LOCAL.

Primary election will be April 20. Friday for luck.

Mrs. A. P. Usher has been quite ill with rheumatism.

The new butcher took charge of the shop in St. Helens Monday.

Dan Gilson has been blasting stumps and improving his ranch lately.

S. Saxson has moved out to Bachelor Flats where he will reside in the future.

Rev. Kemp of Rainier attended the quarterly meeting at Houlton Tuesday.

Al Popejoy is counter jumber at at Baily & Brinus' in place of James Cox.

J. D. McKay and wife of Scappoose were Houlton visitors the first of the week.

The painter is puting the finishing touches on N. A. Perry's two new cottages.

Several new men have been employed by McKie in the stone quarry near Houlton.

Houlton Lodge No 189, I. O. O. F. will have work in the initiatory next Thursday night.

Otto Malmsten and wife of Vernonia passed through Houlton enroute for Portland, Tuesday.

C. B. McKee, passed through Houlton on the A. & C. enroute for Portland Tuesday morning.

A sister of Mrs. T. W. Robinson came down from Portland and spent a day or two last week visiting.

Forest Cox was up from Cathlemett and spent Sunday with friends. He is getting to be quite a logger.

We are pleased to learn that W. D. Case is improving in health and will soon be able to be about again.

James Moneyhan took in the encampment at Portland Saturday night and returned to Cathlamett Sunday.

Mrs. Wilkerson, who has been visiting with her son Segil at Centralia, Wash. returned home last week.

P. I. Mitchell has been hanging his nets and making preparations to go fishing as soon as the season opens.

Uncle John Pringle of Vernonia was in Houlton Tuesday on his way to Portland. He looks hale and hearty.

R. H. Bailey was taken with another attack of asthma and was compelled to go to the Dalles Sunday for his health

Sick headache results from a derangement of the stomach and is cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by Perry & Graham.

Several contractors have been down looking over the plans for the courthouse. Bids will be opened next Tuesday.

Lumber is being hauled on the ground for W. A. Ketel's new residence just south of the Mathews hotel, and, well, more anon.

Messrs Henderson and Timmons made a visit to Rainier Wednesday and bring back howling tributes of praise for the Metripolitan city.

A Mr. Stewart living out towards Yankton lost his house and household goods by fire Wednesday night. We were unable to learn particulars before going to press.

Seventy two columns of good live reading matter is what the Register claims as against 28 columns in the Mist and 40 columns in the Rainier Review. Or in other words as much reading as both of them.

It is with regret that we learn of the serious illness of Mrs. Lavelle Pratt. She went to Portland Wednesday, where she will remain with an aunt. It is hoped that her affliction is not so serious as that of her sister Daisy, she has an incessant cough and her physicians entertain fears for her lungs.

At the M. E. Quarterly conference held in Houlton last Tuesday, Rev Clyde Stewart after three months probation was granted a local license in the Methodist ministry, and was appointed to take charge of the Nehalem and Bay City Circuit. Clyde is a fine young man and we are pleased to hear of his promotion.

John Watson Philbrook, who has been appointed as teacher in the Philippines, will leave April 29 on the Minnesota for Manila. Mr. Philbrook has just finished his sophomore year in the medical department at Willamette university. Later he expects to complete his course and take up medicine as his life work. Another Columbia county boy to the front. We are glad to hear of Mr. Philbrooks appointment and are sure he will merit the trust reposed in him.

Charles G. Caples, an aged pioneer of Oregon died at his home in Columbia City Tuesday afternoon after an illness of many months. Death was caused by cancer of the stomach, from which he had been suffering more than a year. Mr. Caples came to Oregon in 1844, and since then had lived most of the time in Oregon City. He was 73 years o age. The deceased was a distant relative of Judge Caples and was well known throughout Oregon. He leaves a wife and five children. The funeral was largely attended and was conducted from his residence. He was buried in Germany hill cemetery.

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Houlton should have a good base ball team.

The county commissioners will convene next Tuesday to consider bids for the court house.

Marion Fowler has filed his petition for nomination on the democratic ticket for county commissioner.

Thirteen is an unlucky number—that is the number of votes Billy Powell got for councilman in the recent St. Helens city election.

N. A. Perry is remodeling the post office department in his store to meet the ever increasing demands for better mail facilities.

