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THE ELECTION RESULT.

St. Helens retains the county seat by a good majority. The result might have been different, had not the good people of Rainier, and there are some excellent citizens there, listened to the blandishments of two or three carpet baggers, who took it upon themselves to manipulate the campaign. The solid property owners were bleb for campaign "dough," and the manipulators were largely the beneficiaries. Petitions were signed for an snabbling act, but no mention was made of special elections. The relocation of the county seat could have come up at the regular elections next year, but it was too far off for the gaiters to wait. A number of Rainier people now openly state that their campaign organ was hindrance to their success.

It is satisfactory to know that sufficient money has been subscribed to extend the St. Helens and Yankton telephone line to Valley, a distance of 12 miles from the starting point. It is also gratifying to know that this local co-operative enterprise has proved a success in furnishing its subscribers with a cheap and effective telephone service. The next move will likely be to extend the line to Pittsburg and Vernonia.

It might not be a bad idea for the managers of the Portland Exposition in 1905 to nail down the grounds while the hold-ups are all the rage, since some erratic hobo might carry off the site. The grounds are right in "sight" of the city, and some one might get "incited" to make way with them.—Salem Capital Journal.

George Hill, the Astoria boarding house manager, was arrested for dispensing liquors on election day at Clatskanie, and placed under bonds to appear for trial in the Justice court. No news of the outcome of the trial has been received here. Hill was electioneering for Rainier.

New buildings are still going up at a lively rate at Rainier, and the hills are lively dotted with new residences. J. E. Doherty's elegant new block is about completed, and B. L. Smith has completed a neat dwelling.

If President Roosevelt continues to give \$100 checks to all babies named after him, the United States Senate will have to increase his wages.—Evening Telegram.

The escaped convicts from Folsom are still terrorizing California, and the bloodhounds and militia have been brought into play to aid in their capture.

Cardinal Barto, patriarch of Venice, is the pope, and now reigns at the Vatican over the Catholic world as Pius X. He is now 88 years old.

Now, that the county seat election is over, it would be in order to fix up that road, leading out of town in the direction of Scappoose.

Somehow or other the Tacoma lawyer and the Astoria sailor boarding house manager failed to deliver the goods last Monday.

It was a clean sweep at Deer Island, and Warren, Scappoose, Clatskanie, Auburn and Nehalem are entitled to places at the head of the class.

Hot air and bad whiskey does not prove to be a valuable campaign adjunct in Columbia county.

What was the matter of the 52 "impigrants" that returned to Portland on the Irais Monday morning?

LOGS AND MILLING.

I. G. Wikstrom started up his new sawmill at Scappoose this week. It will be an important industry for that section.

Joseph Long is getting out a lot of poles and posts on Germany hill for the Portland market.

All the mills and logging camps in Columbia county are running in full blast, and more enterprises of the kind are being projected.

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Money back if it fails. Trial Bottles free.

Lost.

A part of nickel plated music rack, on the road between Yankton and Warren, via Houlton, July 4th. Finder will receive reward by leaving it at J. S. Bamford's store at Warren, or notifying him of its whereabouts.

Mother's Ear

A WORD IN MOTHER'S EAR: WHEN NURSING AN INFANT, AND IN THE TIMES THAT COME BEFORE THAT TIME.

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The Vote.

Following is the vote by precincts of the second county seat election held last Monday. St. Helens retains the county seat by a majority of 363. St. Helens received 1114 votes, and Rainier 751. A total of 1865 votes were polled, while 1767 votes were polled at the special election on July 6th. Following is the official count as canvassed by the county clerk and Justices Watkins and Symons:

- Auburn—Rainier 13, St. Helens, 113.
- Aptary—Rainier, 21.
- Beaver Falls—Rainier, 55.
- Clatskanie—Rainier 48, St. Helens, 183.
- Deer Island—St. Helens, 88.
- Goble—Rainier, 90, St. Helens, 28.
- Marshland—Rainier 52, St. Helens, 1
- Oak Point—Rainier 84, St. Helens, 14
- Rainier—Rainier 349, St. Helens, 7
- Scappoose—Rainier 7, St. Helens, 182.
- Union—Rainier 3, St. Helens, 407.
- Warren—Rainier 1, St. Helens 78.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge McBride convened an adjourned term of the circuit court last Monday.

