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IMPORTANT MEETING

Mayor White Appoints the Council's Standing Committees for 1911.

The new council have started the ball rolling during the past week and assumed the work of their official positions with a will. A special meeting was held at the Council room last Friday night, at which all the members were present and considerable business of importance was transacted.

The appointment of Frank Wilkins as City Marshal was approved by the Council, and the following committees were appointed by Mayor White:

Finance—James Dart, A. B. Lake, John Phillip.

Judiciary—S. C. Morton, A. B. Lake, James Dart.

Streets—John Phillip, James Dart, S. C. Morton.

Fire and Water—A. B. Lake, James Dart, S. C. Morton.

Health—A. B. Lake, James Dart, S. C. Morton, John Phillip.

Printing—John Phillip, A. B. Lake, James Dart.

M. E. Miller was appointed as the City Attorney for the coming year.

The work of the different committees has not been very burdensome in the past, as the business of the Council has been carried on nearly altogether at the regular meetings in the Council Chamber. As the amount of work that the members must handle is rapidly increasing it will be necessary for more of it to be transacted by the different committees, and the appointments will mean more for the coming year than ever in the past.

The regular meeting was held on Monday night and the good work of the fathers was continued. The first business taken up was the consideration of the report of the City Marshal, which was accepted and placed on file.

The St. Helens Union Sunday School was given permission to meet in the City Hall on Sunday mornings.

W. B. Dillard appeared before the council and petitioned for permission to build and maintain a dock for a period of 25 years at the foot of Willamette street. The matter was taken under advisement.

Mr. Griffin was given permission to erect a tool house in St. Helens street, the same to be removed at any time the council so desires.

The next regular meeting of the council will be held on Monday, and if there is anything that any one would like to talk to them about they are cordially invited to be present.

Wanted at Once—A girl to do general housework. Inquire at this office.

Church Services—Rev. C. M. Van Marter returned to St. Helens last Sunday to fill the pulpit in the place of Rev. Heist, and the people of this city were given a treat in the way of a sermon. His subject was "If a Man Die Here by Live Again?"

The work done here by him during the three weeks revival meetings made it a certainty that the meetings would be well attended, and no one present regretted that they were there.

Dr. Ross reports that Rev. Heist, who has been having a run of fever in the Portland Hospital, is gaining. This will be good news for his many friends.

Next Sunday—Rev. Asa Sleath, of Portland, former pastor of the St. Helens M. E. Church for five years, will occupy the pulpit here on Sunday next, both morning and evening. A full house is assured.

Married at Houlton—At the residence of City Recorder H. C. Wikoff at 7 p. m. Saturday, occurred the wedding of two of the county seats most popular young society people, the contracting parties being Miss Virginia the handsome and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wilson, one of St. Helens oldest families and Mr. Fred Sever Westby, a rising young electrician of the same city. City Recorder H. C. Wikoff officiated and read the marriage ceremony in the most approved style, the ring service being used. After the ceremony all present partook of an elegant three course dinner prepared by Mrs. Wikoff, and the happy young couple wended their way to their newly furnished house in St. Helens. Thompson S. White and Mrs. C. T. Prescott of Houlton were guests of the evening and acted as witnesses for the ceremony.

Mr. D. A. Morrison of Seattle is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. H. Flagg.

LOCAL ITEMS

FOR SALE—2 lots. Cheap. Inquire of Harold P. Ross, St. Helens.

We buy in large quantities and are able to sell at smaller prices than the other fellow. James Muckle & Son.

WANTED—Logged over land in Columbia County. Address Geo. H. Shinn, St. Helens, Oregon.

Mrs. W. C. Van Dersal and son Richard visited over Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. H. Flagg.

Easter service next Sunday, April 23, at 8 p. m. in Christ Episcopal Church.

I have a number of good lots in St. Helens, for sale at right prices. Geo. H. Shinn, St. Helens, Oregon.

