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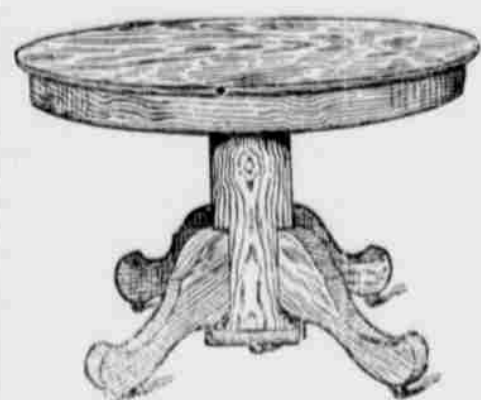
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Local News.

Remember the primaries tomorrow.

The sound of the lawn mower is heard in the land.

Board and room in private family, close in. Inquire 528, South Ivanhoe.

H. L. Whisler is erecting a neat habitation on Portland boulevard, near Thompson street.

We will buy your vacant lots or your equity for cash if your price is right.—McKinney & Davis.

Mrs. George Lynn of Hood River is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Byerlee.

The mother's meeting next Monday afternoon will be held at the home of Mrs. Corbett, 420 Chicago street.

F. W. Valentine, by making the closest guess as to the number of beans in a jar at Worst's store, won a handsome amber pipe stem and case.

Mrs. Sherman Cochran won the beautiful knives and forks at the Bungalow. The next prize will be a beautiful set of dessert spoons. One chance with every 25-cent purchase.

The M. E. church people will give a Spring Flower social on the evening of April the 3rd. Further announcements will be made later. Look out for it, as it will be something entirely new in a church entertainment.

For Sale—Six lots, all extra size, between Tyler and Polk streets, improvements in, can sell cheap. Terms, \$10 cash, balance \$10 per month, 7 per cent interest. Best residence district.—McKinney & Davis. 164f

Those who failed to be present at the Methodist church Wednesday night missed a rare treat. Mrs. Scoville, national college secretary of the W. C. T. U., gave a stirring talk on the importance of enlisting the young people and children in the great cause of temperance. Mrs. Scoville also spoke to the high school students, and her talk was highly appreciated by both the teachers and students.

March came in somewhat like the proverbial lion.

Sash and doors are carried in stock by the Peninsula Hardware Co. Get our prices.

Wolcott (the rent man) 130 11th street, Portland, is the man to see for real estate or mercantile deals. 461f.

B. F. Crawshaw, executive secretary of the Commercial club, is now located at No. 522, S. Ivanhoe street.

Bryan attracted many local citizens to Portland last night. His address was said to be the best ever delivered in that city.

Graves, the Picture Man, 502 S. Jersey street—have you seen his new pictures of St. Johns? Best stop and take a look.

Do you want to trade St. Johns property for 10 acres, young orchard in Rogue River valley? Address box 567, Newberg, Ore. 21p

When you have rheumatism in your foot or instep apply Chamberlain's Liniment and you will get quick relief. It costs but a quarter. Why suffer? For sale by all druggists.

Less than 500 voters took the trouble to register up to the time registration closed last week. Therefore, only about half of the voters of St. Johns will be entitled to vote at the primaries tomorrow, unless they are sworn in.

The man who thinks a woman ought to give up a good salary to be his drudge and slave for her clothes and board, and be glad of the chance, is a fool. And the woman who does so is doubly a fool.

Elmo E. Waldref, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Waldref of this city, was instantly killed February 15th by being crushed between two cars at Cromwell, Minn. The remains were brought to St. Johns for burial. More particulars next week.

J. J. Hurlbert has returned from a several months' sojourn in California, where he has been combining business with pleasure by plying his insurance vocation. Jesse believes Southern California a delightful place to spend the winter, but for business and future prospects Portland is far ahead of anything in the South.

H. S. Hewitt and Joe Smith left Monday morning for Bay View, Ore., where they have a contract to build a new town.

Congregational—Corner of Richmond and Ivanhoe streets. Bible school at 10 a. m., preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Reception of new members at morning service. Public invited.—G. W. Nelson, pastor.

With the present spirit of enthusiasm prevailing in the Commercial club and which is rapidly spreading throughout the community, and the added benefit and advantage which is certain to result from the ladies' auxiliary movement, the future of St. Johns is assuredly one of most hopeful promise. Let us one and all have forethought in thought and deed, the get-together-idea, and the future happiness and prosperity of St. Johns is an assured fact.

