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## County Official Paper

Last week there was a Home Industries Day celebrated in Oregon, the object of which was to display the products of Oregon and stimulate an interest in the manufacture and use of Oregon made goods. In other words it was an effort on the part of manufacturers to create such an interest in home made goods as would result in their use by Oregon people in preference to goods made in some other state. It was a good move. Oregon made goods should be the choice of Oregon people, when price and quality are equal. What applies to the state in this way applies with equal or greater force to the particular city trade of each locality. The reason for the use of Oregon made goods by Oregon people when brought a little closer home applies with the same force to the St. Helens goods by St. Helens people. It applies to the patronizing of St. Helens business houses by St. Helens people, instead of the purchasing of Portland goods by St. Helens people, where quality and price are equal. The business firms of this city are carrying up to date stock of merchandise in the several lines represented here, and at prices that are lower than the same goods sell for in Portland. There is no good reason for St. Helens people going outside the city for anything necessary in the ordinary course of living. The only reason that can possibly be set forth for going away is that there may be a larger assortment to choose from in Portland, but there is certainly assortment enough here to please the most particular buyers. Instances of these facts are many and we cite a few of them here so that the attention of the St. Helens people who do shopping in Portland may know that there are advantages in trading at home by reason of the quality and price as well as the support of home business firms which they are entitled to.

If our readers in St. Helens will take up this paper and glance over the list of home business firms who are advertising their wares then call on them and compare prices, taking quality into consideration, they will find that money can be saved by trading right here.

Take the case of the new furniture store of Sherwood & Ross in this city; look up their prices and compare them with the prices for the same goods in Portland and you will see where you save from 10 to 25 per cent on most anything you want in their line. Chairs that are advertised in Portland papers at different furniture houses at a special sale, too for \$3.75 and \$4.00 can be found at the store of Sherwood & Ross at \$3 to \$3.25. The identical goods too. Nearly all other articles the same way. This being the case, is not the local firm entitled to your trade?

Take a list of your grocery wants with you and visit the store of C. H. John & Co., in this city and there you will find the best grade of groceries at prices that Portland merchants cannot beat by any means and in most cases the local merchant sell cheaper than does the city merchant. Or go out to the new store of the Italian Importing Co. on the Houlton road and look over their stock of groceries and provisions. You will not find a store in Portland carrying the same class of goods that will compare in prices and accommodation with the Italian Importing Co. In the clothing and dry goods line, a business which requires considerable capital to run and you will find better bargains right at home than you will in the city. Look over the stock of

men's suits for instances kept by M. Sallan in the bank building. You will find suits there for \$20 that will cost you \$25 in Portland. These are absolutely the same goods as the Portland goods and yet some people think they can do better by trading in the city. H. Morgus & Son always keep on hand a large and complete stock of dry goods and furnishings that equal a great many stocks carried in Portland, and for bargains in anything carried by Morgus & Son no other firm can equal it. They have been doing business in this city for years and have kept up with the times. Their stock is large enough and new enough to compare with any of the stores of like character and size in any of the cities.

The matter of going to the city for other things such as jewelry books plumbing supplies etc. should not be done either, for in this city we have one of the most complete and up-to-date jewelry store and watch repair shops in the state, conducted by Von A. Gray who is an experienced workman and carries a fine stock of watches, clocks, diamonds and other jewelry, and his prices will compare favorably with any house of the kind and quality in the city. If books or fine stationery, fountain pen supplies and toilet articles are wanted one need go no further than to A. J. Deming's drug store where everything in these lines are carried and at prices lower than can be found in the city for the same quality of goods. In the line of plumbing supplies R. Constantin carries a line sufficient to meet all the demands of a city the size of St. Helens and he does first class work at less than Portland prices. Then take the St. Helens laundry, a plant fully equipped for handling all the business of the city and in first class shape too, yet there are numbers of people who send their laundry to Portland. Of course these firms mentioned are not the only ones in the city who carrying large stocks and whose prices are lower than Portland prices, but we have taken the names of these firms from the advertising columns of the Mist as representatives of the business firms of the city. Then we may say that what has already been said about the St. Helens firms for St. Helens people with equal force to Houlton people, and Houlton firms. Let the Houlton people take a trip through the large store of White & White, for example, take a note of the large varied stock of goods handled by this wide awake firm and they will have no cause to go to Portland to trade. Also step into the store of Mr. Baseel and get some of his prices and you will be astonished at the bargains offered. There are other firms in Houlton too and deserving of support but, as is the case in St. Helens, we have taken these business firms from the ad columns of the Mist and cite them as instances.

While on this subject it may be well to call the attention of the people of this city and vicinity to the fact that the printery of the Oregon Mist is prepared to handle all kinds of printing, takes all kinds of job work, no jobs too small nor too large so that there can be and is no reason or justice in any person, firm or corporation, municipal or otherwise, in sending away for printing.

