

## WHO'S WHO IN ST. HELENS

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house stands high in all the relations of life.

Pacific Coast Hospital Association—This splendid institution is in charge of Dr. W. S. Armstrong, superintendent and surgeon in charge, and is being fitted up with all modern appliances and requirements to handle the most critical cases from maternity to accidents, and in fact to render to this community all the service any hospital usually affords any community. An institution of this kind is a necessity, and there is probably no abler surgeon in the state than Dr. Arm-



DR. W. S. ARMSTRONG, Sup't and Surgeon in Charge

strong He has practiced in the profession since 1889. He is a graduate of the Gross Medical College, Denver, Colorado. He practiced fourteen years in Chicago, associated there with Dr. Murphy, one of that city's ablest surgeons and hospital physicians. He practiced nine years in Portland, prior to coming here last June. He has taken post graduate work in Europe at Leipzig and Vienna. He is a very important acquisition to St. Helens and vicinity and merits distinction. Dr. W. S. Armstrong, President; Dr. Theo. Fessler, 1st Vice-Pres.; H. O. Oliver, 2nd Vice-Pres.; D. Clint Ashmun, Sec.; Dr. A. P. Usher, Treas. Consulting Physicians: Dr. John A. Broadus Sinclair, U. S. Navy, Portland; Dr. A. J. Peel, St. Helens.

Allen, Felton & Quick are St. Helens live realty operators and must not be omitted as we note brief mention of our city's leading business men. They have been established as a firm one year. The members of the firm nevertheless are all well known and prominent citizens. Mr. Quick has been here no less than thirty-one years. He taught school ten years, officiated as county superintendent six years, was county clerk six years and likewise officiated as county treasurer. He was in the Abstract and Title business eighteen years and is now city recorder and collector for the water board. Mr. Allen is principal of the Warren High school, and also was principal here three years in St. Helens. Mr. Felton is the old stand-by realty and insurance man and expert trader. For lands, houses, timber, chances, loans, et cetera see Allen, Felton & Quick, quickly at St. Helens.

C. H. John & Company conduct a flourishing cash store. They deal in groceries, hardware, crockery, fancy chinaware, flour, feed, etc., and each year sees a marked increase in their volume of business. They have operated the enterprise three years. Prior to launching out in this line C. H. John was in the employ of Muckle Brothers for twenty-two years in their big general store. He came here in 1888. Mr. John hails from the good old German fatherland. He is ably assisted by Mrs. John, a very pleasant business lady, who was born in Canada, although she has lived most of her life under the "stars and stripes." Germany and Canada unite nicely in the John family. Mr. and Mrs. John have made a legion of friends during their residence here.

### THE NEW THEATRE

Everybody is invited to the new theatre, near the court, house on

Monday night to its grand opening. Monday night will be free to everybody. Three reels of special films have been ordered for the occasion and a change of pictures will be made daily. The prices will be five cents for children and ten cents for adults, and added attractions will be a feature from time to time without extra charges. Mr. W. L. Sharp is the enterprising proprietor and he has spent a lot of money on getting his fine theatre fitted up. Prior to coming here Mr. Sharp was a traveling man for some time and after making St. Helens thought it was a good town to locate in. There will be two shows a night commencing at 7:30 and 9 o'clock, Monday, Oct. 13.

H. Morgus & Son are dealers in general merchandise and have operated here eighteen years. They carry a splendid stock of dry goods, and ladies, and children's wearing apparel and accessories, also men's clothing, shoes, hats and general furnishings. Mr. Morgus enjoys a good trade and his store is where you get good goods and extra low prices. He was born in Syria.

E. A. Rotger is the electrical man who does "Everything Electric." He is well up in electrical engineering, and also carries a nice stock of supplies. Mr. Rotger has operated here two years and a half, and has followed the business since 1904. He is a graduate of the famous Lack School in California, and also was a student for some time at Leland Stanford University. House wiring, installing of electric bells, lights, plants, etc., are among his specialties. He hails from San Francisco as the metropolis of his nativity.

R. Constantin is St. Helens expert plumber. He has followed the business thirty years and has operated here three years. He specializes also in sheet metal work. Estimates are furnished on application and all work is guaranteed, and moreover his prices are reasonable. Mr. Constantin hails from Canada, the land of his nativity.

