joints. Tamping, he con- the marchers of the immortal four sence. He told how the contractor nigh all gone, and it is with halting had received the bid in the first and feeble steps that those who retended, was conspicuous for its ab- years of war. Today they are well place through the tampering and main struggle on to perform that juggling of the same by the city labor of love. But the hands that engineer, that it was irregular and are held down to them from above should not have been let. He told have grown to a host, and we may how he had fought against the not shake off the belief that on decmanner of laying while on the oration day they are not indiffercouncil and has never been satisfied ent to what is done here; that the with it since. He said he was go shining ranks are all filled; with ing home late one night from lodge the old commanders at their head; when he discovered workmen lay- the old flags, cleansed of every ing manholes by lantern light, stain are above them; that silver which did not look good to him. bugles are sounding the calls, min-Mr. Downey wound up by declar- gled with the roll of muffled phaning that he would not pay his as- tom drums; for the spectacle of a great nation stopping to strew flowers upon the graves of their heroic of mail of the different classes han and do your duty and I will care sessment until the rest of the peo- great nation stopping to strew flow-Chairman Perrine then made a dead is splendid enough to arrest dled in the St. Johns postoffice dur- for our child." Again let me call

## Mason is Busy

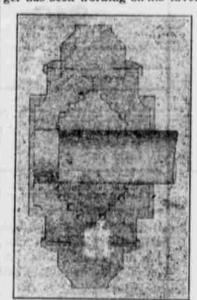
J. S. Downey then made a mo- ing at Scappoose with reinforced Other franked

We were given a royal welcome by Sandifer, Pastor. Mayor Smith, and after a feast of good things, prepared by our girls, we gave the good people an open air concert. There were some good home missionary movement will outrivalled the famous mothers of operations at once, erect dwelling on Stafford street races indulged in by some of the between Alma and Ida; cost \$100. Taces indulged in by some of the boys that were record breakers. Ject of science and symbology of 1861 to 1865 if this country. boys that were record breakers. ject of science and symbology of 1861 to 1865, if this country were were made the trip on the good of the great pyramid at 1121 Gresh-placed in your hands it would besteamer Undine .- One of the Bunch. am street, Sunday, June 4, 7:45 p.m. come invincible to all advancing

Chiropractic cures Neuralgia, call For Rent-Light housekeeping live. Amen and amen.

### Valuable Invention

Luther Badger of this city is the hall Monday evening by Council- quiet and orderly manner in St. inventor of a ball-bearing hub man Geo. L. Perrine of the second Johns. The weather was ideal and which far excels anything of its to have a speech delivered by me ward, in order to get the views a large concourse of people gathered kind ever before devised. Mr. Bad-



tion for thirty years, and is to be congratulated on the success of his ing all the time, giving it a capacity of 321/2 tons. Twelve of them under a passenger coach will carry 390 tons, which is more than double the capacity required. This hub or uses that may be required. It can be reduced to two or four ways for light work or increased to any number or size to do the work required, will stand as much lateral strain as direct pressure and applies to the drive wheels of a locomotive the same as any other wheel and to a stationary engine.

Portland will be pretty much giv. had been removed there remained st. Johns. en up to the Rose festival for the torn and shattered and even next ten days. Business affairs shredded whose identity could not will be relegated to the background be known and these remains were His Skiddoo Anniversary quite extensively and the queen gathered as with a rake and placed flower will rule with undisputed in graves and your speaker knows of his own personal knowledge of itses to set a mark with better displays, more gorgeous pageants and buried in one grave. How can I better decorations of city streets call that grave other than the grave and buildings than ever before, of the unknown dead? and thousnumbers. The city elections will praise of ourselves, but I as one am June 5th, opening day, but with except that I did at all times and that out of the way, the remainder under all circumstances as far as I of the week will be given up to en- could to obey my superior. Here I promise to produce a wealth of perfect bloom next week.

### A Good Showing

ing the month of May indicates there was something doing in that who in like manner bid her brothfour times in going through the than father or mother or sister or office, it will mean a big contract: brother. 

Mason is adding an automatic cement mixer to his equipment.

Sp. m. Junior League 3 p. m. and is weeping for her brothers, and Stomach and Liver Tablets will the maiden whose betrothed went correct it. For sale by all dealers. Epworth League 7 p. m. Topic the maiden whose betrothed went correct it. For sale by all dealers. Wilder's male chorus of Portland spent a very pleasant day at Ridge-field, Washington, Decoration day.

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rooms. 205 N. Edison St. 27tfc.

