### **Progressive Association**

The St. Johns Progressive assoto the resolutions which follow:

when he evidently did not know of was young! grossly violated, and that the sew- they furnished some ladies to wash ture. could not legally be issued until the nad not supnecessary ordinance was passed, (and smiles for the old boys, eh?— amount on Oregon slough or Colposed a \$10 gold piece would go so A couple of belated levying the assessment against the Ed.) The day was perfect, so it umbia harbor. Between the two far. property of said sewer district No.2, was well with us all. May we have in direct violation, as we assert, of many returns of such times in the strip of land three-eighths of a mile above narration in these columns. The following bil paragraph No. 16 of section 102, future all except the surprise of the in length. and sections 109 and 115 of the city elopement we want an invite herecharter of St. Johns. And we de- after. mand that the mayor and recorder immediately recall said illegal and mitted. worthless warrants and destroy them. And we demand that the practice of issuing warrants against improvement districts for street im-

dinance passed by the council some against conditions, was unwilling years ago, and still in force and that aid should be extended to Mr. effect, whereby the water company Esson. He believed that the water is allowed to charge and collect to cents per foot for lowering water mains where street improvements are being made, is inequitable and are being made, is inequitable and the required pressure. J. H. Can the required pressure. J. H. Can the required pressure. J. H. Can and the Vancouver line of the Port.

Esson Re believed that the water water works should be confiscated if the works should be confiscated in the works and the works should be confiscated in the works are works and the works are works are works and the works are works and the works are works and the works are wor owners, and that when the proper- and W. S. Lauthers also spoke upty owners go to the expense of im on the subject. H. S. Hewitt be proving streets, the water company lieved that since the council and should be required to put their the city attorney had shown a dismains down to grade, as their equitable and just share of the street im- tion it was not more than fair provement, on the same basis as that a committee be appointed railroads and other public service to make suggestions in drafting au corporations are required to put ordinance. S. W. Childers moved any part of their equipment occu- that a committee be selected which pying public streets,down to grade, was done by the audience, S. C.

Whereas: Complaint is repeatedly being made that the water company does not, in many places, furnish an adequate supply of water, on account of the small size of
ter, on account of the small size of the mains; it is said that as many as 15 houses are supplied by a oneinch main on some streets. There self in the past, and knew that it

holdings of the present water com- good ones without trouble. pany in St. Johns.

best interest of the city to take in ten years, and believed the waover or purchase said water works, ter mains on Jersey street should be as they are deemed wholly inade- much larger than they are. as they are deemed wholly inade-quate to supply a sufficient amount S. C. Cook made a motion that "common user" bridge for all rail-equipment is nearly worthless, and delivery and P. A. Bredeen, R. D. into Oregon slough, or, as it is would have to be replaced almost Powell, W. J. Chaney and H. S. now called, Columbia harbor. The at once; that it would be far better Hewitt were appointed by the chair- harbor is formed by the governto construct a new plant, to be op- man.

erated by the city of St. Johns. in mass and demand the correction and had charge of the meeting. of wrongs so long endured, when it is the sworn duty of the common

citizens of the commonwealth.

Resolved: That we greatly deplore the fact that the statement has gone abroad that the city govern- A couple of church deacons were B. Coffman of Chehalis, Joe Duerst of a spur to the "common user" and on motion of Alderman Hors-

#### W. R. C. Picnic

things as touched upon were in an at the girls now, just the same as steel plant has taken an option and piece from his pocket and handed fore the subject was broached.

exceedingly bad shape, according of old, and in the outcome I believe practically closed negotiations for a it to Mrs. Brown with the remark All members were present with The Wolf patrol is getting to be we had an elopement to Hillsboro. location on the island and that three that there was \$10 of the \$20 he Mayor Couch presiding as usual. it will assure the course of follows a thoroughly organized bunch and Be it resolved: That the St. Johns But the young folks didn't even other factories are assured for the had promised her. Mrs. Brown Attorney A. M. Esson was absent, ing attractions: Senator Thomas P. are working well together. They Progressive association condemn bave to ask their pa and ma if they island in the immediate future. the action of the city engineer in accepting the work on sewer No. 2. Well, well, what changes since I

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S. W. Childers. C. J. Anderson, J. H. Canright,

Committee. each and every provision of the city charter has been complied with in full, be forever discontinued, and Be it further resolved: That or
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Be it further resolved: The believed defects would be satisfactory and the facilities already from Eastern states, could hardly with two years if there there is be advanced.