Several of our citizens attended the hearing of the annexation case before the supreme court Wednesday. A decision has not yet been rendered.

Christian Church—Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., C. E. 6:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor 3 p. m. Everybody invited to all these services. Tabernacle corner New York and Leonard streets. A cordial invitation is extended to all.—J. R. Johnson, Pastor.

Do you know that of all the minor ailments colds are by far the most dangerous? It is not the cold itself that you need fear, but the serious diseases it often leads to. Most of these are known as germ diseases. Pneumonia and consumption are among them. Why not take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and cure your cold while you can? For sale by all druggists.

Warning!!

You Will Be Taking Chances
By trading at our store during the month of March.

THE REASON
During the month of March, we will give away chances on a **PHONOGRAPH**

A chance given with every twenty-five cent or greater cash purchase. Chances will be numbered and the person holding the lucky number at the final drawing will receive the Phonograph.

Trade at our store during the Month of March, if you never have before, and be convinced that Our Prices and Services ARE THE BEST.

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We Know All About These Kidney Pills

Safeguard your general health—do not neglect the minor ailments and allow them to get the better of you and become chronic.
Especially is this so in the case of kidney trouble.

The kidneys have an important duty to perform—see that they do it—watch for symptoms and be prompt in your treatment. It's much easier and less expensive to buy a box of Nyal's Kidney Pills with the first appearance of kidney distress and secure relief than to disregard the trouble until it becomes chronic.

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Worth much more—but only 50c the box.
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Methodist Church Notes

Rev. J. W. McDougall, superintendent of the Portland district, will preach at 11 a. m. Sunday, March 3. In the evening the pastor will preach from the theme "Permanence of Heavenly Treasures." The theme last Sunday evening, "What they do in Heaven," showed that heaven is a place for a prepared people. Should some ever reach heaven they would be out of place, not at home. According to the scripture the character of eternity is established in this world. The righteous are to be "righteous still," and the filthy to be "filthy still." Just as men are debarred from certain communities in this world as far as a livelihood is concerned, so will there be those who are unprepared for heaven. Men fall on Oregon farms because of their unfitness for that vocation. A man unlearned in the English language would not be accepted as a professor of that branch in our schools. We advertise to secure men and industries suited and adapted to our community. Consistency and prudence will ever guard against burdening a city or community with hands or intellects that cannot accommodate themselves to the possibilities of the place. As one reads the Bible he is ever impressed with the fact that the door of heaven is closed to those who follow many of earth's would be vocations. Again we find that those who are thus specifically mentioned as impossible for heaven are those which serve for no advancement of character, life or happiness to the human race. In every instance, if the heart become right, the vocation, even at the cost of reputation, or the loss of wealth will be gladly forsaken.

Arson and Robbery

About two o'clock Wednesday morning the strenuous ringing of the fire bell rudely awakened the populace from its slumbers, and the continuous notes gave due warning that the fire was in the business district. The fire was found to be at the rear of the Holbrook block on Philadelphia street, and had gained considerable impetus before being discovered by the night police. Flames were shooting high into the heavens when the fire department and apparatus arrived hurriedly upon the scene. It seemed apparent that before the flames could be stayed vast damage would be wrought, if not the entire wooden portion of the block be destroyed. Never did the gallant fire lads do more admirable or heroic work. In a jiffy four or five lines of hose were playing upon the conflagration, and in a few moments time the flames were brought under control and quickly extinguished. Every citizen who witnessed the fire and its extinguishment could not help but feel particularly proud of the St. Johns Volunteer Fire Department. No paid company could have done better or more effective work.

The fire was apparently created by a cowardly incendiary, who, perhaps, had a fancied grievance against some of the occupants of the block and took this dastardly manner of venting his spleen. The North Bank Pharmacy was entered during the progress of the fire and about 500 cigars, razors and strops, hair dye and toilet articles taken. Entrance was effected through the rear door, the glass of which was broken through. Whether the fire was kindled for the purpose of more easily effecting the robbery while the attention of the night police was held at the fire is unknown, but such may have been the case.

The damage, which amounted to possibly \$200, was confined principally to the St. Johns Land Co.'s office and the office of the St. Johns Water company.

