

COUNTY NEWS NOTES FOR EAGLE READERS

Brief Summary of News Notes Chronicled of Doings of County Gathered Especially for Eagle Readers

ROAD IS DANGEROUS—D'Epene hill at St. Helens is considered a dangerous place, according to the Sentinel to both high school pupils and to pedestrians as well.

NEW STAGE LINE—The Pickwick stages are planning on running a stage down the Lower Columbia river highway, beginning the 15th of June, according to reports states the Clatskanie Chief.

RESUMES AFTER BREAKDOWN—The Menefee mill at Rainier has resumed operation after a forced breakdown that occurred a week ago when the entire conveyor crashed to the ground. The whole structure had to be rebuilt.

VAULTING PARSON—Ralph Spearow, former pastor of the Congregational church at St. Helens was high point winner for the Multnomah club at Eugene, winning the pole vault and broad jump and tying for first in the high jump.

FISHING IS POOR—Salmon fishing in the vicinity of St. Helens has been decidedly unsatisfactory, the fishermen barely making expenses. There are about a dozen boats in the county seat vicinity and nineteen on the Rainier drift.

WARREN MAN CONVICTED—A verdict of guilty was returned in the case of Erick Mattson, Warren, who has been on trial in the circuit court in St. Helens on a statutory charge. Judge Eakin fixed Mattson's bail at \$5000 pending an appeal.

INCREASES STAFF—St. Helens looks for the largest enrollment yet when the fall term commences next September and for this reason the school board has hired two additional teachers. Seventeen of last year's teachers have signed contracts to remain another term.

AIDS MESS FUND—The St. Helens chamber of commerce has appointed a committee to raise another \$50 by popular subscription to add to that of the present \$50 for a mess fund for Company K, St. Helens unit of the Oregon National Guard at the coming encampment.

STUDENTS AT COUNTY SEAT About 300 graduates of the eighth grade of the Columbia county schools gathered in St. Helens last Saturday for their annual graduation exercises. The program began with a parade of the students and the teachers. They were guests of the St. Helens chamber of commerce.

GRADUATES 28—The Rainier city schools have closed and of the 30 who took the state eighth grade examination 28 passed the tests. They received their diplomas at the graduation exercises held in St. Helens Saturday at which time practically every eighth grade pupil in the county participated.

LARGE CLASS GRADUATED—The largest graduation class in the history of the St. Helens high school received their diplomas in the county seat town Friday night. The class numbered 37 and have the honor to be the first to be graduated in caps and gowns.

DEDICATE CHURCH—Observance of Memorial day in St. Helens was joined with the dedication of the new \$35,000 Methodist church Sunday. Bishop William O. Shepard, Portland, and Bishop Eben S. Johnson, whose territory comprises Africa and father of Rev. S. Darlow Johnson, pastor of the St. Helens church took part in the dedication.

LUMBERMAN DIES—Joseph Maxfield, 53, lumberman of St. Helens, died suddenly Saturday while sitting at the dinner table at his home from heart trouble. He had been connected with the McCormick Lumber Co. in St. Helens for the past seven years and had charge of all water shipments. He is survived by his widow and one son, Joseph, 15.

SHIPMENTS HEAVY—The Westport Lumber company, with a big sawmill and storage yards at Westport, this month is making the largest shipment of general yard stock lumber in its history. The shipment will be 16,000,000 feet. The mill cuts about 10,000,000 feet of lumber monthly and keeps about 20,000,000 feet in storage. Two shifts are used.

STRANGER GETS MONEY—Nicholas Federici of St. Helens believes at this time that he has been buncoed out of \$300 and prospects of a good job when he loaned the money to a prosperous looking Italian at Longview, who proposed to buy out a hotel and restaurant there. The Italian went to Portland with the pretence of buying additional goods but failed to return.

RAINIER WATER PURE—That the Rainier city water supply is pure

and safe to drink is the opinion of the state health board. Samples of city water and milk from certain dairies were sent to the board to determine if the germs of typhoid were carried in either, in an effort to trace the source of a few cases of typhoid fever which have been reported in that city. It was found that neither the water or milk contained any germs.

NEED CEMENT WALKS—The St. Helens chamber of commerce have been sponsoring for some time the needed improvements for the county seat town of modern cement walks. Considerable complaint has been told the county notes writer by citizens of St. Helens that if the county chamber would concentrate more on the removal of burdock, brush, young trees and grass that now overhang several of the main streets in the residential district, especially on Winter that the town would show a much better improvement.

LICENSE SWITCHER ARRESTED—What officers say is a new system of switching plates, has been brought to light in St. Helens when a state officer arrested R. A. Phair of Wauna on the highway near Warren. Phair was attempting to make his Ford license do both for a Ford and a Hudson he had just purchased. He admitted removing the plates from one car to another. He was fined \$20.

