

When You See Wellington's Lines we know

where you will buy your goods in the future

**Why We
Have Grown**
The Quality of Goods Wellington Carries is responsible for the big growth of his store to it's present dimensions

Quality and Quantity always our Slogan will be the fundamental consideration underlying all transactions.



Every Day

Should be one of perfect satisfaction and comfort. It will be so if your feet are well shod in a pair of Wellington's shoes.

You know the name. All the people in town know it. Its the name that stands for the best there is.

WELLINGTON

16 lbs. Sugar.....	\$1.00	6 lbs. Broken Rice.....	.25	3 cans Sifting Top Lye.....	.25
2 pkgs. Malta Vita.....	.15	3 cans Carnation or Sun Rise Milk.....	.25	3 cans Swift's Pride Cleanser.....	.25
Pure Lard, 5 lbs.....	.75	3 cans Tomatoes.....	.25	2--10c Bottles Bluing.....	.15
Pure Lard, 10 lbs.....	1.45	3 cans Corn.....	.25	1 large Bottle Catsup.....	.15
Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon.....lb.	.18	3 cans Beans.....	.25	All 5c pkgs. Tobacco.....	6 for .25
Sugar Cured Hams.....lb.	.17	3 pkgs Gloss, Corn or Celluloid Starch.....	.25	All 10c pkgs. Tobacco.....	3 for .25
Smoked Salmon.....lb.	.15	4 pkgs. Saratoga Chips.....	.25	Coffee.....	.25, 30, 35 and 45c
		3 pkgs. Raisins.....	.25	Try a can of Fairmont Coffee at.....	45c

J.H. Wellington

Phone 17---Call Us Up
ONE PRICE QUICK SERVICE

the Oregon Mist

Founded 1881

Published Every Wednesday and Saturday by the Mist Publishing Company

Entered as second class matter January 10, 1881, at the post office at Saint Helens, Oregon, under the act of March 3rd, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Per year.....\$1.50
Six months......75
Advertising rates made known on application. Legal notices 25 cents per line.

County Official Paper

Taxes are being paid into the sheriff's office at a rapid rate these days, a great many people taking advantage of the 3 percent rebate if paid before March 15th. On every hand there is much speculation as to the cause of the high taxes this year and a great deal of objection. Just what the causes are for all the raises in the county is hard to explain, but right here in St. Helens the principal cause is that many important improvements have been made during the past year and must be paid for. The State Tax from Columbia County in 1910 was \$23,000 and this year it is \$51,000, an increase of considerably over 100 per cent and yet the appropriations for State government were less than 10 per cent more in 1911 than in 1909. Just why the taxes in Columbia County are so high, or rather so much higher than last year, is hard to explain.

Those people who failed to hear Governor Hoch, of Kansas, deliver his "Message from Kansas" at the City Hall last Monday night, surely missed something. The

message was full of sound advice and information concerning progressive Kansas, and the way the Governor handled his subject, showed that he was fully alive to the necessity of progressive laws and legislation. He handled such subjects as the Trusts, the Liquor question, Railroad transportation and other great public questions of the times. He is an orator and a thinker and held the closest attention of his audience for about an hour and a half.

His lecture was a fitting climax to the popular People's Lyceum Course held during the winter and was without doubt one of the most interesting numbers of the entire course.

Notice to the Public.

The two leading magazines of the Pacific Coast, the Pacific Monthly and the Sunset, have been consolidated under the title of "Sunset—the Pacific Monthly."

It is the intention of the publishers to spare no money nor effort to make "Sunset—the Pacific Monthly" a credit to the West and a magazine of national value and importance.

To introduce it to new readers, we will make the following special offer: Send 5c in stamps, and we will put your name on our subscription list for the next four months, and will send you free a copy of the superbly illustrated Mid-Winter number, and also the famous Sunset in its poster, securely packed in a mailing tube. It will make a beautiful ornament for your home or office.

Send your order to Fred Loukle, Northwest Press Manager, Sunset—Pacific Monthly, Portland, Oregon.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the City Recorder of the City of St. Helens up to 5 o'clock P. M. on Monday Feb. 26, 1912 for the improvements to be made on Hemlock Street in the City of St. Helens. Specifications and profile can be examined at the office of M. E. Miller, City Atty. in the City Hall and at the office of Judge Dart in the Court House. A certified check for 5 percent of the amount of the bid will be required to accompany each bid. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids for cause.