Be it further resolved: The believed defects would be satisfactory and the facilities already from Eastern sta City Attorney Esson asked that Be it further resolved: That or- derson, while willing to kick position to treat with the associa-Cook, S. W. Childers and G. L. Perrine being chosen.

J. H. Haggerty believed the wabidding of the former at any time. paid.

before the district attorney he Whereas: It has been suggested treated the matter as a joke; that

Resolved: That it is not to the would have a population of 50,000

Owing to Chairman Perrine's east of Hayden island. Resolved: That we here express absence on account of illness, W.H.

Teething babies ever have a hard have to contend with painful gums Resolved: That we commend the but the stomach is disordered, hearty support to any officer who may now or hereafter endeavor to administer graft and equity to the administer graft and equity to the and 50c per bottle. Sold by St. Johns Pharmacy.

### Site For Steel Plant

Editor Review: Well, I will tell With a deal virtually closed for and a set of most radical resolutions over 300, I did not count them from Vancouver. Wash., upon "Keep Your Money at Home:"

Columbia river side, make it up in have gone out of circulation so far J. T. Canright ..... 27.50 the long factory and turn out the as Mrs. Brown's town was concern- D. J. Horsman ..... 25.00 called upon at the request of Mr. hill. On motion of Alderman Hill. finished product at the Oregon ed. No better illustration of the Thirston Johnson . . . . . 30.00 Muck and asked for his opinion resolved by the stated that Chas. E. Pottage asked for an water fronts.

Company ends on the island.

miles in length and half a mile money at home. wide, and is several feet above the high water line of the Colum-

plant is located near there.

of whom consider their property ware factory, much more valuable now with the The immediate plans in the way Muck; all yes.

## Keep Your Money Here

Following is a little lesson in fin-

then handed the money to Mrs. owing to a sudden attack of illness. Gore, on Social Duty: Opic Reid, will soon be making a good showand extensive dredging work on draws in turn passed it to Mr. Jor- the corner of East Charleston street a company of eminent artists in pulling together. The bunch of his own knowledge, the faulty manhis own knowledge, the faulty manner in which the work was done.

We had more than enough to eat
the Oregon slough is now under
dan, saying it would pay for the
and Portland boulevard. Referred
to the water and light committee
Lyric's Grand Concert Co. St. do this will never succeed. And we also condemn the action of one was good natured. So we know next two weeks by the addition to Mr. Jordan handed it to Mr. Laid- for recommendation by the mayor. the majority of our city conneil in accepting said sewer over the resew of lumber. We described the description of lumber the description of lumber the description of lumber. We described the description of lumber the description of lumber the description of lumber. We described the description of lumber the description of lumber the description of lumber. We described the description of lumber the descri monstrance of a large number of bungry man? I never did. Antories will include the steel works, the money to Mr. Brown of the company, to adjust any irregular to be able to be it had been repeatedly shown that good natured was that besides fur- and a shingle mill, all of which are passed the gold to his wife saying ularities that might exist on the our city, as we need the better class specimens of crayfish this week, the terms of the contract had been nishing the coffee, cream and sugar, said to be certain for the near fu- that he had now paid the \$20 he Jersey street paving contract Grant- of attractions and can easily secure for which she catfish was no doubt er could not possibly answer the dishes, set the tables and so on, and According to E. A. Dunlop, of paid it to Mr. White to settle her tine; all yes. purpose for which it was intended. their consciences were clear, hence the Stoddard-Brenner company, the And that we severely condemn the the good nature. 'Us sisters' had steel company has taken an option White handed it back to Mr. Laid-corder, asked for a vacation of ten more season tickets. recorder in issuing and delivering cake and pies and pickles and salads tirely across the island from north bill, and Mr. Laidlaw again return- Perrine; all yes. some \$28,000.00 worth of war- and meats and jellies and fruits and to south and near the Vancouver ed the money to Mr. Brown, sayrants against sewer Number 2 on baked beans and sandwiches and ferry. The north water front takes ing that it settled for his month's the improvement of Buchanan street end of this week to assure the finan-brought in some fine young crop-July 27, 1911, when said warrants doughnuts and cookies. I believe in 1000 feet on the Columbia river board. Brown but it in his pocket were referred to the street commit-

