

LOCAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

AND OTHER NEWS OF INTEREST

W. A. Wise, dentist.
Henry Brooten was a Tillamook visitor Monday.

Hugh Arstall is enjoying his leave of absence from the Fort with his home folks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Imlah returned last week Friday from a couple of weeks visit to outside points.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hiner, of Tillamook, Sundayed with Mrs. Hiner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brooten.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Werschkul are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Julius Werschkul and Mr. and Mrs. William Werschkul, of Portland.

Dr. and Mrs. Wise went out to the doctor's Portland office Wednesday of this week to be gone until about the 25th of this month.

Ben, Oscar and Metta Antrim left Monday morning for Amity to attend school. Mrs. Antrim accompanied them and will remain in Amity for a short visit.

J. L. Gay this week purchased the Doty ranch south of town and will take immediate possession. We are pleased to welcome these good people back to Cloverdale.

The rates at the Louvre restaurant in Tillamook are no higher than at other eating places and the tables are as inviting and the edibles as appetizing as those you find in the larger cities.

D. M. Baker, of Portland, is in Cloverdale this week organizing a branch of the Pacific Building and Loan Association of Tacoma, Wash. He expects to complete the organization this week.

Rev. Montgomery, of the Portland Presbytery, writes that he will be in Cloverdale sometime after the 23d of this month. He will endeavor to find a way to provide a pastor for this church.

John Wise is building a garage on his recently purchased holdings bought from Judge Conder near the Little Nestucca river. The garage is 30x60 feet and will house his motor trucks. Other buildings are to be erected as soon as the garage is completed.

Dr. Turner, the well known eye specialist, of Portland, will be in Cloverdale again Thursday, Sept. 27th, one day only until 2 p. m. Dr. Turner is a specialist of experience and standing and you will make no mistake. Consult him about your eyes and glasses. Headaches relieved, cross eyes straightened. Satisfaction guaranteed. Artificial eyes fitted. Consult him. Don't forget the date.

Rev. Jos. A. McVeigh left Monday morning for Coquille, where he has agreed to occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church at that place for the next three months. Sunday evening the church here was filled to hear his last sermon here, for a time at least, and he gave his listeners a splendid sermon. He always does the best he can. It is more natural for him to do this than otherwise. Rev. McVeigh has delivered the best sermons ever

heard in this church, and we do not except the Portland leading ministers that have at divers times given us good sermons. It is regrettable that we can not have this good man with us for a year or two at least. The reason is, and we are going to be frank in making the statement, and that is there are too many people in Cloverdale that do not contribute to the maintenance of the church. They can afford to; there is not a valley in the country more prosperous than the Nestucca valley and to imagine a rich community like this contributing a measly \$35 per month to support a church and the bulk of this \$35 contributed by a very few. For the past six months the Portland Presbytery has been putting up \$50 per month. Add this to what we have been giving only makes a paltry salary of \$85 per month, nevertheless we have been getting much better sermons than can be heard in many of the high salaried churches.

Sad Passing Away.

Mrs. Frank Zosel passed away at the hospital yesterday morning of peritonitis. She was taken to the hospital about two weeks ago, but the trouble had gained such headway that recovery was impossible.

Mr. and Mrs. Zosel lived on the Dimick ranch and as sickness has visited their home considerable they are not in the best financial condition.

Mrs. Zosel was about 25 years of age at the time of her death and to make the passing more sad she leaves besides her husband six small children to mourn her death.

The funeral took place this afternoon and the remains were laid to rest in the Gist cemetery.

A Visit to Fort Columbia.

After a most pleasant trip we arrived in Astoria Thursday evening, went on to the fort Friday morning where we were received by our boys and conducted to Lieutenant Walls where we obtained permission to visit the many places of interest at the fort. After inspecting the electric plant we were invited to mess with the boys which we accepted with pleasure and fell in line just like one of the boys. We passed to the tables where we were served to beef stew, potatoes, cabbage, onions, creamed pudding, prunes and peaches, coffee and bread.

To say that we enjoyed sitting down with those boys is but mildly expressing our feelings, where such perfect good fellowship prevails, where such courtesy by the officers as well as the men were shown.

After lunch we were shown the many other attractions of the place, including an inspection of the kitchen under the management of Tony Reed and Roy Cremmens, and we can vouch for their adaptability to fill the place to perfection. As it was Thadeous L. Eggelson's wash day we had the pleasure of personally witnessing the operation and we know it was well done.

After a pleasant half hour's chat with Mess Sergeant Myers and Supply Sergeant Swenson we went to hear the band practice. Phares Stiverson and

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Hugh Arstall are members of the musical corps and we noticed a marked improvement. The band has sixteen pieces. We were not able to obtain the name of the master, however, we will say that he certainly knew his business. We next inspected the amusements consisting of Indian clubs, bowling alley, gym, acrobat, movies, and the national game base ball.

After supper we bid goodbye to the boys with regret that so pleasant a day could not be repeated. The courtesy extended to us by the officers of Fort Columbia will long be remembered by us and cherished as a bright spot in this otherwise dreadful war. Through the kindness of Sergeant Walls we were permitted to take our own dear boy with us back to Astoria where we enjoyed his company until Sunday evening when we sent him back to them knowing that those officers have the welfare of every boy in the fort at heart, feeling that we need not worry as to how they are faring, but thankful that their lives have fallen in as pleasant places even as they have.

Mrs. Imlah.

WOODS ITEMS.

Several new campers that were not afraid of a few sprinkles of rain, came to Pacific City Friday to spend a few days vacation.

Some people forget that September and October are two of the most pleasant months of the year to spend at the beach.

Frank Donn sprang a surprise on his friends last Thursday when he and Miss Bond, of Sheridan, were quietly married. We wish these young people a long and happy wedded life.

Mr. Fisher's aunt, Mrs. Lavander, who has been visiting here for some time, left for her home Saturday morning, accompanied as far as Tillamook by Mr. and Mrs. Fisher.

M. P. Dunn caught among other fish Thursday a fine 48-pound salmon.

We have one young man, Mr. Hoffman, who values an education above the war prices for labor. He leaves a good position in the mill with the prospects of better wages in the near future, to attend school. There is no better investment than this that a young man can make.

The last load of the big six-ton edger arrived at the mill Monday and as soon as it is put in place the planer will be started and then the box lumber on hand can be finished thus relieving the shortage in cheese boxes in this section that has been so acute this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Ward spent a few days in Tillamook this week.

Mr. Cornett's daughter is again making them a visit.

Mr. Hostetter has returned from the valley and will build cosy little quarters at Pacific City where his children will attend school this winter.

Mr. Peterson, from near Estacada, is again spending a little vacation here.

Don't forget the services at the chapel Sunday morning. There will be a new preacher.

There will be evening services at the chapel beginning next Sunday evening in place of the morning services held heretofore.

D. D. Miller has moved to Pacific City and has commenced work for the winter in the mill here.

Mr. Bewley contemplates spending the winter at Pacific City and his daughter Lillian is again with us.

Gilbert Belleque landed the largest fish of the season, weighing over 55 pounds.

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