Ladies' Auxiliary

A ladies auxiliary of the Commercial club was instituted Tuesday afternoon. The committee appointed to assist in arranging the details from the club and 25 or 30 ladies assembled in the rooms at 2:30. H. E. Pennell called the meeting to order and made a neat introductory address. Executive Secretary B. F. Crawshaw also made a few remarks. A constitution and by-laws was adopted. Mrs. F. W. Valentine was made temporary chairman and Mrs. A. S. Benson secretary. The following permanent officers were elected: President, Mrs. A. A. Muck; first vice president, Mrs. R. McKinney; second vice president, Mrs. W. R. Evans; secretary, Mrs. C. G. Bock; treasurer, Mrs. J. N. Edlefsen. Each month at 2:30 were decided upon as dates of the regular meeting, and the dues were fixed at 25 cents per month, beginning March 1st. Following is a list of the members enrolled at the meeting: Mrs. W. A. Bennett, Mrs. W. R. Evans, Mrs. R. McKinney, Mrs. F. W. Valentine, Mrs. T. H. Cochran, Mrs. A. A. Muck, Mrs. L. H. Chambers, Mrs. P. H. Edlefsen, Mrs. J. N. Edlefsen, Mrs. T. D. Condon, Mrs. C. S. Thompson, Mrs. A. M. Stearns, Mrs. C. C. Currin, Mrs. J. H. Johnstone, Mrs. Frank Rice, Mrs. R. A. Jayne, Mrs. H. L. Nutting, Mrs. P. G. Gilmore, Mrs. J. F. Gilmore, Mrs. F. L. Babcock, Mrs. D. F. Horsman, Mrs. A. Larrowe, Mrs. A. S. Benson, Mrs. A. W. Markle.

Rev. F. J. Kettenhofen made a neat address in which he pointed out several things that the ladies would have a splendid opportunity to expend their energies upon, particularly in the way of civic improvement, and that after the ladies had assumed full sway in the way of a general clean-up of the city every one in Portland would want to come out and live in St. Johns. Messrs. C. G. Bock, Peter Autzen, and F. W. Valentine also made a few pleasing remarks.

The auxiliary starts out with a vim and energy that is bound to accomplish great things for St. Johns. Far better than men, the ladies know how to make a city attractive, and the result a few months hence will show a wonderful improvement in the appearance of St. Johns. Each member is expected to bring another member at the next meeting, and ere long there will be as many members in the auxiliary as in the Commercial club.

Card of Thanks.

To the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the sad bereavement we have sustained in the loss of our beloved son and brother, Elmo E. Waldref; to the thoughtful ones who contributed the beautiful flowers—both the individuals and fraternal orders—and for those who offered cheerful words of comfort, we wish to express our most sincere thanks. At such a time no words that we can utter will fittingly express our appreciation, but these voluntary offerings do much to comfort us. We thank you all.—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Waldref, Fred Waldref and Ethel Waldref.

To Pile Victims

Treat the inward cause if you want a cure.
Is piles a skin disease?
No, it is stagnation of blood circulation—a swelling of blood vessels.
Why expect a cure from applications outside? The treatment should attack the cause.
Dr. Leonard's HEM-ROID (sugar coated tablets) is taken inwardly; it restores circulation, rids you of piles for good.
Sold by St. Johns Pharmacy and all druggists. \$1 for 24 days, supply, satisfaction guaranteed. Dr. Leonard Co., Station B, Buffalo, N. Y.

For Sale

115X100—5-room house, corner Fessenden and Allegheny, both streets improved and paid for. Only \$2000; 1/2 cash, balance 3 years at 6 per cent. Also 4 other 1/2-blocks, all corners on Fessenden for from \$1500 to \$1800. Fessenden is without doubt the future business street of this part of the peninsula. See S. C. Cook, 308 E. Fessenden street, St. Johns.

Pupils, Attention

To the first student bringing in the correct arithmetical solution of the following problem will be given \$20 worth of school supplies—your own selection. Answer to problem and name of winner published next week. These problems will continue for some time.—J. M. Shaw, groceries, school supplies, bakery goods, fruits, nuts, etc., 802 North Ivanhoe.

Special prize on this problem of one pound of best walnuts.
Yesterday in searching for his pig, Mr. Skeebink went over the following course: Starting from home he went east 40 rods, thence north 50 rods, thence west 32 rods, thence south 56 rods, where he found the pig and then carried him straight home. How far did he carry the pig?
Answer to last week's problem, \$4.00 and the goose. Winner, Edmund Whelen.

Notice

I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my wife.
Frank M. Glaub, St. Johns, Ore.
The Regal Range on sale at the Peninsula Hardware is a bargain at \$36.00. See it at once.