

BETTER HOMES WEEK

This, you know, is a big national event—a recognition of the fact that the well ordered home is the basis of the nation's strength. During the week from March 25 to March 31 we will hold "open house," and all of our out-of-town friends are invited to visit this store, to inspect the new Display Rooms, to attend our various Demonstrations of Food, Fuel and Labor-Saving devices. On the evening of the 25th we hold in our store a **HOME TALENT TONE TEST**, which is free to everyone. Make up a party of your friends and come to this interesting recital, for which a splendid program has been arranged.

Every day during this week, some event of unusual interest will take place in this store. Make this your headquarters when in Walla Walla.

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BREVITIES

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Louis Christenson was in town yesterday from his upland farm.

Toulouse goose eggs for hatching for sale at six eggs for \$1.00. Mrs. R. G. Blomgren.

Robert Reynolds left yesterday for Connell, Wash., to assist his brother, Otis, in grain seeding.

After spending the winter with the C. L. Pinkertons Mrs. J. S. Henry left Sunday for her home at Lents, Oregon.

Dr. H. Z. Tharp has been commissioned as first lieutenant in the Medical Corps of the United States army, and is now awaiting the call to service.

C. W. Avery, deputy assessor for the Weston district, has taken desk room in the real estate office of F. G. Lucas, where he may be found by taxpayers.

Dr. Alfred F. Sempert is preparing to leave about the first of April for Portland, where he will remain until called to the colors as a lieutenant in the Dental Corps.

The revival conducted by Evangelist Jesse R. Kellems at the Christian church in Milton resulted in no less than 213 conversions, and is described as the greatest revival in Milton's history.

Miss Josie Lavender of the Weston Mercantile Co. is pleasantly employing a week's vacation on a visit to her cousin, Miss Ruby Price, who is attending Washington State College at Pullman.

We offer a limited number of brand new auto tires—sizes 30x3, 30x3½, 32x3½ and 31x4—at ten percent discount for cash. Call soon if you want to take advantage of these bargains. Pennington & O'Hara.

H. M. Cockburn, William Harder, Arthur Spence and A. R. Shumway have contracted with the Burrell Construction company for a 30,000 bushel elevator, which will be completed in time to take care of their 1918 crop.

Jesse L. York, young Dry creek farmer, has embarked in the Belgian hare industry as a side issue, with special efforts in the direction of raising a blue-blooded strain of this edible animal. The Leader printed some pedigree blanks this week for Mr. York.

Walter Adams has bought and put in commission the caterpillar formerly owned by Wilbur Woods. Other "cats" started this week in this neighborhood were those of Iley Winn and Sim J. Culley. Weather conditions are now very favorable for plowing.

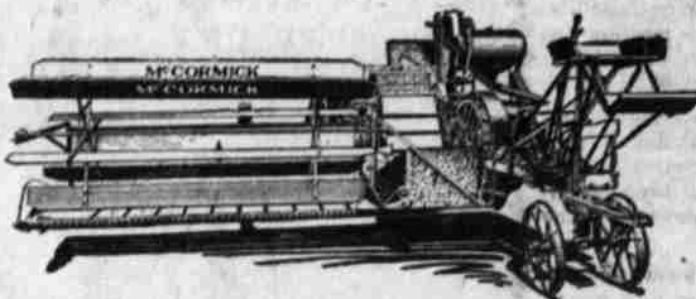
The contract for concrete work on the new garage building was let this week by Bud Nelson to C. H. Scott of Milton, at a price not given out but said to be more than \$4000. The contract price includes the glass front and corner front with which the building will be embellished.

A movement has been launched at Athena for the building of a \$15,000 hospital, to be known as the Athena Protestant Hospital, and the promoters are confident that \$10,000 will be raised within a week's time. Zeph Lockwood and wife have headed the subscription list with \$1000.

R. E. Madsen was in Milton one day this week, reports the Eagle, and was a much noticeable feature on account of his great height. He is seven feet six inches tall, weighs 210 pounds and is 20 years of age. He asserts that he will be a tall man when he gets his growth. Madsen posed as Uncle Sam in the movie picture, "The Slacker's Heart."

Jess Gordon, well known young farmer, who has been successfully operating on leased holdings west of Athena, has just invested in a place of his own. It is known as the Colburn quarter, located four miles north of Athena, and was bought by Mr. Gordon from Clarence Zerba for \$150 an acre. He will continue to make his home in his present location.

Clarence Rhea and Billy Warfield, upland nimrods, went nimroding a few days ago in the Blues for bear, on the theory that spring weather might have tempted bruin from his winter quarters. They were disappointed, however, as the snow still lies deep in the mountains. They measured it last Saturday at Aunt Sarah McDougal's camp and found it to be no less than five and one-half feet in depth at that point, which is about 16 miles east of Weston. It is three feet deep at the Blue Mountain sawmill.



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If you are not like Pharaoh, send forth your gold to help stem the German invasion.

THIRD LIBERTY LOAN APRIL 6

"Over The Top" will be the subject of a lecture to be given at the United Brethren church at 2 p. m. March 29, by Mrs. Jennie Kemp, Field Agent for the Food Administration. Mrs. Kemp is a platform speaker of ability and prominence and Weston people should make it a point to hear her lecture. Her talk is not exclusively on food conservation, but deals with what civilians behind the lines—and women especially—may do at this present moment to help win the war. Special patriotic music and songs will be arranged for in connection with the event.

While preaching his regular sermon Sunday evening, Rev. E. S. Powell collapsed suddenly in the pulpit and had to be removed to his home. He has since been improving somewhat, but has not yet been able to resume his work.

More machines are now available for Red Cross sewing, and it is desired that as many ladies as possible come out and help in the work. The members meet for sewing in the library room on Friday and Tuesday afternoons.

Mrs. Maggie Andross of Ritter, Oregon, is visiting at the home of her brother, Frank Skinner, local chief of police.

Chris Thoency took out a new Ford touring car this week from the Weston garage.

Overland Country Club car, in good condition, for sale. See Dr. Sempert.