TWO ARE INJURED—Two accidents occurred within ten minutes at Rainier when a crew was loading a lumber schooner at a mill there. A line caught on the winch and swung up where Ray Johnson was working and to avoid being hit by the line he jumped from the deck lead to the deck a distance of ten feet with the result he suffered severe and painful bruises to both feet. About ten minutes later a gang plank on which John Crank was standing was cut loose without warning, letting him down a distance of approximately 14 feet. His knee cap was badly dislocated and he suffered bad bruises. No bones were broken in either case.

HAS PRIZE SLOGAN—Mrs. Neva McKenzie, St. Helens, was winner of first prize in a recent contest just closed and sponsored by the chamber of commerce of that city. Her slogan "Trade Where You're Paid," was pronounced best. The remaining two contributions received prizes as there were only three entered. As the Sentinel says: "That if members of the community take no more interest in the proposed campaign than they did in the contest the game is scarcely worth the powder." May we ask where will the powder come from?

BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR REST OF SEASON June 6—Clatskanie at Camas, St. Helens at Ryderwood, Washouga at Klama, Vernonia at Vancouver. June 13—Camas at Ryderwood, Clatskanie at St. Helens, Klama at Vancouver, Vernonia at Washouga. June 20—Ryderwood at Camas, St. Helens at Clatskanie, Vancouver at Klama, Washouga at Vernonia. June 27—Camas at Clatskanie, Ryderwood at St. Helens, Klama at Washouga, Vancouver at Vernonia. July 11—St. Helens at Camas, Clatskanie at Ryderwood, Vernonia at Kalama, Washouga at Vancouver. July 18—Vancouver at Camas, Kalama at St. Helens, Vernonia at Clatskanie, Washouga at Ryderwood. July 25—Camas at Washouga, St. Helens at Vancouver, Clatskanie at Klama, Ryderwood at Vernonia. August 1—Vernonia at Camas, Washouga at St. Helens, Vancouver at Clatskanie, Kalama at Ryderwood. August 8—Camas at Kalama, St. Helens at Vernonia, Clatskanie at Washouga, Ryderwood at Vancouver.

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BARGAIN—FOR SALE—FIVE room, modern bungalow, lights water, bath; two lots, 100x100 ft of land, \$2250 cash and payment plan. Located east side resident section of Vernonia. Inquire at the Eagle office. Its a bargain! 424

FOR SALE—FORDSON TRACTOR with hyster attachment; Fordson freso scrapper. J. E. Tapp, at Vernonia Trading Co. 424

FOR SALE—PRACTICALLY NEW Westinghouse automatic electric range. See J. G. Kennedy, Millview, Vernonia. 421

FOR SALE—LLOYD BABY BUGY Mrs. J. C. Lindley. 422

FOR SALE—TWO YEAR OLD HOLSTEIN bull, registered. See E. R. Treharne. 408

FOR SALE—NINE ACRES OF BOTTOM land, on main Nehalem highway, one and a half miles from town. See E. R. Treharne. 408

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LOST—SAMPLE CASE BETWEEN Vernonia and Mist. Contains samples and a silk dress. Please return to Eagle office. 407

FOR SALE LIKE RENT

One acre in young orchard; 5 room cottage; garage; hen house; nice garden, strawberries. Come see it if you want a home. Second house on left, after crossing mile bridge. Also some furniture, 4 hole oil stove with oven. Ask at Riverside store for "Wheeler Place." 422

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Columbia County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificate at St. Helens, as follows: Commencing Wednesday, June 9, 1926, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, June 12, 1926, at 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday Forenoon. U. S. History, Writing (Penmanship), Music Drawing. Wednesday Afternoon. Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic. Thursday Afternoon.

Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography, Mechanical Drawing, Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art. Thursday Forenoon. Grammar, Geography, Stenography, American Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate. Friday Forenoon. Theory and Practice, Orthography (Spelling), Physical Geography, English Literature, Chemistry. Friday Afternoon. School Law, Geology, Algebra, Civil Government. Saturday Forenoon. Geometry, Botany. Saturday Afternoon. General History, Bookkeeping. O. A. ANDERSON, County School Superintendent. 431—Advertisement

It is an error to say that Franklin's kite experiment led to the construction of lightning rods. We have Franklin's own words that the kite experiment followed the rods. So far as is known the state of Rome borrowed money from individuals for the first time at the beginning of the war with Hannibal 215 B. C. Chuquicamata in Chile is the heart of the greatest copper-bearing area in the world. The largest single North American investment south of Panama employs here \$100,000,000. The Chileans are the Yankees of South America. Cooks in London, England, refuse to accept positions unless they are assured that their kitchens will be wired with a radio extension from the wireless installation of the family upstairs. The United States Bureau of Fisheries has discovered that barnacles on ship bottoms collect only on plates painted blue and black and that other colors are practically free from them. A study of Washington's transportation shows that it costs the average car driver there 11.49 cents a mile to run his automobile.

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