### **Memorial Address**

Editor Review: Having been importuned by a number of friends on Decoration day in the city of St. ans visited the high school Friday, and expressions of his constituents on the streets in the morning to ger has been working on his inven- Johns, Multnomah county, Oregon, and addressed the students. When

distract attention to some extent, modest in speaking of any act of to do so I must call your attention to the gray haired mother of the North, who, with silent prayer consented that her four sons might go and take the uncertainties of war. I again call your attention to a young wife and a three-year-old busy institution, and when it is reers go and defend their country, membered that each piece of mail and again the gentle maiden who matter is handled an average of gave the one who was dearer to her

546 have fallen and she is informed only mothers can weep. And now Willumbia Hall at Portsmouth, Cash receipts for the month \$592.80 time is 5 years old, steps to his work upon which will now be It is a fine showing for our little mother's knee and and says: "moth-

toes. Women-I can say no more. May God protect you while you Capt. B. L. Snow.

# High School Notes

Celia Hunkins, Editor.

A delegation of G. A. R. veterever given in the new auditorium, and children: We have met on this he could not bring himself to tell occasion on this beautiful spot of of the terrors and tragedies of war the soldiers of the North, in that platform to be of far different immighty struggle that lasted from port. He accordingly spoke of ed-1861 to 1865, being more than 46 ucation and its true meaning, disyears ago, but still fresh as ever in cussing the comparative advantagthe minds of those living then who es of the present educational system remain to this day. I see standing and that of the time of Lincoln,

of Mexico to the Great Lakes of songs by the school, recitations by Valentine registering the only negative the North, and on and on to the Lucile Whelan and Joyce Winslow.

The roar of our artillery and mus- will be ready for the public on or tion was ordered filed. earth tremble—and when the smoke sire copies will please give their orof battle had blown away, the ders to William Wood, at an early light committee by the mayor.

Chas. E. Pottage asked for an exten-North gathered up its wounded and date, as the supply will be limited.

they fell, and their victorious army returned home with colors flying.

It is also well known that soldiers all along the line of battle were buried where the school will present the school will be school wi

son Harry's 23d birthday. The and buildings than ever before, Of the unknown dead? and thousor Other Oregon cities will participate to a larger extent than formerly and the lawn and the lawn and the lawn and spacious porch was lighted and the lawn and spacious porch was lighted and proceedings killed on more than twothirds of the property owners against the change of grade on Fillmore street was accepted and proceedings killed on more than twothirds of the property owners against the change of grade on Fillmore street was accepted and proceedings killed on more than twothirds of the property owners against the change of grade on Fillmore street; estimated cost between \$1000
and \$1200. Contractors are re-The punch powl was installed in tion of Alderman Horsman.

A petition asking that Burlington and philadelphia streets be improved with Westrumite was read, but as the meets it is thought, from the festival on mine during that terrible struggle who did the bonors greenfully on one petition the mayor raised that it who did the honors gracefully. There were music and songs. Dr. joyment. Portland rose gardens must diverge and place true patriotgame being the feature. The picand the names of the dealers had to nable methods of the Bitulithic Co." returns of the day. He was the recipient of many beautiful presents. Those present were: Mrs. H. O. Brown, Misses Lulu Gillmore, Merta Gatton, Laura Gatton, Sue Davis, Gretchen Cormany, Hazel Theberge, Luella Wilkinson, Anna
Dahl, Helena Dahl, Maud Wilbur,
Alberta King, Alice Brown, Dorothy

Bills amounting to \$548.07 were allowed on motion of Alderman Muck.

A. C. Schrimsher stated that the bell Alberta King, Alice Brown, 1955.

Bicknace, Laura Ross; Messrs. Dr.

Brown, Jess Collomore, Geo. Riggs.

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The engineer's acceptance of a portion months.

The engineer's acceptance of a portion of Macrum avenue, Olympia, New York

The F Ray Wright, Albert Johnson, Chas. Africa, Clyde Rogers, Dick Webster, Chester A. Vincent.

pushed right along. He expects to complete the sidewalk of Fessenden street next week. Owing to having his hands full of work, he lit is a fine showing for our little mother's knee and and says:"mother's knee and and says:"mot having his hands full of work, he was compelled to refuse a contract for constructing \$2800 feet of concrete sidewalk at Vancouver.

M. E. Church—Sunday school is wet with weeping. The sister gestion is faulty Chamberlain's viewers on the opening of Kellogg street is weeping for her brothers, and Stomach and Liver Tablets will

> of our loyal acts as compared with highly successful. The Postmaster those noble, loyal, patriotic mothers. General has designated these cities William Baker of the Layman's wives, sisters, sweathearts, who as depositories and they will begin

> > any medicines internally for muscular or chronic rheumatism.

on Decoration day in the city of St.

