LOCAL

Talk to Ross. Columbia County Bank.

Mr. E. G. Jones, of Goble, was a caller at the Mist office last Monday on his way to Portland.

Articles of incorporation of the Columbia County Bank have been filed with the county clerk and with the Secretary of State. The incorporators are Wm. M. Ross, Dr. Ross, and Martin White.

The Vernonia grange will give a Fourth of July celebration in their new hall. A good program has been prepared. The hall will be dedicated as the State master will be present. The grange will have an ice cream stand, and will also serve a six o'clock supper and also a supper for the dance, in the evening. There will be a baseball game and races of all kinds.

Spend your Fourth at Wolf Creek, three miles from Scappoose, in the famous Dutch Canyon. Dance all day and all night. Teams will meet you at Scappoose in the morning and bring you back the next morning early. Good hall, good music, good supper. Big dancing platform.

Mr. A. Ansorge has purchased from Mrs. Emmeline Meeker the lot occupied by the old barn, the purchase price being $300.

Mrs. H. Henderson and daughter Ruth, of St. Johns, are visiting this week with Mrs. Henderson's mother, Mrs. O. E. Bailey.

Misses Anne and Amy George visited over Sunday with their parents in St. Helens.

For Sale—Money Orders! good any where, low rates.

Col. Co. Bank.

Mr. Wm. Ross is recovering from the effects of his recent accident and will soon be able to resume his business at the bank.

Hotel Vermont, in Houlton, for sale or lease at a bargain by owner.

The baseball grounds in town are being put in condition for use. They have been plowed and harrowed and will be rolled. When the work is done the St. Helens team will have grounds second to none on the river.

UPLAND PASTURE—For fifteen or 20 head during high water. No horses taken.

W. J. FULLERTON, Warren.

Wm. Watters, who has been seriously sick with typhoid fever, is slowly recovering his health.

Mrs. Nellie Burkhead, of Clatskanie, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. E. LeBare.

There will be an old fashioned picnic and celebration at the Fullerton Grove, one half mile north of Warren, on the Fourth. Come out and spend the day celebrating. There will be plenty of ice cream, soda water, lemonade, base ball and fire crackers for everybody. Bring your patriotism and baskets well filled.

Mr. M. Link, of Goble, was a visitor to the county seat last Wednesday. Mr. Link is probably the largest orchardist in Columbia County, having fifteen acres in apples, twelve acres being of the famous Spitzenburg variety. He is firm in the belief that Columbia can raise as fine Spitzenberg apples as any county in the State of Oregon. The apple industry is, of course, in its infancy in this county, but increased interest is being manifested and new orchards are being set out every year. It will not be many years before Columbia County apples acquire standing in the markets of the world.

DENTIST—Dr. Rambo will be in Houlton Friday and Saturday of each week.

I have money to loan on approved real estate security.

W. H. POWELL,
St. Helens, Oregon

STRAYED—From the premises at Deer Island, one bay mare, four years old, weight about eleven hundred pounds. Has white stripe on forehead, one front and one hind foot white, black mane and tail, body light bay. Five dollars reward will be paid for her return, or information given to Mrs. R. C. Hamell, Deer Island, or Michael Fresh, St. Helens.

BRICKLAYING AND PLASTERING—Good work guaranteed. Address L. E. Gulker, Rainier, Oregon. m29 j24

DEATH OF PATRICK HUGHES—Patrick Hughes, one of Columbia County's pioneers, died at his home at Deer Island on Monday last, June 29th, at the age of 76 years. He was born in Ireland, March 17, 1832, and at the age of thirteen came to the United States, locating in Indiana, where he remained until the age of 22, when he enlisted in the United States Army, serving five years. When he was discharged in Utah he went to California, but only remained about one year. Then he came to Oregon, and, aftar a short residence at Scappoose, purchased the farm on which he lived to the time of his death. The funeral occurred at Deer Island cemetery on Wednesday, July 1st, under the auspices of St. Helens Lodge No. 32, A. F. and A. M., of which he was a member in good standing. Rev. R. E. Myers, pastor of the Rainier M. E. Church, delivered a very able and eloquent address.

FRESH COW AND CALF FOR SALE—Young cow; good milker; heifer calf two weeks old. Price $50. Mrs. E. H. Flagg, St. Helens.

Miss Edith Moulton, of Walla Walla, has been visiting with her cousin, Miss Bessie Hattan, during the past week.

