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The Weston Schools

Is Miss Rintoul glad to be back? Ask her. She'll say she is. Are her pupils glad to have her back? Ask them. They'll say they are.

The first grade regrets the loss of Dorothy Redham, who is moving away.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick's room is busy making preparations for Christmas. Miss Colvin's room is studying a pretty Japanese garden of its own making. The garden consists of two horse-radish roots which make up the islands. On one of these islands a Jap house stands. The inhabitants are able to pass from one island to the other by boat or over an artistic bridge. Water surrounds the islands—as is generally the case.

Mrs. Pinkerton's room expects to have a Christmas tree.

It is reported the Edison broke down while on duty in the eighth grade room. No wonder. It probably has "cold feet."

The high school is experiencing one of those atrocious Quizz Weeks. It is a humdinger, too.

The Curtis Standard Practice Tests are here now for use in the third to eighth grades, inclusive.

Every pupil in school is interested in his parents seeing his report card next Monday.

Mr. Fitzpatrick received his official credentials as a delegate to the State Teachers Association in Portland December 29, 30 and 31. Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Green of Pendleton and Mr. Drew of Echo are the delegates who were elected by the teachers during the institute, to attend the Portland meeting.

BREVITIES

Ford roadster for sale. Liberty Auto Co.

Mrs. W. H. Gould has been wrestling with a severe cold the past week.

Nelson D. Jones is in Portland this week taking a pre-Christmas look around.

Ephraim Tucker and family were dinner guests Sunday of Elder and Mrs. John Bonewitz.

The Edward Tuckers came up from Holdman Sunday for a day's visit at the W. H. Gould home.

Roy L. Lianell bob-sledded to town Wednesday to talk over the livestock market with local cronies.

Walter Gilmore came down from the mountain Wednesday morning and spent a few hours in town.

For Sale—One Oregon Special combined harvester, 20-foot cut, in good condition. E. L. Woods, Weston, Oregon.

C. L. Pinkerton, assistant cashier of the local bank, has been kept at home for a week or more with a serious illness.

Holiday goods are being attractively displayed in the local shops. Weston merchants are anticipating a fine holiday trade.

Mrs. Alex McCorkell came down from the mountain Tuesday, braving cold and snowdrifts, to visit and shop a few hours.

Mrs. Lillian Fredericks ignored the presence of the Storm King Wednesday morning and made her usual weekly trip to Walla Walla.

Taking a holiday vacation from his duties on the Ellsworth Woods farm, Lawrence Curtis has gone to Portland and Brownsville, and will visit his parents at the latter place.

Miss Hortense Baker has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Wright, at Clareholm, Alberta. Her father is beaming with pleasure since his cook has arrived in time for the season of sausage and spareribs.

The local lodge of Pythians was not deterred Wednesday evening by the dearth of electrical illuminant. More primitive means were used for lighting the castle hall, and all three ranks were conferred in a session lasting until midnight.

William Singer, Jake Narkaus and other cattlemen drove about 150 head of stock through town Sunday, en route for Gardena alfalfa fields. The cattle have been ranging on Rock creek in the Blues, and owners were delayed in getting them out.

Roy Read is here from the big Cameron ranch at Nobleford, Alberta, which for several months has been the scene of his agricultural activities. He is going back to Nobleford after a visit, although he admits that his services there are not indispensable.

Weston home-makers who are fortunate enough to possess a Christmas cactus are eagerly watching the buds to see if there is a promise of bright blossoms for the holiday season. The legend is that a quantity of these blossoms foretells a jolly visit from St. Nicholas.

Orell McPherrin regularly keeps up his auto stage run, despite the heavy snow. He even has another car in readiness to put on should the traffic justify its use. With only one railroad train each day, the auto stage becomes a most positive convenience to those who must travel in this kind of weather.

John Gordon, who lived in the Weston country three decades or more ago, came down from Spokane for a visit with relatives and friends. He is the father of Mrs. R. G. Saling of this city and Jess Gordon, the well known young farmer of Athena. Mr. Gordon has been handling and dealing in racing stock for a number of years, and is regarded as a capable trainer.

G. Bayles Baker, son of Merritt A. Baker, a Weston veteran of the civil war—another of whose sons served overseas—has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States army. Bayles is a train dispatcher in the railroad engineering corps. He will sail from San Francisco December 10 for service in Siberia. His family will remain at Deer Lodge, Montana, which has been their home for several years.

The directors of Weston Memorial Association have received a letter of congratulation and inquiry from War Camp Community Service Headquarters at New York City in regard to the Memorial Hall recently dedicated in this city. The letter states that Weston is one of the leaders in the United States in this line, and requests a picture and floor plan of the building to use in publicity work and assist in advising other communities which are rapidly falling in line to follow the lead of such progressive places as our town.

Miss Eunice Wilsey, a popular bride of last week, was honored at a shower given by the Pythian Sisters at the home of Mrs. Marvin Price, last Friday evening. A handsome gift of silver was presented by the organization to the young lady. A number of the younger set were present and tendered the honor guest a miscellaneous shower.

Revival meetings will continue every evening of next week at the Baptist church. Good interest and attendance are reported.

See us for bob-sledds. Watts & Rogers, Athena.

Royal Driskell is here from Walla Walla.

D. O. K. K. Ceremonial

"The Dokies are coming." Fortified with potent draughts of camel's milk and leading their hungry and ferocious tiger—which dines on tyro meat with the same hearty appetite with which the bi-horned bivolkpus eats a nigger—they are coming to Weston three hundred strong from all points of the compass.

The inspiration is the big ceremonial which will be staged here December 29 in High School auditorium by Al Kindi Temple of Walla Walla. This event was made possible for Weston by the kindness of Athena knights in yielding their rights in the premises, Athena having already had two ceremonials.

There will be fifty or more tyros to cross the burning sands, for the sands of the desert do not grow cold in Dokiedom—the grand domain of the worthy Knights of Khorassan. There will of course be a big feed of other chow besides tiger meat and camel's milk—these being delicacies to round out the feast. The local temple of Pythian Sisters has charge of the banquet, which will be served in the banqueting room of the castle hall of Stevens Lodge, Knights of Pythias. There will be a suitable program of toasts.

The arrangements committee consists of C. W. Avery, J. H. Price and W. H. Booher.

Has a Fine War Record

People of the neighborhood northwest of Athena will remember Geo. Norris, son of Rev. E. M. Norris, Free Methodist minister. The young man was employed by S. S. Parris and others prior to enlisting in the service of his country.

He served in Co. C, 18th Infantry, First Division. He spent but a few weeks in the trenches, and but four days in the front lines when he was wounded by a machine gun bullet and was taken prisoner by the Germans. He was reported by the war department as missing and mourned by relatives as being dead, for many months. The boy was eventually liberated from a German prison and rejoined his company in the Army of Occupation, coming home with Pershing.

George held the rank of sergeant and wears decorations awarded him by the French and American governments.

TAKEN UP

One Holsten yearling bull, branded S with bar across it, on the right side.

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