Johns, Multnomah county, Oregon, and addressed the students. When published in some paper. I have selected yours and the speech follows:

Mr. Noland, the first speaker, learned that his was the first speech lows:

Bank officials that if the much feared rival, the Westruming company, by threatening the city with a suit for infringement if Westrumite be laid. The scare had little effect upon the actions of the council, however, lows: Worthy Commander, citizens he seemed impressed and said that he could not bring himself to tell ccasion on this beautiful spot of the terrors and tragedies of war round in our beloved city of St. as he had at first intended for he ground in our beloved city of St. as he had at first intended, for he on the legal seat, temporarily acting as Johns, to recall the brave deeds of wished the first message from that city attorney during Attorney Reson's

bsence.
The meeting was held on Wednesday was a legal holiday and council only met and adjourned until the following evening. After the minutes had been disposed of, C. J. Anderson of Richmond street wanted to know about the status on this beautiful spot a monument, asking in conclusion: "What would of the proposed opening of Decaturstreet, and I know there is not a grave within miles of this place. What means this? I will answer: On April 12, 1861, the South declared war against the North and fired on Ft. Sumpter, and the reverberations of the time of Lincoln, street wanted to know about the status of the proposed opening of Decaturstreet, and if it was not the intention to go ahead with the proceedings he would refuse to pay his assessment as he would have no way of connecting with the eral personal experiences incidental to know about the status of the proposed opening of Decaturstreet, and if it was not the intention to go ahead with the proceedings he would have no way of connecting with the eral personal experiences incidental to know about the status of the proposed opening of Decaturstreet, and if it was not the intention to go ahead with the proceedings he would have no way of connecting with the main line; that he didn't believe in paying for something he didn't believe in paying f those cannons vibrated from the directly to it. An impromptu pro-Atlantic to the Pacific and the Gulf gram was presented, consisting of Edison streets were passed. Alderman

A petition from over 100 West Side efforts. It is termed "Badger's Universal Ball Bearing Hub," capacity unlimited. A hub made from the scale of draft will contain two hundred and eighty-four, one half inch balls which will carry 500 half inch balls which will carry 500 and women in every city, village carressing appreciation of the success of his ends of the earth and war was made and a reading by Miss Rundall. The auditorium was adorned with flags and flowers, and the visitors were presented with bunches of roses. The last speaker on the was read. The mayor stated that it was not in the province of the council to change a state law. Judge Greene believed that it would be necessary to have and women in every city, village expressing appreciation of the wellhalf inch balls which will carry 500 and women in every city, village expressing appreciation of the welpounds each and have 130 in bearand hamlet arose and said in their come that had been given them. I lieved that it would be necessary to have
a new law passed by the legislature before a change from Pittsburg street could and hamlet arose and said in their might "treason must die," and in the South they said in like manner "we must have and will have extension of slave territory;" Golden Rod," which has been ensuffice it to say that the armies of grossing the attention of the student is a content of the student in the same of grossing the attention of the student is a content of the student in the same in the same is a new law passed by the legislature before a change from Pittsburg atreetcould be effected. Alderman Bredeson stated that had been given them.

After the singing of America the date of the same is a new law passed by the legislature before a change from Pittsburg atreetcould be effected. Alderman Bredeson stated that had been given them.

The High School annual, "The Golden Rod," which has been ensured in the same is a new law passed by the legislature before a change from Pittsburg atreetcould be effected. Alderman Bredeson stated that he had it upon good authority that a cable could not be laid so close to the government moorings, and he believed a free ferry was what we wanted first, and it is a cable could not be laid so close to the government moorings, and he believed a free ferry was what we wanted first, and it is a cable could not be laid so close to the government moorings, and he believed a free ferry was what we wanted first, and it is a cable could not be laid so close to the government moorings, and he believed a free ferry was what we wanted first, and it is a cable could not be laid so close to the government moorings, and he believed a free ferry was what we wanted first, and it is a cable could not be laid so close to the government moorings and he believed a free ferry was what we wanted first, and it is a cable could not be laid so close to the government moorings. suffice it to say that the armies of grossing the attention of the student if any change in location of the landings the North and the armies of the body for the last three months, is south met and the battle was fierce. now in the hands of the printer, and On motion of Alderman Muck the peti-

ketry seemed to make the very about June 16th. Those who de-

in salary of \$15 per month as assistant recorder, claiming that the work was had noted in regard to the sewer. He told of a bell being broken entirely off and a long sliver of the tirely off and a long sliver of the battle below, after the dead of the battle below.

man Davis.