A meeting of the Nehalem Valley farmers was held at Mist, Oregon, last week for the purpose of arranging for the establishment of a creamery at the Nehalem town with the suggestive name. There are few, if any, more favorable locations for dairying than in the rich Nehalem Valley, and with the establishment of a creamery which would obvate the necessity of shipping cream to market, there would be rapid development in the industry. The Nehalem is one of the richest regions in the State of Oregon, and, although it lies almost at the doors of Portland, the lack of transportation facilities has retarded its growth to such an extent that its rich valleys have hardly been scratched over. Dairying, promoted by a creamery, will induce small farming, and the country will soon grow in wealth and population, so that it can no longer be neglected by the transportation companies—Oregonian.

I have a full stock of determination to supply the trade with a variety of choice groceries, fresh vegetables and fruits. Granite, tin and queens ware. Seeds, paints and oils. Motor gasoline and Naphta, and I heartily appreciate your patronage.

M. C. GRAY.

Last Sunday the St. Helens ball team crossed bats with the Ridgefield nine at St. Helens and won the game by a score of 18 to 13. Quite a large crowd was present. The feature of the game was hard hitting. Several hits for two and three bases being made and a couple of home runs were scored. The line up for St. Helens was: Brough, catcher; Pratt, pitcher; Lafferty, 1st base; Austin, 2nd base; Dingey, 3rd base; Laws, shortstop; Flagg, right field; Ballagh, center field; Perry, left field. In the eighth inning Austin went into the box and finished the game, as Pratt's arm gave out. Today the ball team goes to Kalama to take part in the celebration and Sunday they play Ridgefield at Ridgefield.

KIST

Messrs. Weed and Spencer returned Monday from the G. A. R. encampment at Newport.

Mrs. C. Jaqueth and sons, Percy, Roy, and Walter, made their annual visit to North and Dallas homes the first of the week.

Crops of all kinds are quite promising at this writing.

Mrs. Vanblaricom is visiting friends and relatives in the valley this week.

Miss Ethel Weed came home Friday night from her school at Fishhawk to spend the Fourth.

Vernonia will celebrate the 4th of July. They hope to have a speaker from the out side.

Peter Bergerson, road supervisor, has started in for a long siege of graveling on the road.

Harry Wilson and Philip Sheeley have the grading done on their contracts and will be spreading gravel soon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Malmsten, of Vernonia, celebrated their golden wedding Friday, July 3d.

Guss Hult has the contract for hauling the lumber for the new schoolhouse in the Wilson district for $6 per thousand, and Mr. Sam Mow has contracted to put up the building for $500. He will put in a cement foundation.

Lottie Bergerson is on the sick list and confined to her bed.

For sale, rent, or to give away—pigs. A complete assortment now on hand. For particulars inquire of J. R. Dallas.

Card of Thanks

We desire to return our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kindness and assistance shown us during the last sickness and funeral ceremonies of Mrs. Wm. Bumgardner.

WM BUMGARDNER
AND SON

Ganderbone's July Forecast

It was July the seventh
And Denver was gay
With flags and with bunting
And hip and hooray,
And the man in the chair
Mopped the place where his hair
Was wonted to grow,
And he said, "Just to show
The humor we're in
I am going to ask
For a bon mot from Bryan
Of Lincoln, Nebrask."

There was wit in his smile
As the peerless one bowed
And stilled the applause
Of the good natured crowd
With a wave of his hand;
And he said in his bland,
Oratorical way,
"We are gathered today
On the banks of the Platte
Where its clear waters lap
The feet of the hills
As you'll find on the map."

His smile was as soft
As the breeze in the oak,
And the multitude wondered,
Unguessing the joke,
Till he said, "Seeing that
We are right on the Platte,
It ought to be true
That the country will view
Our party, my friends,
To be just and exact,
As the only one having
A Platte-form in fact."

July was named for Julius Ceasar by Mark Antony. Mark was Ceasar's pretege. His career was very much like that of Mr. Taft. Ceasar liked him, and whenever he came around the great dictator would slap him on the back with some such exclamation as "Mark, I will make you a tribune!" He kept his word, too, and always delivered the goods to Mark at the Roman conventions. Mark made the funeral oration for Ceasar, and he stirred up the Roman populace until it wrecked the base ball park looking for Brutus and the rest of the rest of the Mafia. He was also the originator of the affinity idea. His affinity was Cleopatra, and everytime he returned from Egypt his wife and mother-in-law met him at the dock with a set of golf clubs. He eventually became the virtual ruler of Egypt, instituted local option and other reforms, barged with the queen upon the moonlit Nile and killed himself while he was happy, knowing it couldn't last.

The bill sent in by Teddy's side,
For services to date,
Has been received and duly filed
Till we can liquidate;
About the third the household bills
Will all come down the line,
But the Democratic party will
Not render us its White House Bill
Until July the nine.

