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, Woolen mills, iron works,
Stove works, asbestos factory,
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,

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COUNCIL MEETS

Matters of Importance

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gated as to their merits. Catlin streets by grade, sidewalk have no need of censor boards. and 12 foot curb was received Yours for a free race, mentally and the city attorney directed and physically .- R. C. Stokes. to draft a resolution starting

Reports of the chief of police, city treasurer and recorder for the month of February were read and accepted.

proceedings.

The following bids were received on the improvement of Tyler street between Dawson street and Smith avenue: V. W. Mason, \$5,193.70; M. Swan, \$5,528.87; Cochran-Nutting & Co., \$4,962.06; Hahn & Rebman, \$5,018.89; Andrew & Harrer, \$4,827.15. The latter bid being the lowest, it was accepted.

An ordinance providing the time and manner of improving Swenson street between Myers and Oswego streets was passed. as was also an ordinance assessing the cost of improving Stan-ford street between Burr and Buchanan streets.

An ordinance providing that the proposition of merging St. Johns with Portland was handed in by Councilman Graden. Some of the councilmen were wanted it passed Tuesday even-ing, although a week later would have been sufficient time. Since a petition has place same upon the April election. Mayor Vincent w cilman Waldref, Chadwick and

O. J. Gatzmyer, representing

Concerning the Censors

Was very much pleased to see tions, and came out openly in Receive Attention

Receive Attention

Support of the Censor Ordinance. Where are the other one hundred and sixty-five who petitioned to have this law created? Do they not know that their "pet" is about '5 be annihilated, if mercial Club at lunch Tuesday evening with they do not come to its rescue.

gineer stated that he had arrang- The minds of the children as cuss the question from the differ- will become the gospel of men, ed for remedying the defect at well as adults of the past and ent points of views, the date for or still worse, the gospel of the the Willamette boulevard cross-ing, and that he would look af-molded principally on belief, and later.

the willamette boulevard cross-ing, and that he would look after Columbia boulevard. It was not from knowledge. Is it any The efforts of the club to secure that owing to human temerity, Book also decided that the matter of wonder that minds are easily in- better car service has borne more harm than good may come wood blocks would be investi- fluenced by what is seen and heard?

A petition was presented for Give us minds that are develthe improvement of Hayes oped by teaching and studying on the run between St. Johns which renew the ancient guile of Feeding of the Family. street between Philadelphia and of Scientific truths, then we will and Portland.

Will Sing at Theatre



Margaret O'Connor Willumsen, the Welsh Nightingale of St. loath to pass it for the reason Johns, will sing at the Columbia

the board of censorship, asked that the censorship ordinance be amended whereby the board should be more passive than ac
Wanted, housework—Well extended the consorship ordinance perienced. Age 24. 1215 E. For Sale—Two good cows. Apply at 913 E. Charleston street, St. Johns, and yet when pal indulgence bulls."

You deny that the Jesuits taught the doctrine of expediential to the people turned down at the polls a couple of years ago the sort of measure that Mr. Lewis had passed at the last Legisla
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COMMERCIAL

that there was at least one who had the courage of their convicof Local Importance

some fruit, as the company gave from indiscriminate Bible Readnotification of the fact that more ing." Pope Leo XII. additional trains had been put "These crafty Bible societies,

council. The regular monthly meeting of the Club will be held of the text. Thus, the divine Glover—"Dame Curtsey's" Book of Candy Making.

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Herrick and Harland—Consoli-10th, beginning at 8 o'clock, traditions, the teaching of the date. The meeting will be followed by fathers, and the authority of ing. dancing and card playing. All the Catholic Church are rejected, members of the Club are urged and every one in his own way to be present.

