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BREVITIES

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Miss Ruby Price has accepted a position in the office of the Weston Mercantile Co.

Mrs. E. Reynolds and Robert Reynolds are here from Connell, Wash., to attend the reunion.

E. C. Rogers left Wednesday to visit the extensive land holdings of Watts & Rogers near Odessa, Wash.

Eldon and Erma McIntyre have gone to Portland to visit their grandfather, Alex Walker, at Montavilla.

F. G. Lucas will soon be taking real estate clients around in a new Hubmobile car, now on the way from the factory.

Mrs. J. H. Williams and Gail Williams left Wednesday for Portland, where Gail will receive further training in dramatic art.

Dick Harris and family are returning from Hingham, Montana, and it is said will again become residents of the Weston neighborhood.

Title to certain lands left by the late Nelson Swaggart was quieted in a recent friendly action brought by J. M. Swaggart against A. L. Swaggart.

Services will be conducted at the Episcopal church next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock by Rev. Alfred Lockwood of Pendleton. All are invited to attend.

Reports from the Blues say that a big crop of huckleberries is in prospect for the festive summer picker. The young berries are beginning to form and are almost safe from Jack Frost.

Dr. and Mrs. Wood of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, were guests Wednesday of Dr. and Mrs. Watts while on their way to Portland. Dr. Wood and Dr. Watts were formerly partners in the practice of medicine at Coeur d'Alene.

Herman Staggs leaves Sunday on a motoring trip to Portland, where he will attend the Rose Festival. Herman will be accompanied home by his brother Emery, who has been under treatment at Portland and is reported to be improving.

Sheepmen have been driving their herds across the mountains to the Palmer Lumber company grazing ground. However, snowdrifts near Toll Gate have held up their supply teams, and they have been compelled to pack across the obstruction.

Reports from Montana say that the region in which large investments were made by Umatilla county people was recently visited by a destructive wind and hail storm. Young grain was badly damaged, and barns and houses in some instances were blown from their foundations.

In the eyes of Young America no picnic is complete without a carousel, carryuassal, merry-go-round—or whatever you like to call it. So there was general rejoicing here among the younger population with the arrival this week of Tave McIntosh and his outfit of dashing wooden ponies.

The Memorial Hall yard was cleared this week by willing volunteers, headed by President Watts, preparatory to grading. The brick foundation has been constructed, and everything is in readiness for the metamorphosis of the superstructure, which will be changed completely in appearance. The bid of the Walla Walla Lumber company, which submitted a most attractive plan, has been accepted for this work.

Farmers generally are hoping that the pioneers' reunion will be true to its record and bring a good, soaking rain. The lack of moisture is beginning to be felt throughout the wheat belt. The East Oregonian reports that "with a total fall of .50 inches the precipitation for May lacks .96 inches of reaching the normal." It was almost as dry a May as that of last year, when the precipitation was 1.03 inches below normal.

Grasshoppers were a destructive agency last year in the upland districts near Weston, and evidently left large and hungry families. An army of young 'hoppers is reported to be taking a strip several hundred yards wide through the fields and gardens of Reed and Hawley on mountain, and reports of an unwelcome visitation come from Weston also. President Porter of the Weston Commercial club has just written to Oregon Agricultural College for advice, and meanwhile upland farmers are using such means as they find available to fight the little pests.

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Memorial Day at Weston

Memorial Day was very suitably commemorated at Weston. In the afternoon the following program of exercises was given at High School auditorium, where J. W. Porter, president of the commercial club, presided:

America—Audience.
Prayer—Rev. E. F. Wriggle.
Battle Hymn of the Republic—Audience.

Victory Song—Twenty school girls.
Duet—"The Vacant Chair"—Lela G. Saling, Lois Porter.

Address—Rev. Alfred Lockwood of Pendleton.
Blessed Be the Tie that Binds—Audience.

Remarks—Lieutenant Curran McFadden.
Mr. Lockwood gave an especially thoughtful and interesting address, in keeping with the occasion. The decorations were tasteful and beautiful, this feature being the work of a committee consisting of Mrs. S. J. Culley, Mrs. C. H. Smith and Mrs. J. W. Porter. The Blue and the Gray were represented on the platform by C. F. Bullfinch and Allen Richal, union veterans, and G. W. Craigen and W. H. Beathe, Confederate veterans of the civil war.

The Weston Concert Band played on Main street square prior to the exercises, and a squad of young ex-soldiers stood at salute under the command of Lieutenant McFadden while the "Star Spangled Banner" was rendered. Soldiers and band then marched to the auditorium.

In the forenoon graves in the three Weston cemeteries were decorated. The well-kept appearance of the cemeteries—now cared for by W. H. Gould—occasioned much favorable comment.

A 30-acre tract known as "Cherryvale Farm" near Ballou station below Milton has been sold to a California family for \$25,000.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

Myrtle May Reid, Plaintiff, vs. Thomas Richard Reid, Defendant.
To Thomas Richard Reid, defendant above named:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled court and cause within six weeks of the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before Friday, the 11th day of July, 1919; and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint or otherwise plead thereto within said time, the plaintiff for want thereof will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her said complaint, namely, for a decree of the Court forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant and for other equitable relief.

This summons is published pursuant to an order made herein on the 28th day of May, 1919, by Honorable Gilbert W. Phelps, Judge of the above entitled court. The first publication of this summons will be made on the 30th day of May, 1919, and the last publication on the said 11th day of July, 1919, and publication will be made for six consecutive weeks in the Weston Leader newspaper published at Weston, Umatilla County, Oregon.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1919.
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