

BREVITIES

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McRae were visiting in Weston Wednesday from Walla Walla.

Lost—Federal rim and casing, between Weston and Athena. Liberal reward. J. M. Banister.

Mrs. James Kirkpatrick and daughter, Mrs. R. G. Blomgren, left Sunday for Orifino, Idaho, to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Affleck.

Returning from Forest Grove, Harry Shick and family have moved into a brick cottage on north Water street purchased by Mr. Shick from J. C. Turner.

Ernest Smiley and family have returned to Paris, Missouri. Mr. Smiley disposed of his blacksmith shop interests to his partners, the Peak brothers.

Clinton S. Bennett has sold his model farm of 640 acres near Ritzville, Washington, to Peter Theil for \$64,000. This is a new price record for Adams county lands.

Mrs. A. C. Brown of Vancouver, Wash., wife of Dr. Brown, and her little daughter Geraldine, are here to visit her mother, Mrs. Iven O'Harra, and attend the Round Up.

Judge Warren A. Wood of Gold Beach, Oregon, arrived Wednesday evening to join Mrs. Wood, who has been visiting her parents here. Incidentally, he saw the Pendleton Round Up for the first time.

Repairs on the dam above town were completed this week by Superintendent Avery and Councilman Wurzer. The local water situation is improving, but conservation of the supply is still regarded as quite essential.

While motoring through to the Round Up Mr. and Mrs. George Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Newman of Wallace, Idaho, stopped in Weston for a few hours yesterday to visit relatives of Mrs. Baker, who is a sister of Earl Rose.

Demand for upland soil is increasing, profitable crops having been raised this year. Alex Kling has bought the old Tom Lessor place, 482 acres, of F. H. Heilman for \$21,000. Mr. Kling has been farming the place for the past six years.

Jim Massey "bulldogged" a steer at the Walla Walla frontier show in fourteen seconds. On average time, however, he took second to Ray McCarrroll. Art Bleamister, a buckaroo from Reno, Nevada, rode a vicious buck named Coyote—said to have thrown 270 men.

Mrs. Kittie Ray left Wednesday on her return home to Portland, after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. M. W. Van Winkle. Her son, Carl Ray, remains as a member of the ranching force at the Bell place, after finishing the harvest season with the Vennard Bell outfit.

Despite the beautiful autumnal weather, winter is undeniably approaching. The Leader's weather editor will be corroborated in this assertion by T. C. Gettings, who reports the first snow of the season on Weston mountain. He saw a few feathery flakes descend Thursday night of last week, between the hours of 9 and 11.

Rev. W. R. Storms, pastor of the Baptist Church, was the honor guest at an enjoyable donation party recently given by the members of his congregation. Among the gifts was \$70 in cash, all of which the good pastor was admonished and instructed to spend for the best suit of clothes to be had in Weston. Other habiliments to match were provided, and catables were brought for a fine spread in the reception room of the church. Mr. Storms is 64 years old, began ministerial work at the age of 12 in Missouri, and for 44 years has been an active pastor.

Thomas Follett, a pioneer farmer of the Tekoa, Washington, section, operating 130 acres, has received a check for \$6438.70 for the fall wheat from 60 acres of his place—\$108.20 per acre. The grain averaged 56 bushels per acre and he received \$195 per bushel, less a small dockage. On the remainder of the farm Mr. Follett raised barley and secured \$48 per acre. Gross proceeds from grain were \$10,800 and the threshing bill was \$1205.

The Misses Edna Hollenbeck, Frank Harris Davis, Mabel Colvin and Mr. and Mrs. H. Goodwin were delightfully entertained last Sunday afternoon by Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith at their cozy new home in Athena. War trophies and a very interesting collection of European souvenirs were inspected while Dr. Smith related many anecdotes concerning his experiences on foreign soil.

Emery Reynolds returned yesterday from overseas, after serving 28 months in the Marines, Sixth regiment. He was twelve months in Europe, and saw action on two fronts with the celebrated Second division.

Rev. E. F. Wriggle left Tuesday for The Dalles to attend the United Brethren conference in session there.

Miss Susie Beathe is ill with tonsillitis.

Greeting to New Minister

Tuesday evening at the Methodist Episcopal church a reception under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society was tendered the new minister, Rev. P. J. Starmer, and family.

The church was comfortably filled with Weston citizens when Rev. W. R. Storms, pastor of the Baptist Church, opened a short program with an address of welcome on behalf of the Weston Ministerial Association. Mr. J. W. Porter, superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school, in a well-worded talk extended a hearty greeting to the new comers. Mrs. Hattie Wilsey, on behalf of the Woman's Society, expressed the good will and assured the loyal support of this department of the church. Rev. Starmer responded in a pleasing manner to the felicitations so conveyed.

A piano duet by Misses Anna Lavender and Mina Price, vocal duet by Miss Lois Porter and Claud Price, vocal solo by little Miss Florence Ross and a brilliant piano solo by Miss Ruby Price constituted musical numbers which were all greatly enjoyed. A social hour was followed by light refreshments.

Rev. Starmer and family are cordially received into the community life of Weston.

An Afternoon Party

Mrs. Warren A. Wood of Gold Beach, Oregon, was the inspiration for a recent delightful afternoon party for which Mrs. Lilian Fredericks was hostess at her home.

