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COUNCIL MEETS

Matters of Importance Receive Attention

With the exception of Alderman Davis, all members were present at the regular meeting of the city council Tuesday evening, with Mayor Vincent presiding. A petition signed by 164 citizens asked the council to pass an ordinance providing for the creation of a board of censorship...

A Splendid Exhibition

The third annual school exhibit of the St. Johns schools held in the Central school building last week, attracted the admiring attention of a large number of visitors. The work of the pupils as displayed was far superior to anything realized by most of our citizens, at least. The Portland Journal had the following to say concerning it: The rapid strides made in practical education in St. Johns was comprehensively shown in the third annual school exhibit...

A HUGE BONFIRE

Appreciation Shown by Burning Catalogs

By David Powell. Many communities of the Middle West went through the same "Mail Order Fad" some twelve or fifteen years ago that is now affecting the people of the Northwest. As the great mail order houses in Chicago grew with leaps and bounds, making serious inroads into the business of merchants of every class, there went up a great wail of woe from every town and village in half a dozen states...

THE LIBRARY

Interesting Notes for the Library Patrons

So many books are found in the library on house planning, building and furnishing that the busy person often finds it difficult to choose the ones which will best suit his purpose. From the many, a group of half a dozen has been chosen which it is believed every prospective builder should see, whether they intend to put \$400 or \$4000 into their home. The list follows: Daniels - Furnishing of a Modest Home, 1908. Sums up in a few pages the principles of good taste in furnishing, and shows their practical application to the ordinary small house...

HIGH SCHOOL

Items of Interest Regarding School Doings

The eight Senior girls who wrote on the county teachers' examination report that some of the lists of questions were "awfully hard," while others were "so easy" are anxiously awaiting the report on grades, which are due some time within a month. On Friday evening, June 19, a party of the Seniors and eight others, including the Faculty, started across the hills for a camping out hike. They were comfortably provisioned with food and blankets, etc., for a night in the woods. A winding, much worn road down the west slope of the hills brought them finally to a camping spot beside a tiny stream of running water. A skillfully built campfire served first to cook a genuine out-of-door supper, and later as an inspiration for songs and stories...

Scene of Activity

In and around the dry dock is presented a scene of activity that is most pleasing. South of the dock is to be seen two dredges and a pile driver busily at work preparing the way for the new plant of the Western Coopersage Company by dredging out a channel and driving piling for the trestle work. At the dock on Tuesday were the stern wheel-er Pronto and the three masted schooner Hugh Hogan, both undergoing extensive repairs, and another vessel was awaiting its turn to go on the dock. A large force of men were at work making the repairs, and the machine shop had a full force of men at work. It is an interesting sight to witness the activity there.

An Extensive Display

A prominent feature of the Panama Pacific Exposition will be an extensive Oregon out-of-doors display to cost approximately \$10,000. An area 60x350 feet between the Oregon building and the bay shore has been secured by the Oregon Commission and contracts have been let for the initial work. This feature will be unique at the Exposition, nothing of the sort being attempted by any other state. One of the most interesting features will be a miniature reproduction of 200 miles of the Columbia River, showing fisheries, night signals, rapids and waterfalls. This realistic bit of scenery will extend approximately 60 feet. In addition, it is announced that a reservation of 7,000 square feet has been made for Oregon in the places of horticulture, agriculture and food products.

Pleasantly Entertained

The Oregon Grape Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Stella Muhl, 108 Smith avenue, Friday June 19th. Delicious cake and ice cream were served. Those present were Mesdames Armstrong, Brice, Ella Beam, Dunbar, Carrington, Harrington, Kough, Muhl, Nolan, Palmer, Reynolds, Teeling, Tracey, Emma Beam, Miss Carrie Armstrong. The guests were Mesdames Rigdon, Smock, Bergman, McGregor, Fowle, Hufferd, Miller, Ethel Armstrong, Mabel Smock, Gertrude Clark, Vivian Mahon and Master Merle Harrington. The attendance was one of the largest, and in the contest the Pinks gained a large number of points over the Greens.

"Watches" made over into "Time-pieces" at reasonable rates at Rogers', 309 N. Jersey street.

Where shall I get my hair cut? At Gilmore's barber shop. adv.

Work for a Greater St. Johns