By order of the City Council.
Feb. 12, 1912.
J. Q. Gage, City Recorder.

**PAPER HANGING
AND
KALSO MINING
E. A. ROSS
COLUMBIA PARK
LEAVE ORDERS
AT THE BANK**

FOR SALE—One horse harness and wagon and household goods.

G. H. Rylander
Feb-10-4-1 Warren, Ore.

Any person dumping garbage or rubbish after this date on my property or in the street or streets adjoining same will be prosecuted under the statutes of Oregon for committing a nuisance and for trespass.

J. B. Godfrey.

WANTED AGENT

To handle best Automobile built in America. Exclusive in this Country. Built by Old Time Line Manufacturer. Life guarantee. Self Starting. Long Wheel Base. No deposit required. Prefer dealer now in business, but will consider live people who will enter business. This agency includes a complete Correspondence Sales Course. Largest discount ever offered. Deal direct with Factory. Address Sales Manager, 690 Wash. St., Portland, Ore.

Notice Closing Streams

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That, WHEREAS, the State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners of the State of Oregon, the Board of Fish Commissioners of the State of Oregon and the United States Bureau of Fisheries have propagated and stocked, and are propagating and stocking the waters of the Willamette and Clackamas rivers, in the State of Oregon, with salmon fish; and

Eggs for Hatching

From Single Comb BUFF LEG-HORNS and Single Comb BUFF ORPINGTONS.

\$1.25 per Setting of 15 Guarantee Good Hatches

Albert D. Larson

E. F. D. No 1. GOBLE Ore.

WHEREAS, said streams are frequented by salmon fish, and for the purpose of protecting the same, the said State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners has decided to close the said Willamette river, and its tributaries, below and north of the falls thereof, at Oregon City, and all of the Clackamas river, and its tributaries, to prevent fishing therein, by any means whatever, except with hook and line, commonly called angling, for salmon fish, during the period of time hereinafter specified.

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by said State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners that said Willamette river, and its tributaries, below and north of the falls thereof, at Oregon City, and all of said Clackamas river, and its tributaries, are and each of them is hereby closed to fishing, by any means whatever, except with hook and line, commonly called angling, for salmon fish between twelve o'clock noon, on the 1st day of March, 1912, and twelve o'clock noon on the 1st day of May, 1912; and it is and will be unlawful to fish for, or take, or catch any salmon fish by any means whatever, except with hook and line, commonly called angling in any of said waters during the said period of time above specified.

Any and all persons whomsoever so fishing in violation of this notice will be prosecuted as by law provided.

C. K. Cranston, President
J. F. Hughes, Secretary
Geo. H. Kelly
M. J. Kinney
C. F. Stone.

Constituting State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners.

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C. I. Hooghirk, Master.

RAILROAD TIME.

Leaves Rainier daily (except Sunday) for Portland, at 6 A. M., departing from St. Helens at 8 o'clock. Returning, leaves Portland at 2:30 P. M., arriving at St. Helens at 4:45.

Passengers and Fast Freight.

FOR PORTLAND DAILY
PORTLAND LANDING, ALDER ST.

FOR PORTLAND DAILY

STEAMER

AMERICA

Leaves St. Helens 6:00 A. M.
Arrives at Portland 10:30 A. M.
Leaves Portland at 2:30 P. M.
Arrives St. Helens at 6:30 P. M.

FREE DELIVERY

In Houlton and St. Helens

OF ALL MEATS OR PRODUCE BOUGHT AT THE SHOP OF

WELCH & CHAMBERS

WHO CARRY

Fresh and Cured Meats, Vegetables, and Produce

PHONE 40. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

PHONE 11



B. I. PLUMMER, Prop.

The Central Market

Is Situated at the Corner of WINTER and WILLAMETTE STS. St. Helens, Oregon

SEE THAT NEW BUILDING!!

Which Means an Increase of Business

Free Delivery Phone Me Your Order

A SPECIAL INVITATION.

St Helens, Ore., 1912.

Mr. Wage earner;

You are cordially invited to call at our store and inspect our large stock of general merchandise. Then make known your wants and we will quote you prices, quality considered, that cannot be duplicated in the city. Give us a trial.

Yours For Business.

H. MORGUS & SON