H. E. Reinier, the millright at the cooperage, came over and gave us a helping hand in applying power to our presses, for which he has our thanks.

A young lady visited St. Helens last week, and the Oregon Mist could think of nothing else to say so he said she is also a candidate to represent Columbia county.

The Register has installed a new gasoline "Stover" engine, and can boast of having a power press. By the way, we suppose our readers have noted the improvement in size of the paper.

Houlton Lodge No. 189, I. O. O. F. will celebrate the anniversary of its institution next Saturday evening. among the speakers expected to be present are G. W. Welch of Marshland and Hon. Thos. Ryan of Oregon City.

St. Helens held her annual city election last Monday. James Dart was chosen president of the council. The new councilmen elected are R. S. Hattan, John McKie, A. T. Laws and Martin White re-elected. Treasurer E. E. Quick, Recorder J. B. Godfrey, Marshal Frank George.

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The bolt cutters out at the Cooperage Co's camp expect to clean up their work and break up camp in about two weeks. The work of the bolt cutter is done during the rainy season and he takes his vacation in the summer at some seaside resort. A happy life that.

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Queen Esther Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Houlton initiated two new members last Tuesday evening. Mrs. E. J. Mitchell was elected delegate to the Grand assembly.

Chamberlain's Salve.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HERBERT E. RICE, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Herbert E. Rice deceased by the Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon. Any and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the administrator, verified according to law, at the office of W. C. Fisher, attorney at law, at Rainier, Oregon, within six months from the date thereof.

Dated at Rainier, Oregon, April 4th, 1906.

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Administrator.

W. C. Fischer, attorney for the administrator.

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MASQUERADE.

The Vernonia Grange will give a masquerade social at the Muckle Hall in Vernonia, April 7th, 1906. Admission 25 cents for all over twelve years of age. The proceeds go toward building their hall.

April showers will awaken the sweet May flowers.

Is The Moon Inhabited.

Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite; but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth of ours; especially those who don't know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills and Fever, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Torpid Liver and Female Weaknesses. Unequaled as a general Tonic and Appetizer for weak persons and especially the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed. Price only 50c. Perry & Graham.

REGISTRATION.

The following is the registration by precincts up to Wednesday morning.

Column headed "R" indicates number of Republicans registered.

	Total	R
Apiary	13	6
Auburn	106	47
Beaver Falls	41	23
Clatskanie	271	107
Deer Island	31	22
Goble	91	72
Marshland	25	14
Nehalem	17	43
Oak Point	63	44
Rainier	225	158
Scappoose	79	57
Union	193	144
Warren	76	34
Total	1282	771

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PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, the Secretary of the State of Oregon has notified me in writing that pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled "An Act making effective the initiative and referendum provisions of Section 1 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, and regulating elections thereunder, and providing penalties for violations of provisions of this act," approved February 24, 1903, the People's Power League of Oregon duly filed in his office on February 3rd, 1906, an initiative petition containing 8,327 signatures properly attached to a copy of said measure, certified in accordance with law, demanding that a proposed amendment to Section 1 and 2 of Articles XVII of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, shall be submitted to the legal voters of the State of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the general election to be held in said state on the 4th day of June, being the first Monday in June 1906, designated by said People's Power League of Oregon as "Constitutional amendment providing method of amending Constitution and applying the referendum to all laws affecting constitutional conventions and amendments," which proposed amendment is hereinafter set forth,

NOW THEREFORE, I, Geo E. Chamberlain, Governor of the State of Oregon, in obedience to the provisions of said act hereinbefore mentioned, do hereby make and issue this Proclamation to the people of the State of Oregon, announcing that the People's Power League of Oregon has filed said initiative petition with the requisite number of signatures thereto attached demanding that there be submitted to the legal voters of the State of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the regular election to be held on the 4th day of June, 1906, said day being the first Monday in said month, a proposed amendment of Sections 1 and 2 of Article XVII of the Constitution of the State of Oregon; designated by said League as Constitutional amendment providing method of amending Constitution and applying the referendum to all laws affecting constitutional conventions and amendments," which said proposed amendment is as follows:

"Sections 1 and 2 of Article XVII of the Constitution of the State of Oregon shall be and hereby are amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. Any amendment or amendments to this Constitution may be proposed in either branch of the legislative assembly, and if the same shall be agreed to by a majority of all the members elected to each of the two houses, such proposed amendment or amendments, shall, with the yeas and nays thereon, be entered in their journals and referred by the secretary of state to the people for their approval or rejection, at the next regular general election, except when the legislative assembly shall order a special election for that purpose. If a majority of the electors voting on any such amendment shall vote in favor thereof, it shall thereby become part of this Constitution. The votes for and against such amendment, or amendments, severally, whether proposed by the legislative assembly or by initiative petition, shall be canvassed by the secretary of the state in the presence of the governor, and it shall appear to the governor that the majority of the votes cast at said election on said amendment or amendments, severally, are cast in favor thereof, it shall be his duty forthwith after such canvass, by his proclamation to declare the said amendment or amendments, severally, having received said majority of votes to have been adopted by the people of Oregon as part of the Constitution thereof, and the same shall be in effect as a part of the Constitution from the date of such proclamation. When two or more amendments shall be submitted in the manner aforesaid to the voters of this state at the same election they shall be so submitted that each amendment shall be voted on separately. No convention shall be called to amend or propose amendments to this Constitution, or to propose a new Constitution unless the law providing for such convention shall first be approved by the people on a referendum vote at a regular election. This article shall not be construed to impair the right of the people to amend this Constitution by vote upon an initiative petition therefor."

Done at the Capitol at Salem, this 28th day of February, A. D., 1906.

(Signed) GEO. E. CHAMBERLAIN.
Governor.

By the Governor:
(Signed) F. I. DUNBAR,
Secretary of State.

[SEAL]

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WHEREAS, the Secretary of State of the State of Oregon, has notified me in writing that pursuant to the provision of an act entitled "An Act making effective the initiative and referendum provisions of Section 1 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, and regulating elections thereunder and providing penalties for violations of provisons of this act,", approved February 24, 1903, the Oregon State Grange duly filed in his office on February 3d, 1906, an initiative petition containing 7,648 signatures properly attached to a copy of said measure, certified in accordance with law, demanding that a proposed law, the title, tenor and effect of which is hereinafter particularly set forth, shall be submitted to the legal voters of the State of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the general election to be held in said state on the 4th day of June, being the first Monday in June, 1906

Now, Therefore, I, Geo. E. Chamberlain, Governor of the State of Oregon, in obedience to the provisions of said act hereinbefore mentioned, do hereby make and issue this Proclamation to the people of the State of Oregon, announcing that the Oregon State Grange has filed said initiative petition with the requisite number of signatures thereto attached demanding that there shall be submitted to the legal voters of the State of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the regular election to be held on the 4th day of June, 1906, said day being the first Monday in said month, a bill to propose by initiative petition a bill entitled "A Bill to propose by initiative petition a law to provide additional revenue for state purposes; to levy a license on the gross earnings of Sleeping car companies, Refrigerator car companies and Oil companies; defining a Sleeping car company, a Refrigerator car company and an Oil company within the meaning of this act; defining the manner of ascertaining the amount of such gross receipts; a penalty for violating the provisions of this act," the tenor and effect of which in brief is:

First: To require every Sleeping car company, Refrigerator car company and Oil company to pay in addition to taxes now provided for by law, a license of three per centum upon the gross earnings of such companies annually to the treasurer of the state.

Second: To particularly define each of said companies included within the terms of said act.

Third: To provide the manner of ascertaining the amount of such gross receipts by requiring the proper officers of such companies, as particularly mentioned in said bill, to transmit to the state treasurer on or before the 1st day of March of each year a statement under oath of the gross receipts of such companies from business transacted within the state during the preceeding year ending December 31st, and giving in such statement information as to the name of the firm, company, business or corporation; the nature of the business transacted by it; the location of its principal office and under what laws it is organized, and whom, if any one, it represents, and in certain cases provided by the bill whose wares it handles; the name, address and place of residence of the proprietor, chief officer or managing agent of the business or company in the State of Oregon; a detailed statement of the real estate owned by the firm or company in the State of Oregon, where situated and the value thereof as assessed for taxation.

Fourth: To provide for the taxation of ten per centum additional to said license fees in case of a failure to make the statement or to pay the license required to be made or paid by the terms of said act, and to provide the method of collection thereof.

