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ST. JOHNS, OREGON, FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1913.

Turn the Map up.

see Monhattan

Island. A

side-down and

Has seven churches.

St. Johns is Calling You

Has seven churches.
Has a most promising future.
Distinctively a manufacturing city
Adjoins the city of Portland.
Has nearly 6,000 population.
Has a public library.
Taxable property, \$4,500.000.
Has large dry docks, saw mills
Woolen mills, iron works,
Stove works, asbestos factory,
Ship building plant. Ship building plant, Veneer and excelsior plant, Flour mill, planing mill, Box factory, and others. More industries coming. St. Johns is the place for YOU.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM, JULY 4-5, 13 ST. JOHNS CELEBRATION

Program of the Two-Day Events

ORDER OF PARADE. Parade to start promptly at ten o'clock.

Police. City Officials in auto. North Portland Band. Goddess of Liberty. G. A. R. Veterans and W.R.C. Chemical Engine. Hook and Ladder.

States represented by 48 girls. Fraternal Floats. Peninsula Band. Civic Floats.

Representatives on foot, Automobiles.

LINE OF MARCH.

Form on Hayes street in front of High School South on Hayes to Philadel-

phia. East on Philadelphia to Ivan-

North on Ivanhoe to Fessen-

East on Fessenden to Jersey. South on Jersey to Richmond, West on Richmond to Ivanhoe, North on Ivanhoe to Alta, and

PRIZES FOR PARADE.

Best Float, \$50.00. Second Best | Float, \$25.00. Best Decorated Auto, \$25,00. Most Comical Exhibition, \$10. ing. \$15,00.

PROGRAM OF EVENTS.

Remarks by Mayor Bredeson. Prayer by Rev. F. J. Ketten-"America," by Mrs. D. Frank

Declaration of Independence

· by Mrs. Geo. Hall.

Address by Col. L. D. Mahone. Star Spangled Banner by Mrs. D. Frank Horsman.

Prayer by Rev. E. Weisle. Hose Race.

Distance to be run shall be 100 yards to hydrant, lay one line of hose 150 feet, break coupling and senden streets open to all. attach nozzle; all connections to show three full threads. Time to be called at time water appears at Nozzle. Grand prize, \$75.

ORDER OF RACES.

Hub and Hub Race. Straight away, carts fully equipped, 300 yards. Grand

prize, \$25. Pony Races-three to start. First prize, \$15; second prize, \$5. Trotting Race—three horses to start. First prize, \$15; second Rooms July 5th. 1913.

prize, \$5. Half Mile Foot Race. First hibit irrespective of class, silver prize, \$10 prize; second, \$5 prize. cup, \$25. Must be won three Second, rug, H. F. Clark, value

\$10 prize; second, \$5 prize. 100 Yard Dash. First prize, \$10 prize; second, \$5 prize.

yard dash. Prize, \$22.50 gas range. All entrees must be residents of St. Johns. Prize do- tric iron, Fletcher and Gensman, nated by St. Johns Gas Co.

Young Ladies' Race 50 yard dash; ladies 16 or over Prize, ber. mixed. ladies' lavelier, value \$6.50. Doed by W. M. Tower.

Largest family represented-\$10 in groceries.

Girls' Race-50 yard dash; girls under 16. Prize, China Set pure white. by Chas. Muck; Stick Pin by M. Tower. Second prize, \$3 in Lynch, the Jeweler.

Three Legged Race-boys under 18; prize, \$5.

Sack Race-boys under 18; prize, \$5.

Shoe Race-boys under 16; first prize, pair of skates; donated by Miller Hardware Co. Second prize, \$1.00.

Potato Race-boys under 16; prize, \$3.

Obstacle Race; \$5 prize. Fat Man's Race over 210 lbs. ; \$5 hat.

Married Man's Race - residents of St. Johns: \$10 piece of furniture, donated by Ormandy

Pie Eating Contest; \$2 prize. High Jump; \$5 prize. Broad Jump; \$5 prize. Pole Vault; \$5 prize.

Shot Put; \$5 prize. Ball Game-Willamette Heights vs. Commercial Club team; Business Men's club to play the winning team; game called at 2:30. Grand prize for series of games,

A wrestling match between Walter Arndt, champion of the Northwest, and R. H. Platt, champion of California, will take place July 4th in the large tent on Ivanhoe street, near Philadelphia, beginning at 8:30 p. m. Two best out of three falls; strangle hold barred.

Four good boxing matches will be held in the same place July fifth in the evening.

Dancing all day and evening in the Skating Rink. Grand Band Concert from 7 to

9 p. m. daily. Grand Aerial Exhibition at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m. by the famous Zantolas of Cooney Island.

