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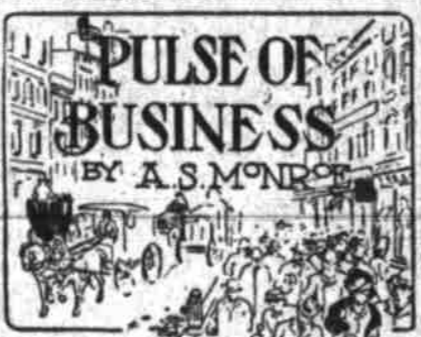
Mrs. Thorndyke Tries Name-Getting Open Air Cure for Ill Health.

LEARN NUMBER OF ST. JOHN'S PEOPLE

Various Estimates of Population Have Been Made, Three and Four Thousand Being Claimed—Completion Depends on the Weather.

East Side Department.
A directory for the city of St. Johns is being compiled by Mrs. W. L. Thorndyke, wife of Judge Thorndyke of the municipal court of that city. About 1,000 names have already been secured through the efforts of Mrs. Thorndyke and it is hoped that a fair estimate of the population of St. Johns will be obtained in this way.
The directory is being made primarily for the use of the city, but will undoubtedly be published in regular form for all purposes. St. Johns claims a population of all the way from 3,000 to 4,000 people. It is a very uncertain figure. The last state census, taken in 1905, gives the municipality a population of 2,275, but the rapid growth of the city has so completely covered these figures that it is a hard matter to determine just what is the population at present. Records Thorndyke is of the opinion, however, that judging from the work already done, St. Johns will not have the population generally claimed by its constituents.
Mrs. Thorndyke has been in ill-health and her physician has advised her to be in the open air as much as possible, so that this occupation was taken up. The perfect weather of the last week has made it possible to accomplish a considerable amount of the work in moving along splendidly. It cannot be determined now just when the work will be completed as that will depend entirely upon the weather. Mrs. Thorndyke is meeting with various receptions, but is much interested in the work.

Rev. F. J. Warren Resigns.
Rev. Fred J. Warren, pastor of the St. Johns Congregational church, who was the subject of sensational charges made from the pulpit last Sunday by C. M. Smythe, formerly pastor of the Mississippi Avenue Congregational church, has resigned his pastorate. He handed in his resignation last Sunday, which will take effect at the end of his present term in May.
Smythe charged Mr. Warren, with alienating the affections of his wife, but later Warren was vindicated by a reapportionment in the following November. Smythe is now working as a conductor on the Oregon Water Power lines.
C. W. Parker, a grocer at East Stark and Grand avenue, received a forged check last week, for which he gave \$15.00 in change. After passing through the clearing-house the check came back yesterday. It was signed H. C. Albee, indorser H. C. Gordon and was drawn on the First National bank.
The Portland Library association will improve the Sellwood branch at once, for which purpose \$200 will be expended. Miss Voorhees will be in charge and 1,000 books will be placed in the library within a few weeks. It is planned to erect a building if the people of the suburb will provide the site.
The East Side Business Men's club will hold its regular meeting this evening in the hall at East Pine street and Grand avenue. A number of new members will be admitted and other important matters attended to.



Obstructions are now removed from the pavement in front of the new Jorgenson building, Third street, giving better access to the stores that were opened up in the adjoining building during the past three months. The Martin-Mark Coffee company, 263 Third street, is one of the firms that lately moved into this location from Front street. Mr. Marks has been in the tea and coffee business pretty nearly his life, having been a traveling salesman in this line up till the time he opened his own store two years ago. He has been doing a steadily growing business from the very start, and the freshness and general attractiveness of the newer place give promise of still greater strides in the future.

The F. P. Keenan company, 208 Third street, wholesale dealers in bicycles and supplies, have recently added another line to their stock—Hartford auto tires, having Midget universal rims, the advantage of them being that they are so constructed as to fit any make of auto wheel. A large shipment of bicycles is expected daily by this concern.
Another Third street establishment that is gaining remarkably is the Peerless Trunk company, 248 Third street. The proprietors are both young men, who grew up in the trade of trunk-making, one of them, Mr. B. Wilson, being for 12 years with the Harris Trunk company, and the other, Mr. M. J. Champion, an easterner, also long connected with the trunk business. They make all their own trunks and give the most personal attention to the quality of work bearing their firm stamp. They do both a wholesale and retail business.