July the Fourth will dawn again, diverting circumstances, and the bubbling boy will light his punk before he finds his pants. He'll roll down stairs with screams of joy, contemptuous of hurt, and start the battle when he burns the tail off of his shirt.

When England and her tyrant king
Got too almighty skittish,
The angry patriots turned out
And blew up all the British;
And when the Fourth comes round again,
With no one to forbid it,
We'all blow one another up
To show them how we did it.

On the 22nd the sun will enter the Zodiacal sign of Leo the Lion. This will make Mr. Roosevelt roar, and mollycoddles, nature fakers, rich malefactors, reactionaries and liars will take to their holes. Sea lions will terrify the young navy recruit, and labor will knock off every twenty minutes and rush the growler.

Boys born under Leo make good harvest hands and want $8 a day. They have a keen sense of smell, and start for the house before the meals are half cooked. They roar on very slight provocation, never pay their bill until the gas is shut off, and generally get the lion's share of an estate if appointed administrator.

The music of the binder will
Be heard across the mere,
And the water boy will hunt the shade
And sweetly pound his ear,
The States that voted dry will pant,
And the boozers will defy
The foe to take another vote
In August or July.

The wife and children will resort where they can swim and sail, and they'll write for money every time the boat takes out the mail. They'll keep poor Papa, slaving man, a-digging in his jeans, and while they're eating pompano, he'll make out on sardines. They'll also live on mountain trout, and muskelonge and croaker, and Pa will try to pay for it with what he wins at poker. He'll cheat like Bret Harte's Chinaman, and when he shall beseech forgiveness down upon his knees and heaven seems out of reach, his plea shall be, "Forgive me, Lord, my folks are at the beach!"

And Helie dear will honeymoon
With Anna his to hold,
And he will sigh "Ma chere, you
Are worth your weight in gold."
Whereat she'll say while kissing him
Beneath her broad brimmed hat,
"But, dear, I don't weigh what I did
When Boni told me that."

And then hot August will return, and John D. get in line and pay his twelfth installment on that thirty million fine.

The Anti-Spitting Crusade

Everybody should help stop the public spitting habit, by sending a two-cent stamp today for our attractive, unique hanger card which warns against spitting nuisances. People will take notice of this card and once seen, never forgotten. Address, Dominocards Co., 1807 Chouteu, St. Louis, Mo.

SCAPPOOSE

The store of Ross & Milloy was entered by burglars last Thursday night by forcing the lock of the front door. The safe was rifled, but as it contained no money the burglars got nothing for their trouble. It was a very clumsy job and was evidently the work of amateur thieves.

Dessa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerred West, died at Ellensburg, Wash., last Tuesday morning, of consumption. The remains were brought home for burial last Friday.

Work on the new school house is under way, the concrete walls for the basement being partially constructed. The contractor is A. C. Gilman, of Portland, and the architect is Mr. F. M. Anderson, who has made a specialty of school house work in the Middle States for over seventeen years. The contract price, including heating apparatus, is $12,600. In addition to this will be the water supply, septic tanks, etc., which will probably bring the total cost up to $16,000. Scappoose will have by all odds the finest school house in the county, and one of which any community of 5,000 people might well be proud.

Mr. J. G. Watts is sojourning in the Blue Mountains, Eastern Oregon, for the benefit of his health, which has suffered from long confinement to his business.

It is said that a Scappoose housekeeper purchased from a peddler a lounge cover for which she paid $2.90, and that shortly afterward she found attached to it the price mark of a Portland firm for $1.50.

A field of nearly forty acres of corn—the largest cornfield in the county—can be seen at the Oak Grove farm of Charles Hegele, of which his brother G. A. Hegele is the superintendent. Oak Grove comprises 350 acres of land which at one time was thought to be hardly worth cultivating, but under the intelligent management of Mr. Hegele it has become one of the most productive properties in the county. In addition to general farming the Hegeles conduct a creamery of over sixty cows. Jerseys only are kept and their butter product is fully equal to any in the market. The cows are fed on ensilage throughout the year, corn being used for the winter feed and one silo being filled with vetch in the springtime. The wheat on the Hegele farm is as fine as anyone would care to see and will yield over thirty bushels to the acre. They employ quite a number of men constantly and are now putting up a commodious building for sleeping purposes, each man having a comfortable and well lighted room, with a commodious general room where they spend the time in the evenings. Mr. Hegele expects to put several acres into small fruits and garden, irrigating by means of a gasoline engine, pumping the water from Scappoose creek.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors for the great kindness and sympathy shown us in the affliction that has befallen us in the death of our daughter Dessa. When sorrow visits your household we know the kindness shown us will return to console you in your hour of grief.

