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## LOCAL

Good buy—rental now for sale. In-  
vested this office.

Mr. A. A. Gougeon of Scappoose,  
visited St. Helens last Thursday.

Mr. John Dittus of Rainier was a  
business visitor to St. Helens on Tues-  
day last.

Mr. Wm. Ross and family started  
Tuesday for Seattle. Mr. Ross will at-  
tend the Bankers' Convention, while  
Mrs. Ross and the children visit the  
great exhibition.

Mr. Hermann Kettel has returned to  
St. Helens from California, bringing  
a wife with him. Mr. and Mrs. Kettel  
purpose making their home in St.  
Helens.

Mrs. Clara Blakesley attended the  
closing exercise of the Monmouth Nor-  
mal School last week. Her daughter  
Sadie returned home with her for the  
holidays.

First organ for sale reasonable. Is in  
first class order. Inquire at this office.

DAIRY COWS FOR SALE—Ten or twelve  
fine dairy cows for sale at reasonable  
price. Inquire of P. A. Nelson on the old  
Joseph Capeland place at Warren.

Moving pictures at Wellington's. They  
move because he gives them away. You  
buy 25 worth of goods and get a 25 pic-  
ture, in a pretty frame, for 50 cents.

Miss Edna Harris was thrown from  
her pony last Saturday evening and  
rendered unconscious for several hours.  
She received quite severe injuries, the  
back of her head being badly cut and  
bruised, but is getting along nicely and  
will soon be able to try again.

Mr. W. A. Harris and Mrs. A. J.  
Denning attended the meeting of the  
Grand Lodge K. of P. at Pendleton this  
week at delegates from the local K. P.  
and Pelham sisters.

The annual school election on Monday  
evening last resulted in the election of  
M. E. Miller as director to take the  
place of E. H. Quick, whose term has  
expired, and by a unanimous vote, of  
H. P. Watkins to succeed himself as  
school clerk. There was an attendance of  
over seventy, and it was evident that  
considerable quiet electioneering had  
been done.

Celebrate the Fourth on the Hill at  
St. Helens.

Mr. Ed Thompson and Miss Sarah  
Kelly, both of Houlton, were united in  
marriage in Portland on Sunday last.

Work has begun on the new building  
for the Columbia County Abstract and  
Trust company on the north side of the  
plaza.

Opportunities of all kinds in farms,  
timber lands, and city lots. If you want  
to buy or sell property of any description  
it will pay you to consult A. T. Laws,  
St. Helens, Ore.

Two Farm Wagons, a Mowing  
Machine and a Hay Rake for sale.  
Inquire of Jos. Holaday, St. Helens. 6-4

There is but one thing to do with the  
gamblers who take whisky to the ball  
games and by their vulgar and loud talk  
make nuisances of themselves, and that  
is to arrest them and let them occupy a  
cell in the court house for a month or so.  
There is no sense in repeatedly warning  
them. Give them one good dose of the  
law and they will quit.

WANTED—Two chambermaids, and  
two waitress at the St. Helens Hotel.

I wish you would try Becke's extracts.  
They are strictly high grade. Call for  
free sample bottle.

M. C. GRAY, St. Helens.

Mrs. Edie Wilson just closed a very  
successful term of school in the Fowler  
District. The following are the names of  
pupils either absent or tardy during  
the term: Josephine Fowler, Harry Will-  
son, Ruth Fowler, Clifford Fowler and  
Max Willson.

THE BEST OPPORTUNITY—120 acres  
for \$4,700. Thirty acres improved. Large  
new house and good barn. One mile  
from Clatskanie. This includes one of the  
best spans of horses in Columbia County  
worth \$500; six choice cows, three two  
year old heifers and a well-bred bull; 4  
hogs, chickens, farm tools, etc. The per-  
sonal property is worth fully \$1,000,  
which leaves the price put on the land  
and buildings at \$3,700, or about \$20  
per acre. This is a snap. If you want a  
good place at about half its value look  
this up.

