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BREVITIES

Royal and Craig Driskell are here from Dayton, Wash.
Ohanart the photo man will be in Athens only three weeks longer.
Mrs. Joseph Wurtner visited with friends in Walla Walla Saturday and Sunday.
Dreamland motion pictures at Weston opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings.
Dick English has a five-room bungalow under construction at his place on Weston mountain.
Dick Morrison returned home Friday night from Pendleton, where he served as a member of the grand jury.
W. H. Bailey, prominent Miltonian, was a guest Sunday night of M. A. Baker while returning from a Pendleton trip.
J. H. Key has purchased a cottage in Athens, which will be occupied by his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Kirk.
G. R. Robinson, superintendent of the Weston schools, and family, arrived home Saturday from their vacation visit to Portland and the coast.
For Sale—Eighty acres improved land one and one-quarter miles south of Weston. Price \$2000. For terms inquire of G. R. Dismore, Amity, Oregon.
Jack Stamper, Zane Lanadale, "Booby" Kay and Rubin Smith constituted a party of hunters who left Wednesday for the Salmon river. They're after bear.
The dancing season will be ushered in tomorrow night with a Harvest Ball at Weston opera house. The management has engaged Lee Johnson's orchestra of Athens.
Miss Sylvia Beal has resumed her duties in the dry goods department of the Mosgrove Mercantile company at Athens, after a month's vacation visit with her parents in Seattle.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Price returned home Monday night from Camp McDougal, having finally found the yellowjackets a greater nuisance than the mountains are an attraction.
Mrs. Heulst March and Miss Florence March were in Milton Saturday. Miss March will teach the fourth grade this year in the Milton schools, and went over to locate a suitable boarding place.
Ed. May, well known resident of Weston mountain, left Saturday for Oregon City to visit his aged parents, both of whom are ill with paralysis. The stroke suffered by his father is of recent date. He is W. W. May, 44 years old, who crossed the plains as early as 1847 and has since done his part in the development of the west. Mr. Ed. May, by the way, is a native son of Oregon.

At the East Columbia conference of the M. E. Church, South, in recent session at Oakesdale, Wash., Rev. N. D. Wood was reappointed to the Weston charge. This popular pastor's return will be a source of pleasure to his growing membership, and of gratification also to townspeople in general. Rev. H. S. Shanks will be presiding elder—Rev. W. A. Orr, whom he succeeds, having been transferred to the Columbia conference. E. R. Naylor retains the presidency of Columbia college, and Rev. C. H. Howard returned to the work at Walla Walla.
C. W. Ray, former postmaster of Freewater, was killed Monday near Troutdale when his automobile was struck by a special train. He was on his way home with his family, after a few weeks spent at San Francisco. His engine "died" while his car was on the track, and owing to a curve the train could not be stopped in time. A 12-year-old girl, his niece, was also injured, dying several hours later. His 12-year-old son, Frank, was slightly hurt but his wife was uninjured.
The fruit and dairy farm of Mrs. H. N. Shanks in the Dry Creek district, has been leased by the G. W. Probstels, who will soon move to the country. Their cottage on Pomeroy street will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham, who relinquish the Wheeler residence to J. W. Potter and family, recent arrival from Milton. Mr. Potter comes here with Manager Glover, and will direct the shoe department of the Weston Mercantile Co.
Three of the four prisoners who escaped two weeks ago from the county jail were recaptured by Sheriff Taylor and Deputy Sheriff Estes near Lookout mountain in the south end of the county. J. M. McCormack, alias Arlie Arlington, the Hellis prisoner indicted for a statutory offense, is still at large. McCormack was the first to escape, and the other three declare that they were never with him after he left the jail.
East Oregonian: His clothing catching on the fly-wheel of a gasoline engine Sunday afternoon, Fred Hill, well known Birch creek farmer, was almost beaten to death by the revolution of the wheel before the engine stopped. His back was broken, his shoulder fractured, an arm mangled, his head cut open and numerous injuries resulted before his wife rescued him. His recovery is considered doubtful.

