

MIST MISTINGS

S. Tufts and son paid St. Helens a short visit last Sunday.

Jessamine Brown has been quite ill for the past few days.

Mrs. Minnie Dokshal spent Sunday with friends in Warren.

Mrs. John Pringle has almost fully recovered from a siege of illness.

A. H. Stevens, of Scappoose, is receiving treatment under Dr. S. H. Russell.

J. S. Brown was attending to some business in Portland Wednesday.

W. B. Dillard spent a portion of the week at his beach resort near Seaside.

Miss Virginia Huntington, of Portland, spent the week end as guest of Miss Phylis Brown.

Remember the date of the Honor Guard dance, Saturday, February 16, at the city hall. Portland music.

Miss Myrtle Jones, of Goble, returned to high school this week, after an absence of several weeks on account of quarantine.

Honor Guard dance will be given under the auspices of the Honor Guard of St. Helens at the city hall on Saturday, February 16.

The Home Guard will hold a meeting in the council chamber Friday night, February 8, at 8 p. m. All who are interested are invited to attend.

The steamer Klamath arrived in Tuesday night and is loading a full cargo of lumber for southern California delivery. Her sailing date is set for tomorrow evening.

Work is progressing rapidly on the theatre building which is being erected by L. R. Rutherford. The opening of this new building is looked forward to with interest by the people of St. Helens.

Prof. Earl Brown, of Philomath, Oregon, has been chosen as successor to Prof. J. H. McCoy (resigned) and has already assumed his duties. Prof. Brown is a teacher of experience and stands high in educational circles.

A few of the young people of St. Helens arranged an informal dancing party, which was held at the Guild hall Monday evening. About thirty couples were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Notice has been received by the local board to stop all physical examination of drafted men until further notice. Probably the new regulations will reduce exemptions because of physical conditions to a minimum.

Arnold Hobbs, who enlisted in the navy in December and was sent to San Francisco for training, has been ordered to some Atlantic port, according to a message received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hobbs.

Mrs. Harold Broughton was a Portland visitor Tuesday.

Mr. Larsen, who succeeds A. S. Harrison in the grocery business, is a merchant of many years experience, having been established in successful business at Astoria, Portland and Oregon City for many years. Mr. Larsen is assisted by his two sons, Henry and Albert, who are themselves able and courteous business men.

Few towns have as much musical talent as St. Helens, and yet there are only occasional evidences of it. Wouldn't a musical organization contribute to the get-together spirit? We need more music in our souls, and it is not enough to listen to John McCormick and Shuman Heink Self expression, though mediocre in quality, is of more value to the individual than a dozen concerts.

Miss Ella Rosenthal returned from Portland Monday evening, after spending several days with relatives in that city.

The ladies of the Houlton M. E. church will give a silver tea and a 15-cent parcel post sale at the I. O. O. F. hall in Houlton February 13. Everybody invited.

Walton Inyard, who until recently was in New York and attached to the ordnance department U. S. A., has been transferred to Camp Greene, N. C., according to a letter received by his father, W. B. Dillard.

"Mother" Lawrence of the Pisgah Home Colony, was in St. Helens Wednesday. She states there are only fifteen inmates at the home near Scappoose, but the Woodmere home, in Portland, has a large number of unfortunates for whom she is caring.

W. A. Harris, Jacob George and John Phillip were among those who attended the funeral of Judge J. C. Moreland in Portland Monday. The deceased jurist was well known in St. Helens and had many friends here. He was past master of the Oregon Masonic grand lodge and officially visited the local lodge here on numerous occasions.

The funeral of Lester Lake was held Sunday afternoon from the Congregational church and attended by a great number of friends of the deceased and the bereaved family. There was a profusion of flowers and floral designs. Classmates of Lester acted as pallbearers and the body was laid to rest in the Odd Fellow's cemetery near Warren.

H. S. Gore, of Kalama, Wash., was in St. Helens Monday and a pleasant caller at the Mist office. He is a cousin of George Gore, who until receiving his commission as first lieutenant in the army, was a law partner of W. A. Harris. Lieutenant Gore left some time ago for an Atlantic port and is now supposed to be in France, as no word has been received from him in more than a month.

A. S. Harrison, a successful merchant of this city, has sold his business to C. S. Larsen, of Oregon City, and will enjoy a well-earned rest from strenuous business life. Mr. Harrison started in business in St. Helens seven years ago and through the efforts of himself and his son Dewey has built up a large trade, giving his successor a splendid foundation upon which to further develop this growing enterprise.

Mrs. Elizabeth Adams received a telegram from her son Hugh, dated at New York on February 2. The telegram stated that he had arrived safely in New York after a 16-day trip across the big pond. Hugh is on the transport President Lincoln and has been across the Atlantic several times since he joined the navy. He enlisted when the first call came and, with other Scappoose boys, chose the navy as the branch in which they preferred to serve.

Harry M. Thorp and wife have been spending the past week visiting at the home of Harry's father, H. M. Thorp. Harry is now employed by the Hammond Lumber Company in their Oak Point, Wash., logging camp, and has been there since last June. On Thanksgiving day Harry was married to Miss Francis Hafferty of Portland, and this is her first visit to St. Helens. The camp in which Thorp works employs 150 men, and 150,000 feet of logs are each day dumped into the Columbia river. Timbers for ship lumber are being put in, consequently the loggers, realizing the need of the government, instead of taking ten days off at Christmas as is usual, only asked for one day.

Doc Rae was in St. Helens Sunday, coming here to attend the meeting of the district council of the Columbia River Maritime Association. "Doc" represented the local at Marshfield. He is employed in one of the shipyards of that place and states he likes the town fine but thinks he will soon return to St. Helens and go to work at one of the yards here.

Two well known citizens of St. Helens, one a lawyer and the other a retired business man, were in Portland Monday. Both had business to be attended to and, of course, attended to the business first, but, rather strange, they were through with their business engagements early in the afternoon, in fact early enough to secure seats in the "bald head" row in a movie house. It might be well enough to mention that Theda Bara was the star in the act and "Cleopatra" was the play. So interested were they that they did not notice each other's presence although they were sitting side by side. After the show was over they met as they came out of the lobby, and each thought the joke was on the other, and this is how we got the story. Now, any St. Helens wife whose husband went to Portland Monday has a guess coming as to who these two men are.

The day after the fire at Sommarstrom's yard, one of the employees appeared at the bank with \$200 in gold which he wished to deposit. He stated that his room was in the destroyed building and he had his money safely hidden. When the fire

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

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