Mr. E. I. Ballagh has accepted the management of the St. Helens base ball team, Mr. Sutherland having resigned. Ed is a good man for the job and will certainly be a success at filling the difficult position. We do not say that he will please everyone as that is impossible but he will make the team a winner, and come out on top financially.

Unclaimed Letters—Letters unclaimed at the St. Helens, Oregon post office for the week ending April 15th 1911, were as follows, Dr. L. M. Brown, Tom Demetrew, Pete Dahl, David Ellerson, A. Haugerud, Ben Howe, Mr. Summers. Letters not called for by April 30th will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

M. C. GRAY, P. M.

FOR SALE—Good rock quarry land on railroad. Geo. H. Shinn, St. Helens Ore.

U. A. to Entertain—Houlton Assembly No. 80 of the United Artisans will show the general public a good time at the Acme Hall on Friday evening, May 5th. In Houlton. There will be some good speaking and a program and home talent play, and refreshments will be served in the shape of ice cream and cake. The members of the Houlton lodge of Artisans have allowed interest in their organization to lapse, and despite the fact that the lodge has well up towards a hundred members in good standing it is at present a hard matter to get a quorum to attend the meetings, and so some of the old faithfuls of the organization are making an effort to revive it that will undoubtedly prove successful. The order is a good one, the insurance being both cheap and safe, and the social features of the Houlton lodge always worth while.

WANTED—Lots in Columbia City. Address Geo. H. Shinn, St. Helens, Ore.

John Doe Again—Marshal Frank Wilkins started his official career in the right way by taking the celebrated "John Doe" into custody last Sunday night on a charge of drunk and disorderly. "John" was a young Finlander from Warren, and while he is an industrious young fellow and a good citizen he had taken about six too many. The next morning he paid the Recorder \$10.00 for the fun.

Some Heavy Horses—Wilbur Muckle returned last Wednesday evening from a trip to Eastern Oregon in search of horses and he was very successful, arriving here with a string of ten heavy horses, weighing from 1350 to 1600.

Young Meese Hurt—One of the Meese boys employed in the mill lost the thumb and two first fingers of his right hand in an accident while at work on the night shift last week. He was taken to the hospital in Portland and it will be some time before he will be able to resume work again. This family has had more than their share of misfortune of late, as the boys father is also in the hospital suffering from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Rainier Couple Weds—Pearl May Erickson and Merle T. Huycke were united in marriage at the home of Rev. C. T. Cook in Rainier on the 15th of this month, in the presence of J. E. Erickson and Mrs. Cook.

Married at Houlton—Tuesday April 18th at the home of the brides mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hansen, occurred the marriage of Wm. C. Hansen of Portland and Miss Jennie Spence of Houlton. Miss Maggie Spence acted in the capacity of bridesmaid and the wedding march was played by Mrs. Wm. Skuzie. Rev. S. G. Roper of the Methodist Church officiated. After a nice supper the happy couple left for Portland, where the groom has a good position. Several out of town relatives of the bride were in attendance.

Mr. A. S. Larson of Scappoose, passed through St. Helens last Monday on his way to Hammond.

THE FINANCIAL REPORT

Official Statement of the City Treasurer and Recorder for the Term of Office Just Ended

Statement of W. A. Harris, City Treasurer, of the City of St. Helens, Oregon, showing the amount of money received on the General City Fund and the amounts paid out from July 1, 1910, to March 31st, 1911:

July 1. To cash on hand	\$ 496.16
12. To cash, W. B. Dillard, costs, Tisz, vs. City	14.50
13. To cash, Bennett Lic. to October 13	7.50
22. To cash, Shooting Gal. Lic. to Oct. 22	7.50
Aug. 1. To cash Kelley & Potts' Lic. to Jan. 24, 1911	300.00
To cash, Co. Treas. Taxes 1910	42.41
31. To cash, W. C. Nicholas, Walla Walla St. Assessment	70.40
Sept. 7. To cash, Skating Rink Lic. to Oct. 13	7.50
13. To cash, C. Muckle, Walla Walla St. Assessment	19.20
22. To cash, Fine, City vs. Johnson	10.00
To cash, Fine, City vs. Farning, and Lic. F. Farning, 30th	6.00
Oct. 4. To cash, Merry Go Round Lic.	5.00
12. To cash, Merry Go Round Lic.	7.00
17. To Gains & Owens' Lic. Lic. April 18, 1911	300.00
24. To cash, Bennett Bros' Pool Room Lic.	7.50
31. To cash, Co. Treas. City Taxes, 1910	160.77
Nov. 5. To cash, Shooting Gal. Lic. to February 4, 1911	7.50
21. To cash, City Rec. Cas. St. Assessment	191.20
22. To cash, Co. Const. Co., rent of streets	10.00
30. To cash, Arcade Theater, Lic. to Oct. 1, 1910	7.50
Dec. 17. To cash, F. Wilkins' Show Lic. to March 1, 1911	7.50
21. To cash, City Rec. Cas. St. Assessment	53.40
23. To cash, F. Wilkins, on Curtains Ads.	51.50
27. To cash, Brinn L. to June 30, 1911	300.00
29. To cash, F. Wilkins, Hall Rent to Jan. 1, 1911	43.00
To cash, F. Wilkins on Curtains Ads.	22.50

1911.	
Jan. 10. To cash, City Rec. F. M. Thorp Assessment	66.75
20. To cash, Mrs. Lunge, Street Assessment	13.35
To cash, refund of Muckle & Son	16.30
To cash, G. W. Kelley Lic. Lic. to August 1, 1911	300.00
To cash, Bennett, Bros' Pool Table Lic.	7.50
Feb. 1. To cash, F. Wilkins, Hall Rent for January	43.00
To cash, F. Wilkins, on Curtains Ads.	20.00
16. To cash, Fine, City vs. Knighton	20.00
To cash, Fine, City vs. Anderson	10.00
To cash, Cox Walla Walla Street Assessment	19.20
Mch. 10. To cash, F. Wilkins, Hall Rent for February	43.00
18. To cash, Brinn Street Assessment	13.35
21. To cash, Co. Treas. Taxes 1911	565.99
22. To cash, Co. Treas. Taxes 1911	382.27
To cash, Farning & Black Lic. Lic. Sept. 22, 1911	300.00
To cash, Co. Treas. Taxes of 1910	18.67
25. To cash, O. B. Lampher Street Lic. (1 day)	2.00
27. To cash, H. Estabrook, Lic. Lic. 6 months	300.00
	\$4596.92

Credit—	
By amount of Warrants, principal and interest paid	\$ 367.27
By cash on hand	926.65
To amount on hand and received July 1, 1910, to March 31, 1911	4596.92
Credit—	
By amount of Warrants, principal and interest paid, July 1, 1910, to March 31, 1911	3670.27
By cash on hand	926.65
	\$4596.92
Recorder's Report	
St. Helens, Oregon, April 14, 1911.	
To the Common Council of the City of St. Helens.	
Herewith I hand you my report for the past year, covering a period extend-	

ing from the 1st of April, 1910, to the 4th of April, 1911. While I did not go into office until the 11th of last April, there was no report filed covering the warrants issued from the 1st until that time. I include them in this statement.

Thanking you for the favors shown me during the past year, I am,

Yours very truly,

GEO. H. FLAGG.

STATEMENT of the City Recorder for the Year Ending April 14, 1911.