In the partition suit of Ellis vs West, the court decided in favor of the plaintiff, and the estate will be sold as a whole, instead of being partitioned. Mrs. Ellen Ellis, one of the heirs of the West estate at Scappoose, brought suit to have the property sold in a body, contending that it would bring a better price than if partitioned among the heirs. Bert West, who holds title to one-half the estate contended, on the other hand that it would be more satisfactory to have the land partitioned among the heirs. The West estate comprises 800 acres, and is one of the most valuable farms in the Scappoose country. The court made a personal examination of the property, and came to the conclusion that it would be better to sell the tract in a body. Harry West, who holds a mortgage on the property was made a party to the suit. E. E. Quick was appointed referee, and will sell the property to the highest bidder on September 19th.

In the suit of Smith vs Newsome, the findings and decree were in favor of the defendant.

VERNONIA

Weather cool and cloudy. Haying almost a thing of the past. Grain harvest will soon call the attention of the farmers in this vicinity. The outlook at present, is a splendid yield of grain and fruit.

The Pomona Grange met at the Grange Hall in this city Saturday, August 1, 1903, with quite a large attendance—a class of 31 patrons taking the fifth degree.

We noticed State Deputy Master J. S. Casto strolling our streets Saturday. Come again, Brother Casto.

Vernonia Grange is steadily increasing in numbers and interest, notwithstanding the prophecies of some of our leading men "that the Grange won't last long," we say with the exception of the G. A. R., it has and will outlive any other organization having birth in this city.

H. G. Downing has vacated the old McCurt stand, and will hereafter weigh out beans and bacon to his customers at his own place of business, just north of the postoffice.

Dr. C. L. Hatfield's new building on the hill is beginning to take on the appearance of a suitable home for his dumb animals.

Omar Shanahan was a Pittsburg visitor Friday, putting in a bill with the East Fork Shingie & Manufacturing Company's mill for lumber with which to build a commodious barn.

John Vanharicom and family, of Portland, but formerly of this vicinity, are visiting relatives and friends while gathering blackberries.

The annual Evangelical camp meeting begins next Sabbath, August 9th, 1903, with Revs. Vernon, Green, Weinert and others in attendance, we are told.

Our new merchant, E. R. Throop, is kept quite busy these days freighting from St. Helens to supply his many customers. Keep at it Ed, and success will be yours.

Once more on Monday, the voters of Columbia county met to settle the county seat squabble, which will add more votes to the taxpayers, and which will make some of them scratch and turn their pockets wrongside out several times ere it is paid.

Mrs. Lula Kuntson, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Shanahan, who since her marriage has been living in San Francisco, Calif., came home to the old homestead Sunday to visit parents and friends.

W. Feldt, of Buxton, is erecting a fine and commodious house on the farm of Alfred Shanahan above town.

Professor I. H. Copeland and family, were the guests of J. E. Dow, while at tending the Pomona Grange at this place.

A Wonderful Invention.

It is interesting to note that fortunes are frequently made by the invention of articles of minor importance. Many of the most popular devices are those designed to benefit the people and meet popular conditions, and one of the most interesting of these that has ever been invented is the Dr. White Electric Comb patented Jan. 1, '99. These wonderful combs positively cure dandruff, hair falling out, stick and nervous headaches, and when used in connection with Dr. White's Electric Hair Brush are positively guaranteed to make straight hair curly in 25 days' time. Thousands of these electric combs have been sold in the various cities of the Union, and the demand is constantly increasing. Our agents are rapidly becoming rich selling these combs. They positively will on sight. Send for sample. Men's size 3c ladies 5c—half price while we are introducing them. See Want Column of this paper. The Dr. White Electric Comb Co., Decatur Ill.

CLATSKANIE

A Lot of Red Hot Items.

John Wallace, of the Nehalem, is now hauling cedar lumber over the mountain to this market, where it finds a ready sale.

The county seat election is over, and everybody is glad to know that they will get a rest from politics until next June. Business has resumed its normal state, and everybody seems to be happy.

The county seat election passed off quietly here. There was nothing to mar the good feeling existing between man and man, except a little trouble over some bad whiskey.

Mr. Benson has been in the city the past several days, looking after his railroad interests here.

W. H. Powell, of St. Helens, was here Tuesday, representing the State, and Judge Hughes, of Astoria, the defendant, in a case of violating the liquor laws on election day.

