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FATHERS HOLD COUNCIL

BUSINESS LAID OVER

Business of General Interest Transacted.

Well met Monday evening in session. In the absence of Morton, E. I. Ballagh, president, presided.

Resolution granted H. W. Fogel a blacksmith shop on lots 1 and 2.

That Southard reported that pipe on Spring and Willamette had been removed to river as per instructions.

Relative to the condition of a certain, it was suggested that lime or disinfectants be spread over the barn twice a week during weather.

Ordinance regulating the operation of moving picture shows was referred until next meeting.

Bill for damages of \$30.00 to cause and fence of Mrs. A. M. by reason of the construction of the sewer in sewer district No. 2.

"B." was read and referred to committee.

Resolution was made and carried the president of the council be referred to sign all warrants authorized by the council in the absence of mayor.

H. Dillard was present and his objections to the passage of ordinance regulating moving picture shows, as being unfair and reasonable.

D. Olson requested that he be allowed to haul two or three loads of gravel from the quarry. Referred to street committee to act immediately.

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The matter of the gutter on the side of Winter street near the market, it was reported by William Allen to be in bad shape. Referred to street committee to act immediately.

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EVERGREEN CHANGED TO NEVERSTILL

The new town that the Columbia National River Road is plating the mouth of Deep creek on the side of their road has been changed from Evergreen to Neverstill. It was found that the post office department objected to the name that was used and would not allow any name that was recorded in the post office register. With the number of lumber jacks that will be employed on the numerous camps that are opening up on the line, the name should be appropriate one.

WARD-JONES

Newell Ward and Mrs. Olive Jones were married Sunday, May 14, at Houlton, by Rev. John Foster. It was a quiet affair, only relatives of the contracting parties being present.

Mr. Ward is a well known business man of Houlton. Mrs. Jones is from Portland, but formerly from Clatskanie. Those present were W. H. Fowler and wife, Margaret Razez, Hazel Razez, Mrs. L. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Laws, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman, Mrs. Wm. Kirk, Leslie Waters, E. M. Blackford.

VIRGINIA SOLD

Cleaning up a tidy little sum through its sale, Ham McCormick, member of the firm of C. R. McCormick & Co., and S. C. Morton, mayor of St. Helens, Ore., have sold the schooner Virginia to the Pacific Freighters Company of this city.

The Virginia is at Gray's Harbor taking on lumber for a trip to Sydney.

Morton, who was in San Francisco for ten days closing the deal, left for home yesterday on the steamship Collo.—San Francisco Examiner.

WHITE SOX DEFEAT THE BABY BEAVERS

HAVE A NEW MASCOT

Timely Hitting Brings Victory to St. Helens.

Manager Ballagh led his White Sox out last Sunday to entertain the Portland Baby Beavers, led by the wise old head Red Rupert. We don't know the exact cause of the change of luck of the Sox. Maybe it was because the team had its eye on the ball and did some timely hitting; maybe it was on account of Manager Ballagh's leading out a nice little lamb with a very pretty ribbon around its neck; maybe it was because the White Sox have a new mascot for the team, Miss Ballagh, Jr., who recently arrived. At any rate we won the game and climbed up a little higher in the percentage column. The old reliable Donaldson was on the firing line for St. Helens with Armspiger doing the receiving and Alex pitched good ball the whole game through and was ably supported by his team mates. In the last of the game he eased up a little and allowed the Baby Beavers some encouragement.

St. Helens drew first blood in the third, putting two across the pan, and then, to make sure, added three more in the fifth. Just about that time, Rupert rushed in one Blake, to take up the unfinished job of Goddard, and he succeeded in holding the White Sox scoreless for one inning. Then he blew up and St. Helens came through with scores in both the seventh and eighth, just enough to make the total ten.