School books for cash only. Good via drug store.
Still time; three weeks only in Athens. Ohmart, Photo.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baker left yesterday for a visit at Enterprise.
Hurry now, as I remain only three more weeks in Athens. Ohmart the Photographer.
For the first time since his accident last July Earl Kinnear is able to get about on crutches, and Wednesday he came down town.
Mrs. Earl Barnett and her infant son are both reported to be critically ill with diphtheria at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland.
C. O. Pedersen left yesterday on a business trip to Hemet, California. Mr. Pedersen will take only passing glimpses of the fair during his absence.
"It's like getting letters from all my friends when the WESTON LEADER arrives," writes Mrs. Stanley Neeland of Albany, Oregon, in sending us her valued remittance.
Drs. Lowe and Turner, the well known eye specialists of Portland, will be in Weston again Wednesday, September 23. Consult them at Mrs. Webb's Cottage hotel.

Tommy Clark of Seattle defeated Bill Farrell of Pendleton in the sixth round of their boxing engagement Wednesday night in the latter city. A party of Weston fight fans went down to see the mill.
WESTON SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY
The Weston school will open next Monday with the following teachers in charge:
Louise Rintout of The Dalles, first and second grades.
Alberta Dryden of Peck, Idaho, third and fourth grades.
Olive Kilmer, fifth and part of the sixth grades.
Nellie Workman of Bayart, Nebraska, part of the sixth and the seventh grades.
Maude Ager of Portland, eighth grade.
Emma Johnson and Lucia Cogswell of Portland, high school.
The board of directors and the superintendent have taken definite plans and have spared no effort to secure the very best teachers possible for each position, and are fully confident that Weston will have one of the best teaching corps in Oregon.
The high school work will be materially strengthened this year by the addition of a course in mechanical drawing and manual training. First-class equipment has been installed for this work and indications point to large classes in this department.
Sixth, seventh and eighth grade boys will take manual training one day each week, and the girls from those grades will be given sewing or other industrial work at the same time.
It is especially desired that pupils who expect to enter school register the first day; pupils will not be admitted to the first grade or to the high school after October 1st.
The school building is being thoroughly cleaned this week in preparation for the opening of school Monday. Dave Lavender will have charge of the janitor work.

SWAGGART ON THE WARPATH.

Link Swaggart, prominent pork grower and leading suburbanite, meandered over the hill in this direction the other day while in a state of such violent indignation that he bit a chunk out of a hitching post before he could control himself. Link tells that in his current "Mulligan Stew" Colonel Boyd inserted the following foal morsel, and that he is regarded as the goat. At least, all of his suburban friends are pointing at him the finger of ridicule and derision. Link thinks of chartering a soap kettle and introducing Colonel Boyd into a different stew from any to which he has heretofore been accustomed.
"I have a friend (no need to mention his name here) who recently bought a Ford. After teasing it into town from the ranch one day, he started it for home. He had tried out all the kinks in the machine he had ever read of, heard of or been told about, when a brilliant idea pierced his mind. He was a little, let us say, when he grasped a plug of "Star" which he took from his pocket with both hands, proceeded to leisurely nibble. Result: Ford in the ditch, family scared speechless, and the whole darned plug in his mouth. Kneet!"

ODD BITS OF NEWS.

Bangor, Me.—Hal Lissenbinn, a resident of this city, who had been missing for several days, was found mired to the waist in mud near Stillwater and unable to move. He was nearly exhausted from lack of food and sleep.
Muskegon, Okla.—Frankie Lily, 29 years old, is making a small fortune teaming in the oil fields. The heavy lifting is done by cranes, but the girl drives her team and is said to be one of the best "horsemen" in this section of the country.
San Francisco, Cal.—The Pan-American Medical congress is made up of physicians who are brave men. They are trying to stop kissing. Dr. E. C. Ogil of Santa Domingo, the tuberculosis expert, says it would be far better for sweethearts to greet each other with a gentle slap on the cheek instead of an embrace and a kiss. The doctors accepted the hand-slap kiss as their future rule, and it is believed they will be alone in their misery.
Towanda, Pa.—Mrs. Luella J. Packard, 65 years old, swallowed a stick nearly 10 inches long, and is dead. She had no recollection of swallowing the wood, but it was found when doctors exp. says it would be far better for sweethearts to greet each other with a gentle slap on the cheek instead of an embrace and a kiss. The doctors accepted the hand-slap kiss as their future rule, and it is believed they will be alone in their misery.
Milwaukee, Wis.—Joseph Gillett is the "oldest schoolboy." He has just turned 72 and is one of the best scholars in the engineering course of the continuation school.
Burlington, Col.—A train struck a young cow near here and carried it three miles on the pilot without injuring it.
Bridgeport, Pa.—Dreyfull Bonham, while plowing in a field, caught an iron chain attached to a cart containing \$18 half dollars. The dates on the coins indicated they had been buried many years.