Clatskanie precinct cast 241 votes last Monday at the county seat election—183 for St. Helens, and 48 for Rainier. No doubt had the people of Rainier formed a combination with Clatskanie the county seat would have been settled in the lower part of the county somewhere.

Ed Wilcox and son, Dan Rice and many others of our citizens residing in the upper Clatskanie country, were in the city Monday voting as their consciences dictated.

Miss Ruby Jackson, of Rainier, was in the city several days this week, visiting with the Misses Nora and Mary Conyers.

The Junior baseball nine of Rainier, played in this city last Sunday with the Junior nine of this place. The score stood, Clatskanie 18, Rainier 7.

Will Van and Johnny Foster are engaged in hauling cedar lumber from Nehalem to this place.

Some hay is still out in the fields in this part of the county.

The entertainment given last Saturday night by the Edworth Leaguers was well attended. Each of the young folks rendered well their individual parts.

It is said that a musical entertainment will be given in Redmen's hall by a many moon.

Miss Annie English, of Portland, was in the city last Saturday night, and took part in the Epworth League entertainment held in Redmen's hall.

Ed Hughes has bought himself a brand new, one-horse buggy, painted red.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the Columbia County Pomona triange held at Vernonia last week.

VERNONIA.

Mrs. J. W. Rench has returned from a visit to Farmington.

Mrs. Eda Rogue is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rice. Mrs. Logue is from Farmington.

Lots of Grangers in town. G. H. Downing has at last moved into his new store.

J. W. Rench was a visitor over Sunday at Houlton.

Dow, the butter king, made a trip to Houlton.

A. Partin is in from Portland looking after land.

Joe Reed supports a new saddle.

Dysentery Cured Without the Aid of a Doctor.

"I am just up from a hard spell of the flux" (dysentery) says Mr. F. A. Pinner, a well known merchant of Brunswick, Tenn. "I used one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was cured without having a doctor. I consider it the best cholera medicine in the world." There is no need of employing a doctor when this remedy is used, for no doctor can prescribe a better medicine for bowel complaint in any form either for children or adults. It never fails and is pleasant to take. For sale by Edwin Ross.

HOULTON

Hot air blazes today, Wednesday. We all wonder how Rainier feels about the recent election. All kinds of lots for sale cheap.

On August 24 and 25 the N. P. R. R. will sell tickets at reduced rates for Portland, on account of Kinging Bros. circus. Round trip \$1.15.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Perry are spending a few days at the beach.

George and Frank Kelly visited Portland last Wednesday, returning in the evening.

Teachers' Examination.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the County Superintendent of Columbia County will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at St. Helens as follows:

For State Papers. Commencing Wednesday, August 12, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, August 15, at 4 p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

For County Papers. Commencing Wednesday, August 12, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, August 14, at 4 o'clock p. m.

First, Second and Third Grade Certificates. Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology.

Friday—geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.

Primary Certificates. Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading, arithmetic.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods, physiology.

L. S. COPELAND, County School Superintendent. Dated at Houlton, Oregon, this 28th day of July, 1903.

Boy Cured of Colic After Physician's Treatment Had Failed. My boy when four years old was taken with colic and cramps in his stomach. I sent for the doctor and he injected morphine, but the child kept getting worse. I then gave him half a teaspoonful of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and in half an hour he was sleeping and soon recovered. F. L. Winkins, Shell Lake, Wis. Mr. Winkins is book-keeper for the Shell Lake Lumber Co. For sale by Edwin Ross.

SCAPPOOSE.

Weather conditions are favorable and grain cutting is in full blast.

The creameries here are having a profitable season and are reaching out for milk in every direction.

Reed & Nelson, who have a sawmill in Washington county near the Columbia county line, are shipping large lots of lumber at this station.

I. G. Wikstrom's new mill on the north fork will begin cutting this week.

Carl Kriddel has begun erecting a neat cottage at this place.

J. D. McKay is billing a large extract for cedar posts for rail shipment.

Watts & Price are putting out a large quantity of fir wood for the Portland market.

Albert Johnson has begun the erection of an up-to-date residence on his lowland farm.

A party of friends swooped down upon H. West on Tuesday evening, and reminded him that he had just passed another milestone in his life: and a pleasant evening was spent.

Election passed off quietly and a large vote was cast. All feel that the county seat contest is now closed, and are anxious to see affairs resume normal condition. It is expected that St. Helens will now take on new life, and make a giant stride forward in the march of progress. There is much to be hoped for.