In this article we have plain facts which can and will be substantiated if any person will take the trouble to visit any of the business houses mentioned or any of the other business houses in these towns. Home people should patronize home industries and home markets. By following this plan every citizen in the community will be benefited and the people who maintain the city and county government by payment of taxes etc. will get the trade that they are justly entitled to and buyers of merchandise will save many dollars during a year's time.

### WARREN

A pleasant surprise party was given Harold Carlson last Thursday evening, Nov. 21, the occasion being his birthday. Those present were Misses Mary and Emmie Dahlgren, Segrid Anderson, Elenoy and Myrtle Larson, Ella Muhr and Matilda Carlson, Messrs. Ernest Anderson, Emil and Carl Muhr, Arvid

## Portland "SPECIAL" Sales Exposed

Glance in at our windows on your next trip down town. We have cut out of last Sundays Oregonian some of the so-called "special bargains", advertised by the large furniture stores of Portland and we invite you to compare the photos and furniture in the window, also our prices and those advertised.

We would be pleased to have you cut out any advertised bargains that might attract your attention in any of the papers, bring it to our store, and we guarantee to give you a better price on the same article for the reason that it does not cost us so much to do business as the Portland dealer. MAKE US PROVE IT

## Sherwood & Ross

FURNITURE DEALERS  
UNDERTAKERS-EMBALMERS ST. HELENS

Anderson, Emil Hammerback, Sam	5 60
Dahlgren, Arthur Lindahl and Harold Carlson. A general good time was enjoyed by all.	4 00
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hazen Nov. 25th a son.	2 20
There was a Thanksgiving sermon in the morning and program in the evening of Nov. 28th at the Swedish Lutheran church.	4 20
At N. F. Baker's there was quite a pig killing the other day and as a result nine good sized porkers were shipped to Frank L. Smith's market in Portland next day.	4 00
The pupils of Warren school gave the following program Wednesday afternoon at the school house:	4 00
America School	5 60
Reception, A Thanksgiving Dinner, Welborn.	5 60
Dialogue, The Story of a Seed, 5 pupils.	12 40
Recitation, The Turkey, Theodore Peterson.	6 10
Song, Thanksgiving Song, nine little girls.	31 40
Recitation, Tough time for the Turkey, Ruth Peterson and Signe Anderson.	36 60
Dialogue, What We're Thankful For, 3 boys and 3 girls.	8 20
Recitation, Kitty's Thanksgiving, Mildred Lowrey.	6 00
Recitation, Freedom Thanksgiving, Fannie Cooper.	5 60
Song, Oh The Sports of Childhood, all.	5 60
Dialogue, Oh that Dreadful Boy, 5 pupils.	2 00
Recitation, Laura Farr.	2 20
Dialogue, A Thanksgiving Lesson, 4 pupils.	5 60
Recitation, My Thanksgiving, Theodore Cooper.	5 60
Song, October's Party, 6 pupils.	5 60
Recitation, Thanksgiving in Old Virginia, Curtis Cooper.	5 60
Recitation, Six little Turkeys, Edwin Isaneson.	5 60
Recitation, Dewey Larsen.	5 60
Recitation, The Wild Goose Chase, Ellen Almqvist.	5 60
Dialogue, Goin' Somewhere, Dewey Ream and Ruth Hendrickson.	5 60
Dialogue, Ten Little Pumpkin Faces, 10 boys.	5 60
Song, Silver Threads Among The Gold, 6 girls.	5 60
After the program cake and coffee were sold to all who wished it. The program was very good, as were also the refreshments, and were enjoyed by all.	5 60
Mrs. Lewis of Seattle is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Sandstrom.	5 60
John Johnson came up from Quincy and visited his home folks for the week end.	5 60
Julius Boesel met with an accident the other day similar to that which his brother F. Boesel suffered sometime ago. One finger was nearly cut off by the wood saw.	5 60

To be Continued

Kistner I W Juror	5 60
Hinson W T	4 00
Tarbell Guy	2 20
Kelley A J	4 20
Walker C C	4 00
Richardson D W	4 00
Frick C C	5 60
Bell J L	5 60
Christensen Hans	12 40
Nelson Isaac	6 10
Woods Albert	31 40
Jones Grant	36 60
Kyser Geo M	8 20
Lovelace R N	6 00
Haynes Henry	5 60
Stacey Jack	5 60
Cade H W	2 00
Kelley G R	2 20
Hollenbeck Geo W	5 60
Stewart W D	5 60
Young E M	5 60
Jones Grant W	13 60
McCasky F O	9 60
Campbell Forrest	5 60
Fish Kenneth	5 60
Adams Fred	4 40
Thomas Guy I	5 60
Parker A M	11 20
Thurston John	8 40
Boysen Palu Chr	8 40
Abbott Fred	4 00
Nelson Olof	5 60
Ruby R J	7 60

