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## BREVITIES

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Mrs. Walter Ely of Portland was among Weston's reunion visitors.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. McKinney attended the reunion from Heils, Oregon.

W. M. Fraker, an aged pioneer who never misses a reunion, was up from Pendleton for this event.

Miss Ethel Riley of North Yakima, Wash., was a recent visitor of her sister, Mrs. Orval Duncan.

Twelve-foot combines, nearly new, for sale cheap. Also second-hand binder. Dan C. Hopkins, Heils, Ore.

H. P. Clodius, a prominent Walla Walla farmer, was here Friday and Saturday for a visit with his brother, Joe Clodius.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fetter, recently of Covello, Wash., are visiting Mrs. Fetter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Driskell.

Measles has appeared on the basket uplands in the household of C. C. Reathe, whose little daughter June is afflicted.

Mrs. Sarah Reed and Fred Reed, former Weston people, came from as far away as Enterprise, Oregon, to attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carmichael were here from Walla Walla for the reunion. Mrs. Carmichael has missed but one of these events in 24 years.

Mayor and Mrs. J. M. Banister left Saturday for Corvallis to attend the graduation of their daughter, Miss Edna Banister, from the Oregon Agricultural College.

Through a mischance with a butcher knife, Henry Weber, local meat cutter, will be deprived of the use of his right hand for several weeks, having put one digit wholly out of commission.

Washburn, Washington, was ably and intelligently represented at the pioneers' reunion by H. A. Dowd and J. B. Gross. Regulated by their "bester halves," who accompanied them, their conduct was above reproach.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Richal left Tuesday for Everett, Wash., to visit their daughter, Mrs. W. M. Carter. Upon their return trip they will stop at Washburn, Wash., where another daughter, Mrs. H. A. Dowd, resides.

Miss Fay Warren, teacher in the Marysville, Washington, schools, is here for a vacation visit with her mother, Mrs. E. M. Warren. She was re-elected at an increase in salary, and will return to her school work in September.

George Ginn, who grew up on a Weston farm and whom The Leader fondly hoped would amount to something until he was elected to the Washington legislature, came over from Walla Walla for the picnic—as in his annual and praiseworthy custom.

Mrs. A. Kinnear left Walla Walla Sunday for Portland, accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ralph Kinnear, and granddaughter, Miss Ethel Lane. Miss Lane has finished her Junior year at the Walla Walla High school, and will spend vacation with her parents in Portland.

Mess Taylor, who was in town Tuesday from his farm on the reservation, is not particularly pessimistic over the wheat outlook. Mr. Taylor says that the warm weather is fast bringing out the wheat, which is of good, healthy color, and that the tumbleweeds will soon be lost to view. In his opinion the earlier spring cold was favorable, since the hot sun beating upon a soil saturated with moisture would have caused too rapid and rank a growth of the wheat plants. As it was, the tumbleweeds outstripped the wheat, and looked to be a greater handicap than they really are, although they will cut down the yield to some extent.

Mr. Craig Oliver Driskell, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Driskell, and Miss Edna Beamer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beamer, were united in marriage June 1 at Walla Walla, where the ceremony was performed by Dr. Eugene B. Peterson, president of Whitman College. Both have a large circle of friends in the Weston neighborhood, where they have been known from childhood. The young bridegroom is employed on the Fontaine ranch near Cove, Wash., while the bride has no other home but the charming June bride he was so fortunate as to win.

Wheeler of the Walla Walla Times, Boyl of the Athena Press and Lewis of the Helix Advocate, Harlan of the Pilot Lock Record and Fletcher of the East Oregonian were among the newspaper boys who saw the heat town in Oregon in its picnic bib and tucker days. They were duly impressed and each wanted to stay awhile and work in The Leader shop until introduced to the G. Wash., which discouraged them. These modern journalists have become an effete lot.

Last Saturday afternoon about four o'clock two large Buick automobiles loaded with young people and driven by Herman Stagg of Weston and Rex Payne of Athena, collided head on at the Banister turn west of town. Fortunately, none of the occupants were hurt, although one girl was pitched out of the Stagg's car. Both automobiles were badly wrecked. The bill of repairs on the Stagg's car, which was the least damaged of the two, is estimated at \$150.

After steadily hammering iron for many years, Frank Baker took a vacation last week on Coeur d'Alene lake near Harrison, Idaho, where his brother resides. He found much sport in fishing and caught a large number of trout and bass. Not a few of them measured two and three feet in length, while one was four feet long.

E. M. Smith, cashier of The Farmers Bank of Weston, accompanied by Mrs. Smith, left Sunday for a two weeks' vacation, during which he will attend the bankers' convention at Portland and the Masonic grand lodge at Albany. Upon their return trip Mr. and Mrs. Smith will visit their ranch in Central Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Saling and daughter left in their Reo Monday morning for Portland to attend the Rose Festival, accompanied by John Banister, Jr. Making a leisurely trip, they stopped Monday night at The Dalles and continued their journey next day over the Columbia River Highway.

After visiting her sister, Mrs. L. S. Wood, and attending the pioneers' reunion, which she complimented highly, Mrs. Lillian McMorris left Sunday for her home in Portland. She was accompanied by Mrs. Lillian Fredericks, who will visit relatives and friends in the metropolis.

