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FOR ST. HELENS

LS TAKE THE FIRST GAME

teresting Ten Inning Contest at La Center.

ens base ball nine scored a vic- the La Center nine last Sunday a Center grounds. All those t out to see the game got the of their time and money, for tly contested match from start Although the score, 12 to 6, ke it appears that it was rather , still there was no time but result was in doubt.

und was in a bad condition and st, keeping the ball slippery . There was very little heavy al considering the nature of d, few errors. The game start pair of shut outs, St. Helens e first run in the third inning. d of the sixth the score stood 3 Helens favor. The end of the ner showed the score tied, 6 to tenth, Montgomery gave out St. Helens boys hammered in

the fact that the La Centre heavily handicapped in many played a good ball and there al on their team who put up onally good game. The work mery, pitcher, and Sharpless, as very creditable, while the Pat Kane and his work at first first class.

e shows that some of the St. s can play ball, and that this have a team this year that will st team on the river a close

llagh at second, and Jack Laf- rst, played a game that was ium. M. Pratt pitched four d wasn't hit very little. Next e St. Helens nine crosses bats er on the St. Helens diamond

IN MEMORIAM

a Holaday, Sr., of Scappose, Called Home

illness of several months Mrs Holaday passed quietly away me in Scappoose on Monday,

Whytal was born at Halifax, a, May 13, 1830. She went rothers to Lyons, Kansas, in was married December 4th, s Holaday. As their early e was spent in that State, she lled to endure many hardships ons during the civil war. ved to Denver, Colorado, in they lived until 1883, when to Oregon

aday was one of the organizers s congregational church at Scap- though too much of an invalid s to take an active part, she deeply interested in its work s.

living, and all who knew her, a true and loyal friend ill be deeply felt by the mem- community to whom she had erself by her cheerful man helpful words. The funeral on the lawn at her home e blossoming trees, whose had watched for many years. rphas Clapp, her old time d loved pastor, came from e to conduct the services. y was laid to rest in the cem- ite her home, the grave be- d with beautiful floral gifts amily and friends.

survived by her husband and Leslie and Duncan Holaday, o, and Joseph and Asa Hola- known residents of this county. thers are still living, John ed 87, and William Whytal, Boston, Massachusetts.

ans expect to have a good ballon this (Friday) evening, eight members to initiate. s are expected to be present. be refreshments served.

Death of Mrs. Hattan.

Ora Geraldine, wife of R. S. Hattan, County Judge of Columbia County, died at their home in St. Helens on Saturday, May 2, at 7. p. m., of heart trouble. Mrs. Hattan's maiden name was Overturf, and she was born in Ohio, on July 13th, 1866, and united in marriage with R. S. Hattan at Neodosha, Kansas, on March 6th, 1889, moving shortly thereafter to this county, where they have since made their home. Mrs. Hattan was educated to the profession of a school teacher and taught at

Ora Geraldine Hattan

Natal and Mist, in the Nehalem Valley. She was a woman of much ability and rare worth, a most devoted wife and mother. She leaves a husband and nine children here and a brother and sister (W. C. Overturf and Mrs. Claude Moulton, of Connell, Washington) to mourn her loss. Rev. Ass Sleeth delivered the funeral discourse at the Congregational church on Tuesday last, the interment taking place at the Warren cemetery. The attendance was very large and the floral offerings profuse. As a tribute to her memory and the esteem in which she was held, and in accordance with custom, the flags upon the court house and school house have been at half mast this week.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire, in behalf of my family, to sincerely thank my friends and neighbors for their Kind acts and sympathy during the last illness and funeral ceremonies of my wife.

R. S. HATTAN.

An attempt is being made here to organize a ball team that will be able to compete with the best teams in this part of the county. Not for years has there been as much good material to pick from. Last Sunday the boys beat La Center in a hotly contested 10 inning game and demonstrated their willingness and ability to play ball. A good ball team is an advertisement for a town that is hard to beat. We have the team and whether or not it sticks together and gives the local people some good exhibitions of ball is now altogether up to the said people. If the town will support the team it would be a winner, and if not, then it will probably soon be a thing of the past.

I have a full stock of determination to supply the trade with a variety of choice groceries, fresh vegetables and fruits. Granite, tin and queens ware. Seeds, paints and oils. Motor gasoline and Naptha, and I heartily appreciate your patronage.

M. C. GRAY.

Business lot for sale, 50 x 100, between Wiest's and Gilman's saloon, for $225. Inquire of August Wiest, Scappoose, Oregon.

At its meeting Monday evening the city council considered the matter of putting a couple of hundred yards of crushed rock on the streets, and doubtless the street committee will take some action in the matter soon.