Feeding Big Snake

After being imported from India, the largest snake caged in the Lincoln Park Zoo, at Chicago, the Lincoln Park Zoo, at Chicago, that hy paying a stipsteadfastly refused to take nourishment and was believed to be ty for sin can be removed. Your gradually starving to death. In the several months of his cap- In speaking of the penalties imtivity his weight decreased from ods for rousing him were tried without success, until a food gun was purchased and the reptile fed forcibly. The instrument is provided with a large cylinder and a plunger actuated by a plunger actuated by a control of palms in the given and a plunger actuated by a control of palms in the given and a plunger actuated by a control of palms in the given and a plunger actuated by a control of palms in the given and a plunger actuated by a control of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and then the writer adds: "The practice of substituting the recitation of palms or the given and a plunger actuated by a control of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and then the writer adds: "The practice of substituting the recitation of palms or the given and a plunger actuated by a control of the fast is mentioned; and then the writer adds: "The practice of substituting the recitation of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and then the writer adds: "The practice of substituting the recitation of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and then the writer adds: "The practice of substituting the recitation of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and then the writer adds: "The practice of substituting the recitation of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and then the writer adds: "The practice of substituting the recitation of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and the practice of substituting the recitation of palms instead of a part of the fast is mentioned; and the part of the fast is mentioned; and the practice of substituting the part of the fast is mentioned; and the part of the fast is m and a plunger actuated by a crank. The snake was taken fast is also sanctioned in loath to pass it for the reason that they wanted a week to study it over. D. C. Lewis stated that it had been drawn by the city attorney of Portland and was perfectly good. The council seemed to believe that it should have been drafted by Mr. Parker, or at least approved by him. Mr. A. W. Davis aroused the ire of the council when he stated they had to pass it, and wanted it passed Tuesday even. from his cage, given a hot bath. Irish Synod of 807.' during which his summer coat he April election.

Mayor Vincent was then calld away and President of the through this into his through this into his through the same upon the ballot at between the reptile's jaws, and wine and wife and song, Remains a fool his life long," and then adds, "Though verbally spurious, The ordinance was finally passed away and President of the through this into his throat, can in both instances be in sub-Munson voting in the negative.

A resolution directing the ento proposed charter amendto proposed As there were several matters meat forced into the snake. Be-A resolution directing the engineer to prepare the plans for the sidewalking of Chicago street between Willamette boulevard between Willamette boulevard day evening.

yet to receive attention, relative to proposed charter amendments, and the hour was late, council adjourned to meet Thursday evening.

Tore the operation was limitated to posed of in this manner, and the snake was returned to his cage.—From the March Popular cage. - From the March Popular of a few obscure writers which of said day. Mechanics' Magazine.

An Open Letter

replied to some things I said in

All members were present at the rynor know that their 'pet' the regular meeting of the city council Tuesday evening, with Mayor Vineent presiding.

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interprets the words of the Lord, and distorts their meaning, thereby falling into miserable errors."—Pope Pius IX. Quaint

Both of the above quotations from the are from the Catholic Encyclope-countries.

You deny what I said about inces mean that by paying a stipulated sum of money the penal- ment. own Encyclopedia confirms this. posed for sin, fasting is mentioning of alms for a portion of the

stance unfailingly traced to the stantially acknowledged in his Said election will be held at 8 from us. There is no objection trip, at very reasonable rates. Frankfort theses. Here he accepted the mere school opinion until 8 o'clock in the afternoon the measure will be placed on four or less to make a trip into overstepped the contents of pa-

THE LIBRARY

Library Patrons

Afternoon, 12:00 to 5:30.

brary can furnish the following authorities:

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the grange.

heretics, cease not to thrust their For Housekeepers with vary-

dated Library of Modern Cook-

Herrick-First Aid to the Young Housekeeper. Hill-Book of Entrees. Keen-With a Saucepan Over

Quaint and delicious recipes from the kitchens of foreign Kellogg - Home Furnishing,

Practical and Artistic. Parloa-Home Economics. A guide to household manage-

Reed-Every day Desserts. Seaman—Expert Cleaner. Accurate and effective meth-

Election Notice

One City Treasurer. One City Attorney. Two Councilmen First Ward. Three Councilmen at Large.

One City Recorder.

A. E. DUNSMORE.

is a good slogan.

We are told: If St. Johns vanced that unpleasant inforvotes to Merge, St. Johns will mation; not the editor, however. lose its free ferry. How, Mr. Why should they lose their jobs Editor? Who said so? The ferry if competent and satisfactory?

worth one-third the sum? Which is the better plan?

ries now being circulated about times. the things St. Johns will lose if the people vote to merge, ought to be in the asylum at Salem. I merger question after reading ods in every particular of house- have not stated where I stand, his article above ought also be but I do think the campaign placed in the asylum at Salem. should be placed on higher grounds than those now being paign of Truth, why does he defought over.

when he was a member of the Oregon. Two Councilmen Second Ward, Legislature, and is one of the few things merging cannot steal the people turned down at the Phone Columbia 206.

