# St. Hulutintist 

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attractive manaer. Mise Leona Por xinan led the chorus.
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satitaction of all, even it he did
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without druma wan a kood number
Mr. Laukhman, an Invurance abent Mr. Laughman, an innurance agent
who happened to bo in the elly, fav. ored the audience with splendid ven
trilogual exhiblitioas, whleh was very atrractive gumber.
The quartette by Mearra. McCoy
Oatrander, Casast and Brown, wa

The banjo solo by Mr. Wellborn
accompanited by Mr. Mccoy, was
true Negro number
The High School klee elab tavor the audience with a mong and
topaded to an encore.
 when Charlie Brown and Eadie
Woods, "the loag and sbort of tit" wwung around the corner.
Mra. Woode, wo prostod at the plano and who atended every re-
hearail, and wan one of the princt pal thetors in the gucceses of the en
tertalnment, was preented with a
 THE COUNTY BUDGET The county court late Tueatay
afternoon completed the preparation of the connty budget and not the
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the county attorney, the county bud. rot could not be prepared until after
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tor the ninal revorts of the tax levy. Ink powera of schiool, muncipal thetr
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apporona ot the public or not in was
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the maintenance of the county and
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srowing, It to only tatr that each
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TAXPAFEES' LEABUE MEETING OF THE TAXPAYERS' LEAGUE
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Saturiday's Merting. The moeting of the Taxpayers
Lague saturay was very largel

 The moeting to bo held on buadget day

 Will be necemary for the
malatenance of the countr.


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thanke exprosed.
Mr. Rone otad the meetng that hits
peoplo were
in taror of a nine mill ax, provicod the money wes apent


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reoelution be prepared by the committee and prosented at the budget
moeting asking that the court re. diatrifet the connty tato more road
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ment was orered by Mr. ©iuen that the secretary notity the taxpayers of
oad supervioora aukklas them to call a ppecal meotug for the voting of a
pectal rood tax tor their several diatrictat
Motion made ana carried that Motion mado ano curt to turithat to
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the budget meethg an temized ac count tor the amounts saked for each
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 soo. County ompera, Mra. M. J.
Wata, Bert Weat and W. J. Fuller. On motion, league adjourned to
neet on budget day when axed by TEACHERS' MEETING On December 4, the upper Neha-
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Teachersa
 it the dilscuaston of the cooperation
which athould exist peetween the peo to of the community and tho echool.
 commaniees an able leader and the dia. cuaston was onjoyed by all.
In the afterioon, Mr. Winn onatrated tho proparatton tho the
tudy of ceattle. Mra. Claybausi)
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Tember 18.
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 man 1108,000 , but wat reduced to wan $110 x, 000$, but war
3134,000 on buageo day.

## REGISTRATION TO START JANUARY 3 Ly Change of Residence Thereatter Will Xeecestate



Regiutration of voters tor the 1926
iections, under the new permanent


voters to rogitater more tuan once
unlees hio ehangee his reatidence or
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election.
Realdents of the diferent counts eata are regulred to fegister in per on with the County Clerks, but elec
tora living in other parts of their re peotive countites may regtster with
ut ithargo betore any officlal reghe ut clargo betore any official regle-
rar. The County Clerks are authorzod to appolnt registrara throughout
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aeh olector registered, the money t se puld by the dirferent county courts
rom county funds. The new law
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or before any notary publice or
cunty clerk, and County Clerk, and their ampdavite
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Permons who fall to register until
eloetion day in any county except
Multnomah may yote Multamalah may vote only atter they
have obtainell a fidavits have obtained amidavits as to their
eligibility from two treeholders reading in the county. In Multnomah
ounty those who have not registere until election day must secure am-
davits of six freeholders before they The card index syatem which will
uned under the new law or regis be used under the new law or regis-
tration, is expected to slmplify matars greatly. The elector will be re uired to dign hin name but onee in
tead of several times, as under th old aystem.
In the future County Clerks mus
rrange the cards for Cerks prange the cards for each electlo
preelnet in alphabetical order, ac cording to the surname of the re
apective voteri. Lats of the regis ered voters muut be furnished to th difrerent election boards.
Following the eloction next No rember and blenalally thereafter,
the difereat County Clerks will be equired to compare the pollbooks il general and primary elections, a
well as other elections which may be held throughout the counts, with the
regiter of electora. When tt appear rogister of electors. When It appeare
that anyone is on the register who that anyone is on the register wh
is ahown by the pollbooks not to have
ooted at least once durlag the ceding two years, such percoons wh
be ellminated from tho register.

## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Chas. Laws.
ans quit achoo
Along alnglng lines the glee
is making a "howiling" succeas.
In order to give the public the
worth of their money, the mingtrel perform
gently.
At the resular monthly meeting the student body, letters were award Smith, R. Laws, Veazte, Perry, Smith, R. Laws, Veazie, Perry,
Smith, J. Adama. The only one
colving a track letter was Perry. Last Saturday night the boye' Last Saturday nifgt the boyr' 1 It-
erary socetely met and the following program was rendered: vocal solo,
Harry wison; "Boundaries of the Harry Whison; "Boundaries of the
United States in 1925," L. Davteas "School Spirit," Veazio;
Southard and Ontrander.
On Doe. 2 the bagketball team of
the Sunset Athlette Club dofeated the

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& \text { the Sunset Athetio Club doteated the } \\
& \text { HIgh School, io to 19. The Ineups: } \\
& \text { s. A. C., MeDonald, 12; Bten, 8; }
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Hrowne for Lawn. High sehool,
Wellington, 13; F , Deavera; Wellington, 18; F. Deavera;
Perry; 0. Zybett (o) e; G. Lawe.

The reaidence of Mra. John Sce
in the Yankton nelghborliood. destroyed by fire on Friday of tant
week. The tamily were aheant trom ome at the time and the entire conthon w
oft.

CREMMEYY STRRIS "ST. HELENS BEST," THE
NAME ADOPTED -

Our Creamery. The brand selected is ans
Helens Best." This should prove a popular bratad and in buying butter
that brand should have the preter

The creamery is tncorporated un-
der the state laws with a captal er the state laws whth a a capital of
$\$ 3000$, and the following oflcere were elected: A. H. Tarbell, operest
dent; H. C. Jacobsen, vice president: dent; H. C. Jacobsen, vice president:
r. Brown, secratary-treasurer P. C.
Jacobsen, a butter maker of special Jacobsen, a butter makerer. Pp. c.
nerti, was secured as butter maker. The product of nearly 500 cows ent interference with patrons from outside influence, contracts were sub-
cribed to for each patron to supply entire product of hith hord, less a porlod of five years.
Thirty cans of cream were deliver creasing every day.
Tho delivery of croum has been
arranged that it can be convenntly handled, as follows: two days or Yankton and Bechelor Flat, two
lays for Warren, two days for Deer The frat
e in grocery stores wat placed on account of the non-arrival of

TO BUILD STEEL SHIPS
nlargement of St. Helens shipbulla-
ing Plant Proposed.
A big shipbuifiding plant that will capable of curning out ateel as s. Helens soon after the firat of Thas matter has been under co eprationtative some thme past.
willamette pren \& Steel Co. visted this cty las
late tober and Inspected the plant. Oflcers of the st. Helens shlp-
ullding Company have been asked o conalder plans for eniargement of hetr plant that will enable them to hy down steel hulls with a ma
num length of about 350 feet. The length of about 350 feet.
Crprise alone standa in the way of
an affrmative dectision, it is reported
The Portland Chamber of Com merce has intervened in the proceed
nggs in the hope of bringing the ne ings in the hope of bringing the ne
sottations to a successful conclusion
ofleers of the company were in oltcers of the company were in
onference last week with several rominent Portiand people interested
the proposed enterprise who re In the proposed enterprise who re
alize that it would be a subatantial id in industrial advancement. It is undorstood that officers of the Whametto Iron \& steel Company
re tollowing the negotiations losely, with the knowledge that hey will be in a position to supply posed plant wth bollora and othe machitnery.
The plan
Tue plant is equilpped to bulld leved that the changoe nocessary t nable it to handle ateel hullis can bo
manditure.
With the present heavy deman stoady deatruction of existing ves sal, both atoel and
aro in great demand
It is underatood that orders as arrangements are made to build them. Tentative plans provide fo rabrication of the ateel at Detroit or center and Etan ahipment meroan the
conturn contaneat or through the Panama anal to 8 Bt . Helonn.
ould be placed on a permanent induatry nd that the plant could be operated neadny evon after the prement a
normal demand for ateel bottoms al narmal
appeara.