Fifth: To provide that if any officer of any company or corporation or other person mentioned in said bill shall fail, refuse or neglect to make and file the annual statements therein required to be made for thirty days after the 1st day of March in each year, on conviction thereof he shall be punished by a fine of not less than $500.00 nor more than $1,000 00, or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than thirty days nor more than six months, or by both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court, and making it the duty of the district attorney of the proper judicial district to commence and prosecute for violations of said bill in any court of competent jurisdiction an action at law to enforce said penalty.

Done at the Capitol at Salem, this 28th day of February A. D. 1906.

(Signed) GEO. E. CHAMBERLAIN,
Governor.

By the Governor:
(Signed) F. I. DUNBAR,
Secretary of State,

[SEAL]

Calls for Sealed Bids for the Erection of a Courthouse Building.

Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, will, on April 10th, 1906, at 10 a. m. consider bids for the erection of a Courthouse building at the City of St. Helens in said County and State according to the Plans and Specifications of the Architects Messrs Hendricks and Toby, of Labbe Building, Portland, Oregon, and to be completed by January 1st, 1907; and also for furnishing the materials to be "furnished by owner", to wit; vault doors, jail fittings etc as set fourth in said specifications.

All bids should be addressed to H. Henderson, County Clerk, St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the order of the County Treasurer of said County, for 5 per cent of the amount of bid, as security that the bidder will, if his bid is accepted at once enter into a contract with said County Court for the erection of said Courthouse building according to said plans and specifications, and within the time herein allowed.

Plans and Specifications of said Building may be seen and consulted at the office of the County Clerk of said County, at St. Helens or at theoffice of the above named Architects.

The successful bidders will be required to furnish a bond with surities to be approved by said County Court, in the sum of one third the amount of their bid, conditioned upon the faithful performance of any Contract or Agreement entered into between them and said County Court.

The County Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Order of the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, this 10th, day of March, 1906.

H. HENDERSON,
County Clerk.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon for the County of Columbia.

In the matter of the estate of John Kennedy deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Kennedy, deceased, and has qualified: All creditors having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the undersigned by presenting the same duly verified with vouchers attached at the office of John F. Logan, Room 26 Washington building, Portland Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. The date of first publication and the date hereof being Feb. 23, 1906.

L. A. BRANDES, Administrator of the estate of John Kennedy, deceased.
JOHN F. LOGAN, Attorney

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County.

George W. Badger, Plaintiff,
vs.
Tide Creek Lumbering Company a corporation, and F. M. Daniels, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution, issued out of the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause, to me directed and dated the 2 day of March 1906, upon a judgement, decree and order of sale, rendered and entered in said Court and cause on the 16th day of February 1906, in favor of George W. Badger, plaintiff and against the above named defendants, for the sum of $1900.00 together with interest thereon from January 11th, 1905, at the rate of ten per cent per annum until paid, and the further sum of $200.00 attorney's fees and costs and disbursments of this suit taxed at $21.00 and costs of and upon this writ, commanding me to make sale of the following described property to wit:—All timber standing, lying or being upon the North half of the South east quarter of section Thirty one Township Six North of Range Two west of the Willamette Meridian, in Columbia County Oregon. Also all rights and privileges for mill sites rights of Way for logging roads, schutes and other roads, and all interest of defendants in or to over or upon said premises or in or upon the South half of the South east quarter of said section 31 Township 6 North of Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian. Also one 10 x 16 Engine and Boiler complete, Pump, Pines, Fittings and belting, The Saw Mill complete situate upon the above described property, also one sticker or planer and all tools, fixtures, saws, bolts and belting, cables, blocks, blacksmith tools and outfit and everything belonging to or used in and about or connected with said saw mill business.

Now Therefore by virtue of said execution, judgment, order and decree, and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will on Monday the 9th day of April, 1906, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the County Court House in St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, sell at public auction (subject to redemption), to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the within named defendants or either of them had on the 11th day of July, 1905, the date of the mortgage herein foreclosed or since had in or to the above described property and every part thereof, to satisfy said execution, judgement, order and decree, interest, costs and accuring costs.