The following City Warrants were issued during the year in accordance with the instructions of the City Council:

No. 519	\$ 44.18
No. 520	60.00
No. 521	.50
No. 522	22.00
No. 523	125.00
No. 524	38.00
No. 525	9.50
No. 526	92.95
No. 527	3.00
No. 528	5.00
No. 529	60.00
No. 530	15.00
No. 531	23.71
No. 532	92.95
No. 533	5.00
No. 534	7.50
No. 535	60.00
No. 536	15.00
No. 537	32.90
No. 538	95.86
No. 539	19.86
No. 540	3.25
No. 541	15.00
No. 542	60.00
No. 543	16.35
No. 544	16.00
No. 545	10.50
No. 546	9.00
No. 547	29.73
No. 548	93.79
No. 549	174.00
No. 550	60.00
No. 551	15.00
No. 552	95.65
No. 553	100.00
No. 554	100.00
No. 555	100.00
No. 556	100.00
No. 557	100.00
No. 558	100.00
No. 559	100.00
No. 560	100.00
No. 561	100.00
No. 562	100.00
No. 563	100.00
No. 564	100.00
No. 565	100.00
No. 566	100.00
No. 567	50.00
No. 568	60.00
No. 569	15.00
No. 570	100.00
No. 571	100.00
No. 572	100.00
No. 573	100.00
No. 574	100.00
No. 575	100.00
No. 576	100.00
No. 577	100.00
No. 578	100.00
No. 579	100.00
No. 580	100.00
No. 581	100.00
No. 582	100.00
No. 583	100.00
No. 584	50.00
No. 585	7.50
No. 586	100.00
No. 587	95.65
No. 588	58.00
No. 589	5.00
No. 590	1.50
No. 591	60.00
No. 592	15.00
No. 593	5.00
No. 594	46.37 1/2
No. 595	12.00
No. 596	500.00
No. 597	500.00
No. 598	500.00
No. 599	500.00
No. 600	500.00
No. 601	389.65
No. 602	58.00
No. 603	60.00
No. 604	15.00
No. 605	71.98
No. 606	35.00
No. 607	10.50
No. 608	191.30
No. 609	2.50
No. 610	9.00
No. 611	8.75
No. 612	8.00
No. 613	586.90
No. 614	85.50
No. 615	112.50
No. 616	147.50
No. 617	10.00
No. 618	60.00
No. 619	15.00
No. 620	500.00
No. 621	500.00
No. 622	450.00
No. 623	10.00
No. 624	126.60
No. 625	516.80
No. 626	5.00
No. 627	14.40
No. 628	97.35
No. 629	60.00
No. 630	15.00
No. 631	1.20
No. 632	11.30
No. 633	1.25
No. 634	10.85
No. 635	2.20

No. 636	17.48
No. 637	7.50
No. 638	1.25
No. 639	108.55
No. 640	51.10
No. 641	500.00
No. 642	500.00
No. 643	500.00
No. 644	500.00
No. 645	400.00
No. 646	200.00
No. 647	60.00
No. 648	15.00
No. 649	237.25
No. 650	99.10
No. 651	10.00
No. 652	50.40
No. 653	3.75
No. 654	50.00
No. 655	50.00
No. 656	31.25
No. 657	150.00
No. 658	25.00
No. 659	25.00
No. 660	15.00
No. 661	60.00
No. 662	8.25
No. 663	30.00
No. 664	3.00
No. 665	3.00
No. 666	3.00
No. 667	3.00
No. 668	3.00
No. 669	7.50
No. 670	106.70
No. 671	20.00
No. 672	5.00

\$15,249.62

Amount of warrants unpaid April 1, 1910 \$ 2,842.99

Amount issued April 1, 1910, to April 11 860.75

Amount issued during official term 15,249.62

Total \$18,953.36

Warrants redeemed April 1 to April 1 4,967.51

Outstanding and unpaid April 14, 1911 \$13,985.85

REPORT OF SUMS COLLECTED AND DUE ON THE LIEN DOCKET OF THE CITY OF ST. HELENS.

COLUMBIA STREET SEWER ASSESSMENT.

Collected—

S. M. Quick \$25.87

Richard Cox 25.48

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Episcopal Church 18.33

Columbia County 7.15

Columbia County 25.48

Columbia County 25.48

Chas. Muckle 25.48

Chas. Muckle 25.48

W. A. Harris 25.48

Chas. Muckle 19.74

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Ansonge Estate 19.74