Progressive games afforded much amusement, the highest honors being won by Mrs. Ralph G. Saling, who received a beautiful potted Antiaricum in recognition of her ability. The honor guest was presented with a dainty bonbon dish as a souvenir of the occasion. During the final hour light refreshments were served by the hostess.

The guest list included Mrs. Warren A. Wood, Mrs. Ralph G. Saling, Mrs. J. Harl Williams, Mrs. Mary McNea and Mrs. H. Goodwin.

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The Teachers Are Welcomed

A brilliant social event of last week was the reception given Saturday evening in honor of the Weston school faculty by the Saturday Afternoon Club, at Society hall.

Artistic baskets of golden-rod and Black-eyed Susans gave the hall an attractive appearance. Guests were greeted at the door by past presidents of the club, Mesdames F. D. Watts and E. O. DeMoss. In the receiving line were Mrs. H. Goodwin, the incoming president, and Mrs. E. M. Smith, the retiring president of the club, with the following members of the school faculty: Superintendent and Mrs. F. C. Fitzpatrick, Miss Edna Hollenbeck, Miss Lurline Brown, Miss Elza Love, Mrs. Luella Pinkerton, Miss Mabel Colvin and Miss Louise Rintoul. Miss Frank Harris Davis, the only new member of the faculty, was not present, being unavoidably detained at Pendleton, much to the regret of the representative citizens of the Weston community who were happy to greet our splendid corps of instructors.

At nine o'clock a short program was inaugurated consisting of selections by the Payant orchestra; addresses of welcome by Mayor John Banister and Mr. Joseph Hodgson, chairman of the Board of Education; a response by Superintendent Fitzpatrick and a vocal duet by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Saling.

An hour of good fellowship and conversation ensued, after which the guests adjourned to the banquet room, which was tastefully decorated with fluffy pink and white chrysanthemum asters, roses and palms. Candles, with pink shades, gave a pleasing lighting effect. Presiding at the coffee urns were Mrs. A. J. McIntyre and Mrs. W. S. Price. Assisting in serving were Mesdames J. Harl Williams, F. D. Watts and E. O. DeMoss. Many handsome gowns were worn in honor of the event.

The affair served to strengthen community spirit and launched the social season of 1919-20.

The war savings stamp campaign in Oregon has been placed in the hands of the Oregon State Elks' association, according to an announcement made jointly by Edward Cokingham, director for the war loan organization in Oregon, and Harry G. Allen, president of the Oregon State Elks' association.

The \$8 Oregon banks reporting dormant deposits of more than seven years' standing under the recent biennial call, have been notified by Attorney General Brown to remit the same to the state treasurer, by whom they will be credited to the state's public school fund. The fund aggregates \$12,315.85.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Farmers' Bank of Weston, at Weston, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business September 12, 1919:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$178,911 62
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	900 40
Bonds and warrants	8,433 14
Banking house	3,500 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,000 00
Other real estate owned	28,595 33
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	409 66
Due from approved reserve banks	88,527 63
Checks and other cash items	1,253 67
Cash on hand	11,809 24
Other resources	3,585 25
Total	\$326,925 94
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 30,000 00
Surplus fund	15,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	8,768 36
Individual deposits subject to check	222,074 92
Demand certificates of deposit	2,125 11
Time and Savings deposits	48,956 65
Other liabilities	90
Total	\$326,925 94

State of Oregon,
County of Umatilla, ss.
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:
J. H. PRICE,
F. D. WATTS,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of September, 1919.
S. A. BARNES,
Notary Public,
(My commission expires Nov. 13, 1920.)

Notice to Creditors

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Hezekiah Key, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, James S. Johns, has been appointed by the above named court administrator of the above entitled estate, and that he has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present the same to me at the office of the Hartman Abstract Company, corner of Main and Court streets, Pendleton, Oregon, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof.
Dated this 15th day of September, 1919.

JAMES S. JOHNS,
Administrator.
STEPHEN A. LOWELL,
His Attorney.

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We are just in receipt of a wire that a general price advance will take place on all orders received after September 21. Let us have your order now, and save at least ten percent.

MILLINERY—Four dozen new trimmed hats just received this (Friday) morning. New shipments continue to come in and our line is very complete. Our sales have been larger than in any previous season, and we invite you to inspect this line. We are proud of this department and leave nothing undone to have complete showings.

COATS—Do not hesitate to place your order for your fall coat. Coats are selling rapidly, yet our big line is complete. Prices, however, are going higher and goods are very difficult to get. Our prices will not advance so long as our stock lasts, but we will be compelled to pay higher for re-orders. Plushes, heavy cloths, trimmed becomingly. Some are as low as \$12.50, some as high as \$78.00, but you can buy a very pretty and a very serviceable coat for \$25.30 and \$35.00. An attractive line of children's coats.

SHOES—Late shipments are arriving and are what you have been asking for. School shoes—pretty dress shoes—boys' army shoes—men's army shoes—men's new tan English—ladies' pretty two-tone—and the prices from \$6.50 to \$9.00. A very few at \$10. One lot of children's shoes, odds and ends, to close out at \$1.93.

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