

Loren Seward is looking after business matters in Nebraska and other states.

D. C. Larson returned the other day from New York city, where he completed a year's residence at Columbia towards the Ph. D.

Don't take yourself too seriously. The Pharisee of olden times thanked God he was not like other men. Doubtless the other men were equally thankful.

Read the advertisements of St. Johns dealers every week and there will be no need of perusing the pages of mail order catalogues. Keep your money working at home.

The Albina Shipyards Co. have five of the largest pontoons afloat at the Peninsula saw mill. Work will soon be completed and the big pontoons installed at the dry dock.

St. Johns has better manufacturing sites than any place on the Pacific Coast. Consult the map and satisfy yourself. Not over half of the water front is in use. Capital has eyes on the rest.

D. E. Vernon, a well known Oregon newspaper man, has been assisting the editor in the local field this week. Don't use a stuffed club on Mr. Markle. If you must apply it do it where it belongs.

The real estate men in St. Johns appear to be working in unison for the upbuilding of the entire Peninsula. If one firm fails to make a sale the field is open for some one else. This spirit is certainly commendable.

W. L. McGuire, foreman of the Peninsula Lumber Co., J. S. Kinney, millwright at the Coopersage, and J. D. Webster, University Park druggist, attended a communication of Peninsula Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Monday evening.

The Masonic Building Association has installed an air vent and drinking fountain in the Masonic Temple.

J. A. Wright, brother of L. J. Wright, has returned from Nevada and is enjoying a short visit in the best town on earth.

Capt. F. E. Smith has purchased an additional lot from A. W. Davis on Fessenden street and will construct a cement double garage.

The Peninsula National Bank reports business greater in March than February. Even then depositors were drawing money to apply on homes or other investments. Straws show which way the wind blows.

Dr. M. W. Peterson of Portland is taking Dr. Borden's place at his dental office. Dr. Borden left Friday for California, making the trip by auto, and will remain there about three months. Mrs. Borden is assisting Dr. Peterson in the office.

S. C. Cook, the pioneer real estate man of St. Johns district, reports considerable inquiry for vacant lots, having sold twelve vacant lots for a total price of \$4925 within the past six weeks, besides one house and lot at \$2700, and another house and lot for \$1331 within the last ten days.

There are two equipped shipyards in St. Johns district. The Peninsula yard is still in charge of the government and we understand the Standifer people are trying to close a deal for the Grant Smith yard. The locations of both yards are ideal for ship building or some other industry. Some day one or both yards will be operating. There is too much money tied up to always remain idle.

My Panama Hats never saw the canal but you will recognize their value at \$1.50.

ROGERS

W. C. Roe is recovering from a severe attack of pleurisy. Subject for Christian Science services Sunday: Probation After Death.

D. O. Lear, a prominent merchant of Centerville, Wash., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lear.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis and little daughter, Donna, of Rose City Park, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lavrack.

Dewey Lindley of Oakland, Cal., who has been visiting relatives and friends here for the past week, will return to his home the latter part of this week.

J. M. Blair, representing the Portland Woolen Mills, has just returned from a trip through California. He reports business conditions improving; in fact made many sales in Los Angeles, San Francisco and other cities.

H. L. Ford, now of Dufur, Ore., formerly of St. Johns, has been in St. Johns visiting some of his many friends and attending to some business. He also attended a convention at the First Christian church in Portland. Mr. Ford has been very ill since leaving St. Johns but has fully recovered and is now looking fine and is doing splendid work at Dufur. His friends wish him success.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church will hold a silver tea Friday afternoon, April 22, at the home of Mrs. G. W. Roberts, 927 Willamette boulevard. I am sure all who have ever attended one of these teas will want to come, and those who have never attended will want to come and see what enjoyable times they have. All come; it is the social event of the season.—Reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Matson and Edna Craig motored to Seaside Monday in Mr. Matson's new Elgin Six.

Mrs. Fred Debenham, who was operated upon last week by Drs. McChesney and Rockey, is getting along in fine style.

Miss Hannah Nelson states that the report of her buying property in Powell Valley is incorrect, and that she is leaving immediately for Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges, new owners of the Bigelow Sweet Shop, have purchased through Rice & Tate, the Ressel home at 1231 Lombard street. Mr. Hodges is showing his faith in the future of St. Johns by making a number of investments here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wymore have purchased one of the new bungalows on North Kellogg street and will take possession about the 1st of May. Mrs. Nedville, sister of Mrs. Wymore, bought the new bungalow next door last month. Mrs. Tate, with Rice & Tate, handled the transactions.