MARTIN WHITE,
Sheriff of Columbia County Oregon.
Dated this 3rd. day of March, 1906.
First publication, March, 9th, 1906.
Last publication April 6, 1906.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE OF SALE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia county.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Copeland, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of and by virtue of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia county, made on February 28, 1906, in the matter of the estate of Joseph Copeland, deceased, authorizing the administratrix thereof to sell all the real property of said estate at private sale, the undersigned, the administratrix of said estate, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, for cash in U. S. gold coin, and subject to confirmation by said County Court, from and after Saturday the 7th day of April, 1906, continuing said sale until all of said real property, or so much thereof as is necessary to pay all claims, costs and expenses of administration of said estate, has been sold all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Joseph Copeland, deceased, at the time of his death and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has since acquired by operation of law, or otherwise, in and to the following described real property, lying and being in Columbia county, Oregon, to wit:

Beginning at the N. W. corner of a tract of land deeded to Elmer Miller, by deed recorded in book X at page 623, records of deeds of Columbia county, Oregon, thence running northerly, following the eastern line of land of J. M. Grewell, as record in book X at page 564, records of deeds of said County, to the north line of the S. C. Achelles D. L. C.; thence S. 62° E. along the north line of said D. L. C. to the land deeded to Joseph L. and Benjamine R. Copeland, by deed recorded in book X at page 449, records of deeds of said County; thence S. 28° W., following western line of land of said Joseph L. and Benjamine R. Copeland, to the N. E. corner of said Elmer Miller land; thence westerly, following the northern line of said Elmer Miller land to place of beginning, containing 12 acres more or less, in sections 17 & 18, township 4 N, R. 1 west of Willimette meridian:

Also, all that portion of the S. C. Achelles D. L. C. that is bounded on the west by the N. P. Ry right of way; on the south by the I. O. O. F. cemetery; on the east by the County road leading from St. Helens to Portland, Oregon; and on the north by land deeded to Benjamin R. and Joseph L. Copeland, by deed recorded in book X at page 449, of deed records of Columbia county, Oregon, containing 3 acres, more or less, in section 17, township 4 N. R. 1 west of Willamette meridian:

Also, ten acres more or less, of the S. C. Achelles D. L. C. in section 18, township 4 N. R. 1, west of the Willamette meridian, described as beginning at a post on the South line of said S. C. Achelles D. L. C., which post bears south 62° east 34.46 chains from the S. W. corner of said D.L.C.; thence north 15° 57 east 24.95 chains to a post set on the South line of the J. S. Millard tract of land, thence south 88° 55 west to the N. E. Corner of the John Beaver tract, as defined by deed to him of date October 11, 1904, recorded in book 3 of deeds page 518 records of Columbia county, Oregon; thence southerly, along the east boundary of said Beaver's tract, to the S. E. corner thereof, on the southerly line of said Achelles D. L. C. and thence southeasterly to to the point of beginning.

Terms of sale: Cash in United States gold coin; ten per cent, to accompany bid and balance on confirmation by said County Court. All bids to be directed to the undersigned, at Warren Oregon; or at the office of Dillard & Day, St. Helens, Oregon.

Dated at St. Helens, Oregon, March 8, 1906.

MARY D. COPELAND,
Administratrix of the estate of Joseph Copeland, deceased.

First publication, March 9, 1906.

Contest Notice.

Department of The Interior,
United States Land Office,
Portland Oregon, March 10, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Alexander Aeik, contestant, against homestead entry No 13813, made July 27, 1903, for SE ¼ SE ¼ Sec. 21, SW ¼ SW ¼ Sec. 22, NW ¼ NW ¼ Sec. 27, & NE ¼ NE ¼ Section 28, township 5 N. Range 3 W. by Joseph Schulkowski, contestee, in which it is alleged that he is well acquainted, with the tract of land embraced in the said homestead entry and knows the present condition of the same; also that said Joseph Schulkowski, entryman and his heirs, have wholly abandoned said claim, and that they have never resided upon or cultivatid or improved the same since making entry thereof or at all; that said entryman died about Dec. 26, 1901, and the names of the heirs of entryman are unknown, and after diligent search cannot be learned, and the heirs of entryman are unknown and their residence cannot be ascertained, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his, or his heirs, employment in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine, during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engeged. said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock A. M on April 24, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Portland, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 3, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

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