The intentions are to unload the sent to an Eastern mail order house raw materials for the mill on the for the bonnet. The \$10 would Col. Electric Eng. Co. . . . . 4-45 have endorsed this move. BOOST!

of the Columbia river and the Willown's people along these lines. St. Johns Pharmacy ..... 4.20 city as a whole or the property tower, as provided by their franchise. lamette, furnishing the best advan- Residents of small cities and towns H. A. Harrer ...... 35.00 owners affected by the sewer were and the one owned by the tages for water transportation. The must be taught how it is that the Portland Ry.Light & P. Co. 2.55 responsible for its payment since it kept in reserve for use when neces-Columbia river bridge crosses the life of the town depends upon how Gail Perrine ...... 42.00 had been accepted as the charter sary; carried. land Railway, Light and Power Sending money away from home serves to build up other communi-Foreseeing the growth of the distiles at the expense of your own, trict, because of the facilities, the which is not altogether a bad thing. owners, including the Stoddard- Help neighboring states when you Brenner company and others, have can; it is a laudable thing, but Orstarted the clearing of the timber egon should come first, and your and the building of roadways. A own community first in all things. camp has been established on the One way to build up Oregon instiisland and three streets built from tutions and Oregon factories is to lowering water pipe on Willis boul- to pay when they got their money's the streetcar line to the Columbia buy "Oregon Made Goods" of your evard, and advised giving Mr. Hill worth. Mr. Hill didn't take much river bridge. The island is 31/2 home merchants, thus keeping the

Oregon may very likely be given on motion of Alderman Muck. filled in with the dredging of the building on the grounds of the Panopment progresses. This work Francisco. Due to the good feeling that prevails between the two yes. The offer was \$1.95 per yard. time to call a halt to the discussion ence as well as a booster of the Resolved: That the city council quire the water company to comrequire the water company to comp ufacturing purposes. Directly across being made the Panama Exposition of the paper, W. Oregon alough is the packing plant of the packin of the Union Meat company, and Oregon place its state buildings anythat the city should purchase the they could be easily exchanged for the they could be easily exchanged for the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract they could be easily exchanged for the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract they could be easily exchanged for the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract they could be easily exchanged for the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract they could be easily exchanged for the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract they could be easily exchanged for the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where it wishes on the entire tract the site of the \$500,000 Schwartz- where the site of the \$500 child & Sulzberger packing plant. has developed and will probably de-D. C. Lewis stated that St. Johns The big Monarch lumber company velop into a definite promise. Oregon commissioners expect to score \$1.85 per yard. Both bids were be- Mr. Horsman then stated that he The slough is about a quarter of a big hit at the coming exposition low the engineer's estimate. The had been fooled in the sewer; tho't shows the disappearing wild west, The slough is about a quarter of a mile wide and is spanned by the Columbia river bridge, which is a contention of Columbia river bridge, which is a content on the coming exposition and contention was that the price was it much better than he had since too high notwithstanding this fact.

"Lady Killers" are still in the Alderman Horsman Mr. Mason's Socialist Perrine's were greeted with Harrisburg will have an interment dike which crosses the river land and occasionally one wanders bid was accepted; all yes. land and occasionally one wanders bid was accepted; all yes.