The score:

St. Helens	AB.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Dall, rf	4	1	1	0	0
McDonald, 2b	5	4	3	2	1
Stevens, 1b	4	2	10	0	1
Moore, ss	3	0	1	1	1
Brakke, 3b	5	3	1	1	0
Perry, cf	5	1	1	0	0
Armspiger, c	4	1	11	0	0
Peterson, lf	4	0	0	0	1
Donaldson, p	4	1	0	16	0
Totals	28	13	27	21	4

Baby Beavers	AB.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Watts, ss	4	1	0	4	0
Lodell, 1b	5	0	11	0	0
Lind, cf	5	1	0	0	0
Casey, 2b	2	0	1	1	2
Engles, 3b	2	0	3	2	1
Druhof, cf	4	0	1	0	0
Pfeistinger, c	4	0	7	0	0
Goddard, rf	4	2	1	3	0
Rupert, p	2	0	0	0	2
Blake, p	2	1	0	4	0
Totals	34	5	24	14	5

Inter-City League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Bradford	5	1	.834
Woodburn	4	2	.667
Kirkpatrick	4	2	.667
St. Helens	3	3	.500
Salem	3	3	.500
Montavilla	2	3	.400
Beavers	2	4	.333
Woodland	1	6	.143

Sunday's Results

At Portland—Bradford: 10, Montavilla 2.
At St. Helens—St. Helens 10, Baby Beavers 3.
At Salem—Woodland 5, Salem 2 (14 innings).
At Woodburn—Woodburn 5, Kirkpatrick 4.

Donaldson pitched his usual steady game, striking out 11 men and walking 3.

Umpire White seemed to have considerable trouble in locating the plate. The players were continually kicking on his decisions.

Moore, at short, covered a lot of territory. He infused a lot of pep in the players with him.

McDonald lead in the hitting, securing four hits out of five times up. He also covered second base in good shape.

Pete Brakke staged a real come back. He handled all of his chances without a skip, and just to show the

NOW JOINED IN HOLY WEDLOCK

A PRIVATE WEDDING

A. S. Harrison and Mrs. Emma Smith Joined in Holy Wedlock May 15.

A. S. Harrison, one of our leading merchants, was married in Portland on Monday, May 15, to Mrs. Emma Smith. The wedding took place at the bride's residence. The parlor was beautifully decorated with roses and white carnations. Only relatives were present. Rev. Bowersox performed the ceremony.

The bride received many beautiful presents, among them being a certain beautiful new residence near the court house in this city. The wedding cake was brought in person by Mr. Huesner, president of the Royal Bakery, with his compliments. Dinner was served at the Hazelwood.

The bride and groom are both well known and highly respected and the Mist, with a host of friends, join in wishing them long life and happiness as they glide down the stream of life.

They boarded the train that evening for San Francisco, and will be home to their friends in June.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATIONS

SUCCESSFUL GRADUATES

Scholars in Thirty-One Districts Pass Required Test.

Eighth grade pupils who passed the May examination:

District No. 1, Scappoose—Hilda Uhlman, Robert C. Lynch, Gladys M. Garrison, Elvis Bennett, Ella M. Havlik, Gladys Mayo Payne, L. Burl Smith, Josephine M. Tomkins, Otto N. Lange, Eifa M. Lambertson, Inez Lousignot, Rheda G. West, Charles P. Richardson, Lillian H. Fischer, Frieda E. Uhlman, Pauline M. Novak.

District No. 2, St. Helens—Mabel Davies, Stella M. Barnes, Max Wilson, Nellie M. Mackey, Walter H. Smith, June Moorehead.

Houlton—Gladys E. Jenner, Beatrice M. Jenner, Archie I. Rowley, Theodore Norbeck.

District No. 3, Deer Island—Lloyd Merrill, Dean Stanley.

District No. 4, Hudson—Gertrude F. Whitman, George H. McCollam, Leona L. McCollam.

District No. 5, Clatskanie—Lloyd Bock, John M. Johnson, Earl E. Ell-



SOUTHERN PACIFIC BRIDGE ACROSS COOS BAY

The Coos Bay bridge consists of trestle, 2973 feet; steel spans, 2208 feet; total, 5181 feet, or 98-100 of a mile. Included in the 2208 feet of steel spans is a swing drawbridge 455 feet long having two openings each 200 feet clear width. The construction department advise that the total cost of the structure has not yet been compiled.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED

The faculty of the St. Helens high school entertained the seniors Thursday evening, at the Oradia hotel, with a dinner. The color scheme was pink and white, and it was carried out in every detail throughout the dinner. Hand painted place cards marked each guest's place. L. L. Baker was toastmaster for the evening. The seniors responded to the following toasts: "Grindstone," Keturah Dixon; "Cobblestone," Lois Clear; "Blarneystone," Edward Veazie; "Moonstone," Dorothy John; "Tomestone," Raymond Deavers; "Milestone," Dale Perry; "Lode-stone," Ethel Drew; "Pumice Stone," Clarence Goin; "Goldstone," Goldie Hattan; "Precious Stone," Beryl Muckle; "Puddingstone," Ethel Sten.