George Peebler, president-elect of the Umatilla County Pioneers' Association, left Pendleton Tuesday with a party of relatives on an automobile trip to Albany, Oregon. It was Mr. Peebler's intention to follow as closely as possible the old emigrant trail which he first went over in 1852.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Hall and sons, former Weston residents, were here yesterday while returning to their home near Nolin from a visit to Mrs. Hall's father, Sam Morgan, near Lind, Wash. They also stopped at Touchet for a visit with the Baddeley boys.

Fred Rogers, mayor of Colfax, Wash., Mrs. Laura McDonald of Pullman and Mrs. Linna Sauze of Walla Walla were here for the reunion, having gone to school at Weston. They are brother and sisters of E. C. Rogers.

J. M. Ashworth, L. R. Van Winkle and W. A. Barnes were appointed trustees of the Umatilla County Pioneers' Association, which will have charge of its property and finances for the ensuing year.

Miss Nellie Nelson left Wednesday for Portland, via Walla Walla, with a party of ten girls whom the O-W-R & N. Co. is entertaining at the Rose Festival.

Mrs. W. B. Mays, who lived at the old Lansdale homestead below Weston during her girlhood, was among the Pendleton visitors who witnessed Friday's reunion program.

Miss Hortense Baker has gone to Missoula, Montana, where she will become a member of the household of her brother, G. B. Baker, and attend high school next September.

Hon. A. R. Frite, formerly state senator from Umatilla county and now a resident of eastern Washington, renewed old-time friendships at Weston Friday and Saturday.

Tiring of suburban life, W. L. Cooper, cobbler and philosopher, has moved back to Weston from Athena and opened a shop in the Wheeler hotel building.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thompson were up from Pendleton for the reunion. When Miss Caroline Ginn, Mrs. Thompson was a Weston girl.

The city council has passed a new dog tax ordinance, fixing the responsibility of the owner or keeper of a dog. It will be published next week.

Motor car service to all points, day or night. Also livery and feed stable opposite the Llewellyn blacksmith shop. Late McBride.

L. I. O'Hara walked into the Weston garage the other day and bought a five passenger Ford automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Fontaine and children were reunion visitors from Covello, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gordon motored over from their Athena farm for the reunion.

Freewater announces a Cherry Day celebration for Wednesday, June 21.

Dr. Watts will reward finder of his lost vest pocket memorandum book.

J. N. Burgess predicts that Hughes will be nominated tomorrow.



The Picnic took the Yellow out of us, and now the Sun takes the Yellow from the Wheat.



Last week we commented on the progress of our town and plumb forgot the BIGGEST STUNT of all, viz: Our Boys' Band.

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### A Good Citizen Gone.

David N. Van Skiver, a resident of Umatilla county since 1880 and for the past eleven years a highly respected citizen of the Weston community, died Tuesday, June 6, 1916, at 11:50 a. m. at his late home in this city, from a second stroke of paralysis. He was first stricken about a year ago, and had since been an invalid.

Mr. Van Skiver was born September 11, 1852, in Henry county, Iowa, and came west in 1880, locating in Umatilla county. Two years later he settled on a homestead twelve miles northwest of Heils, where he was successfully engaged in farming.

Coming to Weston in 1896, he built a home here and acquired land interests in the foothills. January 27, 1888, Mr. Van Skiver was united in marriage at Athena to Miss Amy Corpron, who survives him. He also leaves two brothers and one sister, residing in Iowa. He had long been a member of the United Brethren Church, and was a man of high moral character and strong religious conviction. He was also a member of the Masonic order and the Knights of the Macabees. Kind of heart and of the strictest probity, he was esteemed by his neighbors and beloved in his household. His many friends console themselves in their sorrow with the reflection that his night of ill can befall such as he in the Great Beyond.

The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the United Brethren Church, and were conducted by Rev. George Chapman, his former pastor, who came up from Philomath, Oregon, for the purpose. Interment was had in the Masonic cemetery, and the rites of this order were observed at the grave.

### Upland Celebration Announced.

Weston Uplands, June 1.—(Special Correspondence)—July Fourth next the great American eagle will scream his scream amidst the beautiful Blues, until he can scream no more. At a mass meeting held in the Upland school house it was unanimously voted to celebrate the natal day in the Bryson grove six miles east of Weston. The meeting was organized by the election of J. R. English as chairman and John Stolp as secretary. It was decided to appoint only the chairman of each committee, the several chairmen to choose their own assistants. The following were named:

Program—Mrs. R. D. Hyatt.  
Decorations—Mrs. J. S. Nell.  
Sports—Will Gould.  
Police and Parade—John Stolp.  
The Kaiser and the King have not been invited, but all patriotic and red-blooded Americans will be welcomed to the cool shade of the pines away from the heat and dust of the city. A patriotic address and the usual sports will be featured. The lowland people will forget the other 364 days before they do the one of pleasure spent in our upland grove last year. Ed May, the barbecue chef, will be away; but the ball game will not be omitted, nor the side-splitting, grouch-curing, pie-eating contest.

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