A. T. LAWS  
St. Helens.

You can and should vote early and  
often in the contest for Goddess of  
Liberty. Tickets are now for sale. We  
understand the Houlton people are  
going to poll a heavy vote for their  
candidate.

Do you pay rent? If so will it not be  
better in every way for you to own your  
own home. Good residence lots in St.  
Helens can be purchased for \$50 on easy  
terms. The price of these lots will be  
advanced \$10 July 1st, you will save that  
amount by buying now. Apply to D.  
T. Gerdes, at Oasis Park.

AN Eloquent Speaker—Superin-  
tendant Knodel of the Oregon Anti-  
Saloon League, addressed an audience on  
the laws in front of Mr. Anson's resi-  
dence last Sunday evening, and after-  
wards adjourned to the M. E. Church  
and continued his address. He is a very  
powerful speaker and certainly presented  
a terrible indictment against the liquor  
traffic. He stated that the Oregon Anti-  
Saloon League expects to present to the  
people of Oregon next year the question  
of the State-wide prohibition, and has  
every faith that it will be successful in  
securing its adoption by the voters.

Horse, hack and harness for Sale.  
Horse weighs 1,000 pounds 11 years old;  
single or double hack in good condition.  
Good heavy harness, very little worn.  
Price \$115. Apply to H. W. Cade, St.  
Helens. 7-1

ANOTHER BEAUTIFUL HOME—The  
plans are prepared and are in the hands  
of the builder, to be constructed on the  
lot recently purchased of J. B. Godfrey.  
It will be in bungalow style, will have  
eight rooms, and will cost complete, in-  
cluding the lot, and about \$7,000.

Are you using Peacock Flour? No?  
Dont wonder you look and feel bad. I've  
old a good many — got it in St. Helens.  
M. C. GRAY

The fill and culvert at the Riechart  
place on the Columbia City road, has  
been completed and accepted. Mr. S. S.  
Long is the contractor. This is the first  
reinforced concrete culvert to be con-  
structed in Columbia County. One of  
these culverts, 48 ft is being constructed  
by contract, on North Scappoose Creek,  
and another, 10 ft, is being built near  
21st, in the Nehalem Valley. All of  
this work is being done according to  
plans furnished by the county surveyor.

D. W. Freeman of Fishhawk was a  
visitor to the county seat last Friday on  
his way to Portland.

Mrs. C. H. Briggs, of Yankton, re-  
turned Friday from Portland, where she  
attended the Grand Chapter of the  
Eastern Star.

John G. Schroeder and Hazel Allen  
were united in marriage by Justice  
Watkins of this city, on Saturday last.

FOR SALE—The home belonging to  
Judge Dart. Plenty of shade, fruit,  
large house. Choice location, three and  
one-half lots of ground. Have rented  
\$20 per month rent. \$2500.

WM. M. ROSS

I have been authorized by Hannah  
Tyskiewicz to advance the price on all  
her lots in St. Helens \$25 each, to  
take effect the 1st of July. J. B. God-  
frey, agent, 221 Board of Trade Building,  
Portland. 7-1

When you give your painting contract  
to Williams you know that you will get  
the best job that can be done for be pos-  
itively guarantees satisfaction

Wall Paint in thirty colors. Varnishes,  
Stains and Oils. Floor Paint in seven  
colors. Boat Paint in ten colors. Emu-  
els, Linoleum, Dressing, Brushes, etc.

M. C. GRAY, St. Helens

Have you seen the new delivery wagon  
of Jos. Muckle & Son. They are pre-  
pared to deliver all goods on short  
notice. Try them.