These toasts were followed by a few remarks by each one of the faculty. The following were present besides the seniors: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Baker; Miss Helens Duns, F. J. Sten and C. E. Ostrander.

Peculiar and mysterious conditions have combined to make the clam industry for the latter part of 1915 and up to the present time of this year, a rank failure. Usually the Fall and Spring seasons yield large quantities of luscious bivalves; this season, however, clams have been so small that they have proved of no commercial value and Clatsop Beach canneries have not been receiving enough to justify running the plant. In the past few months, the sea has been unusually rough, and it is presumed by expert clam diggers that the bivalves have moved further out on the continental shelf. Again some have concluded that these conditions affect the local beds only.

Fans a thing or two made three safe bingles out of five times up.

Woodland comes over next Sunday to engage the Sox. The Woodland team has been greatly strengthened and the fans can expect an interesting game.

ott, Rosa E. Koberstein, Thelma M. Fisher, Cora C. Tangen, Catherine E. Sutherland, Helen K. Kratz, Anna C. Ellertson, Harvey C. Bennett, Adelbert F. Washburn, Fred B. Irwin, Fred Baird, Henry Orwig, Magdalene Pulliam.

District No. 7, Warren—Agnes M. Anderson, Walter H. Lund, Verner E. Rylander, Wilber Alpheus Wellborn, Esther H. Gabrielson.

District No. 8, Fish Hawk—David Hedlund.

District No. 9, Beaver Homes—Grace O. Pearl.

District No. 10, Marshland—Leola P. Graham, Robert V. Kent, George W. Tangen.

District No. 12, Fern Hill—Chas. M. Bryson.

District No. 13, Rainier—Laurine Frost, Albert R. Atkins, Auro Owen Simms, Lottie A. Yerlan, Geo. E. Miller, Lorita Beyens, Frank K. Hedges, Phillip R. Lenhart, Edward V. Rice, Sarah L. Baker, Pansy L. Kennedy, William S. Wilson, Wayne L. Guild, Adaline O. Hamre, Florence N. Ingraham, Borgchild High, Oscar R. Johnson, Virgile L. Bertrand, Verge Farrer, Gloe Buzard, Lillian Ingraham.

District No. 14, Pleasant View—Thomas John.

District No. 15, Hazel Grove—Violet V. Wilson.

District No. 20, Goble—Jack Alexander, Nicholas Welter.

District No. 21, Spitzenberg—Mervin R. Nelson, Jennie Jepson.

District No. 22, Natal—Vivian Holmstrom, Ruth G. Baldrige.

District No. 23, Mayger—Julia A. Johnson.

District No. 24, Oak Ranch—Hillard C. Winn.

District No. 26—Lola W. Ish, Mildred M. Smith.

District No. 30, Yankton—Mildred M. Stevens, Margarita A. Heini, Martin H. Briggs, Tommy V. Holstine.

District No. 32, Delena—Nora J. Holmes.

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ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF SHIPS

BUSINESS VERY ACTIVE

Capt. Green's Son Lost on Ill-Fated Roanoke.

The steamer Brunswick, Capt. Waigren, arrived Wednesday night, and is taking a full load of lumber for delivery at the Bay City. She will take about 500 M. feet.

The steamer Temple E. Dorr arrived in the river Thursday. After discharging her up freight cargo she will come to this port and load a full cargo for southern California ports. Capt. Nelson, formerly in command of the Yosemite, is now master of the Dorr.

The Hicks-Hauptman steamer Nehalem, under command of Captain Rorvig, is at the Columbia County Lumber Company's docks taking on a full load of lumber for San Pedro. She will sail Saturday night.

The steamer Multnomah, Captain Green, is expected to arrive here Sunday night and will take a full cargo of lumber for San Pedro and San Diego. She will probably sail Wednesday night. Captain Green, her master, is the father of First

THE HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

TEN IN THE CLASS

Closing Exercises Will Be Held in High School Auditorium.