In ordinance providing for the into St. Johns, takes a promenade occasionally one wanders bid was accepted; all yes.

Vociferous applause by some of the auditors present. Mr. Perkins then in August, when a potato show The slough is now being dredged on Jersey street, or poses with smildeep regret for having to assemble King was made temporary chairman by the Peninsula Industrial company and the government will as one of the street corners. Last Alderman Muck; all yes. sist in the work within a short evening a married woman was An ordinance providing the time heard complain to her husband in and manner of improving Columbia connecil to correct all wrongs, and time of it when this process occurs in hot weather. They not only which has a long water front for hubby, "how did he look?" "Well, of Alderman Valentine.

Across the Columbia from Fray this wise.

Across the Columbia from Fray this wise from Fray th Across the Columbia from Hay- this wise: 'I hate the way that Boulevard from Richmond to Mofactories. In a residence line the he looked at me and then looked An ordinance providing the

assurance of the steel plant. Among of development call for clearing of The assessment ordinance of sew- brought to a harmonious close. these are C. A. Doty of Seattie, N. the island of timber, the building er district No. 2 was then taken up

### **Council Proceedings**

An almost overflowing number of ciation held its third meeting last now of our picnic at Columbia Park 2000 feet of water front on Hayden ance which illustrates very aptly citizens gathered in the council Eloquent," from Oklahoma, and Wednesday of last week from a two Thursday evening in the city hall, on July 20th. I heard there were Island, across the Columbia river the principle involved in the reg- Opic Reid, author, story teller and weeks' stay at the beach. He is of was adopted. The city engineer, myself, but have no doubt of it, as which the new million-dollar steel Mr. Brown keeps a boarding It had been rumored upon the street now being arranged. St. Johns biggest thing out of doors, and mayor, recorder, majority of the there were Vets and Homeguards works will be erected, plans which house in a certain Oregon town. previously that sensational devel- will have an opportunity of hearing that there is more water to the council and city water company everywhere.

mean the ultimate utilization of the Around the dining table one evenwere all severely condemned, and The old boys made me think of entire island for manufacturing ing sat Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Andrews were anticipated, hence the large ers, two of the greatest musical at place he ever saw. He didn't get the water works adjudged practically worthless and inadequate to supply the demand for water. The

had promised her, and she in turn ed on motion of Alderman Valen- them by all working to that end. grateful as he took all of them in

hasty action of the city mayor and only to furnish different kinds of on a strip of land extending en- law, requesting credit on his flour days. Granted on motion of Soc.

T. H. Cochran, \$10,675.55; M. T. doing that for which it had been Swan, \$10,027.51. On motion of constructed. His remarks and also

#### May Lecture Here

Senator Gore, "The Blind Man

he believed the charter should be the bondsmen had refused to cecomplied with in regard to publish- ment a couple of joints where cesame opinion. Recorder was noti- that they covered the hole without fied to have them printed hereafter, applying the cement. He stated The city attorney reported that that the property owners did not E. Hill was entitled to a rebate of want to throw the burden upon the \$12.50 charged erroneously for whole city; that they were willing credit with same on the lien docket stock in the idea that the city as a and collecting it from the water whole was liable in any event; that and daughter arrived Wednesday company. Accepted unanimously eventually the property owners in night from Fellsmere to make their terested would have to pay the ex- home in West Palm Beach. Mr. A bid by the Warren Construct pense. He took occasion to score Thorndyke entered upon his duties tion Co. for hard surfacing Burling- the Portland head sewer inspector, Thursday as associate editor of ton street with Bitulithic was reject- claiming that his report was a farce. Palm Beach County. He is a newslost. The bid specified the price at voted no, balance yes; motion lost. Four bids were presented for the he was decidedly against accepting