Grand Slide for Life from 150 Prize for Best Decorated build- foot pole, by Prof. Ulch of Chi-A lively four round boxing contest will take place Saturday

evening between Jack Duarte, a local favorite, and Joe Swain of Colorado. Broncho Busting, and other

attractions, such as the Browning Amusement Co., skating rink, etc., will be going on all the time.

The Sweet Pea Show and School Garden exhibits in the Commercial Club rooms from 9:30 a, m, to 10 p. m. Two parks-Caples tract on

Dawson street, and the Hill plaza on corner of Jersey and Fes-The St. Johns Ferry will oper-

ate until midnight. Half fare from all points on \$3.50. the S. P. and S. Railroad to St.

School Garden Contest pink.

Held in the Commercial Club

Grand special prize Best ex- distinct varieties 220 Yard Hurdle. First prize, successive years to obtain permanent possession. Held this year by Mrs. R. P. Douglass.

Class A-Six or more vases, stems in each vase.

First prize, \$8 in trade, Or-mandy Bros. Second prize, elec-

Class B-Best vase, any num-Second roaster, toaster and tea pot, Miller Hardware Co. value \$2. First prize, one pound bottle Thelma perfume, value \$8. Second

prize, gas iron, St. Johns Gas and under best 3 vases of 10 Co., value \$3.50. Class C-Vase of 20 stems,

First prize, \$5 in trade, W. Lynch, value \$2.

Class D-Vase of 20 stems, ed. dopted by the National Sweet First prize, one dozen photos, Pea Society of America will gov-Hoes, value \$6. Second prize, ern the judging. Points in scor- tuce,

pair of shoes, W. Jower, value ing will be apportioned as fol-

ological Survey Map, Portland

Quadrangle; that part illustrating with additions, ST. JOHNS

and part of PORTLAND, ORE.

A great city is growing at the fork of two grand rivers, one hundred and ten miles from the Pacific Ocean, at the head of deep sea navigation on the Columbia River.

Note the Columbia River and trib-utaries, like a great fallen tree on

the map of three Western States. The water shed of the Inland Empire breaks brough the Cascade Mountains to the sea. Everything

fleats and rolls down water grade

to meet the deep sea ships at ST. JOHNS. St. Johns is des-

tined to be the commercial and

manufacturing part of Greater Portland. The north jetty will in-sure forty feet of water on the Co-lumbia River bar; then ships can be

moved for 3 cents per net ton to and from St. Johns and Pacific Ocean.

ST. JOHNS COMMERCIAL CLUB

ST. JOHNS, OREGON

Scale l"-IMile

Datum is mean sea level

Contour Interval 25 feet

APPROXIMATE MEAN

Class E-Vase of 20 stems, lavender. First prize, \$5 in trade, St.

Johns Pharmacy. Second, \$2.50 in trade, John Noce. Class F-Vase of 20 stems,

First prize, \$5 hat, Mrs. Martin. Second, graniteware, A. S. Scales, value \$2.

Class G-Best six vases of 10 stems each, Grandiflora type, \$2.50.

or bowl of sweet peas.

First prize, \$5 in trade, St. Married Woman's Race 50 named varieties. Ten or more Johns Hardware Co. Second. wash boiler, E. R. Sully, value

> Class I-Largest collection. First prize, coffee percolater, Bonham & Currier value \$4.50. third, \$1 cash by P. Bredeen.

Class J-"Juvenile," 14 years stems each, any three colors. First prize gold mounted fountain pen, S. W. Rogers, value \$4.50. Second, stick pin, I. H. Class C-

Rules and Regulations.

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Length of stem, 25 points. Color, 25 points, Size, 25 points.

Substance, 15 points. Number of flowers on a stem, 10 points. Sweet pea or other foliage can

be used with the flowers unat-Commercial growers cannot compete in these classes. Entry

can be made by grower only. SCHOOL GARDEN CONTEST

Entries must be grown in school gardens not larger than Class H-Most artistic vase 8x10 feet. They must be the product of the child's individual effort. Three prizes will be given in each class.

Class A-Best vegetable dis-First prize, Peninsula National Bank savings book, \$2; sec-ond, \$1.50 cash by H. Henderson;

Class B-Largest potato. First prize, savings book with credit of \$2 by First National Bank; second, \$1.50 cash by Dr. Rambo; third, \$1 cash by H.

Class C-Best potato display. First prize, Peninsula National Bank savings book, \$2; second, merchandise by A. Poep-not less than ten. ping, \$1.50; third, box of eandy, Pennington & Co., \$1.

First prize, savings book with credit of \$2 from First National test. Bank: second, sack of flour from Lauthers Mercantile Co., \$1.50; third, \$1 cash by Dr. Rambo,

Class E Best loose leaf let-

First prize, savings book with credit of \$2 from First National Peas of three colors, 10 stems, Bank; second, \$1.50 cash by A. H. Blackburn; third, 50 cent box of candy by W. C. Roe and 50c box by Robt, Anderson,

Class F-Onions, 4 bunches, 5 also advertising: onions in a bunch.