We hope that history will not overlook the second great event of this year—
PANAMA EXPO. OPENING FIRST WESTON'S CASH STORE OPENING SECOND
Sept. 15 is the Date
But do not forget that Watts & Rogers are open all the time.
Watts & Rogers

THINKING.
Few men really think, although each would deny the accusation. Although man is supposed to be a rational thinking animal, thinking is actually the hardest work and the rarest he does. We hear a thing, ordinarily, and immediately form an opinion about it. Usually self-interest is at the bottom of our conclusions. We are told, for instance, that woman suffrage is a good thing and we ought to have a law allowing women to vote. Do we look into the matter? Do we study the arguments for and against woman's suffrage? It is the same with the tariff, prohibition, the unions, the Mexican situation, the European war, in fact, everything we have anything to do with. How much more rational it would be to hold up our judgment on a question until we have had an opportunity to study it from every angle. Then form an opinion and stand or fall by that opinion, until we learn something of which we have been in ignorance that might change our minds on the subject. Not to be open to conviction is pig-headed. Narrowness is the bane of our whole system of civilization. Let your mind be open to every argument, and think—think for yourself.—Exchange.

This Briquet Man
hasn't got the STUMMY-KAKE, as you would probably think from his looks; he is merely asking for more kake of the kind his wife bakes when she burns DIAMOND BRIQUETS in her range. DIAMOND BRIQUETS is the cleanest and, we think, the most economical fuel on the market. We have carload now in stock and would be glad to supply you with a sample order.
WESTON BRICKYARD



(No. 206)
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Farmers' Bank of Weston, at Weston, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business September 2, 1915:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$125,018 65
Bonds and warrants	9,257 82
Banking house	3,500 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,000 00
Other real estate owned	27,056 75
Due from approved reserve banks	20,695 12
Checks and other cash items	208 17
Cash on hand	4,271 83
Expenses	4,822 23
Total	\$195,870 47
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$30,000 00
Surplus fund	15,000 00
Undivided profits	3,879 62
Due to banks and bankers	123 38
Individual deposits subject to check	92,968 25
Demand certificates of deposit	4,310 44
Time and Savings deposits	20,465 58
Bills payable for money borrowed	20,000 00
Other liabilities	123 20
Total	\$195,870 47

State of Oregon, County of Umatilla, I, E. M. SMITH, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
E. M. SMITH, Cashier.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
Wm. MacKENZIE,
F. D. WATTS,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3th day of September, 1915.
E. L. BLOMREN,
Notary Public.

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SEPT. 23-24-25, 1915
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INDIAN, COWBOYS
OUTLAW HORSES
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New Contests for Every Old Champion, new and local, hold you spellbound with their nerve and daring
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ATHENA, OREGON



Welcome Week at Walla Walla

Next week, Fair Week, is Welcome Week at Walla Walla. In common with all good citizens we extend you a hearty welcome to our city—beautiful, historic old Walla Walla. Whether it be home-coming with you or a first visit, we shall be glad to see you with us. May you enjoy every minute of your stay among us.
Welcome to our Fair and Frontier Days—the best Fair in the Northwest, and the biggest and most realistic representation of Pioneer and Frontier days anywhere.
Welcome to Davis-Kaser's. Make this store your headquarters while down town. Meet your friends here. Leave your bundles here. Use our telephone. Ask for any wanted information. Use the Post Office Substation, here for your convenience. Consider yourself at home at Davis-Kaser's. Remember your comfort and pleasure will have special consideration during this Welcome Week.
Of course we will gladly show you the most complete assortment of Home Furnishings hereabouts—to sell you at money-saving prices anything you may need if you so desire—but first of all we want you to enjoy your visit.
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have two complete oval or oblong pedestals and when you entertain friends at luncheon or use the table continually in the extended position, they are as perfect as when closed.
Uniquely, unsharpened surfaces with locks, nuts and bolts are not exposed on the divided pedestal by the extension of the "Twin." There are a multitude of reasons why you should buy a "TWIN" and no other. Remember, a table built a lifetime.
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