

Appointments Made By County Court

Appointments made by the county court at its January session are, according to the St. Helens Mist.

C. H. Keys was appointed county fruit inspector.

Clyde M. Watson was named for the three year term on the county fair board and T. Brown was appointed for the two year term. Watson has served as secretary of the fair board for the past two years.

Wm. Mellinger was reappointed janitor of the courthouse.

L. R. Chandler will again handle the county roadmaster job.

D. F. G. Rankin was named county herd inspector.

Road Supervisors were named as follows:

R. Tetz, districts 1, 10, 17 and 20.

K. F. Larson, district No. 2.

Fritz Anliker, districts 4, 5, and 13.

Lee Barnett, districts 6, 14, and 21.

W. W. Payne, districts 7, 15, 18 and 22.

J. W. Rose, districts 9 and 16.

J. F. Richardson, district No. 11.

No appointment was made for district No. 8, this work being handled by the county roadmaster.

Dr. L. G. Ross, county health officer, was appointed in January 1930 for a two year term.

Many Books Added To the City Library

Quite a number of books have been donated to the library in the last month. Dorothy and Donald Holtham gave the following children's books: "The Bobsey Twins at the Seashore," "The Bobsey Twins at the County Fair," "Little Prudy," "Little Prudy's Dotty Dimple," "Little Prudy's Cousin Grace," "Little Prudy's Sister Susie," "Hope and Have," "Janice Day at Poketown," "Janice Day, the Young Home-maker," "The Campfire Girls on the March," "Campfire Girls at Long Lake," "Campfire Girls at Work," "Campfire Girls' Week End Party," "The Water Babies," "Ted Marsh, the Young Volunteer," "A Boy Scout Patriot," "A Boy Scout's Destiny," "The Boy Scouts on Old Superior," "Making His Way," "Tom Slade, Forest Ranger," "Tom Slade with the Flying Corps," "Bumper, the White Rabbit," "Billy Bunny," "Marjorie Dean, High School Freshman," "Ruth Fielding at Snow Camp," "Ruth Fielding at Brisswood Hall," "Betty Gordon in Washington," "Naughty Miss Bunny," "Treasure Island."

Adult books donated last month were: "The Covered Wagon," "Bar 20 Three," "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," and "The Re-Creation of Brian Kent," given by Dorothy Holtham. "The Fighting Chance," "Laramie Holds the Range," "Skyrider, The Land of Strong Men," "The Killer," "Lin McLean," "The Wanderer of the Wasteland," "The Plunderer," "Her Prairie Knight," and "The Foreigner," given by Bert Tisdale. "Winner Take All," donated by Myrtle John.

In a Nutshell
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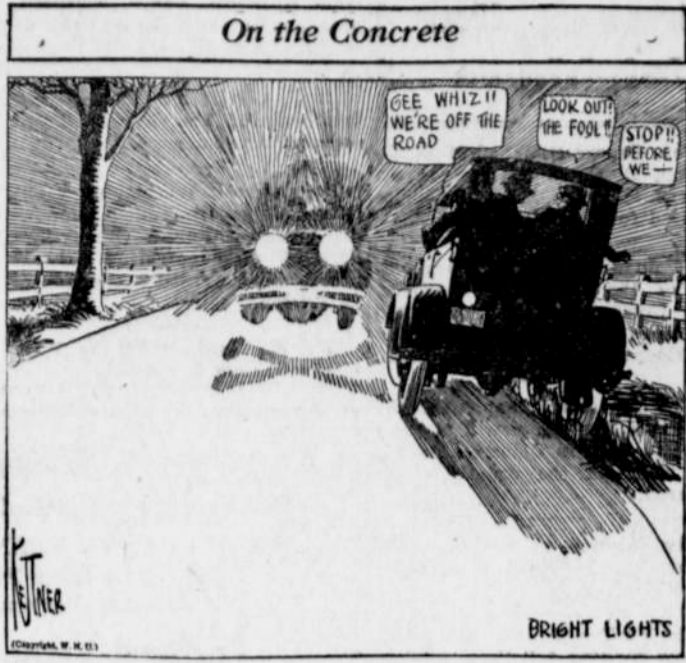


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The second and last semester of the high for the year began Monday January 19. Nearly half of the morning was spent in arranging the new schedule.

There are several new subjects being taught including Trigonometry, Cooking, Botany and Economics. Algebra IV, Sociology and Physiology have been dropped as they were only half-year subjects.

