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County Official Paper

One year ago the telephone service in St. Helens was a very crude affair. There were some 35 phones on one party line scattered all the way from St. Helens to Scappoose. The switchboard at the Central office consisted of one pair of plugs on an old out of date wall board. Messenger service was the prevailing order, always accompanied by a fee, and be it said that the operators were not paid for half the work they did either. To-day we have an up-to-date service. A modern 60 line switchboard with connections to the outlying districts. There are over 70 subscribers, most of the business houses and a large number of residences now taking the service. The office is open from 8 o'clock A. M. till 9 at night and the service could not be improved upon. These facts are fast becoming known and as a result new subscribers are being added daily. Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Zipperer own the line and one of them can always be found on the stool in front of the switchboard attending to their fast increasing business. The telephone is only one of several like improvements made in St. Helens' progressive march during the past few years and ere long we expect to see many more, until we become indeed a city. Each advance along the lines of industrial improvement invites others and our progressive citizens are alive to this fact, giving encouragement to any such legitimate enterprise.

Moving picture shows exert more influence over the young people in a community than is generally credited to them. That influence is either good or evil as the pictures are either moral or degrading. A good moral picture conveys as much meaning as any sermon could and to have it pictured out in detail, makes an impression upon a person, young or old, that is lasting and effective.

The political policy of the Mist will be Republican. It will advocate the nomination and election of Wm. H. Taft for President. It will oppose Jonathan Bourne Jr. for Senator. It will support a good progressive man for Congress from this District, reserving the right of selection of such man when the candidates are announced. In the main, it will uphold the popular and progressive laws of Oregon.

The returns from the Eastern elections do not indicate a landslide for the Democratic party next year, as was predicted by the Democratic Press. One very noticeable feature was the election of Republican Legislatures in New Jersey and New York where Democratic Governors hold forth. This fact will perhaps not keep Gov. Woodrow Wilson from securing the nomination for President, but it is a handicap which he will have to overcome.

The gains made by the Socialist party in a number of the large cities of the country is very marked. If an epidemic of hard times and empty dinner pails should happen to strike the country the losses of the Socialist party would be more marked than are the present gains.

County Court Proceedings, Contd.

contains a greater number of signatures, exclusive of those signing both petition and remittance, than appears upon the petition, and the Court being advised in the matter, it is ordered by the Court that said petition be, and the same is hereby denied.

Matter of enforcement of bonds given on road petitions which have been denied.

On this day it is ordered by the Court that the Clerk be, and he is hereby instructed to send bills for expense incurred in surveying and platting said denied roads, to the parties giving bonds for said expense, since Jan. 1, 1911.

Matter of petition of J W Hockaday for funds to pay his transportation to relatives.

On this 2nd day of November, 1911, J W Hockaday, a county charge, comes into Court, and represents to the Court that he has relatives in the State of Virginia, who are able and willing to provide means for his support, if he will go to them, and the Court being advised in the matter, it is ordered by the Court that the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to issue a warrant on the general fund in the sum of \$100, in favor of James Dart, to pay for said expense.

Matter of petition of Arthur Van Dolah for remission of fine.

On this day comes on for consideration the petition of Arthur Van Dolah for a payment in the sum of \$50.00, being the amount remitted by the Governor of Oregon, on account of a fine for alleged violation of the Game Laws, and the Court being advised in the matter, it is ordered by the Court that said petition be, and the same is hereby allowed, it is further ordered by the Court that the Treasurer be, and he is hereby instructed to deduct said sum from any sums which may be due the State of Oregon, on account of fines imposed for violations of the game laws.

Matter of Petition of Noble Van Dolah for remission of fine.

On this day comes on for consideration the petition of Noble Van Dolah for a payment in the sum of \$50.00 being the amount remitted by the Governor of Oregon, on account of a fine for alleged violation of the Game laws, and the Court being advised in the matter, it is ordered by the Court that said petition be, and the same is hereby allowed. It is further ordered by the Court that the Treasurer be and he is hereby instructed to deduct said sum from any sums which may be due the State of Oregon, on account of fines imposed for violations of the game laws.

Matter of payment of F M Bendure for slashing on poor farm.

On this 2nd day of November, 1911, it is ordered by the Court that the clerk be, and he is hereby instructed to issue a warrant on the general fund in the sum of \$212.00 on account of slashing contract on poor farm; the sum of \$50.

00 having been heretofore paid on said account and the sum of \$50.00 being reserved by the Court until said slashing is burned.

Matter of claims against the County.

On this day the claims as docketed in the general fund, and general road fund claim and warrant registers, are audited by the Court, and allowed in the various sums as carried out by the Court on said registers, being as follows:

General County Fund.	
CE Lindlof grand jury witness	\$ 8
Mrs. G H Siercks	3 60
F D McNaughton	7 80
V H Porter	7 80
Mrs. R E Bates	4 80
W S Chambers	9
J M Fry	4 60
Guy Whitney	3 60
F L Perkins	16
Frank Wikstrom	3 60
H Larsen	2 80
I W Kistner	5 60
Rudolph Wick	5 60
Geo. H Flagg	2
Frank Kl by	5 60
Dennis Kirmush	7 40
F M Fowler	5 60
Wm Synnouns	9 20
W H Smith	2 20
E. Potter	2 20
M Hanson	4 60
A L Clark	2
F H Sherwood	7 60
Truman Butler Circuit court witnesses	
Mrs. E. Lowe	21 20
Chas. Brough	5 60
Archie F. Leonard	8
C. Liscum	16
Wm. Kennedy	19 40
W. B. Lettman	53 60
Carlton Lewis	11 20
Mr. J. E. Little	16
Mr. J. E. Little	16
Mrs. Hamlip	16
Mrs. E. Deers	16
Peter Bergerson Juror	9 80
Samuel Adams	4 60
Chas. Erickson	8 60
Edward Anderson	8 60
Martin Hoven Grand Juror	20 40
Edmund Oleen	19 60
John Boyd	18 60
Geo. C. Beaver	18 80
Nels Downing	21 60
Jos. W. Barr	25 60
Geo. W. Mackinster	20 60
Washington Muckle Juror	3
Andrew Coleman	12
Martin Freeburg	39 60
Frank Kilby	49 80
Geo. W. Ramsey	37 80
A. L. Clark	49 80
Albert Freeman	55 20
Peter Mayers	55 80
Frank George	51
Jas. F. Rice	53 40
Amos Erickson	75 60
Axel Chellberg	54 60
G. J. Jasper	55 60
F. Gleniecki	48 60
E. Garrison	55 20
H. Reynolds	54

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August 3, 4, 5, 14, 15, 16, 17, 21, 22, 25, 28, 29 and 30
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