First prize, savings book, Pen-\$1 box of candy by Frank Clark and 65c box by Moore's Bungalow; third, Peninsula National low; third, Peninsula National Multnomah Theatre, J. I. Shurts, Multnomah Theatre, J. I. Shurts, Evicate Perry C. insula National Bank, \$2; second.

Class G — Radishes, round, not less than ten. First prize, savings book with C. H. Boyd. credit of \$2 from First National Bank; second, order for repair on shoes by John Brooks, \$1.25; third \$1 cash by Mr. Blackburn.

Class H-Radishes, long variety; not less than ten. Peninsula National Bank, \$1.50; Jersey, McDonald building. third, order for \$1 in trade at Asper & Caldwell's.

Class I—Turnips, best display; in trade at Harry Truman's.

See Class "J" Sweet Pea Con-

your own "school garden." There is a first and second prize nial style of architecture, graces to be given for "Best Three one of the prominent locations boy or girl 14 years old or under, some home for the municipal

cash, which will be used for dec- While this is essentially and priorating purposes, and for pre- marily a manufacturing and in-

Edmondson Co., C. A. Fry, S. R. T. Gatton, O. J. Gatzmyer, P. G. Gilmore, J. F. Gillmore, Mc-Brown & Elliott, Perry C. Stroud, Dr. Scott, Roy Wilcox, Mr. Wray, St. Johns Water Co.,

How is Your Title?

Have your abstracts made, continued or examined at the Peninsu-First prize, savings book with la Title, Abstract and Realty Co. credit of \$2 by First National Accurate work. Reasonable fees. the Pacific Coast. It is steadily Bank; second savings book by H. Henderson, manager, 208 North

25 acres cleared, buildings, all taken place within its borders in hay; 40 acre farm, 10 acres during the past few years pro-First prize, \$2 box of candy by cleared, million feet saw timber, claims the public spiritedness of Pennington & Co., \$1.

Gregory Sisters; second, savings book by Peninsula National Bank, \$1.50; third, order for \$1 R. F. D. No. 1. Brush Prairie, and admirable proportions in tengence. Wash. Phone Tabor 3425.

St. Johns, City of Destiny

It has been the history of the founding and building of every great city that those who laid the foundation for future greatness sought primarily a location affording natural means of transportation; the greatest cities of the world today stand upon the banks of the navigable rivers or are builded by the harbors that afford anchorage for the deepest draft vessels that go down to the seas.

The great transcontinental and trunk railway systems seek these places as their terminals, for after all it is the ocean going craft that make possible the construction of the great railway systems. What, then, are the possibilities of a city that is built upon one of the greatest inland waterways of the United States and at the same time affords rail transportation over the lines of two of the greatest railway systems of the world? Such a city is St. Johns, the key to the transportation on the Columbia and Willamette rivers.
Adjoining St. Johns lies the
great city of Portland. Her future greatness depends upon her water transportation facilities, St. Johns is nearer the mouth of the Columbia and the confluence of that mighty stream and the Willamette. Almost within her city limits is the entire point of the peninsula, whose point is washed by the waves of both the Columbia and the Willamette. St. Johns has a great water frontage, and the day is not far distant when this entire water front will be almost a solid line of docks and industrial plants. Great transportation experts have declared emphatically that the peninsula is eventually to be-

come the New York of the West. Differing from other cities in the Northwest, St. Johns is not dependent on back country for her prosperity; it does not depend on the seasons; droughts have no effect on her; erop failures do not decrease her bank deposits. The output of her industries are shipped to every section of the United States and to every important port of the

St. Johns is essentially an industrial and manufacturing center and it is to these plants that she owes her greatness. Their large payrolls go to swell the accounts of her merchants, to increase her taxable property, and to aid in the general development of the city.

Controlled by the wonderful Western variety of progress, the inhabitants of St. Johns have surrounded themselves with many institutions that are the All entries must be made from product of modern times. A fine city hall, built on the old colo-Vases of Sweet Peas" grown by of the city, providing a handofficers and shelter for the per-The following parties donated formance of all civic functions. paring the rooms for the show; dustrial center, the call of modern times for education of the younger generation has not in any wise been disregarded. Today St. Johns points with par-Cinney & Davis, Peninsula Iron donable pride to one of the very finest high school buildings in the entire state, which was erected at a cost of \$40,000, while three grammar or graded and a Catholic school are afforded those of the children who have not as yet advanced to the high school curriculum.

Study the map adjoining carefully. It displays the wonderful natural advantages of St. Johns far better than words can. It is a veritable city of destiny. Nothing is lacking to make it eventually the greatest city on growing year by year, not in a booming manner, but in a healthful manner. The numerous Farm For Sale-40 acre farm, civic improvements that have

short years.