AMOUNT REJECTED	
Welch R L Hall rent	2 50
DISTRICT ROAD FUND	
DIST. NO. 1	
Frazier Jas	\$10 00
DIST. NO. 2	
Ekstrom G H	20 00
DIST. NO. 3	
Contractors Equipment Co	167 10
McIntyre P	7 50
Felton E	32 00
Popjoy A	18 00
Nichols T N	6 25
Vinecent D	8 75
McIntyre A	21 00
Kettel W	15 00
Hattan R	1 25
Eversaul E	11 25
Woodward J	17 50
Morris C	5 00

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Hattan R 1 25  
Eversaul E 11 25  
Woodward J 17 50  
Morris C 5 00

## St. Helens Transfer Co.

Phone 15  
General Transfer and Drayage  
Dealers in  
Brick, Cement, Feed, Sand and Shingles  
Agents for STUDEBAKER Wagons and Vehicles  
Barn Opposite School House

## St. Helens Mill Co.

Electric Lighting (Saves Your Eyes)  
Steam Heating (Prolongs Your Lives)  
Lath Wood Lumber

### ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters unclaimed in the St. Helens, Ore. Post office for the week end, November 23, 1912.  
Ema Barker, 1 letter  
J. P. Bennett, 1 letter  
Mrs. Corliss Cate, 1 letter  
R. V. Raby, 1 letter  
Miss Zola Wilkinson, 1 letter  
Letters unclaimed by December 7, will be sent to the Dead-Letter office.  
M. C. Gray, P. M.

### Court Proceedings Continued

Perry Henry Guard at Election	3 00
Hall W L Election Board	14 00
Weed Judson	9 00
Lane B F	9 00
Sjencer Israel	9 00
Beeghly U M	9 00
Sitts G H	9 00
Stacy J W Witness; State vs Lovelace	2 00
Dart James Cash to paupers	10 30
Dart James Postage & Express	1 00
Farr John Commissioner	38 42
Tichenor W K	33 20

## WHITE & WHITE Houlton, Ore.

WE ARE CLOSING OUT our Men's and Boy's Suits and in order to do so have cut the price 20 per cent. It will pay you to come and look through our stock. Our Furniture Department is bigger and better than ever, and our sales are increasing every month. We can save you money in this department. A big stock of Men's Heavy Underwear and Work Shirts, Logger's Shirts, Rain Coats, Rubbers, Boots and Hats. The "WALK-OVER SHOE" is still in the lead—Good leather, good styles and perfect fits. A large assortment to choose from. A good selection of Outing Flannels and Duckling Fleece from 10 to 15 cents per yard. Dress Patterns in all wool, half wool and cotton. Granite Ware, Tinware and Stoves. Heating Stoves from \$2.00 to \$20.00  
We deliver goods to any part of St. Helens or Houlton.  
Yours for Business  
**WHITE & WHITE**

### Professional Cards

**DR. L. GILBERT ROSS**  
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON  
Office Bank Bldg. Both Phones St. Helens

**DR. EDWIN ROSS**  
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON  
St. Helens Oregon

**T. S. WHITE**  
FUNERAL DIRECTOR  
LICENSED EMBALMER  
Houlton Oregon

**DR. ALFRED J. PEEL**  
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON  
Bank Building St. Helens

## CENTRAL MARKET

DEALERS IN  
Fresh and Cured Meats  
Fish and Poultry, Produce  
Your Orders Solicited Good Prices Full Weight  
Phone 60 St. Helens, Ore.

Watches Clocks  
**VON A. GRAY**  
Watchmaker and Jeweler. All Work Guaranteed.  
Optical Goods St. Helens Or.

## Allen, Felton & Quick

REAL ESTATE DEALERS  
INVESTMENTS, RENTALS, INSURANCE, COLLECTIONS, LOANS, LAND TITLE, APPRAISMENTS, ADMINISTRATOR, GUARDIAN, FISCAL AGENT, CONVEYANCE, EXECUTOR, INFORMATION AND EMPLOYMENT  
ST. HELENS OREGON

## THE GREAT DAY

is approaching and it requires table ornaments of practical nature—that is good eatables. The turkey needs attendants in the way of good, pure Groceries, Cranberries, Mince Meat, Nuts, Fruits, Plum Pudding, etc. If you want to be able to give hearty thanks for quality in this line, order your Groceries here, and get satisfaction for little cash.

## C. H. JOHN & COMPANY

All Work Guaranteed. Estimates Furnished.  
**R. CONSTANTIN**  
Plumbing and Heating  
Sheet Metal Work  
St. Helens Oregon

## 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**

## CROUSE & KETEL

Have Opened Shop in the Morgus Building on Columbia S., next to the St. Helens Hotel, and are prepared to do anything in the building line.  
Jobbing at Reasonable Prices Plans and Estimates Furnished  
E. A. CROUSE E. W. KETEL