Gratefully yours,
MR. AND MRS. J. P. WEST.

We pay Interest on Time Deposits.
Columbia County Bank.

STRAYED—From near St. Helens, one gray mare, nearly white, 1250 pounds, 12 years old; one dirty gray horse, 8 years old, 1250 pounds, hog back, both shod; one bay mare, 1000 pounds, 16 years old; one bay horse, 900, 23 years old. Address Gus Hegele, St. Helen.

School warrants cashed at par.
Columbia County Bank.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution, judgment, and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Columbia, on the ... day of June, 1908 wherein on the 28th day of ... by consideration of the above entitled court in an action then pending ... Pringle recovered judgment against ... Ross, Trustee in Bankruptcy for ... substituted for W. D. Case, ... with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 20th day of May 1908, and the sum of $25.20, for costs and disbursements, which judgment it was further ordered by the court, that the real property of ... Bankrupt, being the property attached in said action, and described as follows: All the right, title, and interest of the defendant ... in and to the SW¼ of the NE¼, and the ... the NW¼, and the NE¼ of the SW¼, ... NW¼ of the SE¼ of section ..., ... North Range ... West of the Willamette Meridian, in Columbia County, State of Oregon, be sold for the satisfaction of said judgment in the manner provided by law, which judgment is enrolled and docketed in the ... of said court on the 28th day of May 1908.

Therefore in compliance with the commands of said execution and order of sale, I will on Saturday, the 1st day of August 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the County Court house, in St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash ... the above described property, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, together with accruing costs and expenses.

MARTIN WHITE
Sheriff of Columbia County, ...
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SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia.
Ora W. Boothby, Plaintiff
vs
Claude H. Boothby, Defendant.

To the above named defendant:
In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby notified and required to appear on or before the 15th day of August 1908 and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause. If you fail to appear and answer by that date the plaintiff will apply to the court for a divorce ... and for general relief.

This summons is published by order of ... H. Hattan, Judge of the County Court of Oregon for Columbia County, made at ... hers on the 1st day of July 1908, directing publication of this summons in the ... Mist, for six consecutive weeks beginning the 3rd day of July 1908. The time prescribed in the order directing this publication is six weeks and the day on which you must appear herein is the day following the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication hereof.

GEORGE W. HATT...
Attorney for Plaintiff

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior
United States Land Office, Portland, Oregon, June 2...

Notice is hereby given that Carl ... of Portland, Oregon, who on June ... made Timber Land Application No. ... south ½ of Southwest ¼, of Section ... North, Range 5 West of Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of his intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, Portland Oregon, on the 8th day of September 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Albert Schwitzer of Yankton Oregon.
Gust H. Sandberg of ...
Joe Nitch of Portland, Oregon.
Charlie L. Sandberg of Portland Oregon.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER
Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Portland Oregon, ... 27, 1908

Notice is hereby given that Andrew ... ker of Vernonia, Oregon, who on March ... 1907 made homestead No. ... for SW¼ ... E½ SW¼ and NE¼ SW¼, of Section ... ship 5 North Range ... West Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Portland Oregon, on the 12th day of August 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John D. Baker of Vernonia Oregon.
George W. Parker of ...
Ewert E. Nickerson ...
Charley Malmsten ...

ALGERNON S. DRESSER
Register.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned as administrator of the estate of J. S. Millard, deceased, that he has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, his final account of his administration upon said estate together with his final report and petition for the distribution of the residue of said estate; and that Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of said court, has set the ... day of June, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon thereof as the time, and the courtroom in St. Helens, Oregon, as the place for the hearing and settlement of said account, report and petition, at which time and place any person interested may appear and file objections in writing to the same or any part thereof.

E. E. QUICK...

W. H. Powell, attorney for administrator.

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SURVEYOR'S NOTICE

To W. A. Harris, St. Helens, Oregon.
S. A. Miles " "
O. B. Malmsten, Vernonia, "
Alex Sword " "
Hermonia Sword " "
Gust Gustofson " "
E. G. Shannahan " "
Joseph Hickenbottom " "
Joseph Van Blaricom " "

Alex Sword, Joseph Hickenbottom and Joseph VanBlaricom, having in writing demanded a resurvey of the section lines between sections 4-5-8-9 T. 4 N. R. 4 W. W. M. and the re-establishment of the corner common to said sections—

You and each of you are hereby notified that I will, on the 14th day of July, 1908, proceed to survey the said lines and re-establish the said section corner.

(Signed) F. B. PRESCOTT,
County Surveyor.

Dated June 15, 1908.