F. M. Hamburger, who has opened a millinery department with the J. M. Acheson company, has a splendid display of spring hats, the result of his recent trip to the east. He has associated with him some of the best millinery talent in the city, expert in trimming and designing, and his effort is to make this store a millinery center excelled by none. Mr. Hamburger's long and successful experience with Olds, Wortman & King, where he was in charge of the millinery department, assures him immediate popularity in the new undertaking.
With its millinery department, the J. M. Acheson company is now prepared to fit ladies out in every detail excepting shoes. It will be found quite an advantage to buy suits and hats to-

TRACKS INTO NEW TERMINAL

Electric Company Asks Franchises on Ask, Pine and Second Streets.

SHEPHERD DIZZY IN THE PRESIDENCY
Councilman Tenders Resignation as Once-in-a-While Leader of the Council, but Hangs to His Job as Representative of the People.

At the meeting of the council yesterday afternoon, the Portland Railway, Light and Power company asked permission to lay tracks on streets leading to its proposed \$2,000,000 depot on the block bounded by First, Second, Pine and Ash streets. The connecting tracks will be on Ash and Pine streets from First to Fifth. The company also asked permission to lay a track on Columbia

street from Water to Second, thus giving the Oregon Electric railway entrance to the depot. Permission to lay both standard and narrow gauge tracks on Second street was asked. The ordinance was introduced by Councilman Belding and was referred to the committee on streets.

An ordinance fixing the new fire limits for the east side was passed. The new limits commence at a point 95 feet south of the south line of Hawthorne avenue where the same is intersected by a line 100 feet west of the west line of East Water street, east to a point 90 feet east of Grand avenue, north to a point 100 feet north of East Burnside street, thence to East Second street, south to East Oak street, west to East Water street and thence to the place of beginning.

Councilman Sharkey proposed an ordinance for the building of a new bridge on Union avenue and over Sullivan's gulch. The bridge is to be of steel and is to cost about \$50,000. The ordinance was referred to the street committee.

Councilman Shepherd tendered his resignation as president of the council. His business, he said, would necessitate his absence from the city a great deal during the next few months and he would not be able to attend to his duties as president. Also, his occupancy of the mayor's chair in the council chamber approaches so nearly the bedazzling splendor of a throne that he has suffered from stage fright, and his family physician prescribed the simple life for him. No action was taken on the resignation.

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Lot 1—Patent colt, medium cap toe, Blucher . . .	\$3.00	\$2.40	Lot 19—Vici Blucher, narrow toe, heavy soles . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65
Lot 9—Vici kid, medium cap toe, Blucher	\$3.00	\$2.40	Lot 101—Patent colt Blucher, narrow toe, single soles . . .	\$3.50	\$2.50
Lot 3—Patent colt Bals., cap toe, double sole . . .	\$3.00	\$2.40	Lot 102—Patent colt Blucher, flat broad last, single soles . . .	\$3.50	\$2.50
Lot 27—Velour calf, narrow toe, Blucher, double sole . . .	\$3.50	\$2.45	Lot 29—Box calf Bals., straight last, heavy soles . . .	\$3.50	\$2.45
Lot 4 1/2—Velour calf, broad toe, Blucher, single sole . . .	\$3.00	\$2.40	Lot 82—Velour calf Bals., straight last, heavy soles, Gotzian shoe . . .	\$4.00	\$3.15
Lot 6—Box calf Bals., straight last, double sole . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65	Lot 84—Box calf Blucher, easy last, heavy soles, Gotzian shoe . . .	\$4.00	\$3.15
Lot 16—English grain, viscolized, double soles . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65	Lot 68—Box calf Blucher, leather lined, easy last, Tilt Kinney shoe . . .	\$4.50	\$3.45
Lot 00—Patent colt, kid lined, straight last, Blucher . . .	\$3.50	\$2.70	Lot 64—Patent colt Blucher, easy last, heavy soles, Tilt Kinney shoe . . .	\$5.00	\$3.95
Lot 7—Box calf, calf lined, double sole, Blucher, broad toe . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65	Lot 53—Kangaroo Bals., straight last, light soles, Tilt Kinney shoe . . .	\$4.00	\$3.15
Lot 8—Box calf, calf lined, double sole, Bals., straight last . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65	Lot 36—Velour calf Blucher, straight last, light soles, narrow widths only . . .	\$4.00	\$2.95
Lot 27 1/2—Vici kid, calf lined, Blucher, brd. toe . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65	Lot 96 1/2—Black viscol calf Surveyors' Boots, 16-inch leg . . .	\$6.50	\$5.35
Lot 201—Chrom calf, natural shape, Bals., viscol soles . . .	\$3.50	\$2.60	Lot 97 1/2—Black viscol calf Surveyors' Boots, 13-inch leg . . .	\$5.50	\$4.35
Lot 202—Velour calf Blucher, viscol soles, natural last . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65			
Lot 28 1/2—Patent colt, Blucher, heavy sole, easy last . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65			
Lot 28—Patent colt, Bals., straight last, heavy sole . . .	\$3.50	\$2.65			