COUNCIL MEETING

TRANSACT IMPORTANT BUSINESS

Streets and Water System to be Enlarged and Improved.

The St. Helens city council met in regular session last Monday evening with a full attendance, President H. R. Cliff in the chair. A good deal of important business was transacted.

After reading and approving the minutes of the previous meeting, the bond of Frank George, marshal, and J. Warren Quick, recorder, were considered and accepted.

The council took under consideration the matter of building a new dam at the head of the water main, and Councilman McKee was instructed to estimate the cost of such a dam as would be needed.

For some time past an extension of the water mains has been badly needed, owing to the many new dwellings put up recently. The council ordered the marshal to lay a two inch main from the south side of Willamette street north on west side of Cameron street as far as C. W. Blakesley's residence. Also from Tualatin street south as far as Frank Gilmeski's corner and a one inch main as far south as water is needed.

The narrow cut in front of W. B. Dillard's residence is to be made 20 feet or more wide, so that teams can pass there. Drains were ordered put in in front of J. H. Wellingtons and A. J. Demings.

Wm. Ross, J. H. McKie and Martin White were appointed street committee.

No ordinance keeping cows off the street was passed.

The council meets again next Monday evening.

Valued Same as Gold

V. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. Kings New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with Constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee by Houlton, Warren, Deer Island and Scappoose. 25c.

For County Judge

James Dart

Well known to all old residents of Columbia County as a man who has proved himself able and trustworthy in the administration of all private and public business entrusted to him.

For County Assessor

U. W. CLARK

A Fair and Non-Partisan Administration of the Office.

Vote For

W. J. FULLERTON

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

A Native Son of Columbia County.
A strong supporter and advocate of Statement No. 1.
Who believes in State and Government aid in construction of good roads.
Who believes that our fishing industry should be fostered and protected by abolishing all set or stationary fishing gear.
Who believes in progress and advancement along all lines and who will work for the best interests of ALL the people of Columbia County and the State of Oregon.

LOOK AT THE FIGURES

At the primary election in Clatskanie precinct, on April 17th there were 189 votes cast for the Republican candidates for clerk; 189 for the Republican candidates for Judge; and 197 for the Republican candidates for assessor, while the United Republican vote for Representative in Congress was only 175 and for Supreme Judge only 152.

What was the cause of this unusual interest in the nominationof candidates who, if elected, will constitute the county board of equalization?

The figures show and we are reliably informed by a prominent Republican, that very many of the voters at the primary in Clatskanie voted only for the judge. clerk and assessor—the three officers who constitute the county board of equalization.

Let the voters consider carefully what this means.

Clatskanie precinct is the place where the men from the Benson lumber camp voted, and there is no doubt they voted, with very few exceptions, exactly as they were led to believe their employers desired them to vote.

Many of them were transient laborers, not paying taxes nor having any permanent interest in Columbia County.

They cared nothing whether the burded of taxation was placed upon the farmers and business men who have helped to improve our country or whether those who are exploiting its resources for personal gain only were winners by the result.

The men whom they helped to defeat had stood for equal taxation of all property, including that of the timber land millionaires and the railroad corporations.

These interests desired to punish those who had the nerve to stand for the people, and, so far as the primaries are concerned, they have succeeded.

The Mist does not assert that the successful candidates for nominations will, if elected, betray the people; but it does assert and there is no contradicting the fact that they received the support of the men who are to-day invoking the aid of the courts to enable them to shirk the payment of their just share of the public burden.

This is not a personal fight. It is merely a question whether the "interests" or the people are to control hereafter in Columbia County, and, regardless of the result of the June election the battle will be continued until people of all parties thoroughly understand the issue and vote accordingly.

The following timber owners are endeavoring to evade final payment of their taxes and have appealed to the circuit court.

Benson L. & L. Co.
Jennings-McRae Co.
O. K. Logging Co.
Chapman Timber Co.
Western Timber Co.
John West.
Detroit Trust Co.
Blodgett & Co.

These are the "interests" referred to.

The Benson Company has for its vice president E. E. Coovert, of the law firm of Coovert & Stapleton, of Portland, and one of the members of this firm visited Columbia County before the primaries and fixed things for the candidates favored by the "interests."

WANTED

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Sign Painting
Stationary Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Mechanical Drafting
Teaching
Navigation
Sheet Metal Drafting
Electrical Engineering
Electrical Lighting
Electric Railway Work
Telephone Engineering
Architecture
Constructing and Bilding
Structural Engineering
Architectural Drawing
Heating and Ventilating
Plumbing
Civil Engineering
Bridge Engineering
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