

## LOCAL



**MATERIAL.**—At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Clark, in downtown, Columbia, Saturday evening, June 6, 1906, Rev. Kemp officiating, Mr. W. A. Ketel to Miss Lora Lowe. Miss Lowe had charge of the Houlton public school for several terms, and is a general favorite in the community. Mr. Ketel is a resident of St. Helens, and a very worthy and industrious young man. They will make their home at Houlton, where Mr. Ketel has purchased property and built a residence.

**Mrs. S. A. Downing.**—The next meeting of the Pomona Grange for Columbia County will be held at Vernonia on the first Saturday in August. Those who have never visited the inland metropolitan of Columbia County can not afford to miss this meeting; it will be an occasion to be remembered and the Vernonia people will demonstrate that they are possessed of the real thing in hospitality.

Mr. and Mrs. Downing, Miss May Chalmers, and Miss Amy and Annie George were St. Helens visitors on Sunday last.

Miss Marie Watts of Scappoose wins

the Oregonian's Yellowstone trip Contest

in District No. 23, with a very large lead

over her nearest competitor.

Take care of the dimes and the dollars

will take care of themselves. Columbia County Bank.

**SAD NEWS.**—The Mist is grieved to learn

that Mr. W. T. Watts has received orders

from his physicians to abandon his occu-

pation here and proceed at once to some

climate more favorable to his health, as

it has been decided that he is afflicted

with consumption. Mr. Watts is our

county surveyor and has very many

friends throughout the county who will

hear with regret of his misfortune.

**Steady saving acquires a home.**

Columbia County Bank.

**ONE YEAR AND COSTS.**—Judge Mc-

Bride, on Tuesday last, sentenced A. D.

Pearce, convicted of assault and battery

upon W. C. Fischer, to serve a jail sentence of one year in the county jail of Multnomah county, and to pay the costs of the action. This is the extreme penalty of the law. In passing sentence the Judge said that he could find no extenuation in the fact that Pearce is a family man or that Fischer's methods might have been injurious. The jury had found that the worst form of assault and battery had been committed and Mr. Fischer had clearly acted within his rights as a citizen.

**Talk to Ross.**—Columbia County Bank.

**Two-Day Towns.**—Prohibition having

carried in Union precinct four saloons

will go out of business next month, and St. Helens and Houlton will be dry towns. There is some talk of whiskey being conducted on the river, but it must be remembered that those who adopt this or other methods of evading the law do so at the risk of serious penalties. Better act as good citizens should and obey the law. If it does not meet public approval it can be repealed in two years.

Note the fact that they are going to

celebrate at Astoria. There is no place

on earth where they treat visitors better

than they do down there.

The dry season will soon be here.

Don't put off having your property insured against fire. Talk to Ross about it. Columbia County Bank.

Note that the election is over, how about an appropriation to have Columbia County property represented at the Oregon State Fair?

Come and make a deposit with us and pay all your bills by check, which gives you a receipt to which you can always refer. Columbia County Bank.

**Fox Satin.**—Ladies' wear. Inquire at this office.

**It was Easy.**—The Diamond W. base ball team came down from Dellworth, Wash., last Sunday and scoped in our local team to the tune of 13 to 4. A number of the boys St. Helens expected to have were unavoidably absent, materially weakening the team and the visitors put up a good stiff game. They appeared to be gentlemanly players and we trust they will come again.

In the prime of life, prepare for old age and death. Talk to Ross. He sells all kinds of Life Insurance policies. Columbia County Bank.

I have money to loan on approved real estate security.

**W. H. POWELL.**  
St. Helens, Oregon

Win. M. Ross, of St. Helens, went to Portland recently to attend the great closing-out sale of Eilers Piano House. He secured one of the famous Crown pianos which now adorns his home.

Mrs. A. E. Johnson, of Scappoose, recently attended the great closing-out sale of Eilers Piano House, at Portland. She secured a beautiful Hobart M. Cable piano which now beautifies her pretty home.

Mrs. D. W. Price, of Scappoose, went to Portland recently to attend the great closing-out sale of Eilers Piano House. She secured a beautiful Pianola piano which now adorns her pretty home.

We pay interest on time deposits.

Come and see us. Columbia Co. Bank.