FOR SALE—City Lots.  
WM. M. ROSS

A GREAT CONCURRENCE—Indications  
are that St. Helens will have the great-  
est celebration of the National Holiday  
that has ever been held in Columbia  
County. The order of the day will be  
Hon. Howard C. Bronson, of Astoria,  
and those who have heard him say he is  
the equal of any platform speaker in the  
State. The baseball game will be be-  
tween Rainier and St. Helens, and as  
between Rainier and St. Helens, will be  
a strenuous one. The general program  
of sports, which was published last week,  
includes amusement for all. The Goddess  
of Liberty contest is exciting a great  
deal of interest, and a number of young  
ladies are candidates for the honor.  
Votes cost five cents each and are for  
sale at Watkins' confectionery, White  
& Anderson's, at Houlton, and by Mr.  
Gerdes, at Oasis Park. The big steer for  
the barbecue has been secured, and  
Sheriff White will see that it is done to  
a turn.

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

Restaurant for sale at a bargain. In-  
quire of the Columbia County Abstract  
and Trust Company, St. Helens.

Messrs. Lind & Turner, have started a  
livery and transfer business and invites  
the patronage of the people of St. Helens  
and vicinity. They are young and ener-  
getic men and will do their best to se-  
cure and retain their share of public  
patronage. See their ad in this issue  
of the Mist.

Royal Ann Cherries—not the common,  
soft seedling, but large firm handsome  
fruit. Have engaged a few hundred  
pounds to supply your wants. Will be  
ready early in July. Leave orders.

M. C. GRAY.

There was a test of the new chemical  
engine last Saturday, but, owing to the  
inexperience of the operators, it was un-  
satisfactory. No doubt the engine is as  
good as any of that class, and it will af-  
ford some protection to property until  
there is an adequate water system in-  
stalled.

During the month of July the office of  
the County School Superintendent will  
be open Saturday of each week, but any  
one wanting blanks of any kind can pro-  
cure them by applying to H. P. Wat-  
kins, St. Helens.

White & Anderson carry a good line of  
hosiery.

With four clerks I am prepared to  
wait on all customers promptly. We will  
endeavor to please you, and request that  
you report any dissatisfaction to us in-  
stead of your neighbors. We will ad-  
just matters to your satisfaction. They  
won't.

M. C. GRAY.

State Teacher's Association meets at  
Albany, June 24th. The county school  
superintendent's convention begins at  
Salmon on the 28th.

Mr. A. T. Laws has finished the con-  
struction of a cement walk in front of  
his property on Willamette street, mak-  
ing it one of the finest residence prop-  
erties in the city.

Mr. John Pugh, who resides in the  
Helens neighborhood, was a visitor to  
the county seat Wednesday.

## BASEBALL

**St. Helens Wins from Dil-  
worth's Derbies 8 to 1.**

St. Helens made it four straight victo-  
ries by beating Dilworth's Derbies of  
Portland by an 8 to 1 score last Sunday  
afternoon. At no time did the visitors  
have the least show of winning, with  
Brakke pitching shut out ball and the  
locals knocking the sphere all over the  
lot.

In the first inning the home guard an-  
nexed five tallies, while the visitors  
struck out in ones-two-three order. This  
ended the run getting until the sixth,  
when St. Helens gathered in two more  
and one in the seventh. The Portland  
boys secured their lone score by an error  
in the ninth inning.

The ball team now upholding St.  
Helens reputation as a five town is the  
best which the old burg has ever had,  
all the players are residents of this  
locality and there is not one in the lot  
who is playing ball for pay. A good  
grandstand has been erected at the  
grounds and bleachers put up that will  
accommodate a good sized crowd.  
Evening postals has been done for  
the comfort of the patrons of the  
national game. Every one who enjoys  
a good game of ball should attend.

