

EAST SIDE NEWS

WOTERS TO DECIDE ST. JOHNS NAMES BRIDGE QUESTION TWO TICKETS

Madison Street Structure Will Probably Call for Special Election.

As it will now be impossible to prepare the reconstruction of the Madison street bridge by initiative proceedings at the coming June election it was decided last night by the United East side clubs that the request be made for a special election to be called later in the year at which time this measure and several others to be placed before the people. All petitions for initiative measures must be filed on or before April 1 to be effective.

The Good Government league of St. Johns formally nominated a ticket last night, which puts two tickets into the field, between which the contest for offices in St. Johns will be fought out at the coming city election. The other ticket is the Taxpayer's ticket, launched a week or so ago. More than 200 persons were present last night.

The platform of the Good Government league declares for the Sunday closing of saloons, dance halls, skating rinks and poolrooms; a closer regulation of the saloons during the week and a reduction of the salaries of city officials.

INVESTIGATE LIGHT COMPANY'S FRANCHISE

Peninsula Residents Believe They Have Been Subject to Overcharges.

At a well-attended meeting of the University Park board of trade Monday evening a long and exhaustive communication from the city attorney was read relative to the liability of the electric lighting company to furnish without contract wires connecting with reasonable distance to houses. The company has been charging for running wires into houses on the peninsula, which the residents do not believe is fair.

Avoid Secret Stomach Remedies

Because Most of Them Contain Dangerous Ingredients, Which Produce the Drug Habit.

Thousands of people, having dyspepsia or stomach troubles in some form, continually "dope" themselves with all sorts of secret, drug, pills, cathartics, etc., which not only inflame and irritate the stomach and intestines, but in many cases cause the opium, morphine and cocaine habits.

Good Government League in the Field With Strong Nominees.

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A. M. Esson, Candidate for Recorder at St. Johns, Without Opposition.

ASK TAXPAYERS TO SUPPORT BOND ISSUE

North East Side Association Working Hard for New High School.

The North East Side Improvement association has addressed a communication to the entire east side through the United East Side clubs, asking the support of taxpayers in procuring the bond issue for the new Patton high school building.

ST. JOHNS FRANCHISE STILL HOLDS GOOD

At a meeting of the city council in St. Johns last night no objection was raised to the validity of the franchise owned by the St. Johns Heating & Lighting company because the company did not substitute a cash deposit of \$1,000 to insure faithful execution of the provisions of the franchise in lieu of the \$10,000 bond as was agreed upon.

Ladies' and Misses' Coats

Our complete stock of

TAILOR-MADE COATS

for ladies and misses is now ready for inspection.

These are entirely different from those of other stores, being absolutely man-tailored throughout—exclusive designs—and in a class by themselves.

Price \$9.85 to \$25

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THE "BIG STORE" WITH LITTLE PRICES

Note the values shown here in these East Side Dressers, Sideboards, Carpets and Mattings. By buying in immense quantities, having low rent and economical management, we are able to undersell West Side stores.



CARPET DEPARTMENT

Big values in Brussels Carpets offered by the big East Side Store. You cannot duplicate these prices anywhere in Portland. Many patterns to select from. These prices do not include sewing or laying. A high grade Brussels Carpet that other stores ask \$1.10 per yard—Big East Side Store price only..... 65c

Two thirds wool Ingrain Carpets, regular 75c value—our price, per yard..... 39c

FREE—These Fine Ladies' Brushes Free to All Who Attend Our SPRING OPENING NEXT SATURDAY EVENING

Big East Side Store

ALL AROUND THE CORNER, UNION AVE. AND EAST BURNSIDE

URGENT VOTERS TO REGISTER

East Side Clubs Determined to Have Portland's List Match Seattle's.

One of the most important matters before the people at this time is registration. Such was the unanimous opinion given by the United East Side clubs last night. M. G. Griffin made a strong plea for registration and ended by saying if Portland is to show a population equal to or greater than the population of Seattle the people must register.

This FINE HOME, with BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS, For Sale at a Bargain

Or Would Exchange for Large Touring Car.

M. E. LEE

Room 411 Corbett Building, Fifth and Morrison.

Farms and Acreage for Sale

16 ACRES on the Oregon City carline; 11 acres cleared, balance good timber; on two good public roads; all good rich soil; land lies well; PRICE \$350 PER ACRE; terms easy.

10 ACRES near Beaverton, all cleared and in a high state of cultivation; large 7-room house, large new barn and outbuildings; two good wells; small orchard; on good public road; PRICE ONLY \$4,000; \$1,500 cash, balance easy payments.

15 ACRES near Beaverton, all cleared and in a high state of cultivation; soil rich, black loam; corners on two public roads; 1/2-mile to good schoolhouse; PRICE \$300 PER ACRE; \$500 cash, balance easy payments.

10 ACRES, 1/4-mile from good railway station; 18 acres cleared, balance good timber; well watered by never-falling stream; on good public road; PRICE \$250 PER ACRE; one of our best buys in the vicinity of Portland.

10 ACRES near Beaverton; on good public road; 6 acres cleared, 5 acres of it as rich onion land as there is in the Willamette valley; PRICE \$2,500; \$1,000 cash, balance to suit the purchaser.

1.4 ACRES within 1/2-mile of good railway station, all cleared and in a high state of cultivation; soil rich and land lies well; never-falling stream of water; PRICE \$250 PER ACRE; \$500 cash, balance easy payments.

THE SHAW-FEAR COMPANY

245 1/2 STARK STREET

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EDUCATIONAL WORD CONTEST

Contest Closes 6 P. M., April 1st '08

Send in Your List Marked "Word Contest"

\$3,250 In Other Prizes

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4 1/2 ACRES on the Willamette river, one half mile from streetcar line and good station; all suitable for cutting up into 50-foot lots each of good building sites; well watered by large, never-failing spring. Can be bought as a whole or in part. Price reasonable.

5 ACRES on the Willamette river; one acre cleared, balance good heavy timber; on good public road. Price \$2,500; \$500 cash, balance to suit the purchaser.

5 ACRES on the Oregon City carline; 4 1/2 acres cleared, balance light timber; all good rich soil; on good public road. Price \$350 per acre; terms to suit the purchaser.

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