Who Said So?

ture and under the provisions of which the merger vote will be taken next month, Mr. Lewis was not so anxious to let the Rev. Charles M. Smith, St.

Johns, Oregon. Dear Sir: As

I was out of the city when you

I was out of the city when you

Interesting Notes for the

St. Johns, Oregon, March 2nd, people rule. So he has been 1915. To the Editor the Review: trying to override the will in your issue of the 26th you of the people since, and by published a short item from the people since, and by published a short item from the people since, and by published a short item from the people since, and by problem in the people since, and the people since, and the people since in the people since, and the people since in the people sin published a short item from the an artfully constructed constitu-Oregonian to the effect: "That at Salem I mounted the Speaker's rostrum and invited the members of the House to visit St. Johns, 'the best City in Oregon,' "and then you proceeded, through the columns of your paper, by indirection, to create the impression that due to the above

St. Johns is Calling You

Is second in number of Industries Is seventh in population.
Cars to Portland every 16 min.
Has navigable water on 3 sides.
Has finest gas and electricity.

Has two strong banks.
Has five large school houses.
Has abundance of purest water.
Has hard surface streets.

Has extensive sewerage system. Has fine, modern brick city hall.

Has good payroll monthly.
Ships monthly many cars freight.
All railroads have access to it.
Is gateway to Portland harbor.
Climate ideal and healthful.

jobs, we do not know who ad-

between Crawford street and times, that is, only that which question was instructed to invite vernacular of all nations . . . It suggestions as to their use for And, again, the school teachers worth of pipe in East St. Johns the ferry landing on motion of can be substantiated, anything speakers from both the Merger is to be feared that by false in- different crops and, conditions, have been told, if we merge was not included in the estimate, and Anti-merger clubs to dis-cuss the question from the differ-will become the gospel of men, housekeeper:

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| A group of books for the club, been added since, and the fran-Campbell-The Easiest Way in Do you not know that the last chise is worth considerable, legislature passed an act which whether a merger is effected or has been signed by the Gover- not. The Company now, accord-Book.

Practical recipes on all subAgain, we hear the rumor: We miles of iron pipes and only one jects furnished by members of will lose the Police Force, fire and one-half miles of wooden the grange.

Gibbs—Lessons on the Proper Keeding of the Family.

station and everything else. Pipes in the ground at the present time. The pipe alone cannot be purchased at the price Mr. wishes to hold a city office, or Lewis states the whole plant is The secretary was requested to Bibles upon all men, even the take up the matter of repairing unlearned,—their Bibles, which est to those having as much as \$130,000 for a water plant not that the St. Johns Water Company would not receive full value We are told if we merge we for its plant in case of merger cannot then get Bull Run water! and Portland purchased it. Who started this false alarm? should note what Portland has The same stories were circulated paid for the water plants it has in every other town ever taken acquired. They PAY for utilities into Portland, yet every other in Portland and do not practictown received the water, and at ally steal them, as Mr. Lewis Portland prices, and such will be would seem to have us believe. the case here. St. Johns can He neglected to mention that it purchase the water plant at the took Albina a number of years to price of "Thirty Dollars" per secure lower water rates after head, while if we permit Port- consolidation, or that the price land to do the buying, it will cost paid for the plant was far in exnot to exceed ten cents per head. cess of that asked for the St. Johns plant, and much inferior Any person who will change as well. But such little things his vote on the impossible str- will escape one's memory some-

Since Mr. Lewis wants a camviate from it in regard to the If we merge, St. Johns will value of the water plant, and get cheap water, or water at the same price Portland people get stead of assertions, which any the same for, all rumors or fa- one can make? Give us assurbles to the contrary .- D. C. ance of what we will get, and

who had the interests of St. For further information, call Johns at heart and who sought on DR. W. J. GILSTRAP, First to build up rather than destroy. National Bank bldg., St. Johns,

Auto for hire by day, hour or the ballot. Let the people rule, the country at a low price. H. says Mr. Lewis, and yet when M. Waldref, 609 Fessenden street.