FISHHAWK.

Haying is just about over. Some cut hay out yet.

Mrs. Brazen and daughter, of Portland, are visiting relatives on upper Fishhawk.

There was a social dance at Mr. Harvey's on Deep creek last Saturday night. Everybody had a fine time.

Some people consider the item about the Fourth of July dance in Miller's barn an insult. I assure you it was not intended as such, and I hope there will be no hard feelings held against me in the future.

Andrew Carr had an accident in the woods Saturday, but he was able to be out to Sunday school.

At Harvey brought in a new self-binder the other day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Kinney, of Portland, were visiting Mrs. Kinney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Daywalt, last week.

The Catholic church at Sunnyside is nearing completion.

Some fall grain is nearly ready to cut. If it keeps on raining we will have to harvest our grain under a big umbrella.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run-down system, or despondency, invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent this condition, which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It is also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by the St. Helens Pharmacy.

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In order to encourage exhibitors and attendance at the state fair, the Southern Pacific Company will transport all exhibits, including live stock, to and from the Oregon state fair free of charge. Exhibitors should ship direct to the fair grounds, where they will find ample facilities for unloading all exhibits.

Proposals Invited.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the school clerk of District No. 20 at Beuben, Oregon, until 12 o'clock noon, August 22nd, 1903, for the erection of concrete walls under the school to new in said district No. 20, in accordance with the plans on file at the office of said school clerk.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in a sum equal to ten (10) per cent. of the bid on building said walls. Said check to be forfeited to said school district No. 20, in case the lowest or accepted bidder fails to qualify with a good and sufficient bond within seven days after the awarding of the contract. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

By order of the Board of School Directors.

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The Fishhawk Poet

The theme of my story is founded on truth. Concerning the courtship of a most verdant youth. These were others who saw it, but only kept mute. His name dated on 'im and said it was cute. The old folks objected, as a matter of course. And set down their foot with considerable force. The girl was too young to engage in love's dream. The swain, though a child, was just in his teens.

At last one fine evening—it seemed rather good. He walked into the parlor and was helped to a stool. And now a discussion concerning her age. He consulted his watch—a storm it seemed. Parliamentary rules were suspended, no doubt. When the girl's mother invited him out. Don't kill me, he cried, spare my life (laughter). As he lay dead for his hat and made for the door. She reached out her foot and hit him about. 'Twixt the snail of his back and the end of his shirt. His legs they scored skyward like Gibraltar's rocks. As he surveyed the grounds for a soft spot to light. He struck the trail squarely, while on full run. Saying—trials, tribulations have just begun. His heart is now broken, his life is most drear. And he will never go courting without Mamma's ear. The Cow Barn.

Not Over-Wise. There is an old allegorical picture of a girl seated at a grave-digger, but in the act of heedlessly treading on a snake. This is paralleled by the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone cellar, but neglects to provide his family with a little bit of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, whose at this outbreak those of the cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is every where recognized as the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these diseases. For sale by Edwin Ross.

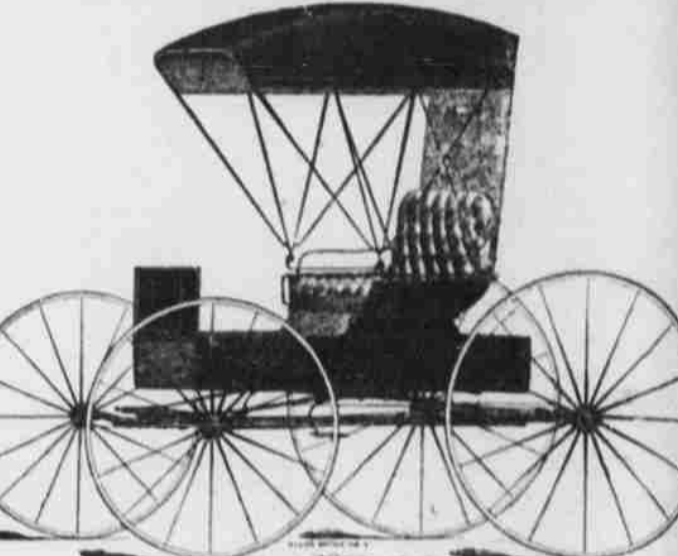
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