**DELAYING WORK.**—The continued heavy rains are seriously delaying work on the new court house and causing considerable loss to the contractor, Mr. Nixon. There is a large amount of stone ready for hauling at the quarry, but it would be bad policy to attempt to put the teams at work until the sunshine comes. Meanwhile all that is possible is being done to have everything in readiness to push work when the weather will permit.

Bank drafts on New York, good for their face value anywhere in the U. S., for ten cents a hundred. Columbia County Bank.

Mr. S. Rock, who for over twenty years has been a subscriber to the Miss.

paid us his regular annual visit this week.

The steam schooner Cascades has been loading its freight at Mukle Brothers' wharf the past week. Owing to scarcity of labor here it was found necessary to bring longshoremen from Portland.

Living up every dollar leads to the lodging house. Columbia County Bank.

Mrs. A. H. Matthews and daughter

Ethel, of Houlton, visited Portland last

merits very eloquently and earnestly. The democratic candidate has been doing a large part of the mouth work, saying also to himself that the misrepresenting voters that as for himself, under no condition or circumstance he would not qualify if elected; and that the regular republican candidate did not want the office, which was the truth, while there was a coterie of aids working like beavers to hold the party vote solid. They succeeded in landing fourteen republican supporters with the Hall boom, thus reducing the vote of the regular republican candidate and allowing the democratic candidate to slip by in a good plurality, the independent candidate bringing up the rear. The trick was very cleverly done. Query? Will the successful candidate qualify? Certainly.

The St. Helens half team expects to play the Kelso boys on June 17th, also Dellsworth on July 1st. Manager J. E. Black is trying to arrange for a game with Woodland next Sunday at this place.

Miss Leona Wilkins, of this place, visited friends at Ostrander last week.

My politics are fair and reasonable business principles, to be applied to all alike, and I believe that the quality of my goods and prices proves that the purchaser gets full value for every cent he spends over my counter, for I guarantee everything, and no one can say that I ever demurred against refunding money on replacing anything that did not prove to be as good as could be expected.

Try Butternut bread, fresh every day. Our package cookies, crackers, etc., of the very high-quality, canned goods as good as can be produced, flour, feed, etc.

**M. C. GRAY.**

Syrup of White Pine and Tar, the old reliable cough remedy. For sale by A. J. Denning, druggist.

No amount to small to start an account with the Columbia County Bank.

Dr. McLaren and sister, of Rainier, were visiting with Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Cliff, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Bryant, of Rainier, made a business trip to St. Helens Tuesday.

Mr. Ed. Wonderly, of Rainier, was a visitor to the county seat last Wednesday.

**VERNONIA ITEMS.**

Judson Weed moved his family in from Philomath last week and they are once more fully hedged Nechakolets. We are glad to have them back as neighbors.

Strawberries are ripening, but the cold rain has spoiled the crop.

Whiskey got a very black eye at the polls here Monday. Besides piling up a pig majority against the saloonkeeper's amendment to the local option law, and our county and precinct prohibition, our voters spatted some candidates whom they knew to be patrons of the saloon.

C. A. Malinster was out to Portland last week, returning Monday, to close up the trade with Montgomery and Munn for his ranch. He gets \$1600.

Our city council has decided to locate the new city hall and jail, if they build on the east end of Maple street, between First street and Rock creek. That portion of Maple street is not used for street purposes and will make a good site for a city building.

D. W. Keasey and Carl R. Mills were out to Clatskanie the latter part of last week, bringing in loads.

The Vernonia-Houlton mail route has been finally awarded to D. T. Early at \$1000 a year for four years, beginning July 1st. David wants to sublet the Houlton end of the route to some good carrier.

Baker and Hurt are arranging to put in a planer at their mill about July 1st. They expect to be prepared to make doorings, ceiling, rustic, etc.

S. J. Sutherlin and wife, of San Francisco, visited last week with Mrs. W. D. Case, of Pittsburgh. Mrs. Sutherlin is a daughter of Mrs. Case. They were in the "quake" and lost all their property. Mrs. Case is with them this week in Portland visiting other relatives.

C. A. Mills made a business trip out to Hillsboro last week.

Memorial Day exercises here were held at the cemetery and was attended by a large number of people. Judge McBride made a most excellent address; some say the best ever made here. In drawing lessons from the war of '61, the Houlton laid down a very broad and wholesome rule of action which if observed would save much of the contention and strife there is in the world, "never compromise with wrong." He said our fathers compromised with wrong when they framed the constitution, in that they left it uncertain as to which was supreme, the state or the nation, and also that they allowed slavery to exist. To right their wrong it cost rivers of blood and millions of money. The Judge is a very pleasant off-hand speaker. Paul E. Baker, of Forest Grove, who is the teacher at the Beaver school, recited Lincoln's Gettysburg speech. The singing was by a select choir and was good.