Messrs. Cochran, Basey and Barhite asked for renewal of liquor license from October to January next, claiming that if annexation took place it would place them in rather a bad way owing to the fact that Portland grants licenses only

ferred to street committee and engineer.
A remonstrance of more than two-

was not regular. A communication from Warren Conand Mrs. Brown rendered several struction Co. stated that it would beautiful duets. Games were also hold the city liable for infringement it support of all our citizens. Westrumite was laid in St. Johns. On motion of Alderman Valentiue the comtures of well known ads were cut Hill stated that he was tired of the "dambe supplied. Mrs. Brown carried off the ladies' first Miss Hazel Theberge consolation. Mr. George the contract over until the attorney could render his opinion on the subject. Manager Lind of the Westrumite Company Ray Wright consolation. Refreshments were served at a late hour for anything that competition might adhour and the guests all united in vance, and that it was only a bluff, wishing Mr. Fassett many happy Chas. E. Pottage, a Portland contractor, said it was the same old method used is Portland when the asphalt company was breaking in, but it availed not. He concial music; good program. breaking in, but it availed not. He con-tended that the Bitulithic people had no roadway patent to infringe upon. Dr. Mc. Chesney called it a bluff pure and simple and believed no attention should be paid to it.

cepted by council. ommittee, The bid of the Westrumite company

Socialist Perrine amended the motion to be wi honor the resolution and adopt the same. dealers. This was seconded and on vote, Alds. Bredeson, Davis, Perrine and Horsman voted in the affirmative and Valentine, Muck and Hill in the negative; motion declared carried with amendment. A resolution to improve Burlington street with Westrumite was adopted on

motion of Alderman Hill; unanimous. Considerable discussion arose over the It is worse than useless to take ties were indulged in to some extent. All to improve Willamette boulevard be re- Capt. Patton of the Pulaski to Knut

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Council Proceedings

af two feet, as per previous resolution.

Roy Ingledue stated that he would be unable to qualify as a viewer on the opening of Crawford and Bradford streets and on motion of Alderman Horsman, L. E. Walker was appointed instead.

As what seemed to the council undue delay in the purchase of the ferry bonds, the recorder was instructed to notify the purch as the purchase of the ferry bonds, the recorder was instructed to notify the much feared rival, the Westrumite Paving company, by threatening the city noon a purchaser would be sought else-

#### **PRINCESS THEATRE**

Formerly Idle Hour.

Program for Saturday: Reel I The Pittsburg Millionaire, downfall of a young spendthrift, very fine. Reel II—On Kentucky Soil, special military picture played by all stars. Reel III—Freddie's New Shoes, a good one for the blues. Pictures

#### **Cut Prices in Flowers**

Note the following: Astors, Lobelia, Cosmos, Stocks, Verbenas, Forget-me-nots and tomato plants 10c per dozen, 3 doz. 25c. All 50c and 75c Geraniums now 35 and 50 cents per dozen. Cabbage plants 5c per doz at

D. E. Brodahl's Corner So. Gresham and Buchanan.

Leave roses for carnival at Val-

entine's office, 401 S. Jersey. Millinery Sale. Everything reduced. Call and see. Elite Milli-

McKinney & Davis have sold their house and two lots on Crawford street to G. Linder.

Wanted to Rent with Lease-10 to 15 rooms for rooming house. Inquire at the Boston Lunch. H. M. Osgood.

The Bachelor ice cream and confectionery store has been purchased by Daniel Brecht and is in charge of Ray Wright. The Owls will hold a social en-

tertainment for members and their friends in the rink June 14th. A fine program is being arranged. Notice to Contractors-Wanted

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Fassett of 910 Decatur street entertained last Monday evening in honor of their months and J. O. Rimerson against the assessment and J. O. Rimerson against the sidewalk on Mohawk street were re-

Bids Wanted-On altering and remodeling dwelling at 410 Oswego quested to present bids as soon as possible. Call at house.

Mrs. Purdon is engaged in the C. A., a work that will be most highly appreciated by our young support of all our citizens.

For Sale-50x100 lot on Grove street, Montavilla, close to large school house; or will exchange for St. Johns property of equal value. Also business property on Jersey street which will pay 8 per cent net.-McKinney & Davis. At United Evangelical church:

Sabbath school 10 a. m. Morning subject: "The Whole Wide World Mrs. Elizabeth Foss and Mrs. Geo.

Foss left Monday evening for Wisconsin, the former going to Haucock and the latter to Bancroft. The former will remain permanently in the East, while Mrs. George Foss will return in about six

The Fraternal Brotherhood base ball team brought home another The rock quarry report to April 1st scalp hanging to their belt last Sun-was received and referred to the finance day when they defeated the Jonesmore team on the Montavilla

family should be provided with and especially during the summer months, viz: Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. 1t A resolution to improve Philadelphis is almost certain to be needed. It street with Bitulithic was read. Ald. Muck moved that it be laid on the table. to be without it? For sale by all

A flag, old, tattered and torn, attracted considerable attention at the Electric Theatre Tuesday. It was used in the Mexican war in the forties, later on the ship Pulaski in patroling the Alaska waters. More stars being added rendered it useless officially. Was the first flag raised in Horace Greeley's colony that is needed is a free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

Capt. Patton of the Pulaski to Knut Capt. Patton of the Pulaski to Knut Nelson, father of the genial manasix-foot cement side walk six feet from the property line was adopted, instead whose possession it now remains.