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GRANDNIECE OF SUSAN B. ANTHONY

California Girl in The Empire Went From Shakespeare to Floradora.

Guelma Baker, the soubrette of "The Empire," the musical comedy, is another addition to the long list of talent southern California has contributed to the stage. She was born at Rochester, New York, but with her parents moved to San Diego when scarcely a year old.
During Miss Baker's school days Madame Modjeska was living in retirement on her ranch near San Diego, but she was greatly interested in the amateur theatricals of the local schools. It was through these contacts with Madame Modjeska that the young student was inspired with the idea of becoming an actress.
Miss Baker is a grandniece of the late Dan E. Anthony and of his famous sister, Susan B. Anthony. Friends of the young actress declare that Miss Anthony offered no objection to the family name being connected with the stage, for the reason that she believed in young girls getting out and doing something for themselves.
The first song Miss Baker ever sang on the stage was "as Balthazar" page to Don Pedro, in "Much Ado About Nothing." Next season she went with "Floradora" to play as "Valencia," the maid. Miss Baker was finally assigned to the part of Dolores, which she played for eight weeks.
She then took the ingenious part of Lucia and remained with the company until the close of the following season. The next two years she was with Henry W. Savage and created the part of Lullie in "Peggy From Paris."

CORPORATION EARNINGS TO STATE BY TAXATION

(Journal Special Service.)
Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 21.—It has been decided by the assembly committee on revenue and taxation to report favorably a constitutional amendment which changes the entire system of taxation for the state. The report recommends that four per cent of the gross earnings of railroads, 1 1/2 per cent of the gross earnings of insurance companies, 3 per cent of the gross earnings of the Pullman company and 2 1/2 per cent of the gross earnings of the Wells-Fargo company go to the state.

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- 5¢ for great big 10c rolls Toilet Paper.
- 25¢ for 50c and 75c Side and Back Combs.
- 75¢ for Ladies' \$1.25 to \$2.50 Sample Umbrellas; beautiful handles.
- 1¢ for dozen package of Society Envelopes.
- 3¢ for best perfumed 10c and 20c Soap.
- 5¢ for 25c bottles Bay Rum.
- 39¢ for 50c and 75c Knit Underwear.
- 60¢ for \$1.25 mill ends of Table Linen.
- 85¢ for \$1.75 mill ends of Satin Damask.
- \$1.00 for \$2.50 mill ends of Double Satin Damask.
- \$1.00 for 2, 2 1/2 and 3 yard lengths.
- \$1.41 for \$2.50 Marseilles Bed Spreads.
- 25¢ for 60c three-quarter Bed Sheets.
- 50¢ for all sorts of \$1.00 to \$2.00 Waists.
- \$5.00 for Ladies' Suits, Coats and Jackets; worth up to \$30.00.
- \$1.85 for Sample Spring Skirts; worth to \$5.00.
- \$3.95 for 36 samples of Swell Spring Cravettes; newest modes; \$15.00 to \$25.00 values.
- 49¢ for \$1.00 to \$1.35 Black Sateen Skirts.
- \$1.95 for \$3.50 Heatherbloom Taffeta Skirts.
- 5¢ for Boys' and Girls' 25c School Bags.

A Dozen Bargains for Men

- 2¢ for 10c Linen Handkerchiefs.
- \$1.00 for \$5.00 Tailor Made Vests.
- 39¢ for 75c 7-pocket Overalls.
- 25¢ for 40c Spring Underwear.
- 25¢ for 20c Wash Four-in-Hands.
- 25¢ for 75c Dress and Negligee Shirts.
- 69¢ for \$2.00 Boys' and Young Men's Hats.
- 99¢ for Men's \$2.00 Pants.
- \$3.95 for Men's \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats.
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