An analysis of the vote cast in Auburn precinct Monday, shows that our voters read up and studied up, not only on our candidates but upon measures. The number of "little balloons" on the ticket was somewhat confusing, but we note with pleasure that the good bills and amendments were endorsed, while the bad ones were hit hard. It shows that the people can be trusted to legislate for themselves. About the only diversion of the day was the play the democrats made to wrest the office of the J. P. from the Republicans and to keep it from going to the independent candidate. Their scheme was to bring out another republican can-

didate very eloquently and earnestly. The democratic candidate has been doing a large part of the mouth work, saying also to himself that the misrepresenting voters that as for himself, under no condition or circumstance he would not qualify if elected; and that the regular republican candidate did not want the office, which was the truth, while there was a coterie of aids working like beavers to hold the party vote solid. They succeeded in landing fourteen republican supporters with the Hall boom, thus reducing the vote of the regular republican candidate and allowing the democratic candidate to slip by in a good plurality, the independent candidate bringing up the rear. The trick was very cleverly done. Query? Will the successful candidate qualify? Certainly.

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**Mrs. S. A. Downing.**

# C.P. BISHOP

## PORTLAND'S NEW CLOTHIER



**Porte Trade**  
**and**  
**Lubens Pearl**

The Percheron stallion Porte Trade and the German coach Lubens Pearl will make the season of 1906 as follows:

Mondays at Yankton, Sundays at Houlton, Wednesdays and Thursdays at Doe Mounds, on Sauvie's Island, Fridays at Scappoose, Saturdays and Sundays at Warren.

Mares from a distance will be pasture for \$2 per month.

WEST & LYNCH,

BY OWNERS,

Scappoose = = = Ore.

## EDISON!

**German**  
**Coach**  
**Stallion**

Owned by the Clatskanie German Coach Horse Company, will make the season of 1906, continuing April 10, as follows:

Tuesdays at Deer Island  
Wednesdays at Houlton  
Thursdays and Fridays at Scappoose  
Saturdays at Holbrook.

J. T. GRAHAM, Manager

## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia, L.C. Kelley, Plaintiff, vs. Clas. Kelley, defendant.

TO CLAS. KELLEY, defendant above named.  
IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer the cause of action as set forth in the bill of complaint, and to give due notice to your attorney or agent, and to appear and answer as directed by the court, on the 23rd day of May, 1906, at the time presented in the order for publication of this summons as made in court by the Hon. F. L. Clark, Judge of this court, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint and summons, for want thereof plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief demanded in her complaint.

The relief demanded is for a decree and order of the above entitled court to dissolve the marriage contract now existing between said plaintiff and defendant herein, and to give judgment against him for damages to plaintiff.

This summons is published by order of Hon. F. L. Clark, Judge of the above entitled court.

J. A. STOWBRIDGE,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Last publication May 13, 1906.

## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia.

ARTHUR KING, plaintiff, vs. FRANCES M. KING, defendant.

To FRANCES M. KING, the above named defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required and notified to appear on or before June 1st, 1906, and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause. If you fail to appear and answer within that time the plaintiff will apply to the court for a decree dissolving the marriage now existing between you and the plaintiff, and for such other relief as may be equitable.

This summons is published by order of Honorable R. S. Hartman, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, made at chambers on the 20th day of April, 1906, requiring this summons to be published for six consecutive weeks, beginning on the 20th day of April, 1906. The first publication will be made on the 20th day of April, 1906, the last publication on the first day of June, 1906, and the day on which you are required to appear is the last day of the six weeks fixed by the court as the time of the publication of this summons.

ROBERT G. MORROW,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

(Timber Land, Art 312, Vol. 187.)

United States Land Office, Portland, Oregon, April 24, 1906.  
Notice is hereby given that the Legislature with the participation of the Congress of June 2, 1852, entitled "An act for the sale of thither lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," was passed on August 1, 1852, Christopher Sauerwein, of Yangon, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 80, page 56, in Township No. 4 North Range 2 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber crop than for agricultural use, and will bid for it