acceded to, and upon Mr. Perkins Considering the high prices of poquery as to whether or not the tatoes this exhibit should attract proposition would meet with favor much attention. after the engineer's recommendations had been complied with and action of the councilmen, who so steadily opposed the acceptance of the Maple street sewer, and here and now pledge our unqualified and hearty support to any officer who On Hayden island at present owners whose names have not been An ordinance providing for new the weak points pointed out. The and trout and things, and expect to there are a number of owners, all made known will build the wooden form of improvement bonds was engineer agreed to make a thorough be gone a week. They are wise passed on motion of Alderman investigation at the earliest possible guys, however, as they took along moment, and the discussion was enough provisions for a summer's campaign. Mayor Couch, who has been

name that will be a synonym with dor cooled and they agreed to de-righteousness. Respectfully sub- part without further discussion.

In prime condition.

Horsman and Bredeson took prom-inent parts.

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The engineer was the employes an easy grade up the acy.

# The Boy Scouts

Adjutant "Piff" Butts returned ular meeting of the city council. writer, are on the Lyceum course the opinion that the ocean is the city had acquired a bad name and those days, and there was smiling est in the island, reports that the dealer. Mr. Brown took a \$10 gold number taking their departure be- Lyceum Bureau and Prof. Chas. H. umbia getting ready for the sham

Johns is very fortunate in securing The sturgeon in the aquarium

When your aid is solicited, give it out of the wet but one that was too cheerfully by signing up for one or large for his fly-trap. Poff also captured a "go-devil," or mud-cat, Later Mr. Boyd informs us that a queer looking, shy fish, Scout he has sold 300 season tickets. He Hartle, who furnished the pair of

you can use tickets send him your Patrol Leader McGregor brought A couple of belated remonstrances name or leave it at the Review two fine specimens for the bugoloagainst Maple street sewer, received office. Season tickets \$1.50, in-by mail, were read. Season tickets \$1.50, in-cluding reserved seats. Entertain-satyrus, the other a pretty white The following bills were allowed ments will be held in the High and black spotted beetle whose larlet us suppose that Mrs. Brown had on motion of Alderman Muck; all School auditorium. The Merchant's væ feed upon the fir roots, and

will have to be built on the two a better argument for buying the Col. Electric Eng. Co. . . . . 12.41 it was not entirely satisfactory; that extension of time on the improve-'Made in Oregon' goods and keep- Edmondson Co. . . . . . . . . . . . 34 40 there was still a leakage on Edison ment of Macrum avenue. On mo-

If some men would rely as much Total ... . .........\$392.56 edy all defects if they were pointed on the opinion of others and as little on their own judgment in selecting a wife as they do afterward in trying to get rid of her, the divorce ing quarterly statements of the city ment was lacking after being told courts would not all be working finances; Alderman Hill was of the to by the Inspector, Gail Perrine; overtime. And again if the order of things was reversed and the women were permitted to select their husbands instead of men selecting their wives, there would be a lot of us poor devils sewing on our own pants buttons.

> Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thorndyke paper, West Palm Beach county,

> Pendleton's round-up, the unique annual feature of that city that

protection of improved streets and asked that the matter be left with will be put on by women of the Imsince he could get no tangible in the state produces splendid potatoes structions from council. This was and the crop this year is excellent.

making a great effort to have an Constipation is the starting point ment of St. Johns is rotten to the reported to have tried to get into a of Portland, B. Hoffman of Port- bridge, the extension of the car man received first and second read- easy means of access provided to for many serious diseases. To be core; that it shall be the purpose of a row with a woman in the north land, Mr. Veltner of Portland, the service and the dredging of the harings. Discussion then waxed fast the woolen mills, asked that the enthis association to aid and assist all end last week. She slipped out of Portland Railway, Light and Pow- bor and the filling in of the inter- and furious, in which the bonds- gineer and street committee in con- regular Herbine will remove all officers in the faithful discharge of the room and turned the key keep- er company. Mr. Duerst has ior slough. With this work done men's attorney, Geo. J. Perkins, junction with himself, look over the accumulation in the bowels and put the way will be open for the way will be open for the way will be open for the system in prime condition.