

S. P. & S. TIME TABLE.

South Bound.	
Rainier Local	8:00a. m.
	11:03 a. m.
	3:27 p. m.
	8:43 p. m.
North Bound.	
Rainier Local	9:09 a. m.
	1:33 p. m.
	6:18 p. m.
	7:06 p. m.

MIST MISTINGS

Lunch at Mason's.
Fancy Box Candy at Mason's.
J. Q. Gage is at Silverton on a business deal.
Fireman's St. Patrick's ball, March 18th, at the gym.
J. T. Tabor transacted business in Portland Tuesday.
You can buy the best milk and cream at Senneland's.
The ladies of the Guild will meet at the Guild hall March 21st.
H. O. Strom of the Strand, was a business visitor to Portland Monday.
If you want milk that is absolutely pure, buy it of the Sunny Brook Dairy.
Miss Lulu George spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. George.
Miss Mabel Berry of Woodland, is visiting her cousin, Miss Emma Spitznagle.
A new lot of matting just arrived. Good quality, 25c per yard. Ross' Furniture Store.
Royal Candy Kitchen for pure, home-made Candies, made in good old St. Helens.
Alfred George of St. Johns, spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. George.
Miss Della Sherman was over from Woodland last week as the guest of Miss Emma Spitznagle.
Mrs. M. A. Gage of Stafford, Clackamas county, is the guest of her son's family, J. Q. Gage.
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pierce of Portland, motored down Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. McCauley.
N. J. Dupont, who has been at work in St. Johns during the past winter, has moved back to Houlton.
Editor Baylis of the Clatskanie Chief, was a visitor to this city Monday and favored this office with a call.
Mrs. A. F. Barnett is spending this week in Rainier, on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. V. A. Perry.
Mrs. J. E. Quinn, who has been visiting relatives in Portland the past few days, returned to St. Helens Sunday.
A. M. Crawford of Portland, ex-attorney general of Oregon, was among the attorneys attending court Monday.
Frank Butler, Portland agent for the Loop Lumber Company of San Francisco, was a business visitor here Wednesday, placing orders for his concerns with the local mills.
Mrs. C. H. John entertained the members of the Christian Endeavor at her home Friday evening. The evening was spent in games, after which a delicious lunch was served.
Attention is called to the advertisement of the Columbia River Canning and Produce Co., in which they invite the public to test their St. Helens Brand of canned vegetables, fruits, etc. These are excellent home products handled by all of our home merchants and are worthy of a trial order.

E. A. Rotger was a Portland visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Dan Richardson was shopping in Portland Saturday.
W. E. Lidyard was a business visitor in Portland Monday.
Mrs. S. N. Butler of Deer Island, spent Tuesday in this city.
Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Fern, Dr. and Mrs. Kerby of Portland, visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Peel Sunday.
Mrs. H. J. Anderson took her friends, Mrs. M. F. Hazen and Mrs. Disney, for an auto ride to Portland last Friday.
Rev. Sanford Snyder, who has charge of the M. E. church at Houlton, was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.
Dr. Peel has rented the room in the Masonic block next door to the post-office and it is being remodeled for his convenience.
Elmer Chapman, brother of Ray Chapman, moved his family here from Hood River this week and will live in one of the Miles cottages.
M. M. Ruhl of Salem, is the guest of his brother, Chas. S. Ruhl. He presented to the editor kind remembrances from our old time friend, G. C. Millet of the capital city.
Word was received here Tuesday of the death of Attorney W. C. Cooper's son, Whitney Cooper of Seattle. Mr. Cooper had been seriously ill for the past month with typhoid fever, which caused his death.
Mrs. Ernest Dill has been enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. L. Dower, the past fortnight. Mrs. Dower will leave for her home in Dayton, Ore., Saturday.
Chas. Shanks is the new candy maker at the Royal Confectionery and Candy Kitchen. He has lately arrived from the east and is an expert at compounding delicious sweets.
Rev. J. B. Murphy, pastor of the Baptist church at Clatskanie, made this office a friendly call Monday. Rev. Murphy is an old friend and was located in Junction City, our former home.
The St. Helens Woman's Club will serve a silver tea at Guild hall, Friday afternoon, March 17th, from 1 to 5 o'clock. The proceeds will be used to purchase additional books for the public library. The patronage of the public will be appreciated.
Ronald, the little son of Clyde Sutherland, met with an accident Tuesday that resulted in a broken limb. He climbed on a passing wagon and in some manner his foot caught in the spokes and his leg was broken just above the knee. S. C. Morton, in company with Mr. Sutherland, took the boy to a Portland hospital that evening.
We notice in the fish market some fine fresh stock—halibut, salmon, fresh smelt so cheap by the box and smelt season almost gone. Crabs and oysters and hard shell clams. Special sales salt salmon and herring. Phone 42.
Fred W. Herman of Rainier, has announced his candidacy for the office of District Attorney of this county on the Republican ticket. Mr. Herman is an old resident of Columbia county, having located in Rainier in 1895, where he and father, the late C. W. Herman, established the first newspaper in that city. After working his way through law school, Mr. Herman decided to open his law office in his boyhood home. He is now City Attorney of that place. His slogan on the ballot will be: "A Strict and Fearless Enforcement of the Law."

