

MIST MISTINGS

Mayor and Mrs. E. I. Ballagh went to Portland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Philip were New Year's guests of relatives in Portland.

Mrs. B. M. East left Thursday for Newport, Oregon, where she will visit with friends for a week or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Broughton of Portland were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Broughton New Year's Day.

Watch prices on Electric Stand Lamps in windows of St. Helens Hardware Co. A bargain today, at \$12.50 and \$15.00.

January Clearance Sale—We are closing out our entire stock of ladies' suits, coats, dresses and hats at cost. Milady's Shop, Muckle Bidge.

A Happy New Year to every one is the wish of Dr. Thompson. Start it right with a pair of his Perfect Fitting Glasses. Here all day next Wednesday, Jan. 13th.

The dance given by the Knights of Pythias New Year eve was well attended and everyone had a pleasant evening. A neat sum was realized which helps to swell the lodge's building fund.

Joseph Hackenberg, who lives at Doraville, near Rainier, was in St. Helens Tuesday. Mr. Hackenberg is official weather observer and his weather reports are regularly published in the Mist.

Miss Lucy Boesel and Alex Allan were united in marriage by Judge Hason Monday morning. The newly married couple have purchased the Mattoon residence in Railroad Addition and have started to housekeeping.

The watch services at the Methodist church Friday night was well attended and afforded several hours of entertainment for the many pathfinders there. Rev. Johnson, pastor of the church, arranged an interesting program.

Steve Lampa of the Yankton district was transacting business in St. Helens Monday. "The Yankton district has prospered during the year just past," Mr. Lampa said, "and we hope and believe the New Year has many good things in store for us."

LIBRARY NOTICE

A consignment of sixty choice books has been received from the State Library and the books are now ready for circulation.

During the month of December seventy new books were purchased and placed on the shelves, making the number of volumes in the library approximately 1400. It is the intention of the Library Board to add about 15 new books each month hereafter. The shelving capacity of the library has been about doubled recently.

Beginning January 1st, 1921, a charge of one dollar per year is to be made for each card holder residing outside the city, for the privilege of the library.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

St. Helens, Ore., January 3, 1921. The city council met on the above date in regular session. Present: Magnus Saxen, mayor; W. H. Brower, James O'Connor, C. L. Wheeler, and N. O. Larabee, councilmen; E. E. Quick, city recorder; George Potter, city marshal; J. W. Day, city at torney.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Reports: None.

The following claims against the city were read and on motion made and carried, ordered paid by warrants on the city treasurer:

Larsen and Company, supplies	\$ 2.25
A. J. Deming, supplies	4.15
Copeland Auto Co., supplies for fire department	2.50
Wm. H. Davies for hauling	5.00
Andrew Peterson, for cleaning streets	26.00
St. Helens Mist, for printing	\$8.40
H. W. Wigol, for services dep. marshal and witness	6.50
J. W. Day, for legal services	\$5.00
George Potter, for bus tickets	4.00
S. E. Lynch, work in Recorder's office	12.00
R. Constantine, for supplies	4.15

Total \$149.35

The old council having completed their labor and their respective terms of office having expired, vacated their chairs, and the new elective officers being present were duly sworn in as follows:

E. I. Ballagh, mayor; W. H. Brower, councilman; James O'Connor, councilman; J. W. McDonald, councilman; A. P. Barnett, councilman; H. A. Childs, city treasurer.

Mayor Ballagh appointed the following standing committees for the city, as follows:

Finance—Barnett, McDonald, O'Connor.

Street—McDonald, O'Connor, Barnett and Brower.

Health—Brower, O'Connor, and McDonald.

Judiciary—Barnett, Brower and McDonald.

Police—O'Connor, Barnett, and Brower.

Building—Ballagh, McDonald, and Brower.

Printing—McDonald, Barnett and O'Connor.

An application was received from H. E. Ballagh to erect a private garage on lots 3 and 4, block 11, and on motion made and carried, application was accepted and a permit ordered issued.

In the matter of the recommendations of the expert's report, as to a system of accounts and books to be kept by recorder and treasurer, this matter was brought up by the mayor and was discussed, and was referred by the mayor to the finance committee, also the city treasurer was requested to act with the committee.

No further business appearing on motion made and carried the meeting adjourned.

Attest: E. E. QUICK, Recorder.

FOR SALE—MIXED TIMOTHY AND clover hay, baled, \$14 per ton delivered in St. Helens or Columbia City. Passer Brothers, Columbia City, Ore. 4-48

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JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

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SUNDAY and MONDAY, January 9th and 10th



NAZIMOVA

"MADAME PEACOCK"

—A resplendent drama of a woman for whom the laws of man were no account. She had left her husband because he was a failure, and her child—well, because she didn't love it. A successful businesswoman, she was, and when in life, because the gorgeous, irresistible film of thousands. Then a part of her past loomed up threateningly.

It is so great a story that only Nazimova could hope to portray the principal part.

Adapted for the screen by N. K. KAZIMOV herself

HAROLD LLOYD

"GET OUT AND GET UNDER"

Sunday and Sunday Night Show

In Continuation from 2 P. M. Times, 10c and 15c

Liberty

FRIDAY, JANUARY 7th

"Robes of Destruction"

"LIGHTNING BRYCE"

Another Screen Hamilton Production

"A SNAIL"

Picture Weekly — Two-Roll Comedy

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12th

Mary Miles Minter

"SWEET LAVENDER"

"She Lay at His Feet—Dying"

But Westminster did not know that. He turned away from the prostitute and seemed to stare away in his mind.

Conscience awoke, he turned back and put her in his arms.

Then he learned that the girl whose life he had saved was the one who he thought was waiting for him. Then, the truth came.

He regretted nothing but the girl he had saved.

"SHE WAS HIS OWN DAUGHTER"

South Portland Comedy

"CASH CUSTOMERS"

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13th

BUSTER KEATON in "THE SAPHIRE"

The Wall Street sharks thought they had the old man's son trapped like a store hunt. They mistook him "the sapphire" but he fooled them. See this thrilling photoplay of love and diamonds.

Comedy—"HE MARRIED HIS WIFE"

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14th

BRYANT WASHBURN

"A Very Good Young Man"

His family's reputation was in real need of a remedy. After he got home regarding the previous night's escapade, he got into the girl—and what do you care for his family reputation if you get him and give the girl?

SCOTSMAN COMEDY

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8th

Nomads of the North

From the novel by James Oliver Curwood



Meet Neena, the bear, and Brant, the pup

Out of the nation, over the rapids, into the heart of the forest, fighting and struggling the bear off friends, on through peril and terror you'll follow their tracks with laugh and thrill—meeting the tracks of the man, woman and wild beauty of the backwoods, leading to the Liberty Theatre.

A wonderful picture—big with the bigness of the Northwest. Let Chester, George Stone and Betty Blanche see the stars. A great black bear, a wolf dog, and all the wild animals of the backwoods are in it.

NO WONDER IT'S A THRILLER

Experts Agree this is one of the greatest Screen Classics

Comedy—"MEETING ALL TRAINS"

First of the Louisville Comedy series of comedies

Matinee at 2 P. M. Matinee Prices, 10c and 15c Evening Prices, 10c and 15c