HE ST. HELENS CITY BUDGET the Hon
Helens:
Gentiemen-We should make our
ty tux levy to hat you can tonisat, and in order he levy should be, I will it white
what approximately our present ex. enses are. Of courso we may bo
ble to prume to le to prune to some extent this exope so, but should the City, prosper
improve, it will be a hard matter get along on a less amount. Eresent Monthly Expensen Recorder. reasurer ....
Total Salaries $\ldots \ldots \ldots . . . \$ 205.50$
Ights, Streets, city Lights, Streets, Clity Hall,
etc., about ............. $\begin{array}{ll}\text { naurance on City Hall ..... } & 170.00 \\ 10.00 \\ \text { Pre Dept., wages ......... } & 16.67\end{array}$ or Fire Equipment, per mo.
 $\begin{array}{lll}\text { For Incldentals, por month... } & 60.00 \\ \text { Fand } & 30.00 \\ \text { Hatitenance }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{r}\text { Wood, etc. .............. } \\ \text { Printing } \\ \hline 10.0 .00 \\ 20.00 \\ \hline\end{array}$ Total monthly expense $\ldots \begin{aligned} & \mathbf{\$ 5 4 7 . 1 7} \\ & \text { ntereat on debt, per month. } \\ & 70.00\end{aligned}$ Total ................. 3617.17 This will make a yearly expense of
bout $\$ 7400.00$. A nine mill tax leys on an approx
mate valuation of $\$ 940,000.00$ will bring to the Ctiy about $\$ 840.00$
This will leave us a surptus of $\$ 1000$ This wilh leave us a surptus of $\$ 1000$,
provided our entimate of expense uns no higher than they do now.
However, it must be borne in mind that at least 10 per cent of the
taxes are liable to be dell axes are liable to be dellinquent, so
the Clty milght not have more than 37500 . We will of course derive Deddlers, fnesenue from licenses, which will go towards maktng up the
delinquency. In 1913 the ctty had an 8 mill tax and also about 85500 tit maloon licensees. In plactig a 9 mill tax this year, we are raising only 3800 more than that council, and at the same time losing the $\$ 5500$ it-
cense money. We will probably be censured for levying so high a tax, but under the circumstances, I do not, seo how wo can arold it, for we will
have to gradually adfunt ourrelyen to heve to gradually adjust ourselves to
the new state of affairs.- It we have the new state of affairs.- If we have
any surplus, it will be an eainy matler to make the levs a mill lower the ext year. However, this is a matyou gentliemen to decide.
Respectfully submitted

LIST OF TRANSFERS. Reported by Co
ract Company.
December 1-N. O. Larrabee et ux
Mary Myrtle Mason; lot 1, Bik. Mary Mrrtle Mason; lot 1, BIk.
South St. Helens, $\$ 10.00$. South St. Helens, $\$ 10.00$.
Chas. R. MeCormick et ux to Jas. er Mason et ux; lot 16, Blk. 6, So. t. Helens, $\$ 10.00$.
J. W. Ranes et ux to Beaver Homes range: tract 79, Beaver Homes, 65.00 .
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Dec. 4-Chas. J. Cook et al to E.
Johnson: land in Secs. 29,32 and
 Co. to H. W. MMleens et uxp lotemement 7 and
Bik. 9 , Rallroad addn. to St. Helens, $\$ 10.00$.
st. Helen
St. Helens Improvement Co. to Wm . Blackmore et ux; lot 8, B. Bk. 6 ,
Raliroad addn. to St. Helens, 810.0 . Ralifroad addn, to St. Helens, $\$ 10.00$.
Scappoose Acres Co. to P. Edw.
Almquiet; tract 23 , Scappoose Acre ract, $\$ 10.00$.

## CITY LEGISLATURE.

At the regular meeting of the city Axing the tax levy for the ensulting yar, was discussed. Mayor Morton abmitted the budget of probable
xpenses (published elsowhere in in lasue) and on motion a levy or mills was adopted.
915, but the coming year the elty will be deprived of $\$ 5500$ aaloon 14 -
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