HARD TIMES SOCIAL

Miss Elizabeth Philip entertained the Epworth League at a hard times social. There were nearly 30 members in attendance, who from their appearance looked like hard times, but their smiling faces belied their appearance, as they spent two and one-half hours in continuous laughter.
Miss Bessie Hattan officiated at the piano and the evening was spent in singing and games with candy and peanuts as the prizes.
Miss Goldie Hattan was easily the most hard looking specimen among the ladies, although the Misses Ethel and Fay Lynch, Maude Richardson and Ella Hattan had a very hard up appearance, and none of the ladies were dressed in the latest fashion.
Among the men, Mr. Nordin had the most famished appearance, and although he kept very diligently eating cake, candy and peanuts, it was impossible to tighten his waistband, as there was great room for expansion.
The proceeds of the entertainment go towards that new piano the League is going to have, and they are going to get it soon, as whatever the bunch that met last night sets out to get, they will get.

BASE BALL SEASON

Manager Ballagh is preparing for the baseball season, which opens here on April 2, and the first game being scheduled with Woodland, Wash., which is also a member of the inter-city league. To represent St. Helens, Mr. Ballagh has signed up a very strong aggregation, which will no doubt keep St. Helens in the running. His latest addition is Catcher Jack Hayes, who has made for himself an enviable reputation as an all around baseball man, and a heady catcher during his experience at the O. A. C. at Corvallis. Leave it to Ed, to have a good team for St. Helens.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

This Week
American Express Co., city office Sheldon dock.
Centaur Co., Castoria, 30 years in use.
St. Helens Steam Laundry, return everything except the dirt.
Columbia River Canning and Produce Co. Best goods on the Pacific Coast.
St. Helens-Portland Auto Line. Best service; prompt schedule.
Oregon Life Ins. Co., for Oregonians.

GO TO CHURCH

Congregational Church,
10 a. m., Bible school; 11 a. m., "Christ's Triumph Over the Prince of This World"; 6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor; 7:30 p. m., "The Four Choices of Life." John Poster, P. B., B. D., minister.
M. E. Church.
Sermon at 11 a. m., theme: Faith, the Victory; evening sermon, 7:30 p. m., theme: Jesus Poor for Our Sakes. This is the second of an important series of Sunday night sermons. The other services for the day are the same as usual. Ours is the church that extends the Glad Hand. F. N. Sandifur, minister.
The Columbia River Canning and Produce Co. is now ready to contract for beans. About 50 acres is desired.

The Strand

"WE AIM TO PLEASE"
To All Our Friends and Patrons:
We wish to thank all of you for the support you have given us in our attempt to provide suitable and entertaining pictures for your enjoyment. We have now made arrangements to provide better pictures, as it always is our aim to get the best obtainable.

"ALWAYS IN THE WAY" is our offering for SUNDAY AND MONDAY
A vividly impressive and thrilling story based on the sentimental ballad that swept the country a few years ago. Featuring MARY MILES MINTER
Scene upon scene with magnificent situations, superb climaxes and thrilling surroundings, makes this a wonder photo play.
Don't overlook this.

TUESDAY
We have an exceptional strong program in connection with the BAND CONCERT AND STRAND STORE.

"THE WIN(K)SOME WIDOW"
A merry farce in 4 acts featuring CISSY FITZGERALD WALLY VAN HUGHIE MACK and other stars, is the attraction for WEDNESDAY, MAR. 22d. We guarantee this to be simply great.