The Portland Manufacturing Co. is running two crews, employing 100 men and 25 girls. The capacity is gradually increasing and conditions are favorable. The berry season will soon be here, then tons of ripe fruit all over the state will be ripening. There is a growing demand for the output of this plant.

ROYAL ARCH MASONRY, ATTENTION!—Three teams will be exalted in St. Johns Masonic temple Saturday, April 23. Work commences promptly at 2 p. m. Refreshments will be served at 6:30. All companions earnestly requested to attend.—W. A. Carroll, High Priest; George H. Lemon, Secretary.

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Mrs. Geo. H. Lynn of Hood River was a St. Johns visitor last week. She recently returned from a month's sojourn in California.

A Monroe woman has a hen which laid an egg measuring 6 1-4 by 9 1-4 inches, which she believes passes any record ever made in this state.

The new residence of S. P. Rolph is rapidly nearing completion at Jersey and Mohawk streets. It will be one of the neatest and best located homes in St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Von Groenwald have purchased and taken possession of a new home in Hawthorne. They have been visiting Mrs. Von Groenwald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Vernon, the past few weeks.

J. E. Snyder of Dayton, Ohio, called on W. A. Carroll a few days ago. Mr. Snyder has been looking for a location and says St. Johns offers better inducements than any place he has visited. He'll probably locate here.

T. E. Dowling, foreman for St. Johns district of the water bureau, has just completed installing a 12 inch water main from Lombard street to Smith avenue which will reinforce the mains in the East St. Johns district, also better fire protection along Buchanan street. A fire hydrant was installed at the corner of Central avenue and Buchanan, also one at Hudson and Buchanan. Mr. Dowling installed an 8 inch main last summer on Buchanan street from Willamette boulevard to Lombard, connecting the 12 inch main on Willamette boulevard and the 12 inch main on Lombard street.

Small warehouse truck; also Howe platform scales, capacity 800 pounds.—106 N. Jersey St.

The Bachelor Club enjoyed a stag party at Point Comfort Saturday night. All returned Sunday night tired, but happy.

All interested in old coins and currency have an opportunity of viewing a remarkable collection in the Peninsula National Bank window. The coins were loaned by O. C. Huston.

A goodly number of lady friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendricks Saturday evening. The impromptu program and refreshments were enjoyed by all. At a seasonable hour the guests took their departure declaring Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks the most entertaining host and hostess of the season.

The meeting of the St. Johns Community Club at the Peninsula Club house last Tuesday evening was a most enjoyable as well as interesting affair. A pleasing feature of the evening was a basket dinner which was heartily enjoyed. The lower peninsula as the site for the big 1925 Fair was a prominent topic of discussion. It was decided that the club's committee on fair site be given full authority to advertise thoroughly and in every way possible bring out the merits of the North St. Johns location. Dow Walker was added as a member of the site committee. This committee consists of Thomas Autzen, H. W. Bonham, J. N. Edlefsen, C. C. Currier, Dr. S. A. Mulkey, F. P. Drinker, A. E. Jones, F. C. Knapp, H. W. Ormandy, W. E. Hollenbeck, Dow V. Walker. Mr. Walker made some valuable suggestions as to the best methods of bringing out the virtues of the site here. An invitation to meet with the Boosters the following evening was unanimously accepted. The evening was then given over to games of various sorts that were highly enjoyed. The orchestra of the German Baptist church rendered delightful music for the occasion.

MULTNOMAH THEATRE

Thursday and Friday, April 21-22—**Charles Ray** in "AN OLD FASHIONED BOY." Saturday, April 23—**DOROTHY GISH** in "A GHOST IN THE GARRET"—Paramount. Sunday, April 24—**MONTE BLUE** in "THE JUCK-LINS," from the book by Opie Reid. Monday and Tuesday, April 25-26—**ALICE BRADY** in "THE NEW YORK IDEA"—Reelart, and "Velvet Fingers" No. 10. Wednesday, April 27th—**MARY MILES MINTER** in "SWEET LAVENDER"—Reelart. Thursday and Friday, April 28-29—**William Farnum** in "THE ORPHAN"—Fox. This is one of his strongest productions.



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Boys' Dress Caps.....	95c
Men's Dress Caps.....	95c up
Shoe Laces.....	5c, 3 pair 10c
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White Handkerchiefs.....	10c, 3 for 25c
Pull-a-part Cuff Links.....	35c
Skat, Mechanics Soap.....	15c
Canvas Gloves.....	15c, 2 for 25c
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Part can be told, but not all. On Mothers' Day she is to receive a Brunswick Phonograph (model 112) and a special collection of Records chosen for the occasion. Also she is to receive—but that's part of the secret.

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