Mrs. Hanson's Millinery Emporium—The "crowning glory of women" may be their exquisite heads of hair, but the wearer of a becoming and handsome millinery creation always feels better dressed than when wearing something that does not appeal to her sense of the fitness of things. Here is St. Helens popular millinery, and the store is stocked with the latest fashions from the east. Although Mrs. Hanson has just recently opened with her fine fall stock she has specialized in the millinery business for a number of years. She is located in the Bank building, is a very pleasant lady to meet and we bespeak a liberal patronage for her. The stock and appointments are all in every particular.

Brethert & Morrow is where you go to get your shoes repaired, or an up-to-date custom made pair of shoes. The shop has been established two years and has two "knights" of the trade. Mr. Brethert has followed the business over 30 years. He is also a specialist on manufacturing artificial limbs, and has few if any superiors in this line. Mr. Morrow was a "knight of the anvil" for a time. He served in the Spanish-American war as a scout. These gentlemen give promise of making an excellent commercial team and merit generous notice.

Central Market—This place is conducted by Messrs. Bill & Robertson, who have operated the establishment for the past year. They carry everything in fresh and cured meats, and also fresh fruit, vegetables, and produce of all kinds. They are building up an excellent business, and moreover their prices are right. These gentlemen have resided here about five years and enjoy quite a wide acquaintance. They are pleasant, enterprising, young men to meet and merit worthy mention as we note Who's Who in this article.

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have conducted the establishment five years. They have lived in Columbia county for thirteen years and are well acquainted with many of the old timers who make this popular hotel their headquarters when in St. Helens. The rates are very reasonable, and special terms are given to monthly guests. Mr. and Mrs. Isbister are as genial host and hostess as the stranger will meet in his travels. Everything is homelike. Mr. and Mrs. Isbister are from the Orkney Islands of "Bonnie Scotland."

Sherwood & Ross are complete house furnishers, undertakers and embalmers. They have operated here about one year and already have become one of the town's leading enterprises. The finest quality of goods is carried in house and office furniture and beds, bedding, mattresses, rugs, et cetera; also the famous Pacific Stove & Range Co.'s products are carried in fine stoves and ranges. Frank H. Sherwood and E. Adin Ross constitute the personnel of this enterprising firm. Mr. Sherwood is an expert undertaker and embalmer and has followed the business for years. Mr. Ross is a graduate of Beloit College, Wisconsin, his native state.

J. E. Ramsey is St. Helens popular "man of dough." He operates the St. Helens Bakery, which is headquarters for bread, cakes, pies and pastry of all kinds of the first order. Mr. Ramsey is a practical, expert baker and has followed the business for some time. His bread, cakes and pies more nearly approach what our mothers used to make than we thought possible. Miss Jessie Drew is the pleasant saleslady and attends to all customers promptly and politely. Prior to her position which she has filled here for the past three months she was clerking in James Muckle & Son's general store for nearly two years.

George's Market is headquarters

for choice steaks, juicy roasts, and tender chops, as well as fish, game oysters and poultry in season. Mr. George has operated in the butcher business for the past five years. He has been a resident of St. Helens for over thirty years and has officiated in various capacities. He is a well informed young man to meet and is building up a splendid trade. He hails from England as the commonwealth of his nativity.

Allens' Confectionery and Cigar Store is likewise an enterprise that is growing. Here the people of the vicinity can get their stationery, candies, cigars, tobacco, ice cream and soft drinks et cetera. Mr. and Mrs. Allen have operated the establishment for one year and a half and are doing very well. Mr. Allen contemplates putting in a stock of drugs in the near future. The store is well located and business houses are constantly being added along the main thoroughfare between St. Helens and Houlton.

The Central Grocery is among the many enterprising stores the writer called on and is well conducted by I. W. W. Brown, who has operated the enterprise for the past four months, and he is building up a very creditable trade. The store is stocked from end to end with fresh groceries, fruit, vegetables and general country produce, including as well hardware, crockery, flour and feed. He hails from the Sunset State of the Golden West.

D. W. Williams is the new manager of the Muckle Grocery Company. Just one week ago today he assumed the management of this popular department, formerly of James Muckle & Son's department store. They deal in staple and fancy groceries, hay, grain and feed. Quality, service and satisfaction is the motto of this new enterprise and we take pleasure in introducing them to our many readers. Mr. Williams is a very clever young

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