Shall we continue the BROKEN COIN? Place your answer in the box at theatre. We could show some good pictures on those two nights, Thursday and Friday.

LAST BUT NOT LEAST CHARLIE CHAPLIN at his best "SHANGHAIED" SATURDAY NIGHT ONLY MARCH 18TH

There is always something doing at

The Strand

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

County Clerk
I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for reelection to the office of County Clerk at the primaries, May 19, 1916, subject to the approval of electors.
A. P. BARNETT.
Assessor
To the voters of Columbia county I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Republican ticket for re-nomination to the office of County Assessor, at the coming primary election, to be held May 19, 1916, and ask your kind, deliberate consideration.
C. W. BLAKESLEY.
Assessor
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at primary election, May 19. I have been a resident of Columbia county for 35 years and a taxpayer for 20 years. If nominated and elected I promise an honest and just administration of the office with equal justice for all.
H. T. BENNETT.
Treasurer
I hereby announce myself as Republican candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of electors at primaries, May 19th.
EDWIN ROSS.
For Commissioner
To the voters of Columbia county: I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for nomination to the office of County Commissioner at the May Primary Election.
JAMES KENNEDY, Jr.
Commissioner
To the voters of Columbia county: I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Republican ticket for re-nomination as County Commissioner at the coming Primary election to be held on the 19th day of May, 1916, and ask your deliberate consideration.
I have been a resident of Columbia county for 30 years; and with 18 months experience as County Commissioner, I believe I am qualified to give the taxpayers a just and economical administration of county affairs; I am especially favorable to good roads.
A. E. HARVEY.

CIRCUIT COURT NOTES

Court convened Monday, but during the fore part of the week the time was taken up in the argument of motions.
The big timber trial which involved some \$75,000, was docketed for Thursday and is now on trial. The title of the case is Cella Rows vs. D. E. Freeman, her brother, wherein suit is brought to recover interest in certain lands.

ALWAYS IN THE WAY

Please, mister, take me in your car, I want to see nanna.
They say she lives in Heaven,
Is it very, very far?
My new nanna is very cross,
And scolds me every day;
I guess she does not love me,
For I am always in the way.
Chorus
Always in the way,
So they always say,
I wonder why they don't kiss me,
Just the same as sister May,
Always in the way,
I can never play,
My own nanna would never say,
I'm always in the way.

A picturization of this famous song sung with America's most fascinating screen actress, Mary Miles Minter, will be the feature at the Strand theatre next Sunday and Monday.

I have an assortment of picture-frame mouldings, and make frames of any size. Ross' Furniture Store.

Do You Have Back Ache Torpid Liver

Good health depends upon a healthy liver. Whenever this important organ fails in its work of separating poisons from the blood, and purifying the bile which aids in digesting ill health, or even death may result. Rexall Liver Salts aid nature by storing the liver to normal condition by clearing the intestinal tract of waste matter. Valuable, also, in treatment of rheumatism and indigestion, stomach, liver and intestinal disorders and skin eruptions caused by faulty elimination of the bowels. Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

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Motion is life; stagnation is decay. This is why you should buy your groceries from our store "Where the hustle is."
Our groceries are fresh, pure and healthful because we keep them coming in "every day," going out every hour into the homes of those who know good stuff when they see it.
Price our best of foods and you will do all of your grocery trading with us. We will sell you
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 10 BARS SAVON SOAP FOR 25c.

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"Goods of Quality"
Rah! Rah! Hats for Children
Large assortment of summer wash hats for children just arrived. White pique, and in varied colors of galatea. A serviceable little hat as a protection from sunburn as well as becoming in appearance. Price each 50c.

Ladies' White Drill Hats
New Spring Hats for the out-door girl. A good combination with the middy. Always convenient for an outing. All sizes. Price 50c.
MEN'S SILK HATS, in white, blue, gray and brown. Also, white duck and white poplin hats, good cool, light-weight hats for Summer, 50c.

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We take your measure; Hart Schaffner & Marx make the clothes.
Some day you'll see the advantages in Hart Schaffner & Marx ready-made clothes; in order to acquaint you with these makers' quality, we want to get you started with a made-to-measure suit; we guarantee to fit you.
Come in and see the samples we've just received from Hart Schaffner & Marx. Suits, \$15.00 to \$40.00.
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W. E. LIDYARD, Manager

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