Following is last Sunday's score in  
detail:

ST. HELENS					
	AB	R	H	PO	A
Brakke, p.	5	1	1	0	2
Laws, 2b.	5	1	3	2	1
Lafferty, 1b.	5	1	2	5	1
Weldner, c.	4	1	1	16	2
Curtis, 3b.	4	1	2	1	0
Flagg, cf.	4	0	1	1	0
Balbach, of.	4	1	1	0	0
Perry, lf.	4	1	1	1	0
D. pais, ss.	4	1	1	1	0
Total	39	8	14	27	9

DILWORTH'S DERBIES					
	AB	R	H	PO	A
Hughes, lf.	4	0	1	2	0
Spencer, 1b.	4	1	1	9	0
Brown, ss.	4	0	0	5	4
Daniels, cf.	4	0	1	1	0
Ickinloh, 3b.	4	0	1	1	3
Daher, lf.	4	0	0	0	0
Hirschler, c.	3	0	0	5	1
Kelly, 2b.	3	0	0	1	1
Davis, p.	3	0	0	1	0
Total	31	1	4	24	10

## SUMMARY

Struck out, by Brakke 15, by Davis 4;  
bases on balls, of Brakke 1, Dane 1;  
two base hits, Curtis, Flagg, Dupuis;  
passed balls, McDuffee 2, Hirschler 2;  
left on bases, St. Helens 7, Dilworth's 2;  
time of game, 1 hour 50 minutes; ump-  
ires, Gaylord and Cliff.

Drop in and see what I have to offer.  
Everything neat, new and up-to-date.  
Trade with Wellington.

# A Strenuous Shoe For A Strenuous Boy

That's what we present to the parents of the boy  
when they call on us.  
Come in and see one of the best values as yet shown  
anywhere this season.  
They are just as good as they look from outside the  
window.

## UNUSUAL PRICES FOR UNUSUAL SHOES

We have an extremely stylish line of Oxfords and low  
cut novelties which we are offering at  
a most reasonable price.  
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Portland, Seattle, Spokane, Tacoma, Walla Walla  
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To OMAHA and Return - - - \$60.00  
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Correspondingly low fares.

ON SALE JUNE 2, 3; JULY 2, 3; AUGUST 11, 12.

To Denver and return - - - - \$55

ON SALE MAY 17, JULY 1, AUGUST 11

Going transit limit 10 days from date of sale, final return limit Oct. 31.

These tickets present some very attractive features in the way of stop-  
over privileges, and choice of routes; thereby enabling passengers to make  
side trips to many interesting points enroute.

Routing on the return trip through California may be had at a slight  
advance over the rates quoted.

Full particulars, sleeping car reservations and tickets will be furnished  
by any O. R. & N. local agent, or

Wm. McMURRAY, General Passenger Agent, PORTLAND OREGON.

# WALK-OVER SHOES

Summer Comfort

Soft soles and flexible soles help, but it is  
perfect tanning that makes the WALK-OVER  
the ideal shoe for summer wear.  
Shoes made from leather of a common tan-  
nage "draw" the feet. It's the heat acting  
upon the chemicals used in tanning.  
A pair of WALK-OVER Summer Oxfords will  
insure perfect foot comfort.



Cut shows a  
Tan Calf  
Blucher Oxford  
Sketoe Model  
Price \$4.00  
OTHERS AT  
\$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00  
We are  
Sole Agents

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Houlton, Oregon

## NOTICE.

Bids will be received by the under-  
signed until June 20th, 1909, for the  
construction of a one-room school house  
(36 x 50) in school district No 28, Colum-  
bia County. A bond of \$1,000 will be re-  
quired. The board reserves the right to  
reject any or all bids. Plans and  
specifications can be seen at the resi-  
dence of the clerk.

FRED BRAUN  
Clerk School District No. 28.  
Scappoose, Oregon.

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the under-  
signed has been appointed executrix of  
the estate of Chaney West, deceased.  
All persons having claims against the  
said estate should present the same,  
duly verified, within six months from  
the date of this notice, to the under-  
signed at Vernonia, Oregon.

EVA WEST,  
Executrix of the estate of Chaney  
West, deceased.  
Dated May 29, 1909.