The commencement exercises of the St. Helens high school will be held in the auditorium of the high school building Friday evening, May 19. It has been a busy week with the faculty as well as with the classes, as so much has to be done in a short time.

Class Day will be held Friday afternoon with the following program:

- Historian Edward Veazie
 - Class Poet Ethel Drew
 - Class Prophecy Raymond Deavers
 - Class Orator Goldie Hattan
 - Class Song Lois Clear
 - Giftarian Dorothy John
 - Musicien Lois Clear
 - President's Address Dale Perry
- The program for commencement exercises Friday evening is as follows:
- Selection LaBare's Orchestra
 - Salutatory Clarence Goin
 - Solo Joseph McCoy
 - Valedictorian Keturah Dixon
 - Commencement Address Elbert H. Hicks
 - Graduates—Keturah D. Dixon, Goldie Hattan, Dorothy John, Lois Clear, Ethel Drew, Beryl Muckle, Dale Perry, Edward Veazie, Raymond Deavers, Clarence Goin.

Class Officers—Dale Perry, president; Goldie Hattan, vice-president; Lois Clear, secretary; Edward Veazie, treasurer.

Class Motto—"Progress and Triumph."

Class Colors—Pink and white. Class Flowers—Pink roses.

NINTH ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent at the M. E. Church Thursday, May 11, by the Ladies' Aid Society and invited guests. Epworth hall was nicely decorated for the occasion and with rugs and rockers and flowers it had a very comfortable and homelike appearance.

Mrs. Sandifur sang "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton," and responded to an encore with "The Last Rose of Summer."

Mrs. Moorhead gave, in her charming way, "Setting the Old Blue Hen," and followed with another equally as good. Mrs. Rutherford sang the beautiful Scotch song, "The Maid of Dundee," and responded to an encore with "I Love You." Mrs. Baker gave a reading, "And It Worried Him," and responded to an encore with "Auntie Doleful," which was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Wm. Ross gave a summary of the work of the Aid since its organization.

Refreshments were then served to about forty. Mrs. Christy served at the coffee urn and Mrs. Quick served the cakes, and their helpers served sandwiches, pickles and cocoa. So ended the ninth anniversary of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church.

GUN CLUB SHOOT

The weekly shoot of the St. Helens Rod and Gun Club was held Sunday. While the conditions were favorable for good marksmanship, the score, for some reason, is not quite up to the standard heretofore made. However, practice makes perfect, and we expect a lot of 50-50 scores soon. The following is the score for Sunday:

Targets.	Broke.
Ballagh	50
Deavers	50
Lungren	50
Burgess	50
George	50
Van Orshoven	50
Kelly	50
Sutherland	50

Doubles	Broke.
Sutherland	20
George	20
Deavers	10
Lungren	10
Van Orshoven	10

Officer Charles Green, who was lost when the ill-fated Roanoke went to the bottom on Tuesday, the 9th of May. His many friends here extend to him heartfelt sympathy.

Capt. Charles Reiner of the steamer Willamette should bring his vessel into port Monday for a load of lumber for delivery at San Pedro. Working day and night, as the steam schooners are now doing, Captain Reiner expects to leave St. Helens on Wednesday, the 24th.

The steamer Klamath, flagship of the McCormick fleet, arrived in San Francisco last Friday from Mazatlan, Mexico. She brought 400 tons of scrap iron. An embargo has been placed by the Mexican authorities on the export of goods of this class, and Captain Jahnsen was unable to take a full cargo of 1000 tons. He refused, however, to discharge the cargo he already had aboard. The Klamath will load this trip on Puget Sound and next trip will come to St. Helens.

Where McCormick Boats Were at 8 P. M. May 18.

Multnomah—San Francisco for Portland; 45 miles north of Point Arena.

Wapama—San Pedro for San Francisco; 45 miles west of San Pedro.

Klamath—San Francisco for Seattle; 6 miles off Columbia river.

Yosemite—Grays Harbor for San Francisco; off north-west Seal Rocks.

Cellic—Loading in Grays Harbor for San Pedro.

MILL EMPLOYEES GET RAISE IN WAGES

We learn from authoritative source that the St. Helens Lumber Company has granted an increase of wages to all of their employees. This is certainly refreshing news to their army of men. The St. Helens Lumber Co. looks carefully after the interests of its men, and in return their men give the company their best efforts. The new scale is effective May 1.