The high school basketball team should play a much improved game against Rainier Friday January 23. Ralph George, last year's stellar center has returned to school for the last semester and will be eligible for the team. He has been working out with the team for the last week and has played center on the first team several times. With him in the lineup the team clicked nicely and the teamwork was much better. He not only can get the tip-off but is fast going down the floor and is an exceptional shot. The team pepped up for the game against one of the toughest teams in the county and is out to make a showing.

BASKETBALL GAME JANUARY 16

The St. Helens five defeated the Vernonia high school team Friday January 16 in the St. Helens gym. The score was 20 to 12. The game was slowed up on account of numerous fouls with three St. Helens men and one Vernonia player being called out with four personals. St. Helens got the jump on the Vernonia boys and at half-

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Report on Coast Routes Completed

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\$2500. An extensive reconnaissance survey on the ground was conducted by H. N. Hackett, regional engineer, under the supervision of W. D. Clarke, divisional engineer, bringing the total preliminary cost to about \$5,000. Four main factors are expected to have an important bearing on the ultimate choice of the route. These are:

1. The contour of the country. This will decide the fastest and most economical route from an engineering standpoint.
2. The coast outlet. Because the road is largely a recreational highway, it is desirable that the largest number of beaches be accessible to the largest number of motorists.
3. The economic advantages. The commission recognizes that the road will have important commercial advantages and should be constructed, if possible, to serve a major commercial area.
4. The physical appearance of the country traversed. Here again, because of the recreational character of the highway, it is desirable that the road should

run through a portion of the splendid virgin forest stands which prevail in a large part of the coast range.

The report which the commission received yesterday deals only with the engineering features of the proposed roads and is not concerned with the three remaining factors.

School Items

The 7-1 class, Mr. Spring's room, presented an entertaining program before the assembly of the Washington school Friday afternoon. The program was as follows: A play, "The Adoption of Bob," in which the following took part: Stanley Parker, Bob; Frances Bergerson, Mrs. Bates; Erma Thompson, Aunt Cornelia; Robert Culver, Uncle Alonzo; Toivo Eioranto, Wang; Betty Lee, Chloe; Elbert Brock, Farmer Meadows; Helen Scott and Eleanor Edens, daughters Ella and Nora; Hilma Berg, Maggie. A dialogue, "Palaver Thats All," by Thelma Lincoln and Loren Lionberger. A skit, "The Big Cat and Rat Man," with Milton Lamping as Andy, Harry Willard as Amos, Kenneth Lewis as Nut, and Stanley Overson as the detective.

After the program, Coach Wallace McCrae presented the members of the football team with their letters. The boys were called up on the stage and were seated in a row across the front of the stage so that the assembly could have a good look at the Columbia county champions. Holly Holcomb, Jim Davis, Paul Cummings, Paul Jepson, Louis Graven, Ward Plumer, Arnold Counts, Hawley Counts, Lewis Shiel, Floyd Smith, Hamp Roberson, Fred Henderson, Harry Willard, and Roy Barnes received letters, and Stanley Parker, Everett Meeker, Ralph Condit, Ted Davis and Robert DePue who had turned out for practice but had not played in any games were introduced. The first seven boys named and Roy Barnes will graduate to high school this year. The next assembly program will be held February 2, at 1 o'clock

and Miss Hilts' room will have charge of the program.

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time the score was 13 to 5 for St. Helens. In the last half Vernonia held their opponents even but they couldn't overcome the lead.

The St. Helens guards were checking close and Vernonia sank only two field goals. J. Marshall was substituted in the last quarter and played a fine game sinking one of the field goals in a last minute rally.

The St. Helens second beat the Vernonia's pre-varsity 13 to 8. M. P.

Beds in Closets Once Matter of Necessity

This hygienically minded age which scoffs so readily at the European notion that fresh air at night is unhealthy may be chagrined to realize that the open beds on which we sleep nowadays are a natural evolution of the beds with doors which can still be found in peasant quarters in Europe, says the New York Sun.

The last vestige of the old notion of sleeping in a closet was leaving off the back and sides and substituting four posts with a canopy from which curtains hang.

It was from sheer necessity that people used to sleep in closets. Without central heating it was the only way to keep warm at night, but as houses were better built the closet doors changed to heavy curtains. The next development was leaving off the back and sides and substituting four posts with a canopy from which curtains hang.



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